

Eco-Explorers Amazing Heckrodt Survivor Challenge is a program developed especially for youth entering 7th -8th grade. This HIGHLY ACTIVE camp will challenge the participants in many ways. This session will involve orienteering, GPS, teambuilding, and outdoor survivor skills, in an "Amazing Race/ Survivor format." However, unlike in these game shows, the youth will be continuously working together in groups completing and solving a variety of outdoor challenges- **No one will be voted out/off.** We will be battling the elements, solving challenges, rock climbing, biking, and creating experiences that will last a lifetime. "The Tribe has Spoken...and they want YOU!"

Snacks will be provided for this program, but youth must bring a bag lunch each of the 3 days of summer camp.

The program fee is \$80.00 per individual and covers all materials including the climbing experience at Xtreme Air in Appleton.

For more information, please call
(920) 720-9349.

Registration available on our website:
<https://heckrodtnaturecenter.org/>

Operating Hours

Trails open year round from 6 a.m.—9 p.m.
Nature Center Hours

Monday: CLOSED
Tuesday: 8 a.m.—4 p.m.
Wednesday: 8 a.m.—4 p.m.
Thursday: 8 a.m.—4 p.m.
Friday: 8 a.m.—4 p.m.
Saturday: 11 a.m.—3:30 p.m.
Sunday: CLOSED

The mission of Heckrodt Wetland Reserve is to enhance, restore, and preserve the Reserve and educate all people in the importance of conserving our natural resources while promoting the Reserve's many recreational opportunities.



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Eco-Explorers Summer Day Camp Survivor Challenge

For youth entering
7th & 8th grade
Aug. 2-4, 2022



Heckrodt Survivor Challenge...

We've designed a HIGHLY ACTIVE experience that will challenge the participants in more ways than one! The camp will emphasize teamwork, world stewardship, and conservation in an "Amazing Race/Survivor format." Go ahead, and challenge yourself!



Tuesday, August 4th 9 AM—3 PM

Experience the thrill of competing in a "Survivor or Amazing Race." Learn the basics of conservation and orienteering navigation

including the use of a compass and GPS device. Through completing team oriented challenges youth will acquire "awards" to assist them throughout their tribal journey.

Wednesday, August 5th 9 AM—3 PM

Experience rock climbing at Xtreme Air. Throughout the morning, youth will continue to acquire "awards" to assist in Survivor Challenge.

In the afternoon, participate in a team Geocaching-Biking Adventure.

Following a bike safety lesson, youth will find numerous hidden micro-caches around Heckrodt and Jefferson Park. The adventure will culminate at the final cache hidden at Fritse Park.

(Youth will be expected to bring their own bike and a helmet for the day. Please contact HWR if not possible).



Thursday, August 6th 9 AM—3 PM

Find out why fire is so crucial to survival and experience team oriented fire building challenges.

After lunch, youth will participate in the Amazing Heckrodt Race. Participants will apply the newly developed teamwork, outdoor, and conservation skills needed to complete this fun and challenging race!



About Your Day Camp Experience at Heckrodt Wetland Reserve...

Appropriate dress

- Long pants or appropriate shorts are recommended, as well as sturdy footwear.
- Please bring insect repellent and sunscreen.
- We will be prepared to do the program in rainy conditions. Please bring rain gear if the forecast is inclement.

Parents:

- All HWR programs have implemented Covid-19 CDC recommended safety protocols.
- Please complete Eco-Explorers Registration Form/Health and Authorization on our website. <https://heckrodtnaturecenter.org/>
- Please be sure to sign your child up for the appropriate session based on the grade he or she will be entering in the fall. **NO EXCEPTIONS WILL BE MADE!** Children enrolled in sessions designed for ability levels above or below them require more attention from staff and present an unfair situation to the rest of the children.
- Campers are not registered until payment is made and all forms submitted. We will notify you if the class is full or if we need to cancel.
- Confirmation information will be sent via e-mail 2-3 weeks prior to your child's session. Included in this information will be a Covid-19 Liability Waiver, which is to be filled out, signed, and brought with your child on the first day of the session.
- Pre-payment is required and must be made at the time of registration. We are waiving the \$15 non-refundable handling fee this year in the event you must cancel. You may receive a refund if cancellations are made less than five business days before session begins and is due to illness of child or close contact.
- If your child is late for camp, it is the parents' responsibility to get him/her to the proper location.