

The Ney Park Nature Center will be open Saturday's and Sunday's beginning January 7, 2017 for the public to enjoy.

During this time you will be able to rent Cross-Country Skis or snowshoes for \$5 for the day.

Open January 7-March 12
Noon - 4 p.m.

Dog Sledding with Silent Run Adventures

Join Silent Run Adventures at Ney Park to learn everything you need to know about Dog Sledding. This is a great opportunity to learn from some of the best mushers around. At the end of the presentation you will have a chance to experience the thrill and excitement of being pulled by a team of Siberian Huskies around Ney Park. At the end of your outing warm up with hot cocoa or cider!

Space is limited to 25 participants per session

Evening Mush

Dates: Friday, January 27

Times: 4-6 p.m. & 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Fee: \$20 per person

Who: All ages Welcome (Ages 5 & Under Free with Paid Adult)

Daytime Mush

Dates: Saturday, January 28

Times: 8:30-10:30 a.m., 11 a.m.-1 p.m., & 2-4 p.m.

Fee: \$20 per person

Who: All ages Welcome (Ages 5 & Under Free with Paid Adult)

Wright County



PARKS DEPARTMENT

WINTER PROGRAMS

Robert Ney Regional Park Reserve

How to Register

There are 2 ways to register for Winter Programs:

1. Over the phone at 763-682-7894
2. By Email at bradley.harrington@co.wright.mn.us

*Cash, Check, or Money Order accepted.
No Credit Cards.*

www.co.wright.mn.us/parks
www.facebook.com/wrightparksmn

Family Snowshoe

It's time to discover winter's wonders off the beaten path as we venture to and through areas accessible only by snowshoe in winter. Join local naturalist David Grack on this snowshoe trek through Ney Park. *Either bring your own snowshoes or reserve a pair from the nature center.*

Date: Sunday, February 19

Time: 2-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$5 per person (Limit of 20 participants)

Who: All Ages are welcome

Woodworking for Wildlife

A great program for the whole family! You will have the opportunity to build your own bird-feeder and learn how to install and maintain it. Bring your own drill and a hammer or we'll provide one.

Date: Saturday, February 25

Time: 2-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$5 per bird-feeder (Limit of 2 per family)

Who: All Ages are welcome

Lost in the Woods!

Ever wondered what to do if you get lost in the woods? If so, come spend a day with us and learn how to survive in the wilderness if you ever find yourself in the situation.

Date: Saturday, January 21

Time: 2-3:30 p.m.

Fee: No Fee

Who: Ages 5-12

Sweetheart Snowshoe / Boot Hike

Bring your sweetheart out for a romantic stroll through the woods around Ney pond. Lanterns will help provide light to the trail. Inside the Nature Center there will be sweet treats and warm drinks to enjoy. Once you have your treats and drinks you can head outside and sit fireside to warm your toes.

Date: Saturday, February 11

Time: 6-9 p.m.

Fee: No charge

(If you rent ski's it will be \$5 - sizes are limited)

Who: All Ages are welcome

Moonlit Snowshoe Adventure

It's time to discover winter's wonders off the beaten path as we venture to and through areas accessible only by snowshoe in winter. Join local naturalist David Grack on this snowshoe trek through Ney Park. Either bring your own snowshoes or reserve a pair when you register.

Date: Friday, January 13

Time: 7-8:30 p.m.

Fee: \$5 per person

Who: Ages 5 and Up

Lantern Cross Country Ski

Join us at Ney Park for a night of Cross Country Ski fun! The trails will be groomed and lit with lanterns to help guide you through the winter wonderland of Ney Park. Inside the Nature Center there will be sweet treats and warm drinks to enjoy. Once you have your treats and drinks you can head outside and sit fireside to warm your toes.

Date: Saturday, January 14

Saturday, March 4

Time: 6-9 p.m.

Fee: No charge

(If you rent ski's it will be \$5 - ski sizes are limited)

Who: All ages Welcome

Buckthorn Hiking Sticks

Select, cut, and create a buckthorn hiking stick. Learn about invasive species, how to identify buckthorn shrubs, and why it's important to remove them from the Park System.

Date: Saturday, March 11

Time: 2-3:30 p.m.

Fee: No Charge

Who: Ages 5 and Up