

# Fort Worth Nature Center & Refuge

## July 2022 Program Calendar

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### Pre-School Discovery Club

10 - 11 a.m.

Bring your 3 - 5 year old children for a lesson about our natural world through a story, lesson, hike, and craft. This month, we will discover backyard birds. **Pre-registration required.**  
**\$8 (with paid admission)/MEMBERS \$5.**

July 1	July 15
<a href="#">35686</a>	<a href="#">35687</a>



### Early Birds

8 - 10 a.m.

Birds have settled in for the summer. Join us as we explore the Refuge in search of our feathered residents. **Pre-registration required.**  
**\$5 (with paid admission)/MEMBERS FREE.**

July 4	July 11	July 18	July 25
<a href="#">35706</a>	<a href="#">35707</a>	<a href="#">35708</a>	<a href="#">35709</a>



### Water Days

9 - 11 a.m. Paddling

9 - 10 a.m. Dip-Netting

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Canoeing \$20/\$15
July 5
<a href="#">35695</a>

Dip-Netting \$5/Free	
July 12	July 26
<a href="#">35696</a>	<a href="#">35698</a>

Kayaking \$20/\$15
July 19
<a href="#">35697</a>



### Nature Hikes

9 - 10:30 a.m.

Hike with us under the shade and learn about all things found in the forest. **Pre-registration required.**  
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July 7	July 14	July 21	July 28
<a href="#">35719</a>	<a href="#">35720</a>	<a href="#">35721</a>	<a href="#">35722</a>



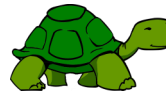
### Flowering Plant Tour

9 - 10:30 a.m.

Wednesdays are for the flowering plants. Tour the Refuge with us as we learn about the towering trees and colorful flowers.

**Pre-registration required. \$5 (with paid admission)/MEMBERS FREE.**

July 6	July 13	July 20	July 27
<a href="#">35738</a>	<a href="#">35739</a>	<a href="#">35740</a>	<a href="#">35741</a>



### Animal Ambassador Highlight

10 - 11 a.m. & 1 - 2 p.m.

Join us and meeting one of our animal ambassadors and learn about how their more wilder counterparts survive in the wild.

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July 8 (10)	July 8 (1)	July 22 (10)	July 22 (1)
<a href="#">35747</a>	<a href="#">35748</a>	<a href="#">35751</a>	<a href="#">35752</a>
July 29 (10)	July 29 (1)		
<a href="#">35753</a>	<a href="#">35754</a>		

**Wed, Jul 13 - Nature Journaling for Adults 9 - 11 a.m. Activity # [35749](#)**

Journaling about your nature experiences at the Nature Center can help further your love of the outdoors. Come and learn some tips to journaling your experience. Please bring an HB pencil and eraser (or a No. 2 pencil) and a Canson Mix Media 7" X 10" XL Series sketch pad. *Program geared for adults.* **Pre-registration required. \$5 (with paid admission)/MEMBERS FREE.**

**Wed, Jul 13 - Full Moon Paddle 8 - 10:30 p.m. Activity # [35692](#)**

July's moon is referred to as the Buck Moon. Come and enjoy a night paddling and hear about the deer that call the Nature Center home. *All equipment is provided.* **Please arrive by 7:45 p.m. Meet at Back Gate, [8670 Shoreline Drive, FW 76135.](#)**

**Pre-registration required. \$20 (with paid admission)/MEMBERS \$15.**

**Wed, Jul 20 - Nature Journaling for Youth 9 - 10:30 a.m. Activity # [35750](#)**

Journaling about your nature experiences at the Nature Center can help further your love of the outdoors. Come and learn some tips to journaling your experience. Please bring an HB pencil and eraser (or a No. 2 pencil) and a Canson Mix Media 7" X 10" XL Series sketch pad. *Program geared for youth.* **Pre-registration required. \$5 (with paid admission)/MEMBERS FREE.**

**Tue, Jul 26 - Boardwalk Yoga 8 - 9 a.m. Activity # [35735](#)**

Join us for a relaxing introductory Yoga session at the boardwalk. No previous Yoga experience required. **Pre-registration required. \$5 (with paid admission)/MEMBERS FREE.**

**Thur, Jul 28 - Refuge After Hours 8:30 - 10 p.m. Activity # [35732](#)**

The setting of the sun does not mean the end of the day for wildlife. For most, it is about to get started. Come learn about nocturnal wildlife. *Meet at the Front Gate.* **Pre-registration required. \$10 (with paid admission)/MEMBERS \$5.**



**Winged Wonders K- 1st Graders**

July 5 - 8, 2022  
9 a.m. - 3 p.m.  
[35284](#)



