This directory is part of a continuing effort to identify facilities actively involved in environmental education. Designed as a guide for the casual visitor as well as the professional person, it aims to stimulate interest in nature centers, improve communication among facilities, and encourage the development of new and better ones. This third revision contains a listing of 558 facilities, including 41 in Canada. Directory entries consist of abstracted information from a questionnaire designed by the Nature Center Planning Division of the National Audubon Society. Arranged alphabetically by state or province, each entry includes the name, address, telephone number, and organization responsible for operation and maintenance. Those facilities primarily school-oriented are indicated with an asterisk. Other information includes facility size, program offerings, availability of self-guided tours, and time the facility is open. In addition, this directory provides a list of facilities primarily concerned with outdoor interpretation. Operation and maintenance are by the following federal agencies: Bureau of Reclamation, Forest Service, Fish and Wildlife Service, National Park Service, Soil Conservation Service, and Tennessee Valley Authority. Listed alphabetically, entries contain the name, address, telephone number, agency responsible for operation, and a brief description. For additional information, individual facilities can be contacted personally. (BP)
DIRECTORY

of NATURE CENTERS and related ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION FACILITIES

NATIONAL AUDUBON SOCIETY
NATURE CENTER PLANNING DIVISION
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Preface

The number of nature centers and related types of environmental education facilities continues to expand at an increasing rate both in the United States and Canada. In the first revision of the Directory, which was published in 1969, there were 356 facilities listed. In the second revision, published in 1971, there were 459 facilities. In the present revision, there are 558 facilities, including 41 for Canada, a growth of approximately 22%.

Among the reasons for the increase in the number of these facilities are the following: concern with environmental pollution, disappearance of open green space in and around urban areas, realization of the finite capacity of our natural resources, and growing awareness of the interconnectedness of all living things. Hopefully, the encouragement and guidance provided the nature centers movement by the National Audubon Society's Nature Center Planning Division has also been instrumental in influencing this rapid growth.

One of the most effective ways to stimulate an appreciation of man's relationships with his environment is through the creation of the appropriate facilities where people have the opportunity for intimate contact with the natural environment. Regardless of whether these facilities are called nature centers, conservation education centers, environmental education centers, outdoor resident schools, outdoor school laboratories, outdoor education areas or wildlife preserves and sanctuaries, they all have a unifying purpose, i.e., to foster a better understanding of man's place in the ecological community.

This Directory is part of a continuing effort to identify those facilities which are actively involved in environmental education. It is designed for use as a guide by the casual visitor as well as the professional person. Hopefully, it will stimulate visitor interest in nature centers, improve communication among the various facilities and encourage the
development of new and better facilities.

The entries consist of data abstracted from a questionnaire designed by the Nature Center Planning Division staff. Limitations of time and finances have dictated the format of this Directory so that only a brief description of each facility is given.

Facilities are listed alphabetically by state or province and community. Individual entries contain the name, address, telephone number and the organization which is responsible for its operation and maintenance. Where there is no organization listed, it is implicit in the name of the facility. If a facility is exclusively or primarily school-oriented, i.e., having no or limited programs for the general public, it is marked with an asterisk. This information is followed by the size of the facility, the formal programs offered, special features (if any), whether there are guided or self-guided tours or an appointment is necessary, and the time a facility is open.

The Directory contains a new section which lists the major federal facilities that are engaged primarily in outdoor interpretation. They are grouped together for convenience, and are listed alphabetically by state and community.

The Nature Center Planning Division staff expresses its appreciation to all those who have assisted in the preparation of this Directory.

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Nature Center Planning Division
January 1975
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Each entry contains the following information in the order shown:
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3) telephone number
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5) size of facility
6) formal program offerings
7) special features
8) guided and/or self-guided tours
9) seasons and hours open

An asterisk before an entry indicates that the facility has limited or no programs for the general public, and is primarily operated for school use.
**Alabama**

**Theodore**
Bellingrath Gardens, (36582) (205)973-2217

**University**
University of Alabama Arboretum, P.O. Box 1927, (35486) (205) 348-5960 or 553-3278.
65 acres. Public arboretum, Guided tours by appointment. Open all year.

**Arizona**

**Phoenix**
Desert Botanical Garden, P.O. Box 5415, Papago Park, 6400 East McDowell Road, (85010) (602)947-2800
Facility operated by Arizona Cactus and Native Flora Society, Inc.
147 acres. Programs and activities for school groups.

**Tucson**
Arizona-Sonora Desert Museum, P.O. Box 5607 (85703) (602)792-1530
180 acres. Animals and plants of Arizona, Sonora, Baja California and Gulf of California. Interpretive programs and activities for general public and schools. Special features: mobile unit for schools and science lecture series. Self-guided tours only. Open all year.
California

Arcadia

Los Angeles State and County Arboretum, 301 N. Baldwin Avenue, (91006) 446-8251
Descanso Gardens, 1418 Descanso Drive, La Canada, (91011) 681-0331
South Coast Botanic Garden, 26701 Rolling Hills Road, Palos Verdes Peninsula, (90271) 772-5813
All three facilities operated by Los Angeles County Department of Arboretum & Botanic Gardens (213)681-5277
Arboretum - 87 acres. Horticultural and gardening programs for K-8, 9-12, and general public. Guided environmental study tours. Sunday lectures. Open all year.

Arcadia

Wilderness Park (John F. Panatier Nature Center), 2240 North Highland Oaks Drive, (91006) (714)355-9004
Facility operated by the City of Arcadia.
8.7 acres. Programs and activities for pre-schoolers, K-8, 9-12, boy scouts and girl scouts, and general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Arcata

Wildlife Building, Humboldt State College, (95521) (707) 826-3437
+20 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, naturalist training, teacher training, and general public. Special features: fish hatchery, wildlife display. Open 9 months per year, 5 days a week. Closed Saturday and Sunday and from June 10 through September. No guided tours in summer; however, facilities are open to public.

Berkeley

Botanical Gardens, University of California, (94720) (415) 642-3352
24 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, handicapped, teacher training, and general public. Entire garden consists of outdoor teaching laboratory for both teachers and students. Open all year.

Big Basin

Big Basin State Park (95006) (408)338-6132 Facility operated by California Department of Parks and Recreation. Located in 12,000-acre park. Programs and activities for

**Carmichael**
Ancil Hoffman County Park Nature Area, 6341 Tarshes Drive, (95608) (916)482-9796 Facility operated by Sacramento County Department of Parks and Recreation. 36 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, teacher training and general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

**Chico**

**Claremont**
Rancho Santa Ana Botanic Garden, 1500 N. College Avenue, (91711) (714)625-3922 83 acres. Programs and activities for youth, school, and general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

**Corte Madera**
Marin County Outdoor Education Center, 201 Tamal Vista Blvd., (94925) (415)924-9500 162 acres. Resident outdoor school. Programs and activities for 5th and 6th grades. Special program for the mentally retarded. Open during school year.

**Elverta**
Gibson Ranch County Park, 8552 Gibson Ranch Park Road (95626) (916)991-5322 Facility operated by Sacramento County Department of Parks and Recreation. 245 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, and general public. Special feature: Educational working ranch and museum. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

**Golden Gate Headlands**
The Martha Alexander Gerbode Preserve (415)924-9500 Facility operated by Marin County Superintendent of
Schools (see Corte Madera). Site available for environmental education programs and activities for K-12. Open all year.

Hayward
Sulphur Creek Park and Nature Center, 1801 "D" Street, (94541) (415)581-6331 Facility operated by Hayward Area Recreation and Park District. 6 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, and general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Idyllwild
Idyllwild County Park, P.O. Box 341 (92349) Facility operated by the Riverside County Parks Department, 3865 Orange Street, Riverside (92501) (714)787-2551. New facility.

Indio Palms
Indio Palms Oasis Park. Facility operated by Riverside County Parks Department 3865 Orange Street, Riverside (92501) (714)787-2551. New facility.

La Canada
Hi' Hill Outdoor School, Star Route, 797-3892 (213)797-3892 Facility operated by City of Long Beach and Long Beach Unified School District. 22 acres, plus access to national forest lands. Programs and activities for 6th grade. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Lakeside
Silverwood Wildlife Sanctuary & Nature Education Center, 13003 Wildcat Canyon Road, (92040) (714)443-2998 Facility operated by San Diego Audubon Society. 207 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, handicapped, naturalist training, and general public. Closed on Mondays. Open Wednesdays, Sundays, and all year. Guided tours Sunday and by appointment only Tuesday-Saturday. Self-guided tours Wednesday and Sunday.

Long Beach
El Dorado Nature Center, 7550 East Spring Street, (90815) (213)425-8569 Facility operated by City of Long Beach Recreation Department. Programs offered by El Dorado Audubon Society. 80 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, handicapped, naturalist training, and general public. Self-guided tours. Open 6 days a week.
Closed on Mondays.

*Los Angeles*

Los Angeles
Griffith Park Ranger Station, 4730 Crystal Springs Drive, (90027) (213)665-5188. Facility operated by Los Angeles Department of Recreation and Parks. 4,253 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, college, handicapped, and general public. Guided programs. Open all year.

*Merced*
Camp Green Meadows, 632 W. 13 Street, (95340) (209)723-2031. Facility operated by Merced County Schools. 25 acres. Resident outdoor school. Programs and activities for K-8. Open 10 months per year, closed December 1-
January 15:

**Middletown**
Joan Hormon Dole Sanctuary, P.O. Box 314, (95461) (707)987-3169 Facility operated by Madrone Audubon Society. 11 acres. Collection of 2,000 plants of Lake County. Programs by appointment. Guided and self-guided tours. Open Saturday and Sunday all year.

