

Preschool Nature Programs

Morning Munchkins

Red Oaks County Park • 30300 Hales St., Madison Heights, MI • 248-585-0100

Join us for an exciting series just for preschoolers. Bring your munchkin (ages 3-6) to the nature center for a favorite story and a related hands-on, nature-based activity. Events in the series take place on the first Friday of each month (except for the dates in bolded text).







Month	Date	Time	Book Title
October	10/3/2025	10:30-11:30 a.m.	I'm Trying to Love Spiders
November	11/7/2025	10:30-11:30 a.m.	We're Going on a Leaf Hunt
December	12/5/2025	10:30-11:30 a.m.	Over & Under the Snow
January	1/9/2026	10:30-11:30 a.m.	A Rock Can Be
February	2/6/2026	10:30-11:30 a.m.	Little Wolf's Song
March	3/6/2026	10:30-11:30 a.m.	Who Likes Rain?
April	4/3/2026	10:30-11:30 a.m.	Secrets of Our Earth
May	5/1/2026	10:30-11:30 a.m.	Up in the Garden, Down in the Dirt
June	6/5/2026	10:30-11:30 a.m.	In the Small, Small Pond
July	7/10/2026	10:30-11:30 a.m.	Sassafras
August	8/7/2026	10:30-11:30 a.m.	Tree: A Peek-Through Picture Book
September	9/4/2026	10:30-11:30 a.m.	Bird! Bird! Bird! A Chirping Chant

An ASL Interpreter will be provided

Programs take place rain or shine. Dress for the weather as portions of the program may be outdoors.





Have you signed up to receive email alerts about nature center events? Don't miss out - look for the big green envelope at the bottom of the OaklandCountyParks.com home page.

Fees:

• Preregistration is required. The fee is \$5/child for each session unless otherwise noted. No fee for adults. No refunds unless approved for illness or extenuating circumstances.

How to register and pay:

• Scan the QR code below to register online.



- Call 248-858-0916 during regular business hours to register and pay by phone. VISA, MasterCard, Discover and American Express are accepted.
- Register in person at the Red Oaks or Wint nature centers or at the Parks office at 2800 Watkins Lake Road in Waterford during regular business hours. Cash, checks and credit cards are accepted.



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Puddle Jumpers

Independence Oaks County Park • 9501 Sashabaw Road • Clarkston, MI • 248-625-6473

Children ages 3-6 can enjoy some nature fun as they increase their love of the outdoors. A naturalist will engage children with a story, nature talk and a related hands-on acivity. Each child will make a craft to take home. This series meets on the second Friday of each month.







Month	Date	Time	Theme
October	10/10/2025	10:30-11:30 a.m.	Who's Hootin?
November	11/14/2025	10:30-11:30 a.m.	Get Ready for Winter
December	12/12/2025	10:30-11:30 a.m.	Raptors in the Sky
January	1/9/2026	10:30-11:30 a.m.	Rocks Rock!
February	2/13/2026	10:30-11:30 a.m.	Rodents Among Us
March	3/13/2026	10:30-11:30 a.m.	At the End of the Rainbow
April	4/10/2026	10:30-11:30 a.m.	Whose Egg is This?
May	5/8/2026	10:30-11:30 a.m.	Baby Critters
June	6/12/2026	10:30-11:30 a.m.	Flower Power
July	7/10/2026	10:30-11:30 a.m.	Marvelous Mammals
August	8/14/2026	10:30-11:30 a.m.	Butterflies vs. Moths
September	9/11/2026	10:30-11:30 a.m.	Bird Feet Are Neat

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