

**ANOKA  
COUNTY  
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# SEEK OUT SUMMER

2020 SUMMER CAMPS



BROUGHT TO YOU BY  
**WARGO NATURE CENTER**

## GRANDPARENT CAMP

### NATURE DETECTIVES

July 10; 10 am - 2 pm

Wargo Nature Center

Cost: \$20/person +tax (Ages 5+ and grandparents)

Nature is full of hidden places and surprises! Join us as we seek out these special places and critters. We will create, explore, and learn about the unseen secret wonders of the natural world!

## PRESCHOOL CAMP

### NEW UP, UP AND AWAY!

June 15 - 18; 9 am - 12 pm

Wargo Nature Center

Cost: \$100 +tax (Ages 4-5 at time of registration)

Things that fly! Things that float! Things that soar! We will jump, hop, and make things that fly as we explore the world of the sky. Join us for a week of fun exploring and adventuring and learning about life above and all around us!

## GRADES K-2 CAMPS

### ADVENTURES WITH TOM AND HUCK

July 13 - 16; 9 am - 3:30 pm

Riedel Farmhouse (Fridley)

Cost: \$120 +tax (additional \$20 for extended hours 7:30am-5:30pm)

Imagine yourself on a log raft exploring the Mississippi River with Tom Sawyer and Huck Finn. This week is full of adventure, searching for hidden treasures, fishing on the banks of the river, playing in the woods, and shooting a bow and arrow! This camp is located on the Mississippi River at the Riedel House in Riverfront Regional Park and takes place in collaboration with the City of Fridley. Campers will travel to Coon Rapids Dam Regional Park for a day of canoeing. Extended hours are available if needed.

### NEW WILD ABOUT ANIMALS

July 20 - 23; 9 am - 4 pm

Wargo Nature Center

Cost: \$160 +tax

Do you love animals? Let us introduce you to the wide variety of critters, from mammals and birds to reptiles and insects that call Minnesota home. Through up-close encounters with our wildlife ambassadors, exploratory hikes, and games we'll learn more about Minnesota's wildlife and their amazing lives!

### IMAGINE A WORLD

July 27 - 30; 9 am - 4 pm

Wargo Nature Center

Cost: \$160 +tax

Have you ever wondered what it would be like to shrink down and see the world through the eyes of an ant? Or a bird? Or a fish? During this camp we'll stretch our minds and discover all the different worlds of Wargo through creative play, stories, and nature exploration. Bring your favorite costume, stuffed animal, and your imagination to this adventure-filled camp!

## GRADES 3-6 CAMPS

### SURVIVAL ADVENTURE

June 29 - July 2; 9 am - 4 pm

Wargo Nature Center

Cost: \$160 +tax

Have you ever dreamed of living out in the woods with nothing but a stick shelter and a campfire? In this camp, we'll spend our week learning the skills needed to feel comfortable in the forest and what humans need to survive. We'll make shelters, build fires, purify water, and cook some tasty campfire treats! Test your knowledge and discover new skills in this hands-on camp.

### DON'T WANNA GROW UP

June 29 - July 2; 9 am - 4 pm

East Coon Rapids Dam Regional Park

Cost: \$160 +tax

Hey 3rd through 6th graders, do you ever feel like you're growing up too fast? Well, then get back to your roots with this camp! We'll spend the week exploring the marvelous Mississippi and Coon Rapids Dam Regional Park. Build a fort, make ice cream, draw with chalk, and learn to kayak. Don't worry about missing out on nature because we'll explore all the wild places around the park too!

### NEW WATER ADVENTURES

August 17 - 20; 9 am - 4 pm

Wargo Nature Center / Centerville Beach

Cost: \$170 +tax

Campers will get the chance to experience a variety of fun ways to be out on the water including; stand up paddle boarding, kayaking, canoeing, log rolling, and our 30-foot-long voyageur canoe. Along with learning paddling skills we will also be fishing, playing games, and exploring several different lakes and the Rice Creek.



## REGISTER EARLY AND **SAVE**

Register by May 8, 2020 and save \$5 per participant on preschool and grandparent camps and \$10 on school-aged camps.