**Morro Bay**
Morro Bay State Park Museum of Natural History, State Park Road, (93442) (805)772-2694 Facility operated by California Department of Parks and Recreation. Located in 7,200-acre park. Heron rookery and marine environment. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, and general public. Open all year. Closed Mondays, September through June.

**North Hollywood**
Valley Plaza Nature Center, 6911 Laurel Grove Avenue, (91605) (213)764-2800 5 acres. Programs and activities for school and youth groups.

**Oakland**
Alameda Beach, Lake Chabot, Point Pinole, Tilden Nature Area, Sunol Valley Regional Parks. Interpretive facilities operated by two-county agency, East Bay Regional Park District, 11500 Skyline Boulevard, (94619) (415)531-9300. Total—30,000 acres. Programs for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training, and general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

**Oakland**

**Orange**
Tucker Wildlife Sanctuary, 29322 Modjeska Canyon Road, (92667) (714)649-2760 Facility operated by Department of Science and Mathematics Education, California State
College at Fullerton. 10 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, youth groups, naturalist training. Braille trail. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

*Palmdale*
Los Angeles County Outdoor School, Colby Ranch, 23828 North Angeles Forest Highway, (93550) Dial operator and ask for Area Code 805, Colby #2. Facility operated by the Office of Los Angeles County Superintendent of Schools.
Lease 320 acres. Residential programs and activities for 6th grade. Open 9 months per year, September through May.

*Palm Desert*
370 acres. Programs and activities for K-8 and general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 6 days for 9 months. Closed Mondays and from June 1 to September 1.

*Palo Alto*
Baylands Nature Interpretive Center, 2775 Embarcadero Road, 1500 acres, and Foothills Park Nature Interpretive Center, 3300 Page Mill Road, 1500 acres. Facilities operated by the City of Palo Alto Department of Community Services, Nature and Science Civic Center, (94301) (415)329-2123. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training and general public. Open all year.

*Pasadena*
Eaton Canyon Nature Center, 1750 N. Altadena Drive, (91107) (213)794-1866. Facility operated by Los Angeles County Department of Parks & Recreation. 184 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor, and general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

*Pollock Pines*
Sly Park Conservation and Environmental Education Center, 5600 Sly Park Road, (95726) (916)644-2071 Facility operated by Sacramento County Office of Education. 160 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12,
college, handicapped, teacher training, youth counselor training, and general public. Guided and unguided tours. Open all year.

*Redding*
Clear Creek Environmental School, c/o Shasta County Superintendent of Schools, Room 105, Courthouse, (96001) (916)246-5630 Facility operated by National Park Service and Shasta County Superintendent of Schools. Programs and activities for schools and groups for environmental education purposes. Open all year.

*Riverside*
Jurupa Mountains Cultural Center, 7621 Highway 60, (92509) (714)685-5818 77 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training. Special features: arts and crafts program; avairies, camp for girls, Indian museum. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

*San Diego*
San Diego City-County Camp Commission, 357 County Administration Center, (92101) (714)239-7711, ext. 521 Facility operated by San Diego County. 800 acres. Programs and activities for grades K-8; intensive outdoor education program for 6th grade county school children. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

*San Dimas*
San Dimas Park Nature Center, 1512 N. Sycamore Cyn Road, (91773) (714)599-3597, 599-1712 Facility operated by Los Angeles County Department of Parks and Recreation. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, handicapped, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

*San Francisco*
Strybing Arboretum and Botanical Garden, Ninth Avenue & Lincoln Way, (94122) (415)558-3623 Facility operated by City and County Department of Recreation and Parks. 70 acres. Programs and activities for schools, teacher training, and general public. Specific tours given upon request. Special features: over 5,000 exotic and native plants, demonstration garden, fragrance garden. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.
San Jose
Redwood Glen School, 45 Santa Teresa Street, (95117)
(408)299-2374 Facility operated by Santa Clara County
Office of Education.
300 acres. Programs and activities for 6th grade, 9-12,
college, teacher training. Guided tours only. Open 10
months per year; closed June 10 to September 10.

San Jose
Youth Science Institute, 16260 Alum Rock Avenue, (95127)
(408)258-4322
Located in 756-acre park. Programs and activities for
pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, naturalist training,
youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours.
Open 5 days per week; closed Monday and Sunday.
San Luis Obispo
Rancho El Chorro, 2156 Sierra Way, (93401) (805) 543-7732 Facility operated by San Luis Obispo County Office of Education.
225 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Santa Barbara
Santa Barbara County Schools' Environmental Education Program, Cachuma Church Camp, Star Route, (93105) 688-4727 Facility operated by Santa Barbara County Schools.
50 acres, surrounded by Los Padres National Forest. Programs and activities for K-8, college, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided tours only. Open 9 months per year; closed from May to September.

Santa Rosa
1,200 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, youth counselor training. Open 5 days per week, 3 months per year; closed June through February.

Santa Ysabel
Mataguary Scout Reservation, (92070) 714-Mataguary Scout Ranch #2 Facility operated by San Diego County Council Boy Scouts of America.
680 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public, naturalist training, youth counselor training. Guided tours only. Open all year.

Sonora
Stanislaus County Outdoor and Conservation Education Program at Old Oak Youth Ranch, Route 3, P.O. Box 542, (95370) (209) 532-4295 Facility owned by Four Square Church. Programs offered by Stanislaus County Department of Education.
160 acres. Programs and activities for grades 5 and 6, teacher training, and youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

South El Monte
Whittier Narrows Nature Center, 1000 N. Durfee Avenue, (91733) (213) 444-1872 Facility operated by Los Angeles
County Department of Parks and Recreation.
127 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year, 7 days per week. Closed Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Stinson Beach
Audubon Canyon Ranch, Route 1, (94970) (415)383-1644
Facility operated by the National Audubon Society.
1001-acre sanctuary. Programs and activities for 4-8, 9-12, college, general public, teacher training. Special feature is the large heron rookery. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 6 days per week, 9 months per year; closed Monday and July 5 through September.

Tiburon
Richardson Bay Wildlife Sanctuary, 376 Greenwood Beach Road, (94920) (415)388-2524 Facility operated by National Audubon Society.
11 acres adjoining 800-acre waterfowl sanctuary. Programs and activities for youth and school groups and general public by appointment. Self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Monday and Tuesday.

Visalia
Clemmie Gill School of Science & Conservation (SCICON), 202 County Civic Center, (93277) (209)732-5511, ext. 386. (Site is above Springville.) Facility operated by Tulare County Department of Education.
70 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training, other groups by appointment. Open all year, weekends by appointment; closed Christmas and Easter.

Weott
Humboldt Redwoods State Park, P.O. Box 100, (95571) (707) 946-2311 Facility operated by California Department of Parks and Recreation.
47,000 acres. Programs and activities for evenings, nature walks, school conservation education, special groups. Special feature is two outdoor campfire amphitheaters. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Yucca Valley
Hi-Desert Nature Museum, 55680 Onaga Trail, Box 666, (92284)
(714)365-2102 Facility operated by Yucca Valley Parks and Recreation District.

Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public. Self-guided tours only. Open 11 months; closed on Monday and Tuesday.

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Colorado

**Denver**

Balarat Center for Environmental Studies, 1521 Irving Street, (80204) (303)266-2255, ext. 455 Facility operated by Denver Public Schools.

750 acres adjacent to Roosevelt National Forest. Resident outdoor school and daily programs. Programs and activities for 4-12, handicapped, teacher training. Guided programs only. Open all year.

**Denver**

Denver Botanic Gardens, 909 York Street, (80206) (303) 297-2547. Facility operated by City and County of Denver. 18 acres. Programs and activities for 4-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training. Special features: children's garden programs, Gates Memorial Gardens, Mount Goliath--160 acres of alpine vegetation land in Arapaho National Forest used for scientific studies. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year, closed Christmas.
Denver
Plains Conservation Center, 2494 South Jasmine Street, (80222) (303)757-1545 Facility operated by West Arapahoe Soil Conservation District.
1,960 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, teacher training. Special features: sod house and school, fossil beds. Guided tours only. Open 10 months per year; closed Monday and from January through February.

Evergreen
Outdoor Education Laboratory School, R.R. # 5, Box 451, (80439) (303)674-3633 Facility operated by Jefferson County Public School District.
554 acres. Programs and activities for 6th grade, college, handicapped, teacher training, youth counselor training.

Florissant
Colorado Outdoor Education Center, (80816) (303)748-3341
5,000 acres. Resident Outdoor School. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, teacher training. Special feature: mobile nature wagon. Specially guided tours on request. Various programs operate throughout the year.

Fort Collins
Northern Colorado Nature Center, Room 210, Forestry, Colorado State University, (80521) (303)491-5126 Facility operated by Colorado State University and Poudre RI School District.
80 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, naturalist training, teacher training. Also used by clubs and youth groups. Guided tours only. Open all year.

Connecticut

Bristol
Harry C. Barnes Memorial Nature Center, 175 Shrub Road, (06010) (203)589-6082
Canton
Environmental Centers, Inc. (See West Hartford). Gracelyn Road; (06019) (203)693-0263
12 acres plus 100 acres in adjacent Werner State Forest. Programs and activities for K-6, 8-12, teacher training, and general public. Guided tours by appointment. Self-guided tours on weekends. Open all year; closed Mondays and holidays.

*Colebrook*
YMCA of Metro Hartford Inc. Outdoor Center, (06021) (203)379-2782

*Danbury*
Old Quarry Nature Center, P.O. Box 1303, (06810) (203) 743-4549 Facility operated by Trustees of Danbury Conservation Commission.
40 acres. Programs and activities for schools, groups, and teacher training.

Fairfield
Birdcraft Museum, 314 Unquowa Road, (06430) (203)250-1063 Facility operated by Connecticut Audubon Society. 5 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, general public, handicapped, teacher training, youth counselor training. Open weekends all year; closed week days.

