**FULL MOON DAUGHTERS OUTING SCHEDULE 2024-2025**

These are the Full Moon Daughters’ monthly outings that we scheduled for our congregational year during our Brand New Year Brunch in September.

Mark you calendars! But be aware that outing dates, as well as the event being offered each month, can change during the year. A notice will be sent when there are calendar changes. Sign-ups for these outings, and more details, will be sent out a few weeks in advance through the Full Moon Daughters members’ list. There also will be outing notices in our Thursday weekly congregational emails. Unless otherwise specified, these gatherings are for women, girls, and anyone who is non-binary or who identifies as female. You are not required to be a River of Grass member to attend. There are no events in June, July and August: too hot! For more information **and to get on our Full Moon Daughters email list** (the best way to get outing updates), email fullmoondaughters@riverofgrassuu.org

**OCT. 19, 2024,** Saturday, 10 am-2 pm: **BREEZY BEACH DAY.** Spend the day just chillin’ at one of our lovely local beaches, Dr. Von D. Mizell and Eula Johnson State Park (former John U Lloyd State Park), in Dania Beach. Bring your towel, sand chair and other beach necessities. A casual snack bar and kayak/paddleboard rentals are available. Sponsors: Susan Juncosa and Dora Font

**NOV. 9, 2024,** Saturday morning, probably around 9 am: **SO-FLA KAYAK/CANOE** **FLOAT**. Hit the water at one of the great paddling lakes or canals we have right here in our backyard. You’ll see tropical birds and maybe even a manatee. Location TBD, but will be somewhere that non-paddlers can enjoy a nature walk or other activity. Lunch or late breakfast to follow. Sponsors: Diane Lade and Elly Keane

**DEC. 22, 2024,** Sunday evening: **WINTER SOLSTICE PARTY**. Potluck! Holiday singing and activities! Gift exchange! Come celebrate the turning of the year at one of our most popular gatherings. Sponsors: Susan Juncosa and Andy Perez

**JAN. 17-18, 2025,** Friday and Saturday, exact time TBD: **EASY CAMPING!!** How about trying a “camping trip” that will be close by, where pitching a tent will be optional and you can still enjoy nature activities, a campfire and our great Full Moon potluck meals? In lieu of a winter camping trip, we are going to see if doing our usual camping activities at a member’s house will encourage better attendance. There will be limited sleeping spaces inside for those who don’t want to deal with a tent. Sponsors: Susan Juncosa and Diane Lade

**FEBRUARY 22, 2025,** Saturday morning/afternoon: **FLAMINGO GARDENS ADVENTURE.** It was so much fun last year, we’re doing it again! A trip to one of Broward’s best nature attractions. Botanical gardens, a wildlife sanctuary that’s home to injured birds and other animals, and exhibits that include an otter habitat. Sponsors: Diane Diaz and Jane Garside

**MARCH 8, 2025,** Saturday morning/afternoon: **HOMESTEAD PLANT AND ORCHID RAMBLE.** Come explore “Deep South Florida;” the plant nurseries and exotic orchid farms of Homestead and the Redlands, south of Miami. We will tour gardens and nurseries that feature tropical plants, grab fruit milkshakes and buy produce at roadside stands, and visit the Miami Brewery and adjoining winery, with a fabulous waterfall courtyard. Sponsors: Monica Dyer and Elly Keane

**APRIL 2025,** Date to be determined: **SPACE COAST NATURE WEEKEND.** There is more to see in this part of Florida than NASA. We will explore the wild bird sanctuaries near Titusville, enjoy the beautiful beaches and kayak in a bioluminescent bay off the Indian River (there are rafts too). Lodging to be determined but this is not a camping trip. Sponsor: Diane Lade

**MAY 2024,** Time and date to be determined: **SUNRISE SALUTATION.** Greet the new day as we gather at the ocean’s edge to enjoy the sunrise at a Broward County beach. Breakfast out follows. Sponsor: Marilisa Lawless