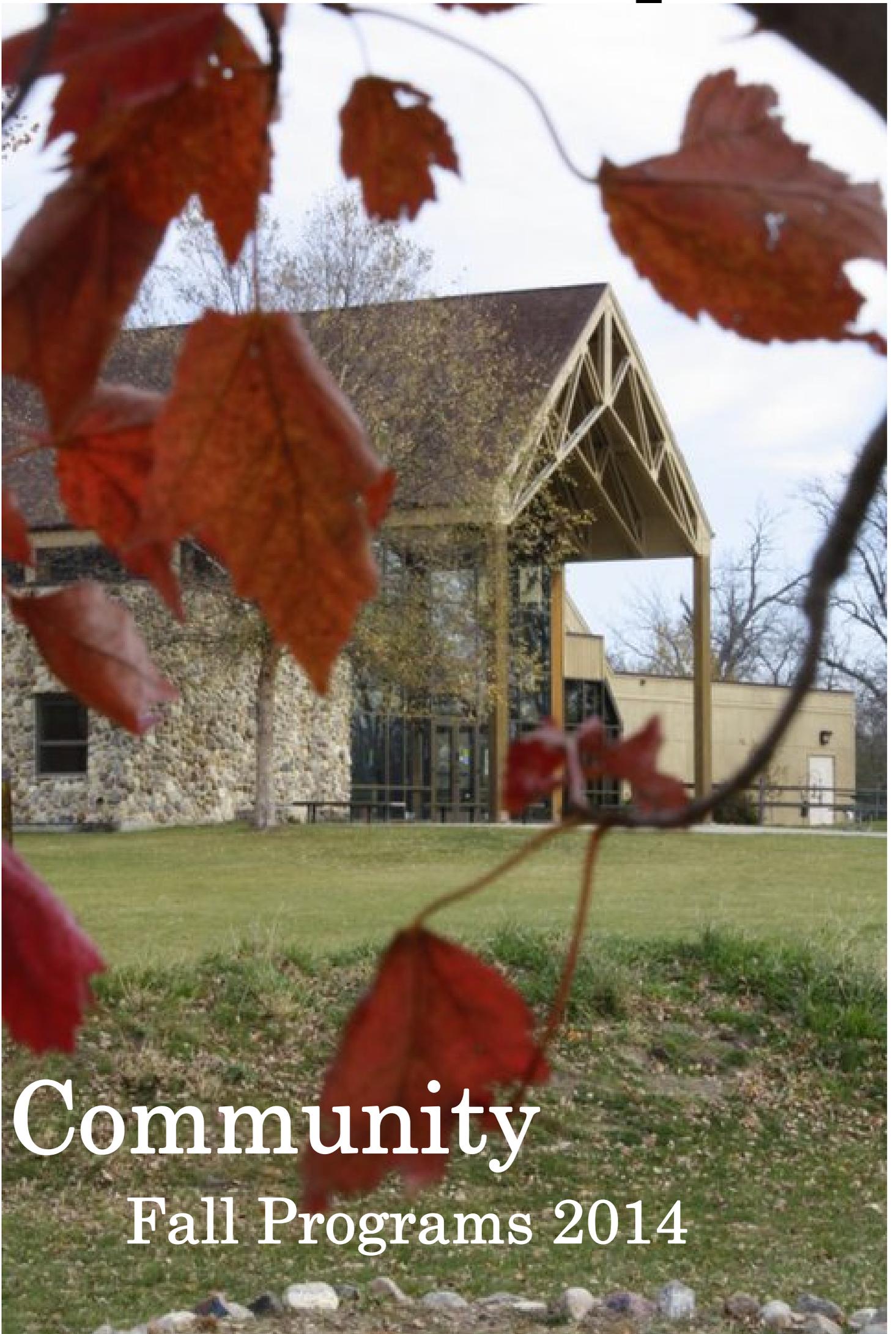


The Outdoor Campus



Community

Fall Programs 2014

Registration Information

Registration opens:

Wednesday, August 13th at 7:00 a.m. for fall programs

Pre-registration is required for all classes and programs. All classes require class participants to sign a waiver.

What is the cost?

Youth programs are **FREE**, but some adult classes have a materials fee. Our programs are funded by the sale of fishing and hunting licenses.

How do I register?

