

AQUATIC VISITORS CENTER



Wednesdays through Saturdays,
June 22-September 10

10 a.m.-5 p.m.
419-285-1800
Free admission

The Aquatic Visitors Center (AVC) served as the State Fish Hatchery at Put-in-Bay from 1907 through 1988 and still displays artifacts from those days. In 1992, ODNR Division of Wildlife converted the hatchery building into an educational facility. Ohio Sea Grant took over management of the center in 2009, continuing to teach the next generation about the importance of protecting Lake Erie.

The Aquatic Visitors Center offers visitors of all ages the chance to explore Lake Erie's complex ecosystem through hands-on activities and tanks containing live Lake Erie fish. Children ages 16 and under can borrow fishing gear and fish for free off the 100-foot pier.

In addition to public tours, private tours may be scheduled May through October for \$4 per person. Please call to schedule.



AVC ADVENTURES

AVC Adventures, offered Mondays and Tuesdays, May through October, provide a half-day of fun for your group of up to 30 people.
(\$55 per person, lunch not included)

Choose up to four of the following 1-hour activities:

- Erie Island Cruise
- AVC Tour & Fishing Fun
- Birds for Beginners
- Water Quality Walk
- Ins and Outs of Lake Erie Fish
- Reptiles and Amphibians

Call 419-285-1800 to book!