Fairfield
150 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, general public, handicapped, teacher training, youth counselor training. Braille trail. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays and holidays.
Greenwich

Hampton
The James L. Goodwin Forest Conservation Center, Potter Road and Route 6, Box 100, R.R. 1, N. Windham, (06256) (203)455-9334 Facility operated by Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection. 1800 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, and general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays and Tuesdays except by appointment.

Litchfield

Manchester
Natural Science Center, 269 Oak Grove Street, (06040) (203)646-5854, ext. 475 Facility operated by Lutz Junior Museum and Manchester Board of Education. 53 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Saturdays and Sundays.

Mystic
The Denison Pequotsepos Nature Center, Pequotsepos Road, (06355) (203)536-1216 125 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, handicapped, and general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Monday October 30 - April 30.
New Britain
New Britain Youth Museum, 28 High Street, (06051)
(203)225-3020 Facility operated by the New Britain Institute and the City of New Britain.

New Canaan
New Canaan Nature Center, 144 Oenoke Ridge, (06840)
(203)966-9577
40 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, general public, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Sunday morning and Monday.

New Haven
West Rock Nature Recreation Center, P.O. Box 2969, (06515)
(203)562-0151, ext. 383 or 389-5519 Facility operated by the New Haven Park and Recreation Commission.
40 acres. Programs and activities for K-4, 9-12, college, general public, teacher training. Open all year.

New London
The Thames Science Center, Inc., Gallows Lane, (06320)
(203)443-4295
2 acres, but has the use of Connecticut Arboretum (385 acres) and the 42-acre Peace Sanctuary Nature Preserve and other areas. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public, field trip leader training. Guided tours. Open all year.

New Milford
Eliot Pratt Outdoor Education Center, Paper Mill Road, (06776) (203)354-3665
140 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, teacher training. Guided tours only. Open all year.

Sharon
Sharon Audubon Center, Route 4, (06069) (203)364-5826
Facility operated by National Audubon Society.
540 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays and holidays.
Stamford

Stamford

West Hartford
Environmental Center, Inc. (see Canton) 950 Trout Brook Drive (06119) (203)236-2961 4 acres plus use of Canton facilities. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, teacher training, youth groups and general public. Special feature: planetarium, aquarium. Guided tours by appointment. Self-guided tours on weekends. Open all year; closed Mondays and holidays.

Westport
The Nature Center for Environmental Activities, Inc., 10 Woodside Lane, P.O. Box 165, (06880) (203)227-7253 53 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Woodbury
Flanders Nature Center, Inc. Flanders Road, (06798) (203)263-3711 900 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, teacher training. Special feature: Christmas tree farm, sap house and maple sugaring operation. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.
Delaware

Delaware City
Environmental Laboratory, Gunning Bedford Middle School, (19706) (302)834-4528 Facility operated by New Castle-Gunning Bedford School District.
165 acres. Programs and activities for K-12, teacher training, college, general public. Guided and self-guided tours by appointment. Open all year.

Greenville
Delaware Nature Education Center, Brandywine Creek State Park, Box 3900, Wilmington, (19807) (302)658-0204
1000 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; Monday-Friday.

Lewes
Cape Henlopen State Park, (19958) (302)645-8983
Facility operated by State of Delaware.
2,500 acres. Programs and activities for general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 7 days per week; closed Labor Day to Memorial Day.

*Newark
Outdoor Laboratory (in Rittenhouse Park), Box 360, (19711) (302)731-2221, (302)731-2231 Facility operated by Newark School District.
45 acres. Programs and activities for K-8 and handicapped. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

*Wilmington
Brandywine YMCA Day Camp and Family Center, 1400 Harvey Road, (19810) (302)656-6610, ext. 261
27 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, handicapped, teacher training, youth counselor training. Facility is used primarily by the summer camp program, YMCA members and outside groups. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.
Florida

Babson Park
Babson Park Audubon Center, Route 1, Box 149 E, (33827) (813) 638-1355 Facility operated by Florida and Ridge Audubon Societies. Programs and activities for general public.

Brooksville
Chinsegut Nature Center, 404 Highland Street, (33512) (904) 796-2198 Facility operated by Florida Game & Fresh Water Fish Commission (sponsored by the Hernando Audubon Society).
408 acres. Programs and activities for school classes, scout groups, others. Open by appointment only.

Estero
The Koreshan Unity, Inc., P.O. Box 57, (33928) (813) 992-2184
305 acres in state park. Resident outdoor school.
Tropical gardens. Programs and activities in conservation, natural and cultural history. Tours by appointment only. Open October to May.

**Fort Myers**
Lee County Environmental Education Center, 2266 Second Street, (33901) Facility operated by Lee County Board of Education. Various areas throughout Southwest Florida. Programs and activities for K-12, teacher training, other groups.

**Gainesville**
Morningside Park Nature Center, 3540 East University Avenue, (32601) (904)378-3289 Facility operated by Gainesville Department of Buildings and Grounds. 278 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, and general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Thanksgiving, Christmas, New Years Day.

**Lake Wales**
Mountain Lake Sanctuary, Singing Tower, U.S. Alt. 27, P.O. Box 268, (33853) (813)638-1355 Programs and activities for general public. Open every day.

**Miami**
Outdoor Education Program at Dade County Parks. Facilities operated by County Park and Recreation Department, 50 S.W. 32 Road, (33129) (305)854-3530, ext. 236 Programs and activities for school groups, other groups, general public. Guided tours. Call for schedule.

**Miami**
Fairchild Tropical Garden, 10901 Old Cutler Road, (33156) (305)667-1651 83 acres. Programs and activities for general public. Guided tours for school and other groups. Open all year.

**Naples**
Big Cypress Nature Center, Route #3, Box 140, (33940) (813)642-2812 5 acres and other areas. Programs and activities for preschool, K-8, 9-12, college, teacher training, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed weekends, Thanksgiving, Christmas, Easter.
Naples
Corkscrew Swamp Sanctuary, Bok T875, R.D. #2, Sanctuary Road, (33940) (813)657-3771 Facility operated by the National Audubon Society.

Ocala
Youth Conservation Camp, 1239 S.W. Tenth Street, (32670) (904)629-8162 Facility operated by Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission.
57 acres in Ocala National Forest. Programs and activities for school and organized groups. Summer camp for grades 3-9 June through August. Guided tours only. Open September through May.

St. Petersburg
Boyd Hill Nature Park, 1101 Country Club Way South, (813)894-2111
627 acres. Swamp wildlife area. Programs and activities for all school groups. Guided tours by appointment. Open all year.

St. Petersburg
The Science Center of Pinellas County, Inc., 7701 22nd Avenue North, (33710) (813)342-8691

Tallahassee
Tallahassee Junior Museum, 3945 Museum Drive, (32304) (904)576-1636
50 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, general public. Special feature is pioneer farm, native animals. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays and holidays.

West Palm Beach
Pine Jog Environmental Sciences Center, 6301 Summit Blvd., (305)686-6600 Facility operated by Florida Atlantic University.
40 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, teacher training. Guided tours only. Open all year.
*West Palm Beach*
Everglades Youth Conservation Camp, 551 N. Military Trail, (33406) (305)683-0748 Facility operated by Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission.
100 acres. Programs and activities for organized groups September through May. Summer camp for grades 3-9. June through August. Guided tours by appointment only.

*Winter Haven*
Street Nature Center, Lameraux Road (east of Cypress Gardens), (33880) (813)299-2984 Facility operated by Lake Region Audubon Society and Florida Audubon Society.

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**Georgia**

*Atlanta*
Fernbank Science Center, 156 Heaton Park Drive, N.E., (30307) (404)378-4311 Facility operated by DeKalb County Board of Education.
70 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, teacher training. Special features: planetarium, unique audio-visual exhibits in museum. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed holidays.

*Waycross*
Okefenokee Outdoor Education Program, Rt. 5, P.O. Box 406, (31501) (912)283-8494
1,235 acres. Outdoor laboratory, science and social studies center. Programs and activities for K-12 in general nature study and ecological relationships. Special features: four miles of boat trails through swamp, public boardwalk over swamp. Guided tours by appointment. Open all year.
Illinois

Aux Plaines
River Trail Nature Center, Milwaukee Avenue (Rt. 21), Southeast of River Road (Rt. 45). Facility operated by Forest Preserve District of Cook County, 536 N. Harlem Avenue, River Forest, (60305) (312) 609-9420 or CO 1-8400. 350 acres. Programs and activities for school and other groups, general public: Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Fridays, Thanksgiving, Christmas, New Year's Day.

Barrington Hills
Crabtree Nature Center, Palatine Road, 1 mile west of Barrington Road. Facility operated by Forest Preserve District of Cook County, 536 N. Harlem Avenue, River Forest, (60305) (312) 609-9420 or CO 1-8400. 1,100 acres. Prairie restoration. Programs and activities for school and other groups, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Thanksgiving, Christmas, New Year's Day.

Carbondale
Southern Illinois University, Outdoor Laboratory, Department of Conservation and Outdoor Education, 606 1/2 South Marion, (62901). (618) 453-3192 6,000 acres. Programs and activities for 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided tours by appointment.

Crystal Lake
Crystal Lake Outdoor Education Center, 330 North Main Street, (60014) (815) 459-5557 Facility operated by Crystal Lake Park District and School District #47. 140 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, teacher training. Resident 6th grade program. Open 10 months per year; closed Saturday, Sunday, and June 15 through August 15.

Genoa
Dekalb County Natural Resources Education Demonstration Center (Russel Forest Preserve), Box 264, (60135) (815) 784-5815 Facility operated by DeKalb County Schools. 124 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12,
handicapped, teacher training. Trail for handicapped. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Saturday, Sunday, school vacations.