1. On our website at www.outdoorcampus.org
 - Choose the Sioux Falls Outdoor Campus
 - Click on Registration on the right side of the screen
 - If you are a new user you will need to create an account, then you will be ready to register for programs!
2. Sign up at The Outdoor Campus. We have a computer available for your use Monday through Friday from 8-5 p.m., Saturday from 10-4 p.m. and Sunday from 1-4 p.m.
3. Call us at 362-2777.

Cancellations:

Many programs fill quickly. PLEASE call us or cancel on the website as soon as possible if you cannot attend a class.

Waiting List

We highly recommend signing up on the waiting list if the class is full! If there is a high demand for a program we will try our best to add an additional class called a Pop Up that will be posted on our registration website. Notifications of Pop Up classes will appear on Facebook and Twitter.

Sprouts Program (3-4 yr olds)

The Sprouts program is a nature awareness program geared for 3-4 yr olds with an adult partner. These classes help preschoolers explore the natural world through a variety of age-appropriate activities.



“J” is for Jumpers

Join us as we discover the world of jumping animals. Learn about frogs, grasshoppers, rabbits and more.

Class Dates: (pick **ONE** of the following)

Wednesday, September 3, 10-10:45 a.m. **OR** 11-11:45 a.m.

Saturday, September 13, 10-10:45 a.m. **OR** 11-11:45 a.m.

Wednesday, September 24, 10-10:45 a.m. **OR** 11-11:45 a.m.

Saturday, September 27, 10-10:45 a.m. **OR** 11-11:45 a.m.



“K” is for Kittens

Join us as we learn all about baby mountain lions and bobcats.

Class Dates: (pick **ONE** of the following)

Wednesday, October 1, 10-10:45 a.m.

Saturday, October 11, 10-10:45 a.m. **OR** 11-11:45 a.m.

Wednesday, October 15, 10-10:45 a.m.

Saturday, October 25, 10-10:45 a.m. **OR** 11-11:45 a.m.



“L” is for Ladybugs

Be polite, a lady is present. Join us as we learn all about ladybugs.

Class Dates: (pick **ONE** of the following)

Saturday, November 1, 10-10:45 a.m. **OR** 11-11:45 a.m.

Wednesday, November 5, 10-10:45 a.m.

Saturday, November 15, 10-10:45 a.m. **OR** 11-11:45 a.m.

Wednesday, November 19, 10-10:45 a.m.



Nature Story Time

Join us on a reading adventure as we explore our nature library. We will read stories each month about animals, nature, kids in the outdoors and lots more.

Age: 1-4 yr olds with an adult partner

Class Dates:

Monday, September 8, 9-10:00 a.m.

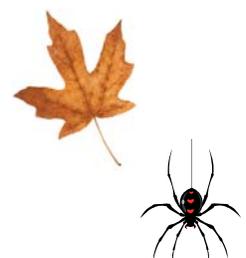
Monday, October 6, 9-10:00 a.m.

Monday, November 3, 9-10:00 a.m.

Trees & Leaves

Creepy Things

Thanking Nature





Lil Angler (3-4 yr. olds)

The goal of the Lil Angler program is to teach preschoolers about fishing skills and ethics. Under the supervision of our trained staff, kids and their adult partners will learn fishing skills first in the classroom and then on the water.

Fishing Basics

Learn the basics of what it takes to fish in SD and how to do it safely. We'll talk about basic equipment, safety and ethics before heading out to the pond and throwing in a line.

Class Dates: (pick **ONE** of the following)

Wednesday, September 10, 10-11:00 a.m.

Wednesday, October 8, 10-11:00 a.m.

Wednesday, November 12, 10-11:00 a.m.



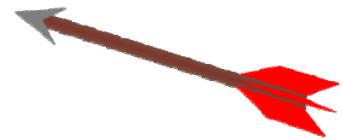
Lil Hunter (3-4 yr olds)

The goal of the Lil Hunter program is to teach preschoolers and their adult partners about hunting skills and ethics. Programs involve lots of fun, hands-on activities supervised by our trained staff.

Archery Basics

Join us and learn how to safely handle and shoot a beginner's bow and arrow. We will practice our aim on our 3-D animal targets.

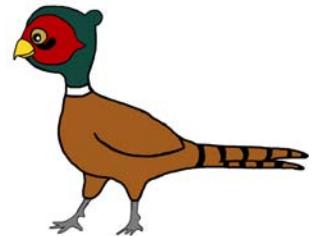
Class Date: Wednesday, September 17, 10-11:00 a.m.