**Seeking Out Wildlife 2nd - 3rd Graders**

July 12 - 15, 2022  
9 a.m. - 3 p.m.  
[35287](#)



**The World of Insects 4th - 5th Graders**

July 19 - 22, 2022  
9 a.m. - 3 p.m.  
[35288](#)



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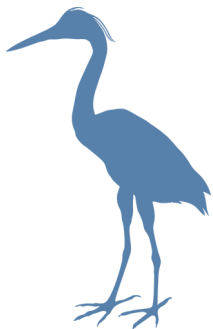
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**Admission**

Adults (13-64) **\$6**  
Children (3-12) **\$2**  
Children under 3 **FREE**  
Seniors (65+) **\$3**  
Dogs **\$1**  
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## August 2022 Program Calendar

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### Early Birds

8 - 10 a.m.

Join us for a bird walk and learn how to identify birds by sound. **Pre-registration required. \$5 (with paid admission)/MEMBERS FREE.**

Aug 1	Aug 8	Aug 15	Aug 22	Aug 29
<a href="#">35710</a>	<a href="#">35711</a>	<a href="#">35712</a>	<a href="#">35713</a>	<a href="#">35714</a>



### Flowering Plant Tour

9 - 10:30 a.m.

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Aug 2	Aug 9	Aug 16	Aug 23	Aug 30
<a href="#">35742</a>	<a href="#">35743</a>	<a href="#">35744</a>	<a href="#">35745</a>	<a href="#">35746</a>



### Water Days

9 - 11 a.m. Paddling

9 - 10 a.m. Dip-Netting/Seining

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Canoeing \$20/\$15	Dip-Netting \$5/Free	
Aug 3	Aug 10	Aug 24
<a href="#">35699</a>	<a href="#">35700</a>	<a href="#">35702</a>
Kayaking \$20/\$15	Seining \$5/Free	
Aug 17	Aug 31	
<a href="#">35701</a>	<a href="#">35703</a>	



### Nature Hikes

9 - 10:30 a.m.

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Aug 4	Aug 11	Aug 18	Aug 25
<a href="#">35723</a>	<a href="#">35724</a>	<a href="#">35725</a>	<a href="#">35726</a>



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<a href="#">35756</a>	<a href="#">35757</a>	<a href="#">35758</a>	<a href="#">35759</a>



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10 - 11 a.m.

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Aug 5	Aug 19
<a href="#">35688</a>	<a href="#">35689</a>

**Wed, Aug 10 - Nature Journaling for Adults 9 - 11 a.m. Activity # [35755](#)**

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**Thur, Aug 11 - Full Moon Paddle 8 - 10:30 p.m. Activity # [35693](#)**

The Sturgeon Moon shines over the Nature Center. Paddle with us and learn about fish and more. *All equipment is provided.* **Please arrive by 7:45 p.m. Meet at Back Gate, [8670 Shoreline Drive, FW 76135.](#) Pre-registration required. \$20 (with paid admission)/MEMBERS \$15.**

**Wed, Aug 17 - Nature Journaling for Youth 9 - 10:30 a.m. Activity # [35802](#)**

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**Tue, Aug 23 - Boardwalk Yoga 8 - 9 a.m. Activity # [35736](#)**

Join us for a relaxing introductory Yoga session at the boardwalk. No previous Yoga experience required. **Pre-registration required. \$5 (with paid admission)/MEMBERS FREE.**

**Thur, Aug 25 - Refuge After Hours 8 - 9:30 p.m. Activity # [35733](#)**

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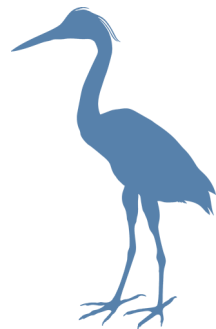
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### **Tue, Sep 6 - Canoe Tour 10 a.m. - Noon Activity # [35704](#)**

Join us as we paddle along the Trinity while we observe plant life that fill in the river during this time of year. *All equipment is provided. Meet at the Canoe Launch. Pre-registration required. \$20 (with paid admission)/ MEMBERS \$15.*

### **Wed, Sep 7 - Valuable Vultures 10 - 11 a.m. Activity # [35760](#)**

Vultures are valuable scavengers that aid in maintaining a healthy ecosystem by consuming carrion. Join us as we learn about New World vultures, their adaptations to finding food, how to identify the local species, and their crucial role in our ecosystem. **Pre-registration required. \$5 (with paid admission)/MEMBERS FREE.**

### **Thur, Sep 8 - Full Moon Paddle 7:30 - 10 p.m. Activity # [35694](#)**

Come paddle with us for the last full moon of Summer. *All equipment is provided. Please arrive by 7:15 p.m. Meet at Back Gate, [8670 Shoreline Drive, FW 76135](#). Pre-registration required. \$20 (with paid admission)/ MEMBERS \$15.*