**Georgetown**
Forest Glen Preserve, R.R. 1, (61846) (217)662-6284
Facility operated by Vermilion County Conservation District.
1,800 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, naturalist training, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

**Grafton**
Pere Marquette State Park, (62737) (618)786-3785
Facility operated by Illinois Department of Conservation.
6,460 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public. Open all year; closed Mondays and Tuesdays.

**Joliet**
Pilcher Park Nature Museum. Facility operated by Joliet Park District, 564 North Chicago Street, (60432) (815)726-2207
326 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, teacher training, and general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Thanksgiving, Christmas, New Year's Day.

**Kingston**
Walcamp, Rural Route, (60145) (815)784-5310
operated by Lutheran High School Association of Greater Chicago.
202 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, teacher training, youth counselor training. Self-guided tours. Open all year.

Lisle
The Morton Arboretum, Route 53, (60532) (312)968-0074
1,500+ acres. Programs and activities for K-8, college, general public, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Lisle
Northeast Illinois Nature Resource Service Center, Box 475, Thornhill Building, Morton Arboretum, (60532) (312)964-8080
Acreage (see entry above). Basically a center for collection and dissemination of technical resource data for general public in an 8-county area. Programs and activities for 9-12, college, general public, teacher training, governmental bodies. Open all year; closed Saturday and Sunday, except by appointment.

Lombard
Lombard Park District, 120 W. Maple Street, (60148) (312)627-1281
360 acres. Programs and activities for grades K-8. Future plans: exhibit room and farm zoo. Open all year; closed Saturday and Sunday.

Lombard
The Landing, 881 West St. Charles Road, (60148) (312)323-0389 Facility operated by the Forest Preserve District of DuPage County.
132 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Special feature: sound interpretive trail.

Makanda
2,960 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays and Tuesdays.
Metropolis
Fort Massac State Park, (62960) (618)695-2339
Facility operated by Illinois Department of Conservation.
1,380 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college. New facility. Open all year; closed Mondays and Tuesdays.

Oregon
Lorado Taft Field Campus, Northern Illinois University; Box 299, (61061) (815)732-2111
240 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours.
Open all year; closed on university holidays.

Palatine
Chicago Commons Camping Services-Camp Reinberg, P.O. Box 218, (60067) (312)359-0010
75 acres. Outdoor education center. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, college, general public, teacher training, youth counselor training. Open 11 months per year; closed December.

Palos Hills
Little Red Schoolhouse Nature Center. Willow Springs Road (104th Avenue) south of 95th Street. Facility operated by Forest Preserve District of Cook County, 536 N. Harlem Avenue, River Forest, (60305) (312) F09-9420 or CO1-8400
400 acres. Programs and activities for school and other groups, general public. Guided and self-guided tours.
Open all year; closed Fridays and Thanksgiving, Christmas, New Year's Day.

Peoria
Forest Park Nature Center, 5809 Forest Park Drive, (61614) (309)688-6413 Facility operated by Peoria Park District.
800 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, general public, handicapped. Guided and self-guided tours.
Open 5 1/2 days per week; 12 months per year; closed holidays.

River Forest
Trailside Museum, Thatcher and Chicago Avenues. Facility operated by Forest Preserve District of Cook County, 536 N. Harlem Avenue, River Forest, (60305) (312) F09-9420 or CO1-8400.
35 acres. Programs and activities for school and other
groups, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Thursdays and holidays.

Rockford
Aldeen Nature Trail, 623 North Alpine Road, (61107) (815)965-2707 Facility operated by Rockford Park District, 1401 North 2nd Street.
88 acres. General and self-guided tours for public. Open all year.

Rockford
Environmental Education Department, 201 South Madison Street, (61101) (815)968-0871 Facility operated by Rockford Public Schools.
340 acres. Resident outdoor education school. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, teacher training. Guided tours. Open 5 days per week; closed Saturdays, Sundays, school holidays.

Rockford
Rock Cut State Park, R.R. #1, Caledonia, (61011) (815)885-3311 Facility operated by Illinois Department of Conservation.
2,676 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Monday and Tuesday.

Round Lake
Camp Duncan YMCA, P.O. Box 207, (60073) (815)385-2654 Facility operated by YMCA of Metropolitan Chicago.
378 acres. Programs and activities for grades 9-12, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Savanna
Mississippi Palisades State Park, P.O. Box 364, (61074) (815)273-2731 Facility operated by Illinois Department of Conservation.
1,117 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public, handicapped. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays and Tuesdays.

South Holland
Sand Ridge Nature Center, Paxton Avenue north of 159th Street. Facility operated by Forest Preserve District
of Cook County, 536 N. Harlem Avenue, River Forest, (60305) (312)709-9420 or CO1-8400. 235 acres. Programs and activities for school and other groups, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed on Friday.

Utica
Starved Rock State Park, (61373) (815)667-4906
Facility operated by Illinois Department of Conservation.
2,366 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays and Tuesdays.

Westville
Willow Shores Nature Center, Forest Glen Preserve, R.R. 1, (61883) (217)662-6284 Facility operated by Vermilion County Conservation District, 703 Kimber Street, Danville.
1,800 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, naturalist training, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Woodstock
Pleasant Valley Farm, 13315 Pleasant Valley Road, (60098) (312)338-5080 Facility operated by Community Renewal Society.
460 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, teacher training, youth counselor training. Special features: education farm, nursery, garden. Tours by appointment only. Open all year.

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Indiana

Connersville
Mary Gray Bird Sanctuary, Route 6, (47331) (317) 825-9788 Facility operated by Indiana Audubon Society. 656 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, and general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

East Gary
Deep River Outdoor Education Center, School City of Gary, 3100 Liverpool Road, (46409) (219) 962-1579. 144 acres. Outdoor laboratory. Programs and activities for outdoor education and conservation for local school groups only. Special feature is 4-H field day. Not open to public.

Evansville
Wesselman Park Nature Center, 551 North Boeke Road, (47711) (812) 426-5429 Facility operated by Evansville Park Department. 210 acres. Programs and activities for school and other groups. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Fort Wayne
Franke Park, 100 East Main Street, City-County Building, (46802) (219) 423-7015 or 483-6712 Facility operated by Board of Park Commissioners. 523 acres. Programs and activities for 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 5 days per week for 10 weeks in summer. Open other times by appointment only.

Indianapolis
Eagle Creek Park Nature Preserve and Outdoor Education Center, 6164 Reed Road, (46254) (317) 293-4827 Facility operated by Division of Outdoor Education, Indianapolis Department of Parks and Recreation. 3,000 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Martinsville
Bradford Woods Outdoor Education Center, (46151) (317) 342-2035 Facility operated by Indiana University
Department of Recreation and Park Administration.  

Mishawaka  
Audubon Wildlife Sanctuary, 59395 Clover Road, (46544)  
(219)255-7854  
30 acres. Outdoor laboratory and museum. Guided tours for school groups by appointment. Area used by college students for outdoor education studies. Special feature is bird banding. Open Saturday and Sunday or by appointment.
New Carlisle

Bendix Wood County Park, Route #2, Box 72A, (46552) (219)654-7658  Facility operated by St. Joseph County Parks and Recreation Department.
192 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8; 9-12, college, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Richmond

Hays Regional Arboretum, 801 Elks Road, (47374) (317) 962-3745  Facility operated by Stanley W. Hays Research Foundation.

Wabash

Honeywell Gardens, R.R. #2, P.O. Box 585, (46992) (219) 563-3546  Located on State Route 15, two miles north of Wabash. Facility operated by the Honeywell Foundation.

Wolf Lake

Merry Lea Environmental Center, P.O. Box 263, (46796) (219)799-5869  Facility operated by Merry Lea Nature and Religious Foundation, Inc.
800 acres. Programs and activities for schools, teachers, social service, religious and other groups by appointment only. Open all year.
Iowa

Cedar Falls
Black Hawk Park Nature Center, Route 3, (50613) (319) 266-0328
150 acres. Special programs for clubs. Tours for school groups by appointment. Open all year.

Guthrie Center
Conservation Education Center, Route 1, Box 138C, (50115) (515)747-8380 Facility operated by State Conservation Commission.
660 acres (center grounds and Springbrook State Park). Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, and teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed weekends except by appointment.

Kansas

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Ross Natural History Reservation, (66801) (316)343-1200 Facility operated by Biology Department, Kansas State Teacher's College.
200 acres. Resident outdoor school. Programs and activities for grades K-8, 9-12. Open 7 months per year; closed from October 15 to April 1, except for biology classes and researchers.

*Shawnee Mission*
25 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 5 days per week, 10 months per year; closed Saturdays, Sundays, and July 1 to August 30.
Kentucky

Clermont
Bernheim Forest Nature Center, State Highway 245, (40110) (502) 243-2351
Facility operated by Isaac W. Bernheim Foundation.
445 acres in 10,000-acre forest. Landscape arboretum and arboretum center. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped. Special features: native animals, complete weather station, wildlife prints. Museum open March 15 - November 15; closed balance of year and Mondays.

Frankfort
Clyde E. Buckley Wildlife Sanctuary, Route 3, (40601) (606) 873-5711 (sanctuary).
Facility operated by National Audubon Society and Buckley Hills Audubon Society.
285 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 5 days per week, 10 months per year; closed Monday, Tuesday and January through February.

Louisville
Otter Creek Park Visitors Center, Route #1, Vine Grove, (40175) (502) 583-3577
Facility operated by City of Louisville.
30 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12. Guided and self-guided tours. Special features: farm animals, native wildlife, pioneer area. Open 8 months per year; closed Mondays and November to March.

