

2009-2010 Events

Join professional Nature in the Parks naturalists as you explore Earth's astonishing treasures in the beautiful Milwaukee County Park system. Nature in the Parks has been providing natural history and environmental education programming for scout and youth groups for over 25 years. All events complete badge requirements unless otherwise specified.

Stargazing*

Cub Scouts will take a trip to Mars, visit the Starlab (an indoor planetarium) and dance around the solar system. This is an indoor program, but scouts might venture outside for a short time to gaze at the stars if weather permits.

Naturalist

Webelos will hear about the various jobs of a naturalist. They will learn about poisonous animals and plants, how to safely catch and release insects, and about the plants and animals that live around us.

Forester

Webelos will learn about the importance of a forest community and what jobs a forester really does. They will run a forest fire relay and identify trees while on a nature hike.

Weather

Bear Scouts will try out weather instruments, learn about the atmosphere, and make their own weather map. On a hike, they will look for different cloud formations.

May 2009

Geologist

Webelos will investigate fossils and discuss plate tectonics and the rock cycle. They will learn to identify minerals and make and EAT ROCKS!

Maple Sugar Days at Wehr*



Girl Scouts will experience the maple syrup making process at an old-fashioned sugarin' camp, learn to identify trees, tap for sap, and enjoy a pancake with real maple syrup! There will be Native American crafts to make and other displays to enjoy including live animals. Scouts will receive a Fun Patch.

DO NOT USE THIS FORM TO REGISTER FOR THIS WEHR NATURE CENTER PROGRAM.

Visit our website to see the brochure for this event: <http://milwaukee.uwex.edu>. Click on the Nature in the Parks link; scroll down to Scout Groups. Call (414)-425-8550 for more information and to register over the phone with a credit card for a specific start time between 12:00 and 1:00 pm. Registration begins Jan 11, 2010.

* Note: This event is not designed to complete a badge. Parts of the program may satisfy some badge requirements.

Nature in the Parks



CUB SCOUT NATURE TREKS 2009-2010



Nature in the Parks is a cooperative effort of UW-Cooperative Extension, Wehr Nature Center, and Milwaukee County Park System.

Registration Form

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Program Title _____

Program Date _____

Program Time _____

Program Location _____

Name of adult leader accompanying group: _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____

Work or Cell Phone ? _____

Email _____

(Email is for a confirmation letter and future program information only.)

Pack # _____ Grade of Cub Scouts _____

of Cub Scouts _____ X \$6.50 = \$ _____

of Paying Adults _____ X \$6.50 = \$ _____

of Non-Paying Adults _____ Total \$ _____

For Credit Card Payment—Visa, MasterCard, Am. Express

_____ Exp _____

Name _____ Amount _____

For Office Use Only Date Received _____

Payment # _____ Confirmation Emailed _____

Registration Information

- Registration with payment must be received by the deadline, which is **3 weeks** before the date of the program.
- Please call or check our website for full or cancelled programs before registering: <http://milwaukee.uwex.edu> Click on the Nature in the Parks link; click on Scout Groups.
- Use one form per event. You may make copies.
- Write separate checks for each event, or pay by Visa, MasterCard, or American Express on this form or by phone.
- You will receive a confirmation letter and a detailed map.
- FEES: \$6.50/scout
\$6.50/adult in excess of free adults
2 free for 1-10 paid scouts
3 free for 11-15 paid scouts
4 free for 16-20 paid scouts
- Programs with low registration may be shortened to one and a half hours. No program content will be lost.
- For more information call the Scout Coordinator at (414) 425-8550 on Mondays and Wednesdays from 9 am-4 pm.

Make checks payable to: UWEX

Mail payment and registration form to:

Scout Coordinator

Nature in the Parks

9701 W. College Ave, Franklin WI 53132

Refund Policy

You will receive a refund minus 25% up to 3 weeks before the program date. No refunds for less than \$10, or less than 3 weeks before the program. Refund checks take 3-4 weeks to process in the Madison UWEX office.

An EEO/Affirmative Action employer, University of Wisconsin-Extension provides equal opportunities in employment and programming, including Title IX and ADA requirements. Requests for reasonable accommodations for disabilities or limitations should be made prior to the date of the program or activity for which it is needed. Please make such requests as early as possible by contacting Nature in the Parks at (414) 425-8550 (or 711 for Relay) so proper arrangements can be made.

2009-2010 Nature Treks Calendar

FORESTER

September 19	9:00-11:30 am	Greenfield Park
October 10	9:00-11:30 am or 12:30-3:00 pm	Whitnall Park
May 15	9:00-11:30 am	Greenfield Park

NATURALIST

September 19	12:30-3:00 pm	Greenfield Park
November 21	9:00-11:30 am or 12:30-3:00 pm	Jacobus Park
April 17	9:00-11:30 am	Jacobus Park

GEOLOGIST

December 19	9:00-11:30 am	Whitnall Park
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WEATHER

February 20	9:00-11:30 am	Falk Park
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STARGAZING FOR WEBELOS

January 15	5:30-8:00 pm	Wehr Nature Center
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A Special Event At Wehr Nature Center

Maple Sugar Days (Tigers through Webelos) March 27 & 28 Hikes at 12:00, 12:20, or 12:40 pm

See reverse side for a short description of activities. For more details visit our website <http://milwaukee.uwex.edu>.

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