



## Week Days

May 26-29

### Tuesday, May 26

**9-11 am Introduction to Pellet Rifles** -The shooting complex will offer introductory courses on Pellet Rifles, all equipment is provided. Must be 5 years or older to participate. Meet and pay at the pellet gun range located in the shooting complex. **Cost \$1/ 4 clips with pellet gun. 5 yrs. old & up.**

**3:00 pm Wild Plant-Use Hike**– Go on a naturalist guided hike to discover how our ancestors managed to survive using the plants around us. Meet at the Resource and Education Center. **Free.**

### Wednesday, May 27

**9-11 am Introduction to Archery & Muzzle-loader** – Introductory archery for ages 5 and older, muzzle-loader course for beginners and introductory muzzle-loader course for beginners 12 years of age and older. Participants will learn basic skills of the event of their choice – all equipment is provided. Meet and pay at the Eric Wiebe Shooting Complex. **Cost is \$1/6 arrows and \$1.00 per shot.**

**1:00 pm Beginners Fishing Clinic**- Tying knots, fish cleaning, safety concerns, fish ID, casting and other hands-on demonstrations will be presented. Meet at the Resource & Education Center. Bait and equipment provided. **Free.**

### Thursday, May 28

**9-11am Introduction to Pellet Rifles**– The shooting complex will offer introductory courses on Pellet Rifles. All equipment is provided. Meet and pay at each range located in the shooting complex. Must be 5 years or older. **Cost \$1/ 4 clips with pellet gun. 5 yrs. old & up.**

**1-3 pm Introduction to .22's** – Must be 10 years of age and older to participate. This is considered the next step above pellet guns. Shoot a .22 on our range located toward the end of the shooting complex. Meet and pay on-site. **Cost is \$3/10 rounds.**

**3:30 pm Critter Corner** – This is a very popular program for all ages. This program provides a snapshot of the different types of fish and wildlife that are found in and along the Missouri River. Participants will be able to see, touch, and sometimes smell live critters, furs, feathers, shells, skulls, etc. Meet at the Resource and Education Center. **Free**



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**May 29-May 31**

**Friday, May 29**

**9:00 am Introduction to Archery & Muzzle-loader**– Introductory archery course for beginners 5 years or older and introductory muzzle-loader course for beginner 12 years of age and older. Participants will learn basic skills of the event of their choice – all equipment is provided. Meet and pay at the Eric Wiebe Shooting Range. **Cost is \$1/6 arrows and \$1.00 per shot.**

**11:00am Waterfowl Wander**– Learn about the native waterfowl of Nebraska. Have an opportunity to view the different parts of ducks and geese. We will drive you out to the back waters to observe birds in action. Meet at the Resource and Education Center. **Free**

**1:00 pm Owl Puke** – Learn how owls swallow their prey whole and then regurgitate the un-digestible material – the owl pellet. Participants will be given an owl pellet to investigate, dissect and ID. Meet and pay at the Resource and Education Center. Please pre-register at front desk. **Cost is \$2.00/person.**

**3:00 pm Spider Sensations** – Learn all about this creepy, crawly, and cool arachnid in this program. Take home a spider craft to remember what you've learned! Meet at the Resource and Education Center. **Cost is \$1/craft.**

**Saturday, May 30**

**9 am-11am Introduction to Archery, Shotguns, Pellet Rifles**— The shooting complex will offer introductory courses on Pellet Rifles, Archery and Shotguns. Choose any or all activities. All equipment is provided. Meet and pay at the Eric Wiebe Shooting Complex. Shotgun participants must be 12 years of age. Archery and Pellet Rifle participants must be 5 years of age or older. **Cost \$1/4 clips with pellet gun; \$1/6 arrows for archery; \$7/box of shotgun shells.**

**11am; 1pm; 3pm Backwater Kayaking** – Learn the basic skills of kayaking in an “off-river” backwater area. This is a great place to fine-tune your kayaking skills. This is also a great way to tour our backwater area and for viewing wildlife. Meet and pay at the Resource and Education Center. **Must be 12 years of age or older. Cost is \$12.00/person.**

**11:30am Critter Corner** – This is a very popular program for all ages. This program provides a snapshot of the different types of wildlife that are found in and along the Missouri River. Participants will be able to see, touch, and sometimes smell live critters, furs, feathers, shells, skulls, etc. Meet at the Resource and Education Center. **Free.**

**1:00pm Shark Tooth Necklace**— Did you know that sharks used to live in Nebraska? Learn about ancient sharks and make a necklace to take home. Meet and pay at the Resource & Education Center. Please pre-register at front desk. **Cost is \$2.00/craft.**

**1-3:00pm Introduction to .22's**– Shoot a .22 on our range located toward the end of the shooting complex. This is considered the next step above pellet rifles. Must be 10 years of age and older to participate. All equipment and instructors will be provided. Meet and pay at the Eric Wiebe Shooting Complex. **Cost is \$3/10 rounds.**

**3:00pm Nature Scavenger Hunt** –A naturalist led hike where participants will be in search of our many natural wonders of the park. Meet at the West Shelter house to grab your list. **FREE**

**5pm; 6:15pm; 7:30pm Hayrack Park Tour (45min)** - Learn everything you wanted to know about Ponca State Park! Meet and pay at the Resource and Education Center. Please pre-register at the front desk. **Cost is \$4.00 for Adults, \$3 for 3-12 years.** Maximum of 25 people allowed per tour, minimum of 12 people.

**Sunday, May 31**

**9-11 am Tomahawk/Atlatl Throwing Clinic-** Learn how to throw a tomahawk at a wood bull's-eye or an atlatl at our mammoth or sabretooth!! The instructor will give a history lesson on the traditions of the sport. Meet and pay at the Archery Range in the Eric Wiebe Shooting complex. **Cost is \$1/6 throws and is limited to 25 people.**

**10:00am Beginners Fishing Clinic-** Tying knots, fish cleaning, safety concerns, fish ID, casting and other hands-on demonstrations will be presented. Meet at the Resource & Education Center. Bait and equipment provided. **Free.**

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