Middlesboro
Union College Environmental Education Center, Route 2, (40965) (606) 248-3613
Facility operated by Union College in association with National Park Service at Cumberland Gap National Historical Park.
100 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, teacher training. Open all year; closed weekends and holidays.

Skyline
Lilley Cornett Woods, P.O. Box 78, (41851) (606) 633-5828
Facility operated by Kentucky Division of Forestry.

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**Louisiana**

**Lafayette**
Lafayette Natural History Museum and Planetarium, 637 Girard Park Drive, (70501) (318)234-0100. Facility operated by the City of Lafayette, Lafayette Parish School System and people of Lafayette.
2 acres plus 34 additional acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, naturalist training, teacher training. Open all year.

**Ruston**
Louisiana Tech Arboretum, School of Forestry, Louisiana Tech University, Box 4507, Tech Station, (71270) (318)257-4985
65 acres. Tours provided to special interest groups and school groups. Open all year; closed Sundays.

**St. Martinville**
Outdoor Education Center, N. Main Street, (70582) (318)394-6263. Facility operated by St. Martin Parish School Board.
9½ acres plus adjacent state park. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college. Special features: boardwalks, tree-top walk. Closed Sundays.

**Shreveport**
Walter B. Jacobs Park. Operated by Police Jury of Caddo Parish, Highway Department, P.O. Box 772, (71102) (318)422-0711
160 acres. New facility.
Maine

Augusta
Augusta Nature Education Center, (04330) (207)623-4711
100 acres. Programs and activities for all grade levels.
Guided and self-guided tours.

Bryant Pond
Maine's Conservation School, Freeman-Waterhouse
Conservation Campus, (04219) (207)289-2515 or Bryant
Pond 39. Facility operated by Conservation Education
Foundation of Maine, State Department of Education and
Cultural services, and University of Maine.
200 acres. Resident outdoor school. Programs and act-
ivities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, teacher
training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 6 months
per year; closed October to May.

Scarborough
Scarborough Marsh Nature Center, Pine Point Road, Route
9, (207)883-5100 summer, (207)774-8281 winter.
Facility operated by Maine Audubon Society in con-
junction with Maine Department of Inland Fisheries and
Game.
2,000 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12,
college, general public. Guided and self-guided tours.
Open 7 days per week; closed October 1 to April 30.

Maryland

Baltimore
Cylburn Wildflower Preserve and Garden Center, 4915
Greenspring Avenue, (21209) (301)542-3109 .Facility
operated by Bureau of Parks of Baltimore City, Cylburn
Wildflower Preserve and Garden Center, Inc.
70 acres in 176-acre natural park. Programs and act-
ivities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general
public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year,
and on weekends for scheduled events or on request only.
Clinton
Clearwater Nature Center, Route 1, Box 325, (20735).
(301)297-4575 Facility operated by Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission.
75 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-6, general public, college, handicapped, naturalist training, organized groups. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed some holidays.

Oakland
Garrett County Resource Center, P.O.Box 73, (21550)
(301)334-9417 Facility operated by Garrett County Board of Education.
100 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public, teacher training. Special feature is the planetarium. Guided tours only. Open all year; closed on weekends.

Rockville
Meadowside Nature Center, 5100 Muncaster Mill Road, (20902)
Facility operated by Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission.
250 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, teacher training, youth counselor training. Open all year; closed Mondays and legal holidays.

Wheaton
Brookside Nature Center, 1400 Glenallan Avenue, (20902)
(301)946-9071 Facility operated by Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission.
500 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped. Special feature is children's farm. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays.
Massachusetts

Barre
Wildwood Nature Center, South Street, (01005) (617) 355-4064 Facility operated by Massachusetts Audubon Society.
40 acres. Programs and activities for 9-12, college, general public, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Brewster
Cape Cod Museum of Natural History, Route 6A, (02631) (617) 896-3867
60 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public, teacher training. Self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays and Fridays from October to May.

Easthampton
Arcadia Nature Center and Wildlife Sanctuary, (01027) (413) 584-3009 Facility operated by Massachusetts Audubon Society.
600 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Edgartown
200 acres. Summer day camp. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Hampden
Laughing Brook Education Center & Wildlife Sanctuary, 789 Main Street, (01036) (413) 566-3571 Facility operated by Massachusetts Audubon Society.
100 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, general public, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays and holidays.

Lenox
Pleasant Valley Wildlife Sanctuary, (01240) (413) 637-0320 Facility operated by Massachusetts Audubon Society.
655 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Special feature: active beaver colony. Open all year.

Lincoln
Drumlin Farm Educational Center and Wildlife Sanctuary, South Great Road; (01773) (617)259-9005 Facility operated by Massachusetts Audubon Society.
240 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, general public, naturalist training, youth counselor training. Special features: two natural history day camps, educational farm, Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays except Monday holidays.

Manomet
Manomet Bird Observatory, off Stage Point Road, P.O. Box "0", (02345) (617)224-3559
18 acres. Programs and activities for 5-8, 9-12, college, general public by appointment only. Special feature is internship in ornithology and field biology for college and adult students. Guided tours only. Open all year; closed weekends.

Milton
Blue Hills Trailside Museum, 1904 Canton Avenue, (02186) (617)333-0690 Facility operated by Boston Zoological Society for Metropolitan District Commission.
5,700 acres. Guided tours and lectures for general public and school groups (K-12) by appointment. Open all year; closed Mondays, Thanksgiving, Christmas, New Year's Day. Open other Monday holidays.

Norfolk
Stony Brook Nature Center, North Street, (02056) (617)528-3140 Facility operated by Massachusetts Audubon Society.
200 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public. Self-guided tours. Guided tours by appointment only. Open all year.

Norwell
Southshore Natural Science Center, Inc., Jacobs Lane, (02061) (617)659-2559
21 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, general public, family workshops. Summer day camp. Open all year; closed weekends.
Princeton
Wachusett Meadows Wildlife Sanctuary, Goodnow Road, (01541)
(1-617)464-2712 Facility operated by Massachusetts Audubon Society.

Sharon
Moosehill Wildlife Sanctuary, 300 Moose Hill Str (02067) (617)784-5691 Facility operated by Massachusetts Audubon Society.

South Wellfleet
Wellfleet Bay Wildlife Sanctuary, West Road, P.O. Box 236, (02663) (617)349-2615 Facility operated by Massachusetts Audubon Society.
650 acres. Natural history day camp. Self-guided tours, guided tours summer only. Open all year.

Spencer
Buck Hill Conservation and Education Center, McCormick Road, (01562) (617)829-5663 Facility operated by Worcester County Conservation Districts.
300 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, naturalist training, teacher training. Overnight facilities available. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Springfield
Environmental Education Center, Forest Park, (01108)
(413)732-2181 Facility operated by City of Springfield.
800 acres. Programs and activities for schools. Open all year.

Sudbury
Environmental Education Center at Elbanobscot, Weir Hill Road, (01776) (617)443-9931 Facility operated by the Elbanobscot Foundation, Inc.
80 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, general public, handicapped, teacher training. Resident programs with school and summer camp. Open all year.

Topsfield
Ipswich River Nature Center and Wildlife Sanctuary,
(01983) (617)887-2241 Facility operated by
Massachusetts Audubon Society.
2,400 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Westwood
Hale Reservation, 80 Carby Street, (02090) (617)326-0163
1,000 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, general public, handicapped, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Weymouth
Michigan

Albion
Whitehouse Nature Center, South Hanna Street, (49224) (517)629-5511 Facility operated by Albion College. 87 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, teacher training, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Alma
Alma Outdoor Center, Alma Public Schools, (48801) 463-1389 53 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, youth groups, general public, teacher training. Opportunities for biology researchers.

Ann Arbor

Augusta
Kellogg Bird Sanctuary (near Gull Lake), 12685 C Avenue East, Route 1, Box 339, (49012) (616)671-5721 Facility operated by Michigan State University. 540 acres. Ecological research, migratory and resident waterfowl. Special programs for school and youth groups, also teacher training.

Belleville
Nature Center, Lower Huron Metro Park. Facility operated by Huron-Clinton Metropolitan Authority, 17845 Savage Road, (48111) (313)697-9181 50 acres. Programs and activities for school groups, K-8. Open daily June, July, August; weekends May, September, October.

Benton Harbor
Sarett Nature Center, Route 2, Box 217, Benton Center Road, (49022) (616)927-4832 Facility operated by Michigan Audubon Society. 175 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, teacher training, guide training. Center has a system of raised trails and elevated boardwalks offering visitors a unique view of flood
Bloomfield Hills
Cranbrook Institute of Science Nature Center, 500 Lone Pine Road, (48013) (313)644-1600, ext. 297.
8 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public, high school science club, natural history classes, scout conservation projects, illustrated lectures and films. Special feature is Cranbrook Institute of Science museum. Guided tours only. Open all year; closed Sundays and special holidays.

Detroit
Belle Isle Nature Center, Inselruhe Road, 7-3911, ext. 22 Facility operated by Detroit Department of Parks and Recreation. New interpretive facility planned in Belle Isle, a 1,000-acre island park.

Rouge Nature Center, 14250 West Outer Drive, (48239) (313)538-6088 Facility operated by Detroit Department of Parks and Recreation. 160 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12. Mobile unit. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed holidays.

Dowling
Outdoor Education Center, Battle Creek Public Schools, (49050) (616)721-8161 140 acres. Resident outdoor school. Farm. Programs and activities for 1-6 grade.

