



## Woolly Bear Objectives

- To provide an opportunity for parents to interact one-on-one with their preschooler in a natural setting.
- To introduce preschool age children to science and nature-based concepts.
- To foster in adults and children an appreciation and sensitivity to nature.
- To offer preschool age children opportunities for unique hands-on learning.

## Registration Policies

- Age requirement: To be registered for this program a child must have turned 3 years of age and is not eligible after he/she reaches the age of 6.
- Pre-registration and pre-payment are required for all Woolly Bears programs.
- Registration is done on a first-come, first-served basis.
- No phone registrations will be accepted. Please mail, fax, or hand-deliver forms.

## Cancellation Policies

- If you call and cancel a class we will try to fill your spot.
- If we fill the spot, we will mark a credit on your record for you to use the next time you register for a Woolly Bears class.
- If we do not fill your spot, we will not issue a credit.
- We do not give cash refunds. If you do not call and do not attend, or forget to attend, no future credit will be given.

## Sibling Policy

Woolly Bears is a parent/child program for 3 to 5 year-olds. You are highly encouraged to leave other siblings at home, especially toddlers. Having younger children present can distract from the parent/child experience for you and for others. If you do bring a younger child and our staff feels that other participants are not receiving the program that they have paid for, you will be asked to leave.

## About Dodge Nature Center

Dodge Nature Center is a non-profit organization operating a 320 acre nature preserve that provides nature-based environmental experiences for thousands of people each year. Dodge's land is characterized by a variety of habitats that support diverse plant and animal life. Six miles of trails on three parcels of land wind through rich woodland areas dotted with ponds and streams, past restored prairies, and across a floating boardwalk that provides access to a marshland area. Other facilities include a preschool, model farm, apple orchard, apiary, aviary, reptile and amphibian laboratory, maple sugar house, classrooms, and offices.

## Membership

Membership support helps Dodge operate facilities, care for the land and animals, and educate a new generation of environmental stewards. Membership benefits include reduced pricing for programs and events, discounts at local businesses, a free admission to the annual pancake breakfast, and a subscription to Dodge's bi-annual newsletter.

# Woolly Bears Registration Form

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s) / Guardian(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Age of Child \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City & State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

May we send the next Woolly Bears registration form to you by email? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

## Health Information

Does your child have a history of: Diabetes Y / N Asthma Y / N

Please list any allergies to food/animals/plants: \_\_\_\_\_

I/We have read the objectives, registration, and cancellation policies \_\_\_\_\_ (initial)

## Fees

Members: \$12 per class, Non-members: \$14 per class (Ask about scholarships.)

We are Dodge members.  I am adding the family membership fee of \$50 to become a Dodge member.

How did you hear about Woolly Bears? \_\_\_\_\_

Programs	Wed.	Thurs.	Sat.	Total
	Circle date you're registering for.			
Shoo Fly!	9/8	9/9	9/11	\$
Over in the Green Green Grass	9/22	9/23	9/25	\$
Piggly Wiggle	10/6	10/7	10/9	\$
Harvest Time	10/20	10/21	10/23	\$
Let's Talk Turkey	11/3	11/4	11/6	\$
Fly Like an Eagle	11/17	11/18	11/20	\$
Getting Ready for Winter	12/1	12/2	12/4	\$
<b>Grand Total</b> Add a \$50 family membership to take advantage of reduced fees.				\$

Disclaimer: Program theme subject to change without notice.

## Payment Method:

Check enclosed Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Visa / MasterCard # \_\_\_\_\_

3-Digit (on back of card) \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_ Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

For Office Use Only	
Rec'd _____	
B _____	
C _____	
P _____	
L/C _____	

**Mail to:** Dodge Nature Center 365 West Marie Avenue West Saint Paul, MN 55118

or **Fax to:** 651.455.2575

or **Drop it off** at the Main Office building (address listed above)

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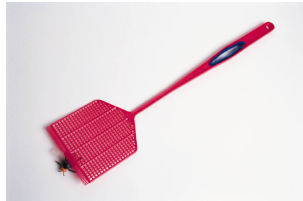
September through December

Wednesdays, Thursdays, or Saturdays from 10 to 11:30 a.m.

Join a Dodge Nature Center naturalist and introduce your preschool-aged child to the wondrous natural world. Each topic will be explored through creative storytelling, music, puppetry, and more! Children will also learn about the earth by exploring art or visiting with live animals. Each class will take a short hike outside, so please dress for the current weather conditions. This program is specifically designed for children ages 3 to 5. All children must be accompanied by an adult. Woolly Bears is fun, so be sure to tell your friends!

## Shoo Fly!

Wednesday, Sept. 8  
Thursday, Sept. 9  
Saturday, Sept. 11



## Over in the Green Green Grass

Wednesday, Sept. 22  
Thursday, Sept. 23  
Saturday, Sept. 25

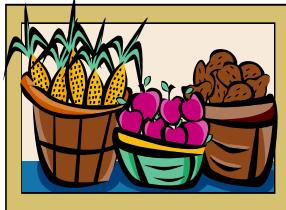


## Harvest Time

Wednesday, Oct. 20  
Thursday, Oct. 21  
Saturday, Oct. 23

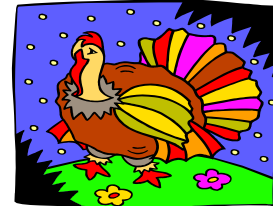


Piggly Wiggly  
Wednesday, Oct. 6  
Thursday, Oct. 7  
Saturday, Oct. 9



## Let's Talk Turkey

Wednesday, Nov. 3  
Thursday, Nov. 4  
Saturday, Nov. 6



## Fly Like an Eagle

Wednesday, Nov. 17  
Thursday, Nov. 18  
Saturday, Nov. 20



## Getting Ready for Winter

Wednesday, Dec. 1  
Thursday, Dec. 2  
Saturday, Dec. 4



### Registration & Payment Information

Please register for a Wednesday, Thursday, OR Saturday for each topic.  
Enrollment is limited to 12 children per class. **Pre-registration and pre-payment are required.**

Mail to: Dodge Nature Center 365 Marie Avenue West West Saint Paul, MN 55118  
Or Fax to: 651-455-2575 Or drop off at the main office building at address above.

**REGISTER EARLY!**

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Fall/Winter 2010