

# Virtual & Self-Guided Events

Dorothy Pecaut Nature Center, 4500 Sioux River Road, Sioux City, Iowa 51109

Exit 151 I-29, Take State Road 12 north for 4 miles to the Nature Center.

To register for events or for more information call 712-258-0838 Or check our website [www.woodburyparks.org](http://www.woodburyparks.org)

All events are free of charge unless noted.

**Nature Center Limited Hours Beginning June 30:**

Tuesday – Saturday 9am – 4pm; Closed Sunday and Monday. Trails open. Park in lower lot after 4:30pm.

(V)=Virtual event; (SG)=Self-Guided

**September 8-20: Self-guided Trail Scavenger Hunt: Monarchs**, Dorothy Pecaut Nature Center. Come on a hike on the Loess Loop trail with us to learn all about monarchs and their life cycle. (SG)

**Tuesday, September 8: Nature Tales**, 10:00 a.m., Dorothy Pecaut Nature Center. Preschoolers, join us with an adult for this special story time featuring Monarch butterflies. We'll read our story, "Gotta Go! Gotta Go!" by Sam Swope at the outdoor amphitheater and take a short hike ending at our Nature Playscape. Prepare to be outdoors and social distance. Limited to 15 families. Please pre-register by calling 712-258-0838 or email [tkruid@woodburyparks.org](mailto:tkruid@woodburyparks.org).

**Monday, September 14: Monarch Tagging at the Sioux City Prairie**, 6:00 – 7:30 p.m. We will search for any migrating monarchs and hope to tag them on their journey to Mexico. Meet at the Talbot Road entrance to the Sioux City Prairie. We will be walking through the tall grass and the terrain is uneven and hilly. Long pants and sturdy walking shoes with a closed toe are recommended. Free! The prairie is located approximately ½ mile north of the Military Road & Talbot Road intersection in Sioux City <https://goo.gl/maps/W8Xbx3nHDRFUuVpq8>

**Tuesday, September 22: Zoom Nature Story: Gotta Go! Gotta Go!** 10:00 a.m., Zoom. Register for this fun story time with Naturalist, Theresa Kruid, as she shares about Monarch butterflies and the mysteries of migration. Register at [camps@woodburyparks.org](mailto:camps@woodburyparks.org). Story is geared towards ages 5-10. Once registered, we'll send you an invitation and password to join our meeting. (V)

**Tuesday, October 6: Siouxland BIG Give**, [www.siouxlandbiggive.org](http://www.siouxlandbiggive.org). Siouxland Big Give is a 24-hour time of giving where Siouxland area supporters are invited to give back to their favorite local charities and help them earn valuable matching funds. Dorothy Pecaut Nature Center is one of the agencies featured in which you can contribute funds. Help us raise funds for our live animal exhibits—the turtles, snakes, fish, kestrel, hawk and owl!

*Our top priority has been and will continue to be the health and well-being of the public and the staff. In response to the ongoing development of COVID-19, Woodbury County Conservation programs will adhere to social distancing, smaller group size, increased sanitation and facemasks are recommended.*

## More at:

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