Dryden
Seven Ponds Nature Center, 3854 Crawford Road, (48428) (313)796-3419 Facility operated by Michigan Audubon Society. 198.5 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8,
9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

**Flat Rock**
Nature Center, Oakwoods Metropark. Facility operated by Huron-Clinton Metropolitan Authority, 17845 Savage Road, (48111) (313) 697-9181
350 acres. Marsh, prairie, stone quarry. Programs and activities for school and other groups, teacher and leadership training, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

**Flint**
For-Mar Nature Preserve and Arboretum and De Waters Education Center, G-2252 North Genesee Road, (48506) (313) 787-2575 Facility operated by Genesee County Parks and Recreation Commission.
380 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, teacher training, senior citizens, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 7 days per week, March 15-November 15; closed weekends balance of year.

**Grand Rapids**

**Kalamazoo**
Kalamazoo Nature Center, Inc., 7000 North Westnedge Avenue, (49007) (616) 381-1574
512 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, teacher training, youth counselor training. Special features: farmyard and arboretum. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 6½ days per week; closed 2 weeks after Labor Day and most holidays.

**Lansing**
Carl G. Fenner Arboretum, 2020 East Mt. Hope Road, (48910) (517) 489-1686 Facility operated by City of Lansing.
120 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, girl scout leadership training. Special feature is amphitheater. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays.

**Lansing**


188 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, general public, naturalist training, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Sundays.

**Madison Heights**

Simonds Woods, 30000 Rose Avenue, (48071) (313)588-5400 Facility operated by Lamphere Public Schools.

30 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, teacher training, youth counselor training. Open all year.

**Midland**

Chippewa Nature Center, 376 S. Badour Road, Route #9, (48640) (517)631-0830

310 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

**Milford**

Kensington Metropolitan Park Nature Center, 2240 West Buno Road, (48042) (313)685-2417 Facility operated by the Huron-Clinton Metropolitan Authority.

700 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, teacher training, college, general public, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Thanksgiving and Christmas.

**Mt. Pleasant**

Neithercut Interpretive Ecology Center, (48858) (517) 774-3009 Facility operated by Central Michigan University.

252 acres. Programs and activities for general public. Guided tours by appointment.

**Niles**

Fernwood, Inc., 1720 Rangeline Road, (49120) (616) 695-6491

90 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, and general
public. Open 6 days per week, 7 months per year; closed Mondays and November to April 1.

*Okemos*

Dobie Road Property, Okemos Road, (48895) (517)349-9440 Facility operated by Okemos-Haslett and East Lansing Public Schools.
170 acres owned by Michigan State University. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

*Orchard Lake*

Willis C. and Mabel Lee Ward Nature Study Area, 4700 Pontiac Trail. (313)644-1600, ext. 297 Facility operated by Cranbrook Institute of Science, 500 Lone Pine Road, Bloomfield Hills, Michigan 48013.
36 acres. Outdoor laboratory. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public. Guided tours by appointment only.

*Port Huron*

Greenwood Energy/Environmental Center. New facility. For information, contact Administrator, The Detroit Edison Company, 2000 Second Avenue, Detroit (48226).
Romeo
Stony Creek Metro Park Nature Center, 4100 Inwood Road, (48065) (313)781-4621 Facility operated by Huron-Clinton Metropolitan Authority.
770 acres. Programs and activities for school and organized youth groups, teacher training, youth counselor training, general public. Open all year.

Southfield
Civic Center Park Nature Area, 26000 Evergreen Road, (48076) (313)356-1100 Facility operated by Southfield Parks and Recreation Department.
45 acres in 179-acre park. Programs and activities for K-8, general public, handicapped, youth counselor training. Open all year.

Tipton
Hidden Lake Gardens, (49287) (313)431-2060 Facility operated by Michigan State University.
620 acres. Plant conservatory. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public, handicapped, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Union City
Union City FFA Forest and Wildlife Area, Union City Community Schools, (49094) (517)741-4221
15 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public, boy scout conservation training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Westland
Nankin Mills Nature Center, 33175 Ann Arbor Trail, (48185) (313)261-1876 or 962-5700, ext. 434 Facility operated by Parks and Parkways Division of the Board of Wayne County Road Commissioners.
500 acres. Historic buildings. Programs and activities for all groups by appointment. Open all year; closed Mondays and holidays.
Austin
J.C. Hormel Nature Center. New facility. For information, contact Director, Parks, Recreation & Forestry, Austin Park Board, 508 Main Street, (55912)

Bloomington
Hyland Lake Park Reserve, 8737 East Bush Lake Road, (55438) (612)941-7993 Facility operated by Hennepin County Park Reserve District. 100 acres. Programs and activities for school and other groups, general public. Open all year.

Chaska

Chaska
Minnesota Landscape Arboretum, Route 1, Box 132-1, (55318) (612)443-2460 Facility operated by University of Minnesota. 525 acres. Programs and activities for 4-8, 9-12, college, general public, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 7 days per week, 6 months per year; closed November to April.

Excelsior
Lowry Nature Center, Carver Park Reserve, Route 1, Box 690, (55331) (612)472-4911 Facility operated by Hennepin County Park Reserve District. 450-acre program area in 3,000-acre park reserve. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Minneapolis
Camp Courage, Minnesota Society for Crippled Children and Adults, Inc., 2004 Lyndale Avenue South, (55405) (612)377-6490 285 acres. Two interpretive buildings, museum, small zoo,
barnyard, surfaced nature trails. Minnesota's only camp and outdoor school for the physically handicapped. In off-season area open to all.

**Osseo**

Whitney Eastman Nature Center, Elm Creek Reserve, Route 3, (55369) (612)473-4693 Facility operated by Hennepin County Park Reserve District. 250 acres in 5,000-acre park reserve. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

**Palisade**

Long Lake Conservation Center, (56469) (218)768-3873 or 927-3251, Aitkin. Facility operated by Aitkin County Parks Commission. 680 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, teacher training, and organized groups. Open all year.

**Richfield**

Wood Lake Nature Interpretive Center, 735 Lake Shore Drive, (55423) (612)861-4507 Facility operated by Richfield Department of Parks and Recreation. 150 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public. Open all year.

**Rochester**


**St. Paul**

Thomas Irvine Dodge Nature Center, 1668 Delaware Avenue, (55118) (612)455-4531 185 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, handicapped, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Sundays and holidays.

**St. Paul**

Warner Nature Center, Northern Washington County, 30 East 48-
Tenth Street, (55101)  (612)433-2427  Facility operated by The Science Museum.  
350 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public, handicapped, organized youth groups. Guided tours only. Call for schedule.

Sandstone
Northwoods Audubon Center (Pine County), Route 1, (55072)  (612)245-2648  Facility is a National Audubon Society Sanctuary and is operated by Northwoods Audubon Society.  
535 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public, college; handicapped, senior citizens, youth counselor training.

Stacy
60 acres. Programs and activities for organized groups. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Missouri

Blue Springs
Lake Jacomo, Route 2, Box 408, (64015)  (816)795-3830  Facility operated by Jackson County Park Department. 
4,330 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, teacher training. Special feature is native animal display. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed certain holidays.

Glencoe
Rockwoods Reservation, Route 1, Box 1599, (63038)  (314) 273-5436  Facility operated by Missouri Department of Conservation. 
1,885 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped. Special feature is native wild animals. Open all year; closed Christmas and New Year's Day.
Gray Summit
The Arboretum and Nature Reserve, Missouri Botanical Garden, Highway 100 at Interstate 44, P.O. Box 93, (63039) (314)742-4411
2,200 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public. Guided tours by appointment, self-guided tours. Open all year.

Kansas City
Camp Hope Science Camp, 5600 East Gregory Blvd., (64132) (816)363-1722 Facility operated by Kansas City Parks and Recreation Department.
100 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, teacher training, youth counselor training. Special feature is observatory with 16-inch telescope. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Kansas City
Lakeside Nature Center & Science Camp, 5600 East Gregory Blvd., (64132) (816)363-5096 Facility operated by Kansas City Parks and Recreation Department.
505 acres. Resident summer camp. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training, mobile nature unit. Guided
and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays.

Lebanon
Bennett Spring State Park, (65536) (417)532-3925
Facility operated by Missouri State Park Board.
796 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college. Open 7 days per week, 9 months per year; 6 days per week November through February; closed Mondays.

*St. Louis
American Youth Foundation, 3460 Hampton Avenue, (63139) (314)351-4456
350 acres. Resident outdoor school. Programs and activities for grades 6, 7, and 8 only.

Nebraska
Bellevue
Fontenelle Forest Nature Center, 1111 Bellevue Boulevard North, (68005) (402)731-3140
1,500 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays and holidays.

Lincoln
Chet Ager Nature Center, Pioneers Park, (68502) (402) 435-6147 or 475-6734 Facility operated by City of Lincoln Park Department; 2740 "A" Street, 40 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college. Guided tours by appointment. Self-guided tours. Open all year; closed certain holidays.
Nevada

Las Vegas
Camp Foxtail (Frontier Girl Scout Council), 2530 East Stewart Avenue, Toiyable National Forest, (89101) (702)385-3677, office; (702)872-9398, camp
15 acres adjoining Toiyable National Forest. Programs and activities for 3-8, 9-12, general public, handicapped, youth counselor training. Community groups may also lease facility. Open all year.

New Hampshire

Allenstown
Bear Brook Nature Center. Mailing address: Audubon Society of New Hampshire, 3 Silk Farm Road, Concord, (03301)
Open July 1 through September 4. After July 1 phone or write: Director, Bear Brook Nature Center, Bear Brook State Park, Route 1, Suncook, New Hampshire 03275 485-3782.

East Hebron
Paradise Point Nature Center, (03232) (603)744-3516
Facility operated by Audubon Society of New Hampshire.
43 acres. Programs and activities for general public, boys' and girls' camps. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 7 days per week, 3 months per year; closed September to June. First year of operation-1970.