Pheasant Hunting

Head on down to the Campus for an action-packed morning as we learn all about the sport of hunting pheasants.

Class Date: Wednesday, October 22, 10-11:00 a.m.



Deer Hunting 101

Join us as we learn all about deer hunting. We'll even shoot deer targets using our Nerf guns.

Class Date: Wednesday, November 26, 10-11:00 a.m.



Young Naturalist (5-7 yr olds)



The goal of the Young Naturalist program is to introduce 5-7 year olds to South Dakota's natural environment and resources. *Parents are welcome to stay or go during the program.*

Busy Bees

Buzz on in to the Campus and learn about our state insect.

Class Dates: (pick **ONE** of the following)

Saturday, September 13,

10-10:45 a.m. **OR** 11-11:45 a.m.

Saturday, September 27,

10-10:45 a.m. **OR** 11-11:45 a.m.



Creepy Crawly Spiders

Spiders might not be your favorite critter, but come learn about the benefits of our friends with eight legs.

Class Dates: (pick **ONE** of the following)

Saturday, October 11,

10-10:45 a.m. **OR** 11-11:45 a.m.

Saturday, October 25,

10-10:45 a.m. **OR** 11-11:45 a.m.



Nuts About Squirrels

Scurry over quickly to learn all about the squirrels of South Dakota!

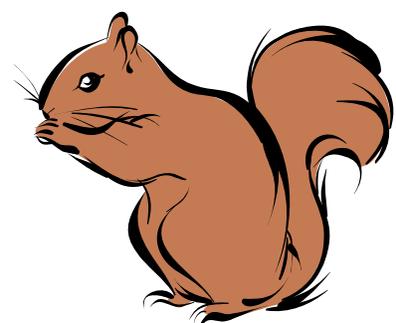
Class Dates: (pick **ONE** of the following)

Saturday, November 1,

10-10:45 a.m. **OR** 11-11:45 a.m.

Saturday, November 15,

10-10:45 a.m. **OR** 11-11:45 a.m.





Young Angler (5-7 yr. olds)

The goal of the Young Angler program is to teach youth about fishing skills and ethics. Under the supervision of our trained staff, youth will learn fishing skills first in the classroom and then on the water.

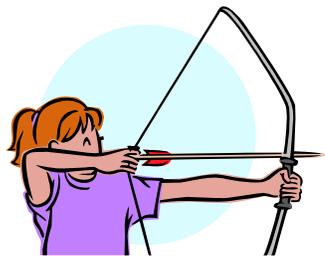
Fishing Basics

Learn the basics of what it takes to fish in SD and how to do it safely. We'll talk about basic equipment, safety and ethics before heading out to the pond and throwing in a line.

Class Dates: (pick **ONE** of the following)

Saturday, September 13, 1-2:30 p.m.

Saturday, October 4, 10-11:30 a.m.



Young Hunter (5-7 yr olds)

The goal of the Young Hunter program is to teach youth about hunting skills and ethics. Programs involve lots of fun, hands-on activities supervised by our trained staff.

Archery Basics

Come learn how to safely handle and shoot a youth sized bow and arrow. We will practice our aim on our 3-D animal targets and learn how to take an ethical shot.

Class Date:

Saturday, September 6, 9-10:00 a.m.



Pheasant Hunting Basics

Join us for an action-packed morning as we learn all about the sport of hunting the pheasant.

Class Date:

Saturday, October 18, 9-10:00 a.m.

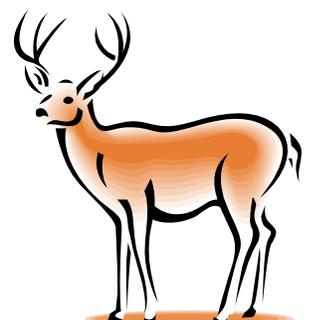


Deer Hunting 101

Come learn all about hunting deer. Try shooting at our 3-D targets with Nerf guns.

Class Date:

Saturday, November 8, 9-10:00 a.m.



Jr. Naturalist (8-12 yr olds)

The goal of the Junior Naturalist program is to teach 8-12 year olds about South Dakota's natural environment and its inhabitants through interactive games and activities as well as outdoor expeditions.



