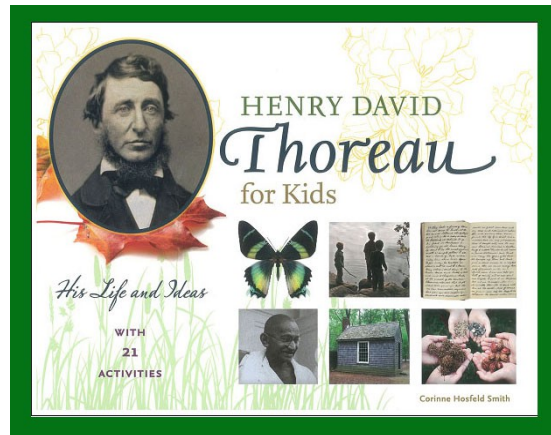


## Celebrate Henry David Thoreau's 200th Birthday in 2017: Three Programs from Corinne H. Smith



**Henry David Thoreau & His Relevance for Today.** A 60- or 90-minute speaker presentation with discussion about this American author and amateur naturalist. Corinne can tailor the content and connect it to your area, if Thoreau traveled to or through it. Her specialty is the 1861 trip that led him from Massachusetts to Minnesota, the subject of her first book, *Westward I Go Free: Tracing Thoreau's Last Journey*.

*Henry David Thoreau for Kids* is a biography and activity book for middle-grader readers. Corinne can conduct a **hands-on session of one activity:** making a rock collection box from a shoebox and extra cardboard. She will supply shoeboxes, cardboard, and the use of some rock and mineral guides. Kids can bring rocks they've already found, and we can identify, label, and store them.



Corinne can lead a **2-hour or longer nature writing walk** that will urge people to get outside, to pay attention with all of their senses, and to write about their experiences. Participants can range from teens through adults. We go out in each season, within reason. These sessions are best done with 15 or fewer participants.

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