

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

All events are free of charge unless noted.

Nature Center Hours:

Tuesday – Saturday 9am – 4pm; Closed Sunday and Monday. Trails open. Park in lower lot after 4:00pm.

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

October 1-20: Self-guided Trail Scavenger Hunt: Burrowers, Dorothy Pecaut Nature Center. Come on a hike on the Loess Loop trail with us to learn about animals that dig. (SG)

Tuesday, October 6: Siouxland BIG Give, 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!

Tuesday, October 13: Nature Tales, 10:00 a.m., Dorothy Pecaut Nature Center. Preschoolers, join us with an adult for this special story time featuring Autumn leaves and signs of Fall. We'll read our story, "Leaf Man," by Lois Ehlert 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.

Thursday, October 22: Livestream 25th Anniversary Raptor Release—Facebook Live Virtual Event, 2:00 p.m., View at: <https://www.facebook.com/DorothyPecautNatureCenter/>. Tune in for a livestream as Dorothy Pecaut Nature Center releases three rehabilitated birds of prey back into the wild in Woodbury County. The birds were rehabilitated by SOAR (Saving Our Avian Resources) and to commemorate the Nature Center's 25th Anniversary we will release the birds live on Facebook for our virtual celebration. Sponsored by BAIRD – The Holzrichter Morrison Group and SOAR. For more information contact Dawn Snyder at 712-258-0838 or dsnyder@woodburyparks.org. (V)

October 22-31: Self-guided Trail Scavenger Hunt: Nature Center Celebrates 25 Years! Dorothy Pecaut Nature Center. Come hike on the trails to learn the history of the Dorothy Pecaut Nature Center and share our celebration through photos and stories. A duplicate display will also be featured inside the Nature Center. (SG)

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:

<https://www.facebook.com/DorothyPecautNatureCenter/>

<https://www.instagram.com/dorothypecautnaturecenter/?hl=en>

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCewnXovNbc3MJGh7mKIZVUw>

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