

2019-20

# HIGHLIGHTS

## CANE CREEK MOUNTAINS NATURAL AREA

The first phase of the Cane Creek Mountains Natural Area opened in May 2020. The park comprises Alamance County's largest state-significant natural heritage area and is home to the highest peak in North Carolina east of Greensboro at 987 feet. Phase 1 includes the first trailhead and 3.5 miles of trail.

## CEDAROCK PARK OVERLOOK DECK

The Overlook is Cedarrock Park's newest facility opening in March 2020. As the name implies, the platform overlooks the park's most popular feature, the historic Old Mill Dam. The Overlook is adjacent to the historic Stevens Family house and offers ample space for gatherings.

## PLEASANT GROVE PLAYGROUND & DISC GOLF COURSE

The Pleasant Grove Community Center received some updates in the spring of 2020. The center received new playground equipment and a sunshade, as well as a new 9-hole beginner disc golf course.

## HAW RIVER TRAIL

Glencoe Paddle Access was renovated and a new gate and fence were installed at Great Bend Park. Union Bridge Paddle Access received new stairs leading from parking area to the river providing easy access for paddlers. Sellars Falls opened a new camping area with 3 campsites.

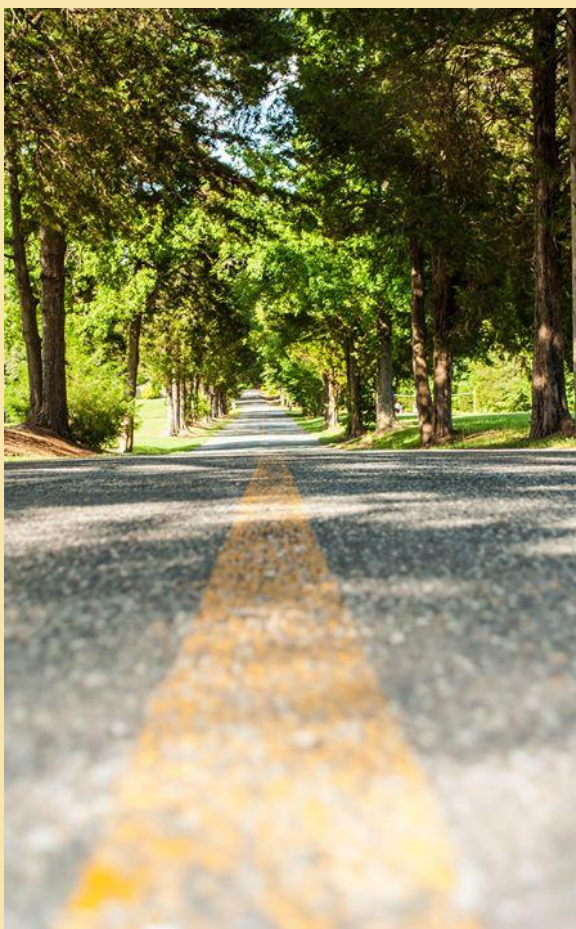
## CEDAROCK HISTORICAL FARM

The Garrett House received building repairs, fresh paint, and the installation of a new porch and deck.

**700,567***Visitors to Alamance Parks***272***Total Programs Held***12,313***Program Participants***31,212***Program Contact Hours**Logged by Staff*

*Left: The first visitors to Cane Creek Mountains Natural Area  
Right: The Overlook at Cedarrock Park*





## LOOKING AHEAD

### CANE CREEK MOUNTAINS NATURAL AREA

Planning and development will continue for Phase 2 of the Cane Creek Mountains Natural Area. The second phase of the park will include an observation tower, camping facilities, a wildlife interpretation area, additional miles of trail, and more.

### CEDAROCK EQUESTRIAN CENTER BARN

A new barn is being built at the Cedarock Equestrian Center. The barn will have 10 stalls, a tack room, feed room, and a storage room and allow for the opportunity to offer horse riding lessons in the future.

### TEXTILE HERITAGE MUSEUM

A tour map is being developed for the Glencoe Mill Village and Textile Heritage Museum. This interactive map will allow visitors to experience the history of the village through a walking tour.

### ALAMANCE ADVENTURE RACE

Coming in September, the Alamance Adventure Race is a county-wide scavenger hunt for all ages. Teams will journey to all corners of the county to find challenges and collect as many points as possible.

### SELLARS FALLS CAMPGROUND

New river access steps are being built at the Sellars Falls Campground.