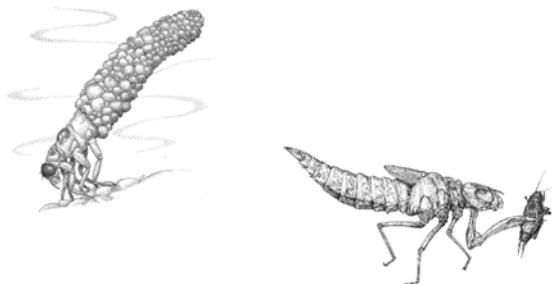
Wet and Wild

Dig deep into the oxbow and pond to search and identify water critters!

Class Dates: (pick **ONE** of the following)

Saturday, September 13, 1:30-3 p.m.

Saturday, September 27, 1:30-3 p.m.



Inside Out

Femurs, scapula and skulls, oh my. Join us as we talk about bones.

Class Dates: (pick **one** of the following)

Saturday, October 11, 1:30-3 p.m.

Saturday, October 25, 1:30-3 p.m.



Outdoor Survival

Discover how animals survive in the harsh South Dakota elements.

Class Dates: (pick **one** of the following)

Saturday, November 1, 1:30-3 p.m.

Saturday, November 15, 1:30-3 p.m.



Don't Forget!

Check out our blog for fun stories, tips and tricks from the staff at The Outdoor Campus!



<http://outdoorcampus.wordpress.com/>

Junior Angler (8-12 yr. olds)



The goal of the Junior Angler program is to teach 8-12 yr olds about fishing skills and ethics. Under the supervision of our trained staff, youth will learn fishing skills in the classroom and then on the water.

Fishing Basics

What better way to spend a day than fishing in the Campus pond? Learn the basics of fishing, including equipment, safety and ethics before dropping your hook. Youth should bring a hat and sunglasses.

Class Dates: (pick **ONE** of the following)

Thursday, September 11, 4-5:00 p.m.

Saturday, October 4, 1-2:30 p.m.



Junior Hunter (8-12 yr olds)

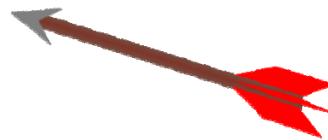
The goal of the Junior Hunter program is to teach youth about hunting skills and ethics. Programs involve fun, hands on activities supervised by our trained staff.

Archery Basics

Ever dreamed of hunting turkey, deer or bear with a bow and arrow? Draw back the string on the Campus' compound bows and practice your marksmanship on our 3-D animal targets.

Class Date:

Saturday, September 6, 10-11:30 a.m.



Pheasant Hunting Basics

Join us for an action-packed morning as we learn all about the sport of hunting the pheasant.

Class Date:

Tuesday, October 7, 4-5:30 p.m.



Deer Hunting 101

Come learn all about hunting deer. Try shooting at our 3-D targets with Nerf guns.

Class Date:

Saturday, November 8, 10-11:30 a.m.



Family Programs (All ages unless listed)

The goal of the Family Programs are to encourage families to experience outdoor activities together.

***NEW* Outdoor Adventure Camp for Family Homeschoolers**

Hang out at the Campus for a morning or afternoon and learn about some of your favorite outdoor activities! We may catch some fish, go orienteering, cook over a fire and much more! **Age:** Recommended for 5 yrs and up.

Class Date:

Thursday, September 4, 9:00 a.m.-Noon



Family Paddling

Canoeing and kayaking are great ways to spend time as a family AND see some spectacular sights. This introductory class will demonstrate basic paddling techniques and then turn you loose to paddle the pond. You never know what you'll see out on the water! Wear sandals or shoes that can get wet.

Age: 4 yrs and up to canoe; 8 yrs and up to kayak

Class Dates:

Thursday, September 4, 6-7:30 p.m.



Let's Go Fishing!

Fishing is a great way for families to spend time together! Get an introduction to fishing equipment, casting skills, fish species and more, then go fishing at our pond. All attending family members must be registered! All ages welcome.

Class Date: (pick **ONE** of the following)

Tuesday, September 9, 6-7:30 p.m.

Saturday, September 27, 1-2:30 p.m.

Tuesday, October 7, 6-7:30 p.m.

Saturday, October 11, 1-2:30 p.m.



Family Archery 101

Deer, turkey, bear and bulls-eyes await your arrows on the lawn of The Outdoor Campus. This class will teach you and your family the basics of archery hunting in a fun and safe environment. All attending family members must be registered.

