

Watch for these family library programs coming to your local community this winter!

January - Nature's Kaleidoscope

Colors, patterns, shapes and numbers - nature is full of interesting combinations. Get away from the drab gray and white of winter and explore the kaleidoscope of nature!

February - EEEWWW - That's Icky... or Maybe HMMM - That's Fascinating!

Icky or fascinating ... you decide. This program will be filled with tidbits that could be a bit of both. Either way it is what makes nature tick.

March - Imagined Indian

Do Indians still live today? Are there Native Americans in your community? The "Imagined Indian" explores our understanding of how Native Americans should look and act based upon media representations, childhood games and books, and other depictions. By identifying images that have defined our perceptions, we can begin to challenge ourselves to new awareness.

Check the dates in the Winter Newsletter and in your local newspaper.

Here's a quote from an enthusiastic visitor:

Playing in the prairie grass was the most fun that I had all day. I saw a snake and heard the wind. I made it all the way to the middle of the circle before anyone saw me!

Amber, age 10

Come and make a memory of your own!



Snowshoe Class

Few experiences can match stomping across the newly fallen snow on a good pair of snowshoes. Making those snowshoes yourself adds even more to the moment!

Consider signing up for the snowshoe making class offered by the Conservation Board. The class will be held on Saturday, November 8. However,

orders for the materials MUST be made by Monday, October 20!!

The kits come in the styles Ojibway, Huron and Bear Paw. Each kit includes the frame, nylon cording, and binding. Once finished the shoes are not only incredibly serviceable but also are an object of beauty. The material cost for this class is \$118.00.

Please call the center at 712-295-7200 prior to October 20 to sign up for the course.