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Anoka County Parks Programs and Activities

Check out Anoka County Parks for fun seasonal programs and activities. To register or for more information, call 763-324-3350 or visit anokacountyparks.com.

Nature Play

November 5 (Crafty Camouflage), 10-11:15am; Wargo Nature Center, 7701 Main St., Lino Lakes
Ages 2-5 (with an adult). Animals often use camouflage to hide themselves. Sometimes to hide from predators and other times to hide from their prey. Learn all about camouflaged animals through activities and a story. This program is geared for 2-5-year old's who are accompanied by an adult. Pre-registration is required.

COST: \$3/child and \$3/adult (+tax)

Lunch with a Naturalist

October 21 (Prescribed Burning), 11:30am-1pm; Virtual via Zoom

Ages 50+. Our Lunch with a Naturalist program is coming back this month! Join us for a special guest presentation from Dr. Potter of Cedar Creek Ecosystem Science Reserve on the role of fire in nature and how it is used in a prescribed manner by land managers. The program will be online and require pre-registration. A program link will be emailed you after registration.

FREE!

Homeschool Program

November 12, 10am-12pm or 1-3pm; Wargo Nature Center; 7701 Main St., Lino Lakes

Naturalists work with homeschoolers to provide quality environmental, recreational and natural history programs. Children discover the natural environment by having fun learning about nature

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through hands-on activities. Grades K-2: Apple Cidering; Grades 3-5: Outdoor Survival; Grades 6-12: Animal Dissections. CDC/MDH guidelines will be followed. Pre-registration is required.
COST: \$5/person (+tax)

Lichens

October 24, 1-2pm; Wargo Nature Center, 7701 Main St., Lino Lakes

Ages 12+. Learn about the ultimate partnership. We will peer into the natural history of these amazing fungal and algal organisms through field ecology, identification, specimens and in class learning. CDC/MDH guidelines will be followed. Pre-registration is required.

COST: \$5/person (+tax)

Little Goblins Costume Party

October 31, 1-3pm; Wargo Nature Center, 7701 Main St., Lino Lakes

Ghosts, goblins, and more! Join us in your favorite costume for an afternoon of physically distanced fun! We will have a variety of themed carnival games and crafts and you can even take a photo with our special photo backdrop. Note: Parents/guardians are encouraged to dress in their favorite costume as well. Please make sure all costumes are family appropriate, no costumes with weapons. All children must be accompanied by an adult. Children ages 8 years and younger are welcome. Pre-registration is required. MDH/CDC physical distancing and disinfecting guidelines will be followed.

COST: \$10/child (+tax), adults free