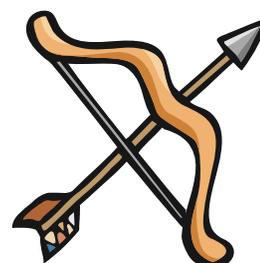
Age: 8 yrs and up, minors with an adult

Class Date: (pick **ONE** of the following)

Thursday, September 11, 6-7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, September 16, 6-7:30 p.m.

Thursday, October 2, 6-7:30 p.m.



Family Shooting Basics

Sharpen your shooting eye as we go over the basics of shooting. We will go over different shooting positions and techniques to help you become a pro. Air rifles and BB guns will be shot in this class. **Age: 8 yrs and older**

Class Date:

Thursday, Sept 25, 6-7:30 p.m.

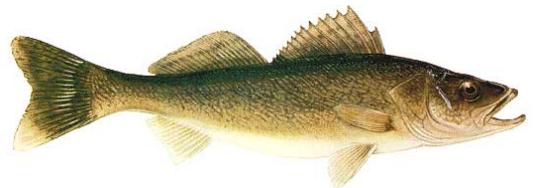
Catch It, Clean It, Cook It.

Join us on a Campus fishing adventure. With a little luck we will catch a fish, demonstrate cleaning it and cook it as well!

Age: 4 yrs and up; under 16 with an adult

Class Date:

Tuesday, September 23, 6-7:30 p.m.



Family GPS/Geocaching Basics

Learn the basics of Global Positioning Systems and how it got started. We'll get outside and use a GPS receiver to navigate a GPS course as we search for hidden caches! Program participants will use the campus' GPS receivers.

Age: Families; ages 8 and up

Class Date:

Saturday, October 25, 1:30-3:00 p.m.



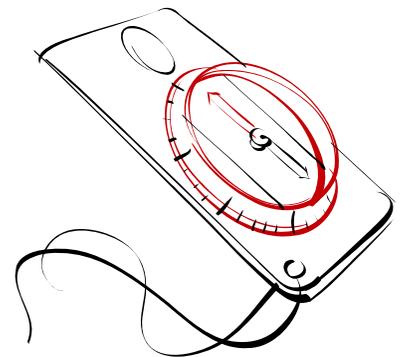
Family Orienteering

Navigate on down to The Outdoor Campus and learn the basics behind using a compass. After participants have a general understanding on how to use a compass we will turn them loose on The Outdoor Campus orienteering course to see just how many of our markers they can find using their map.

Age: Families; ages 5 and up

Class Date:

Saturday, October 18, 10-11:30 a.m.



Family Pheasant Cleaning and Cooking

Join us as we will go through the step by step process of field dressing a pheasant. Then we will teach you some of our favorite recipes.

Age: Families; ages 8 and up

Class Date:

Tuesday, October 28, 6-8:00 p.m.



The Outdoor Campus presents the 2014

The Great Pumpkin Caper Halloween Hike



While Linus is waiting for The Great Pumpkin to appear, the rest of the Peanuts gang are coming to The Outdoor Campus for the Halloween Hike! Come join them for lots of fun games and activities on our Halloween Hike. Finish your journey with a s'more at our fire pit, and don't forget to check out **Peanuts... Naturally** (Organized by the Charles M. Schulz Museum, Santa Rosa, CA) in our museum and gallery!



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What to expect:

- ◆ No pre-registration required
- ◆ Only **one** night, Saturday, October 18th 3-6 p.m.
- ◆ Families will walk the hike on their own
- ◆ In lieu of Halloween candy, enjoy a S'more around the campfire until 7 p.m.
- ◆ Costumes are welcomed and encouraged! Come as your favorite character!

POP UP PROGRAMS

What is a Pop Up program?

A pop up program is a last minute program added to our schedule after our brochure has been printed. These programs may include additional fishing, hunting, naturalist programs etc.

Where will I find Pop Up programs?

Pop up programs will be advertised on our social media pages: Facebook and Twitter. We will also list pop ups on our registration website or you can call and ask our secretary, Hilary, for more info.

This fall we hope to add additional pop up programs as our schedule allows. Please keep an eye out on Facebook and Twitter for after school pop up times.

Check our website for changes and additions to this booklet at: www.outdoorcampus.org



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