Greenfield
Otter Lake School of Conservation, (603)547-3412
Facility operated by Boston YMCA-union.
400 acres. Resident outdoor school and summer camp. Programs and activities for K-8, naturalist training, teacher training. Guided tours only. Open all year.

Swanzey Center
Monadnock Regional School District Nature Study Center, Swanzey Center, R.F.D. #1, (03431) (603)352-6575
116 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12,
teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

New Jersey

Basking Ridge
Somerset County Environmental Education Center, Lord Stirling Road. Mailing address: Box 837, Somerville, New Jersey 08876 (201)722-1200, 766-2489 Facility operated by Somerset County Park Commission. 400 acres, plus 67.5-acre satellite and use of 2,000 acres of parklands in county. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, naturalist training, teacher training. Open all year.

*Berkeley Heights*
Union County Outdoor Education Center, 2 Glenside Park, (07922) (201)464-9436 2,000 acres. Programs and activities for grades 4, 5, and 6. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 5 days per week, 6½ months per year.

Bernardsville
Scherman Wildlife Sanctuary and Nature Interpretation Center, Hardscrabble Road, P.O. Box 693, (07924) (201) 766-5787 Facility operated by New Jersey Audubon Society. 120 acres. Programs and activities for K-8 and general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Sundays and Mondays, major holidays, and December 25 through January 1.

Branchville
New Jersey School of Conservation, Box 272, (07826) (201)948-4646 Facility operated by Montclair State College, Upper Montclair. Largest such facility in the western hemisphere. 240 acres, plus 25,000 acres of state forest and park. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, teacher training, youth counselor training. Open all year; closed certain holidays and
during school vacation.

Branchville
Stepping Stone Environmental Education Center, R.D. 2, Box 270, (07826) (201)948-3141 Facility operated by Carteret Board of Education.
28 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public, teacher training, resident programs for class groups—grades 4-9. Open all year; closed on school holidays and most weekends.

Browns Mills
Conservation and Environmental Studies Center, Inc., Box 2229, Whitesbog, (08015) (609)893-9151 3,000 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, teacher training, youth counselor training. Open all year; closed school holidays.

Chatham
Great Swamp Outdoor Education Center, 247 Southern Blvd., (07928) (201)635-6629 Facility operated by Morris County Park Commission.
40 acres, plus use of adjoining lands of Great Swamp National Wildlife Refuge. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 7 days per week, 10 months per year; closed July 1 to August 31.

Elmer
Parvin State Park, R.D. #1, (08318) (609)692-7839 1,125 acres. Programs and activities for school groups by appointment.

Englewood
Englewood Nature Association, City Hall, (07631) (201) 567-1800
75 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, general public, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Englewood
Palisades Nature Association, Greenbrook Sanctuary, Box 155, Alpine, (07620) (201)768-1360 165 acres. Programs and activities for all groups by appointment. Open all year.
Farmingdale
Allaire State Park Nature Center, Hurley Pond Road, P.O. Box 218, (07727) (201)938-2371 Facility operated by State of New Jersey, Department of Environmental Protection, Bureau of Parks. 2,000 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, handicapped, scout conservation programs, general public. Braille trail. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 6 days per week, closed weekends June-August; open weekends, closed week days September-May.

Franklin Lakes

Hammonton

Irvington
Irvington Outdoor Education Center, Berkeley Terrace School, Grove Street, (07111) (201)373-3200 130 acres. Resident outdoor school. Spring, summer and fall programs for primary schools.

Layton
Thunder Mountain Education Center, (07854) (201)948-6767 Facility operated by Newton Board of Education. 237 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Special feature: working farm. Guided tours only. Open all year; closed weekends and school vacation holidays.

Lincroft
Monmouth County Park System, Box 326, Newman Springs Road, (07738) (201)842-4000 Facilities operated by Monmouth County Board of Recreation Commissioners. 2,100 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public, teacher training. Special features: 1890 farm-arboretum, gardens located in various parks. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.
Mahwah
Campgaw Mountain Reservation, 17 Pike Road, (07430) (201) 327-7804. Facility operated by Bergen County Park Commission.
1,400 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college. Guided and self-guided tours. Open April through November.

Mountainside
Trailside Nature & Science Center, Coles Avenue & New Providence Road, (07092) (201) 232-5930. Facility operated by Union County Park Commission.
2,000 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public, handicapped. Special feature is planetarium. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Fridays.

North Brunswick
Boy Scouts of America Conservation Education Center, Routes 1 and 130, (08902) (201) 249-6000
20 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed certain holidays.
Pennington
Newland Research Reserve, P.O. Box 171, Titus Mill Road, (08534) (609)737-3735 Facility operated by Stony Brook-Millstone Watersheds Association.
400 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Princeton
Herrontown Woods, Snowden Lane. Mailing address: Mercer County Park Commission, 640 South Broad Street, Trenton, New Jersey 08611 (609)989-8000, ext. 533 or 534.
134 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, college, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Ridgewood
Camp Bernie, Port Murray, Ridgewood Public Schools, 49 Cottage Place, (07451) (201)444-9600
250 acres. Resident outdoor school. Programs and activities for grades 6, 8, 11, and 12. Special education classes. Guided tours by appointment only. Open October, April and May.

Short Hills
Cora Hartshorn Arboretum, 324 Forest Drive South, (07078) (201)376-3587 Facility operated by Millburn Township and Cora Hartshorn Arboretum and Bird Sanctuary.
17 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-6, general public, scouts. Guided and self-guided tours. Trails open all year. Call for museum schedule.

Tenafly
Tenafly Nature Center, Box 422, (07670) (201)568-6093
50 acres. Programs and activities for K-5, scout leader workshops, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Titusville
Nature Education Center, Washington Crossing State Park, (08560) (609)737-0609
Wyckoff
Bergen County Wildlife Center, Crescent Avenue West, (07481) (201)891-5571 Facility operated by Bergen County Park Commission.
81 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed holidays.

New Mexico

Albuquerque
Environmental Education Center, P.O. Box 1927, (87103) (505)842-3662 Facility operated by Albuquerque Public Schools.
130 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

New York

Albany
Capitaland Natural Science Center (Tivoli Lakes Nature Study Sanctuary), Philip Livingston Junior High School, Northern Blvd., (12206) (518)472-8860 Facility operated by Albany Board of Education and Capitaland Natural Science Center.
82 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours.

Alexandria Bay
Minna Anthony Common Nature Center, (13607) (315)482-2479 Facility operated by Thousand Islands State Park
Commission (New York State).
600 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, naturalist training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Baldwinsville
Beaver Lake Nature Center, 8477 East Mud Lake Road, (13027) (315)638-1223 Facility operated by Onondaga County. Programs by Onondaga Nature Centers, Inc. 500 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, special education classes, college, general public, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training, adult group leader training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Sundays and Mondays.

Bear Mountain
Bear Mountain Trailside Museum, Bear Mountain State Park, (10911) (914)786-2701 Facility operated by Palisades Interstate Park. 20 acres. Four museum buildings; live animals. One of the earliest nature trails in the country. Self-guided tours only. Open all year.

Brewster
Edwin Gould Outdoor Education Center, RFD 3, Gage Road, (10509) (914)279-9237 50 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, youth counselor training. Guided tours only. Open all year.

Brewster

Bronx
Wave Hill Center for Environmental Studies, 675 West 252nd Street, (10471) (212)549-2055 28 acres. Educational research. Programs and activities for K-6, teacher training, general public. Self-guided tours. Open 7 days per week April-October; closed November-March.

Chappaqua
Gedney Brook Sanctuary, Woodmill Road, (10514) (914) 769-6416 Facility operated by Saw Mill River Audubon
1. Society.
   24 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public, handicapped, teacher training. Guided tours only. Open all year.

**Cornwall-on-Hudson**
Museum of the Hudson Highlands, The Boulevard, (12520)
(914)534-2320 Facility operated by Village of Cornwall and the Cornwall Neighborhood Museum Association, Inc.
60 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Friday and holidays.

**Delmar**
Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, Game Farm
Road, (12054) (518)457-6096 Facility operated by New York State Department of Environmental Conservation. 260 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, naturalist training, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Fishkill
Stony Kill Environmental Education Center. New facility. For information contact New York State Department of Environmental Conservation, Director, Division of Educational Services, Albany, (12201)

Glen Cove
Nassau County Museum, Garvies Point Museum and Preserve, Barry Drive, (11542) (516)292-4205 72 acres. Long Island archeology and geology. Guided tours of the area for school groups by appointment. Open all year; closed Mondays.

Great Neck
Great Neck Public Schools Outdoor Education Center, 345 Lakeville Road, (11020) (516)482-8650 14 acres. Outdoor laboratory. Nature study and science enrichment program for elementary grades. For school use only.

Ithaca
Laboratory of Ornithology, Cornell University, 159 Sapsucker Woods Road, (14850) (607)256-5056 250 acres. Sanctuary. Programs and activities for college and general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Johnson City
Finch Hollow Environmental Education Center, 666 Reynolds Road, (13790) (607)729-9211 Facility operated by Broome County and Johnson City Central Schools. 20 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, teacher training. Open all year; closed school holidays.

Mt. Kisco
Westmoreland Sanctuary, Inc., Chestnut Ridge Road, (10549) (914) M06-8448 200+ acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, general public, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.
Muttontown
Nassau County Museum, Muttontown Preserve, Muttontown Lane, East Norwich, (11732) (516)922-3123
300 acres. Programs and activities for general public. Open all year.

Naples
Cumming Nature Center. New facility. For information, contact Executive Director, Rochester Museum & Science Center, 657 East Avenue, Rochester, (14603).

