



Fall 2009 Scout programs

Many programs are offered to scout groups at the WPNC. Most programs publicized in the seasonal schedule are not available to entire troops. Those that welcome scout groups are:

◆ Summer Star Party	August 15	8:30-10:30 p.m.
◆ Webelos Forester	October 24	2-3:30 p.m.
◆ Fall Star Party	December 12	7:30-9:30

Registration is required for all public programs, including Scout-oriented programs.

Other programs are also offered to troops by request:

Boy Scouts

- ◆ Any Tiger, Bear, Wolf Cub Scout programs that relate to the Nature Center, Warner Parks, etc.
- ◆ Webelos Geology, Forestry, and Naturalist Badges
- ◆ Any Boy Scout programs that relate to the Nature Center, Warner Parks, etc, and especially merit badges from the Natural Sciences Group.
- ◆ I Will Survive basic survival program endorsed by NASAR
- ◆ Nature Center Junior Naturalist Badge: Reptiles
- ◆ Orienteering and GPS
- ◆ Tour of the historic Hodge House

Girl Scouts

- ◆ Any Daisy or Brownie programs that relate to the Nature Center, Warner Parks, etc.
- ◆ Junior Girl Scout Hiker, Ecology, and Wildlife Badges
- ◆ Any Girl Scout programs that relate to the Nature Center, Warner Parks, etc.
- ◆ I Will Survive basic survival program endorsed by NASAR
- ◆ Nature Center Junior Naturalist Badge
- ◆ Orienteering and GPS
- ◆ Tour of the historic Hodge House

All programs offered at the Nature Center/by Nature Center staff are free to the public.

Scout leaders and/or parents must accompany scouts during programs. "By request" programs are offered Tuesday through Saturday at the Nature Center; programs may be scheduled to begin NO LATER than 3:30p.m. Programs may be scheduled through the Nature Center by calling 352-6299.

Picnicking is allowed in the Edwin Warner Park Picnic Areas located off Vaughn Road on the Little Harpeth River on a first-come first-served basis November – March. April – October, the picnic shelters may be reserved by calling Metro Parks at 862-8408 (8a.m.-noon). Picnicking is not allowed on the Nature Center grounds.

Scout groups and Eagle Scout candidates interested in conservation projects can call Jon Martin, Volunteer Coordinator, at 370-8053. Jon, along with Warner Park staff, will work with the troop to find a suitable project in the Warner Parks.

For more information about scout programs at Warner Parks, please contact

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For Specific Questions contact: wpnc@nashville.gov

Directions to Warner Park Nature Center:

From Nashville, take Interstate 40 west to exit 199 (Old Hickory Blvd.), turn left and follow Old Hickory Blvd. for 4 miles to Highway 100 (Old Hickory will dead-end at this intersection). Turn left and go 0.2 miles to the Edwin Warner Park entrance and turn right into the Park. Follow the Park drive to the left for 0.3 miles to the Nature Center.

Coming from the south or southeast, follow Old Hickory Blvd. north (west exit off I-65 near Brentwood) to Hwy. 100. Turn left and go 0.3 miles to the Edwin Warner Park entrance and turn left into the Park. Follow the Park drive to the left for 0.3 miles to the Nature Center.