### **Fri, Sep 9 - iNatting the Prairie 10 - 11:30 a.m. Activity # [35761](#)**

Join a naturalist and contribute to the Nature Center iNat project by documenting species of flora and fauna found along the prairie. **Pre-registration required. \$5 (with paid admission)/MEMBERS FREE.**

### **Tue, Sep 13 - Hardcore Hiking 9 a.m. - Noon Activity # [35762](#)**

Join us on one of the most challenging trails at the Nature Center. It covers 6.5 miles of scenic views. Plan accordingly by wearing appropriate clothing and footwear. Bring at least a half gallon of water per person and light snacks. *Note: This is not an interpretive hike and is geared for adults.* **Pre-registration required. \$10 (with paid admission)/MEMBERS \$5.**

### **Wed, Sep 14 - Nature Journaling 10 a.m. - Noon Activity # [35763](#)**

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### **Tue, Sep 20 - Kayak Tour 10 a.m. - Noon Activity # [35705](#)**

The American Lotus are starting to bloom. Paddle with us and see the spectacular flowers up close. *All equipment is provided. Meet at the Canoe Launch. Pre-registration required. \$20 (with paid admission)/ MEMBERS \$15.*

### **Wed, Sep 21 - Nature Journaling 10 - 11:30 a.m. - Noon Activity # [35765](#)**

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### **Nature Hikes** 10 - 11:30 a.m.

The season will start to change soon. Join us as we say farewell to some of our summer residents like butterflies and dragonflies. **Pre-registration required. \$5 (with paid admission)/MEMBERS FREE.**

Sep 1	Sep 8	Sep 15	Sep 22	Sep 29
<a href="#">35727</a>	<a href="#">35728</a>	<a href="#">35729</a>	<a href="#">35730</a>	<a href="#">35731</a>



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Sep 2	Sep 16
<a href="#">35690</a>	<a href="#">35691</a>



### **Early Birds**

8:30 - 10:30 a.m.

Days are getting shorter and that gets birds thinking it is time to leave. Join us as we anticipate birds preparing for migration.

**Pre-registration required.**

**\$5 (with paid admission)/MEMBERS FREE.**

Sep 5	Sep 12	Sep 19	Sep 26
<a href="#">35715</a>	<a href="#">35716</a>	<a href="#">35717</a>	<a href="#">35718</a>

**Wed, Sep 21 - Wasps: Unconventional Garden Friend 10 - 11:30 a.m. Activity # [35764](#)**

Wasps play many roles in their environment; including natural pest control. Come learn about local species, their life cycles, and how their feeding can aid in maintaining a healthy garden. **Pre-registration required. \$5 (with paid admission)/ MEMBERS FREE.**

**Fri, Sep 23 - iNatting the Caprock 10 - 11:30 a.m. Activity # [35766](#)**

Join a naturalist and contribute to the Nature Center iNat project by documenting species of flora and fauna found along the Caprock Trail. **Pre-registration required. \$5 (with paid admission)/MEMBERS FREE.**

**Tue, Sep 27 - Boardwalk Yoga 8:30 - 9:30 a.m. Activity # [35737](#)**

Join us for a relaxing introductory Yoga session at the boardwalk. No previous yoga experience required. Pre-registration required. *Meet at the Marty Leonard Lotus Marsh Boardwalk.* **Pre-registration required. \$5 (with paid admission)/ MEMBERS FREE.**

**Wed, Sep 28 - Insect Grazers of the Prairie 10 - 11 a.m. Activity # [35767](#)**

Take a leisurely hike to explore the grasshoppers residing on the prairie and forest margins. You will be surprised at all the different species we have and their grazing impacts on the plant community. **Pre-registration required. \$5 (with paid admission)/MEMBERS FREE.**

**Thur, Sep 29 - Refuge After Hours 7:30 - 9 p.m. Activity # [35734](#)**

What sounds will we hear as we hike along the trails after sunset. Join us and find out. *Meet at the Front Gate.* **Pre-registration required. \$10 (with paid admission)/MEMBERS \$5.**

**Wed, Sep 30 - Caprock's Past and Present 10 - 11 a.m. Activity # [35768](#)**

Hike along the Caprock Trail and learn about the Nature Center's past and present. **Pre-registration required. \$5 (with paid admission)/MEMBERS FREE.**

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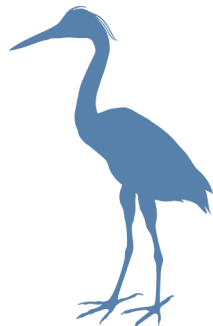
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