



Pre-registration is required on all of the following summer programs. Call 641-472-4421 or e-mail therese@jeffersoncountyconservation.com.

Bird Watchers Club: Neff Wetlands

Thursday, June 1st

4:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

Open to **students 3rd grade through middle school** who love birds and want to learn more about them. We'll meet in the parking lot of Lamson Woods which is located at the intersection of East Fillmore Ave and Mint Blvd. Aside from learning about the birds that are seen the group will record and submit their findings to ebird. Fee: \$2

Night Owls Camp

Monday, June 5th to Wednesday, June 6th

8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m.

A new offering this summer for those kids who'd like to explore the outdoors at night. There will be star gazing, owl calling, night hikes, and a variety of other fun activities to help participants become more comfortable in the outdoors from dusk til dark. **For students going into 3rd grade through 6th.** Sign up for one evening or all three. Limit: 12 children. Fee: \$30 (or \$10 per session.)

Bird Watcher's Club: Jefferson County Park

Thursday, June 8th

9:00-10:30 a.m.

Open to students 3rd grade through high school who love birds and/or want to learn more about them. For this session we'll meet in the parking lot of Whitham Woods which is located a mile west of town off Hwy 34. The group will record the birds they see and submit their findings to ebird. Fee: \$2

Field Trip: Bear Creek Geodes

Tuesday, June 13th or

Wednesday, June 14th

9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

We're returning to Van Buren County's Bear Creek in search of Iowa's State Rock plus any other rock, fossil

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or mineral that catches our eye. Fee: \$15.00 per child. **Is open to 3rd grade and up.** 1st and 2nd graders are allowed if accompanied by an adult. Please, no more than one adult per family. Limited to 20 per session.

Kayak Test Drive

Friday, June 16th

9:00 a.m.; 10:00 a.m.; 11:00 a.m.; 1:00 p.m.; 2:00 p.m.

Have you ever wanted to try your hand at kayaking? On this day we'll be offering five one-hour sessions for **4th graders through high schoolers.** We'll take four students per sessions and show them a few basic skills to get them started. Then they'll have a chance to practice their new skills on the pond. Meets at Shelter #3 in Jefferson County Park. Fee: \$2. When you call to register please let us know what time you'd prefer.

Tadpole Camp

Wednesday, June 28—Friday, June 30th

9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

For youth going into 1st & 2nd grades. Tadpole camp celebrates everything that's fun about the outdoors: walking on logs, searching for frogs and toads, exploring a stream, climbing grape vines! Each of the three days will involve exploration and hands-on activities. Meets at Jefferson County Park nature center. Dress to get a bit wet and/or dirty each day. Fee: \$10 per day (\$5.00 per day if parent accompanies their child).

For information on our July and August activities visit our website at www.jeffersoncountyconservation.com

