



# EXPLORING NATURE PROGRAMS

## WELLS PARK WEEK OF JULY 5 – JULY 11 , 2009

**TUESDAY, JULY 7**

**No Programs Today**



**WEDNESDAY, JULY 8**

**FROGS, FROGS, FROGS !!!**

**10 am**  
Meet at the Canopy by the Host Site  
Learn about our wonderful Amphibian Friends: Frogs, Toads, and Salamanders.



**Butterflies in the Wind**

**2 pm**  
Meet at the Ball Field. There are 18,000 species of Butterflies!! Catch and learn about beautiful butterflies. Bring a camera to capture the memories before we release them.

**THURSDAY, JULY 9**

**Early-Birds Family Nature Hike**

**8 am**  
Meet at the Canopy by the Host Site. A **Brisk** hike for all you "Morning Doves". Experience Nature as we hike Ridgewood Trail and back along the Cedar River Trail.

Approx. 3 miles  
**Children under 16 must be accompanied by an Adult. Wear appropriate footwear**  
**NO BICYCLES PLEASE**

**Discovery Table**

**1 – 2 pm**  
At the canopy by the Host Site  
Discover some of the animals that call the woodland and wetlands home!

**FRIDAY, JULY 10**

**Fishing at the Harbor**

**10:30 am**  
Get caught up in the action. Learn some basic techniques: casting, presentation, identification, and regulations. Fish the bank of the Cedar River, at the harbor. Equipment and bait provided. A parent must be present to aid in fish handling and safety.



**SATURDAY, JULY 11**

**Scavenger Hunt**

**3 pm**  
Meet at the Host Site  
**Get wild about Nature!**  
Come on a Scavenger Hunt in the park. Kids under 10 need to have a parent along for the search.



**Campfire Fun**

**7 pm**  
Meet at the canopy by the host site and we will hike (no bikes) over to the Totem pole to learn how to start a fire without matches, make S'mores and tell stories.

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## WELLS PARK WEEK OF JULY 12 – JULY 18, 2009

**TUESDAY, JULY 14**

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 15**

**THURSDAY, JULY 16**

**FRIDAY, JULY 17**

**SATURDAY, JULY 18**

**No Programs Today**



### Early-Birds Family Nature

**Hike  
8 am**

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### Discovery Table 1 – 2 pm

At the canopy by the Host Site, discover some of the animals that call the woodland and wetlands home!

### Ready for Raptors 10 am

Meet at the Canopy by the Host Site. Come discover Falcons, Eagles, and Owls as we learn about these beautiful hunters of the sky

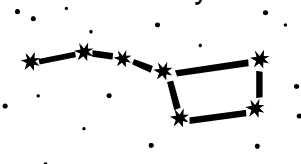


### Going Green! Trash craft

**2 pm.** Meet at the canopy by the Host Site. Bring along a washed plastic water or pop bottle. Learn one really fun way to reuse plastic bottles!

### Something's Fishy 4 pm

Meet at the canopy by the Host Site. Learn a little bit about fish identification, casting, bait, and invasive fish in Lake Michigan. Get ready for fishing on Saturday!!

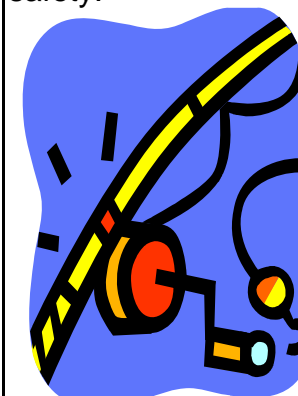


### Explore the Night Sky!

**9:30 pm** Meet by the Ball Field. We will be viewing the night sky through a telescope and learning to use a chart. Bring a flashlight, blanket to lie on and bug spray.

### Fishing at the Harbor 10:30 am

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