



## Wildcat Hills Nature Center Programs

### 2018-2019 Homeschool Programs!

The homeschool programs will meet once a month at the Wildcat Hills Nature Center. These programs will be conducted rain or shine, so be prepared for the unpredictable Nebraska weather! A valid Nebraska Game and Park permit will be required for this FREE program. For more information contact the Nature Center at 308-436-3777.

**\*\*New this year\*\*** We are going to offer three programs, based on age/experience level. Please pick the time that would work best for your student's learning (even if they don't fit within the age group)

**9:00am Bobcats (5-8 year olds)**      **10:00am Lynx (9-11 year olds)**      **11:00am Mountain Lions (12 and older)**

#### 2018

##### September 11, 2018- *Feathered Friends!-Nests*

Come along and discover all about the nests of our feather friends! Learn how they are constructed, what materials they use and even make your own nest.

##### October 9, 2018- *Scary Spiders*

Uncover secrets of our eight-legged friend, the spider. Learn about their special adaptations, wide diversity and webs they weave.

##### November 6, 2018- *Squirrels!*

These furry critters play an important role in the ecosystem. Stash away fun facts, while learning about the different species that call Nebraska home.

##### December 4, 2018- *Fantastic Fossils*

Unearth western Nebraska's rich fossil history during this program. Reveal what it takes to become a fossil, types of fossils and the animals that called Wildcat Hills home a long time ago.

#### 2019

##### January 22, 2019- *Rough Reptiles*

Bumpy, lumpy and warty reptiles. Encounter local reptiles of western Nebraska and learn amazing adaptations of this often misunderstood group of animals.

##### February 5, 2019 *Geology Rocks!*

Uncover unique gems of knowledge while exploring rocks, stones and jewels. Investigate different types of rocks and how they are formed.

##### March 5, 2019- *Water Wanders*

Soak up a vast knowledge about water at this program. Discover the different states of water, how it moves and what we can do to conserve it.

##### April 9, 2018 *Recycling Relay*

Ready, set, go! What does it take to recycle something? Repurpose items to make a one-of-a-kind work of art during this program.



Staff reserves the right to cancel or reschedule programs due to unforeseen circumstances.

Please dress for weather. Children must be accompanied by an adult.