

# NEBRASKA

— GAME  PARKS —

Week Days

June 22-28



## Monday, June 22

**9-11am Introduction to Archery ; Shotgun** – Archery introductory course is for beginners 5 years of age and older and participants for shotguns must be 12 years of age or older. Participants will learn basics of the event of their choice – all equipment is provided. Equipment for shotguns was funded by the NE/IA and SD Chapters of the NRA and Pheasants Forever. Meet and pay at the archery range or shotgun range in the Eric Wiebe Shooting Complex. **Cost is \$1/6arrows and \$7/box of ammo**

**1 pm Life in a Field**— Learn how a field can be distinctly different from a forest or stream. We will walk around our prairie field north of the Riverfront Campground to see what kind of critters and plants we can find. Meet at the Prairie Parking Lot north of the Riverfront Campground. **Free.**

**3 pm Animal Tracks** – Learn about how to identify many of the different tracks left by local animals. A short overview of tracks will be provided followed by a hands-on animal track match game and a animal track craft. Meet at East shelter house. Please pre-register at front desk. **Cost is \$2 per craft and limited to 30 people.**

## Tuesday, June 23

**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 Eric Wiebe Shooting Complex. **Cost \$1/ 4 clips with pellet gun.**

**11:30 am Animal Homes Hike** – Different animals build and live in different types of homes. Come along on this hike and try to identify several types of animal homes. Meet at the West Shelter House. **Free.**

**3 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 Resource & Education Center. **Free.**

## Wednesday, June 24

**9-11 am Introduction to Archery;Atlatl**– Introductory archery; atlatl for ages 5 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/throws.**

**1:00 pm Hummingbirds** – Observe hummingbirds in our garden area and learn how to attract them to your own yard! You will be able to see a real hummingbird nest and mount up close. Meet at the Resource & Education Center. **Free.**

**3 pm Water Wonders** — Learn about the water cycle, pollution, wetland animals, and end with some wet and wild fun! Meet at the Resource and Education Center in clothes you don't mind getting wet. **Free.**

## Thursday, June 25

**9-11am Introduction to Pellet Rifles**-The shooting complex will offer introductory course on Pellet Rifles. All equipment is provided. Participants for pellet rifles must be 5 years old or older. Meet & pay at the pellet gun range in the Eric Wiebe Shooting Complex. **\$1/4 clips with pellet gun.**

**1-3pm Introduction to .22's**– The shooting complex will offer introductory course on .22's. All equipment is provided. Participants for .22's must be 10 years or older. Meet & Pay at the .22 range located in the Eric Weibe shooting complex. **\$3/10 rounds.**

**3 pm Creepy Crawlies** – Does the thought of cockroaches, millipedes and spiders just makes your skin crawl? Well, come to this program and find out all kinds of fun and creepy facts about insects. Meet at the Resource and Education Center. **Free.**

All program subject to change due to staffing/weather. For questions please call at 402-755-2284



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## Friday, June 26

**9– 11 am Introduction to Archery; Tomahawks**— Introductory archery; Tomahawk 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 Complex. **Cost is \$1/6 arrows, throws and \$1.00 per shot.**

**1 pm Fill the Bill** – Could you eat your lunch or make your bed without your mouth or hands? See how birds' beaks, feet, and bodies are specially designed for the food they eat and where they live. There will be hands-on activities that will get you thinking and moving like a bird. We will also be making homemade bird feeders. Meet at the Resource and Education Center. **\$2.00/craft.**

## Saturday, June 27

**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.**

**11:30 am 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. **Free.**

**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.**

**1 pm Amphibians!** — Come learn about the different kinds of amphibians living in Nebraska, along with their lifecycle! We will look at live frogs, toads, and salamanders to help identify differences! We will also make a frog craft to bring home with you! Meet and pay at the Resource and Education Center. **Cost is \$1.00/craft.**

**3 pm Wild Plant Use Hike**— What would we do without a convenience store? Come along this hike to discover everyday uses for some of our unique plants of the area. **Free.**

**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 round**

**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, June 28

**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**

**10 am Dutch Oven Cooking** – Learn how to cook delicious meals in these timeless cast iron ovens. Meet and pay at the Resource and Education Center. Please pre-register at front desk. **Cost is \$3.00/person and is limited to 20 people.**

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