Register online at [anokacountyparks.com](http://anokacountyparks.com)  
or call 763-324-3350

\*Discount does not apply to Adventures with Tom and Huck Camp.



PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED  
FOR ALL CAMPS

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REGISTER FOR GRADE COMPLETED  
IN SPRING OF 2020

## GRADES 4-6 CAMPS

### EXPRESS YOURSELF WITH ART AND SOUND

June 22 - 25; 9 am - 4 pm  
Wargo Nature Center  
Cost: \$160 +tax

With some inspiration from nature, we'll spend our week painting, singing, sketching, and writing stories and poetry. There will be a keyboard and ukuleles available for kids to learn and play throughout the week, and we will even construct our own percussion instruments using things from nature. In between projects, we'll explore the outdoors and find time for adventure and creative play.

### OUTDOOR ADVENTURES

July 13 - 16; 9 am - 4 pm  
East Coon Rapids Dam / Bunker Hills Regional Parks  
Cost: \$170 +tax

Campers will experience a variety of fun outdoor activities including: stand-up paddle boarding, kayaking, fishing, canoeing, team-building games, biking, and more. To top off the week, we will hike to Bunker Beach Wave Pool for water slides, waves, and relaxation on the lazy river!

### CAMP SALIE

August 10 - 12; 9 am - 4 pm (Plus Overnight)  
Wargo Nature Center / Camp Salie  
Cost: \$200 +tax

Looking for a classic summer camp experience all rolled up into a day camp? Then Camp Salie is the camp for you! We'll spend Monday sharpening our nature skills at Wargo Nature Center. Then it's off to Camp Salie for our overnight where we'll explore Martin-Island Linwood Regional Park, sing our hearts out around the campfire, eat smores, and play night games. We'd love to see you there.

## GRADES 5-7 CAMPS

### KAYAK CAMP

July 27 - 29; 9 am - 4 pm (Plus Overnight)  
Wargo Nature Center  
Cost: \$160 +tax

Kayaking is a fun, active, and safe way to spend time outside on the water. After learning basic strokes, maneuvering strokes, and safety, campers will spend most of their time exploring the Rice Creek Chain of Lakes. On the second day we will camp overnight and get a chance to cook over a fire, play campfire games, and go for an evening paddle.

### NEW WORK WITH THE WILD

August 10 - 13; 9 am - 4 pm  
Wargo Nature Center  
Cost: \$160 +tax

Have you ever dreamed of working outdoors with wildlife, plants, and more? Make your dreams come true in this camp where we will participate in hands-on scientific investigations, animal care, and learn about career paths in ecology, environmental science, and conservation! Come learn what it takes to be an outdoor professional in this fun, interactive camp.

## GRADES 6-8 CAMP

### NEW WILDLIFE CAMP

June 22 - 25; 9 am - 4 pm  
Wargo Nature Center  
Cost: \$160 +tax

Learn about life on the wild side! Join us for a week of peeking into the lives of the animals that live around Wargo Nature Center. We will learn to track mammals and translate bird calls, play games to simulate ecology, and find as many different types of animals as possible.

**NEW THIS YEAR**  
**YMCA CAMP HERITAGE**  
**BEFORE & AFTER CARE**  
FOR CAMPS AT WARGO NATURE CENTER

7732 Main Street, Lino Lakes, MN 55014

Drop Off from 7 - 8:45 am • Pick Up from 4:15 - 6 pm

\$40/camper per week

Call 763-324-3350 for more information



## HOW TO REGISTER

Pre-registration is required  
to guarantee your spot.

Register online at

**anokacountyparks.com,**

or call Wargo Nature Center at

**763-324-3350.**

LIMITED SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE  
CALL FOR MORE INFORMATION

## CAMP LOCATIONS

Bunker Hills Regional Park

Coon Rapids Dam Regional Park

Riedel Farmhouse (Riverfront Regional Park)

Wargo Nature Center

Camp Salie

## CANCELLATION POLICY

Four weeks before camp:  
Full Refund

Three weeks before camp:  
Refund if space can be  
filled (less \$10)

Two weeks before camp:  
Refund will not be issued



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