



Nature Notes ...

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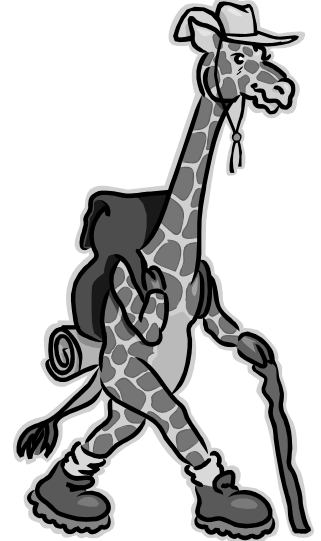
Fun and Educational Activities Planned for Nature Day Camp

The Nature Center's Annual Day Camps will run June 14-July 2 this year. Three one-week sessions are planned for different age groups. Session One, for students entering 2nd and 3rd grades in Fall 2010, runs the week of June 14-18. The Second Session, for students entering 4th and 5th grades in Fall 2010, runs the week of June 21-25. Session Three, for students entering 6th, 7th and 8th grades in Fall 2010, runs the week of June 28-July 2. Sessions are held from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. All activities are held at the Nature Center on Dunton Road.

Tuition is \$50 per child for CCNC Members or \$60 for non-members. A \$5 discount applies to the second and any subsequent children registered. Registration forms are available at the Nature Center or online at www.clintonnaturecenter.org.

The program is designed to offer each child a wide range of environmental learning experiences along the trails and in Price Hall. CCNC staff has exciting adventures planned especially for each age group, rain or shine! Students have fun learning about trees, wildlife and the natural world in general.

Enrollment is limited, so interested parties should act now! Some full or partial scholarships are available. Contact the Center at 601-926-1104 or ccnaturecenter@gmail.com for additional information.



Upcoming Events ...

June 14-18, 2010: Session One, Nature Day Camp, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.,

June 21-25, 2010: Session Two, Nature Day Camp, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

June 28-July 2, 2010: Session Three, Nature Day Camp, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

July 4, 2010: Independence Day

September 15, 2010: Third Thursday Nature Lecture Series- *The Natural History of New Zealand*, Larry Estes, 7:00 p.m., Price Hall



The Nature Center Participating in Planet Green Fundraising Program

Turn in your empty ink-jet cartridges and old cell phones to help the Center raise money! Through the Planet Green Recycle Program, the Center can raise much needed funds.

It's simple! You turn in your used inkjet cartridges and cell phones at the Center, and we turn them in at Planet Green, earning up to \$5.75 for every cartridge and up to \$40.00 for every cell phone.

For more information on the recycling program, visit <http://planetgreenrecycle.com/participants/index.php>, or contact the Center at 601-926-1104 or ccnaturecenter@gmail.com.

Using GoodSearch.com Helps the Nature Center

What if Clinton Nature Center earned a donation every time you searched the Internet? Or how about if a percentage of every purchase you made online went to support our cause? Well, now it can!

GoodSearch.com is a new Yahoo-powered search engine that donates half its advertising revenue, about a penny per search, to the charities its users designate. Use it just as you would any search engine, get quality search results from Yahoo, and watch the donations add up!

GoodShop.com is a new online shopping mall which donates up to 30 percent of each purchase to your favorite cause! Hundreds of great stores including Amazon, Target, Gap, Best Buy, eBay, Macy's and Barnes & Noble have teamed up with GoodShop and every time you place an order, you'll be supporting your favorite cause.

And if you download the GoodSearch - Clinton Nature Center toolbar, our cause will earn money every time you shop and search online - even if you forget to go to GoodShop or GoodSearch first! Add the Clinton Nature Center (Clinton MS) toolbar at <http://www.goodsearch.com/toolbar/clinton-nature-center>. Contact John Stark at 601-926-1104 or ccnaturecenter@gmail.com with questions or for additional information.



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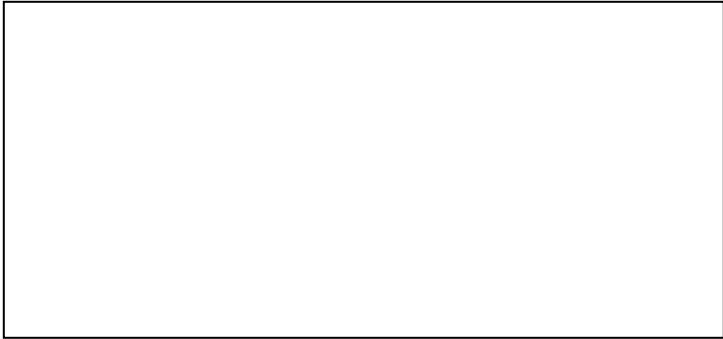
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Nature Center Sponsors "Project Patriotism" City-Wide Holiday Flag Program

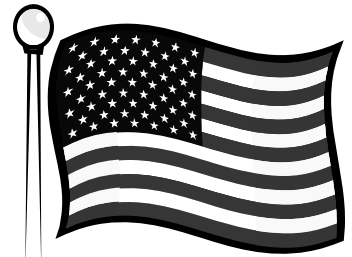
The Nature Center recently kicked-off an exciting new community Holiday Flag Program. The "Project Patriotism" Program serves as both a community service and fundraising project for the Center.

The Holiday Flag Program is targeted to the City of Clinton and surrounding neighborhoods. With the permission of the homeowner/ business owner and a \$50 annual contribution, Nature Center volunteers place an American Flag in yards across the city on Presidents Day in February, Memorial Day in May, Independence Day in July and Veterans Day in November. The Flags are installed in the weeks leading up to each designated holiday. Nature Center volunteers remove the flags in the days following the holiday, and the Center handles storage and maintenance. The flags are made in the U.S.A. and each flag measures 3 x 5 ft. Each flag is mounted on an 8 ft. pole.

The \$50 annual contribution guarantees the purchaser four Holiday Flags per year, regardless of the date the purchaser joined the Flag Program.

Order forms for the Holiday Flag Program are available at Price Hall at the Nature Center or from any Nature Center Board Member. For more information on the Flag Project, contact the Center at 601-926-1104 or ccnaturecenter@gmail.com.

**Show Your Patriotism
and Support
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Nature Center**



**Order a Year of
Holiday Flags for You
and Your Loved Ones
TODAY!**



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Guided driving tours are available free of charge for guests who find our trails present a greater challenge. APPOINTMENT IS REQUIRED. Please call 601-926-1104 or email ccnaturecenter@gmail.com for a reservation. Maximum of three (3) guests per tour, please.