



## Nature Curiosity Itinerary

**Dates:** August 1–3

**Time:** 9:30 am–11:30 pm

**Location:** Independence Grove Forest Preserve, North Bay Pavilion

**What to wear:** Sturdy closed toe shoes; clothing that is appropriate for the weather, movement, and exploration; optional- hat and sunglasses.

**What to bring:** Water bottle, snack, sunscreen and bug spray.

### Tuesday, August 1

*Insects, Bugs and Butterflies*

Learn about insects that you can find in your backyard on a plant or flying around. Be ready to explore! Today we will go looking for insects that live in the water or river. We will use our senses to explore different habitats, similar to insects and butterflies.

### Wednesday, July 6

*Flying, Beautiful Birds*

What do birds eat? Where do they live? Today we will talk all about birds! We will “fly” down a trail and explore in the woods. Be ready to play in the woodland forest, and build a nest!

### Thursday, July 7

*Furry Mammals*

What do you and a bunny have in common? Today we will focus on mammals and go hiking to see mammals in action. We will finish the day with making a craft to take home.

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