

PARTY PACKAGE

PARTIES INCLUDE

- A guided hike and/or nature activity
- Time for your party activities and refreshments
- We provide a party bag for each child and a special gift for the guest of honor
- You provide refreshments

AVAILABLE TIMES

Saturdays, 10 a.m. - Noon or 2 - 4 p.m.
Sundays, 2-4 p.m.

RESERVING YOUR PARTY

Call 402-441-3826 or 402-441-7895
or email sgainesmckee@lincoln.ne.gov
at least two weeks in advance.

A FEW OTHER THINGS

- Adult supervision during the hike and activity is required.
- To be kind to our environment, we request that you do not use styrofoam products. Paper is preferred.
- As a courtesy to our staff, please be sure to vacate the birthday facilities on time.

ABOUT THE NATURE CENTER

A facility of the Lincoln Parks and Recreation Department and located at the west end of beautiful Pioneers Park, the Nature Center is a 668 acre wildlife sanctuary with over 8 miles of hiking trails winding through prairies, woodlands, and wetlands. Two interpretive buildings house hands-on and small animal exhibits. Outdoor animal exhibits include bison, deer and elk herds, non-releasable raptors, vultures and wild turkeys.

LOCATION

3201 S. Coddington • Lincoln, NE
Entrance gates on S. Coddington & W. Van Dorn

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The mission of Pioneers Park Nature Center is to interpret the natural history of Nebraska and the Central Great Plains; to promote the enjoyment, appreciation, and awareness of our natural environment; to practice and foster a conservation ethic; and to provide a sanctuary for wildlife and a peaceful retreat for people.



HAVE A VERY SPECIAL
BIRTHDAY PARTY
AT PIONEERS PARK
NATURE CENTER



PARTY THEMES



REPTILES ROCK!

Snakes can slither and shed their skins. Turtles tote a shell that is part of their skeleton. We'll discover lots more neat things about reptiles as we meet them up close and hike to where they might live.

GROW IN THE GARDEN

We'll investigate the wonderful smells of herbs; touch plants that are rough, smooth, or hairy; and introduce ourselves to plants that have animal names. Then we'll make a pot and plant a seed to take home and watch grow.

MARVELOUS MAMMALS

Some have horns. Some have antlers. Some have tracks that look almost human. Some dig holes. We'll hike to find signs of the mammals that live around us and visit our bison, deer and elk herds.

NATURE'S SCAVENGER HUNT

What did I find? What animal is it from? What story does it tell? We'll hide some special things for children to find and reveal all sorts of interesting things about their discoveries.

INSECT INVESTIGATIONS

They are the most numerous critters on earth. They hop and fly, buzz and whine, live above ground and below. We'll see how many we can find as we hike around the Nature Center while observing their interesting lives. We'll visit our bee hive as well and discover all the foods that depend on insect pollinators.

AMAZING BIRDS

They fly. They sing. They have beautiful colors. Their beaks and feet tell a story about how they live. We'll see how many birds we can see and hear as we hike, and then meet one of our injured raptors up close.



PRICING



BIRTHDAY HOUSE

A fun space for small children!

\$75 for 10 children and 3 adults

\$7 for each additional child (15 maximum)



MALINOVSKIS AUDITORIUM

Larger tables, larger chairs, more space!

\$100 for 10 children and 5 adults

\$7 for each additional child

\$3 for each additional adult