Oakdale
Bayard Cutting Arboretum, Montauk Highway (Route 27A), P.O. Box 66, (11769) (516)581-1002 Facility operated by Long Island State Parks and Recreation Commission. 690 acres. Guided tours for school groups by appointment. Open Wednesday through Sunday and holidays March 15-November 1. Open weekends and holidays November 1-December 1.

Ossining
Teatown Lake Reservation, Spring Valley Road, (10562) (914)762-2912 Facility operated by Brooklyn Botanic Garden.
306 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays.

Point Lookout
Oceanside Marine Nature Study Area, 1 Parkside Drive, (11569) (516)431-9200
52 acres. Nature center and outdoor laboratory. Sand dune ecology and marine studies. Closed weekends except during the summer months.

Queens
Jamaica Bay Wildlife Refuge, Cross Bay Blvd. Mailing address: New York City Parks, Recreation and Cultural Affairs, The Arsenal, 830 Fifth Avenue, New York 10021 (212)360-8121
12,000 acres. Programs and activities for 9-12, college, teacher training, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Rhinebeck
Ferncliff Forest, Conservation Committee, Box 1, (12572) (914)876-3513
192 acres. Various programs offered school groups by appointment. Programs for special interest groups. Open all year.

Rochester
Information Center, Mendon Ponds Park, Clover Street at Pond Road, (14472) (716)334-3780 Facility operated by Monroe County Department of Parks.
2,400 acres. Nature area in park is a national natural landmark. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, teacher training, youth counselor training. Special feature: pioneer-crafts demonstrations. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays.

Rye
Rye Nature Center, 873 Post Road, (914)967-1549
Facility operated by City of Rye Conservation Committee.

Scarsdale
Weinberg Nature Center, 455 Mamaroneck Road, (10583) (914)723-4784 Facility operated by Village of Scarsdale.

Seaford
Tackapausha Museum and Preserve, Washington Avenue, (11783) (516)292-4266 Facility operated by Nassau County Department of Recreation and Parks.

Sherburne
Robert's Environmental Education Center, Route #80, (13460) (607)674-2861 Facility operated by New York Department of Environmental Conservation.
550 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, organized youth groups, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed weekends.
**Spring Valley**  
Lakeside Outdoor Education Center, Lakeside School, South Main Street, (10977)  (914)356-7032  Facility operated by Edwin Gould Services for Children, Edwin Gould Foundation.  
150 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed weekends.

**Staten Island**  
High Rock Park Conservation Center, Nevada Avenue, (10306)  (212)987-6276  Facility operated by Staten Island Institute of Arts and Sciences in cooperation with New York City Parks, Recreation & Cultural Affairs:  
72 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, college, general public, teacher training, youth counselor training. Special feature: garden for the blind. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

**Staten Island**  
William T. Davis Wildlife Refuge, Travis Avenue, New Springville, (10312)  (212)7-1135  Facility operated by Staten Island Museum and New York City Department of Parks, Recreation and Cultural Affairs:  
260 acres. Programs and activities for 9-12. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 7 days per week, 6 months per year; closed July 1 to September 15 and November 15 to April 1.

**Valley Cottage**  
Rockland Lake Nature Center, (10989)  (914)268-2503  Facility operated by Palisades Interstate Park Commission.  

**White Plains**  
4,500 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, scouts. Guided tours by appointment. Open all year; closed Mondays and Tuesdays.
North Carolina

Charlotte
Charlotte Nature Museum, 1658 Sterling Road, (28209) (704)333-0506

Charlotte
Independence Outdoor Laboratory, 1967 Patriot Drive, (28212) (704)545-4536 Facility operated by Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools.
27 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Special feature: historic log cabin. Open 5 days per week, 9 months per year; closed weekends except by appointment and June 1 to August 31 except by appointment.

Durham
15 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 6 days per week, 12 months per year.
Gastonia
Schiele Museum of Natural History and Planetarium, 1500 East Garrison Blvd., (28052) (704)864-3962
Facility operated by City of Gastonia.
14.5 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays.

Greensboro
Natural Science Center, 4301 Lawndale Drive, (27408) (919)288-3769
Facility operated by City of Greensboro.
83 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training, university apprentice training in musemology. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays.

Salisbury
Supplementary Educational Center, 1636 Parkview Circle, (28144) (704)636-3462
Facility operated by Salisbury City-Rowan and Davie Counties.
34 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed weekends except every third Sunday of the month.

Winston-Salem
Nature Science Center and Zoo, 4301 Lawndale Drive, (27408) (919)725-0591
Facility operated by City of Winston-Salem.
100 acres. Special tours for blind students. Workshops and tours for school groups by appointment. Teacher training. Open all year; closed Sundays and holidays.

North Dakota

Akra
Gunlogson Arboretum, Highway 5, 6 miles west of Cavalier.
Facility operated by North Dakota Park Service.
200 acres, plus 500-acre state park. Undisturbed
prairie. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Special feature is original Gunlogson homestead.

Ohio

Akron
F. A. Seiberling Nature Center, Sand Run Metropolitan Park, 1828 Smith Road. Mailing address: 975 Treatyline Road, (44313) (216)733-4900 Facility operated by Akron Metropolitan Park District. 100 acres in 1,039 acre park. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed certain holidays.

Bay Village
Lake Erie Junior Nature & Science Center, 28728 Wolf Road, (44140) (216)871-2900 825 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Special features: animal display, planetarium. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 6 days per week, 11 months per year; closed certain holidays and Sundays in winter. Open Sundays, closed Wednesdays from May through October; closed week days except Saturdays in August.

Bluffton
Swinging Bridge Nature Preserve, Bluffton College, (45817) (219)358-1186 Facility operated by Bluffton College. 100+ acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Canton
Camp Tippecanoe, 405 Second Street, N.W., (44702) (216) 456-7141 Facility operated by Canton District YMCA. 1,100 acres. Resident outdoor camp. Programs and
activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, youth counselor training. Open all year; closed certain holidays.

**Centerville**

Grant Life Science Center, 401 Normandy Ridge Road, (45459) (513)433-2809 Facility operated by Centerville City Schools.

100 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, teacher training. 6th grade camping program. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 5 days per week, 9 months per year; closed weekends and from mid-June to August.

**Cincinnati**

Cincinnati Nature Center, 4949 Tealtown Road, Milford, (45150) (513)831-1711

750 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, naturalist training, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed holidays. (* see page 75).

**Cincinnati**

Trailside Nature Center, Burnet Woods Park, P.O. Box 27, (45220) (513)281-0190 Facility operated by Cincinnati Park Board.

3,783 acres of various park lands. Programs and activities for school groups, leadership training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

**Cincinnati**

Avon Woods Outdoor Education Center, 4235 Paddock Road, (45229) (513)861-3435 Facility operated by Cincinnati Recreation Commission.

15 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided tours only. Open all year; closed most weekends.

**Cincinnati**

California Woods Outdoor Education Center, 5400 Kellogg Avenue, (513)231-8678 Facility operated by Cincinnati Recreation Commission.

100 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided tours only. Open all year; closed most weekends.
Cincinnati
Laboiteaux Woods Outdoor Education Center, 5400 Lanius Lane, (45224) (513) 542-2909. Facility operated by Cincinnati Recreation Commission. 60 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided tours only. Open all year; closed most weekends.

Cincinnati

Cincinnati
Ruoff Family Farm, 9579 Brehm Road, (45247) (513) 385-6295 (call 8-10 A.M.). 73 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, scouts by appointment only. Guided seasonal public tours. Open all year; closed December through February.

*Clarksville
Camp Joy, P.O. Box 177, (45113) (606) 628-3014. 314 acres. Resident outdoor education center. Programs and activities for K-8, youth counselor training, teacher training. Open by appointment only. Open fall, winter, spring.

Cleveland

Cleveland
Cleveland Museum of Natural History, Wade Oval, University Circle, (44106) (216) 231-4600. 650 acres. Programs and activities for school and other
groups, college, general public. Guided tours by appointment only. Open all year.

College Corner
Hueston Woods Nature Center, Hueston Woods State Park, Route #1, (45003) (513)523-6347 Facility operated by Ohio Department of Natural Resources.
3,584 acres of park land. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed December 5-January 1.

Columbus
Columbus Metropolitan Park District, 999 Park Road, P.O. Box 72, Westerville, (43081) 891-0700.
Blacklick Woods Nature Center; trailside museum; winterized lodge with meeting rooms. Handicapped trail. Blendon Woods, Walden Wildlife Refuge. Darby Creek Reservation; resident workshop; winterized lodge with meeting rooms. Sharon Woods Reservation, Spring Hollow Outdoor Education Center; nature preserve and outdoor laboratory; resident facilities for adult workshops. Sharon Woods Reservation, Willohaven Conference Center; resident facilities for youth and adult workshops.

Columbus
Community Camps, Inc., 4965 North High Street, (43214) (614)846-6600 Facility operated by Community Camp of Columbus and Franklin County, Inc.
1,500 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 7 days per week, 9 months per year; closed December through February.

Dayton
Aullwood Audubon Center, 1000 Aullwood Road, (45414) (513)890-7360 Facility operated by National Audubon Society.
70 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Special feature: restored tall grass prairie. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Sundays and holidays.
**Dayton**

Aullwood Audubon Farm, 9101 Frederick Road, (45414) (513)898-2881  Facility operated by National Audubon Society.

120 acres. Educational working farm. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays and holidays.

**Bropolser**

Sportsmen's Service Center, Killdeer Plains Wildlife Area, R.R.#1, Box 105, (43323) (614)496-2254  Facility operated by Ohio Department of Natural Resources.

8,621 acres. Programs and activities for general public and organized groups by appointment. 14-mile self-guided auto tour. Open all year; closed during waterfowl hunting season.

**Independence**

Independence School and Community Land Laboratory, 7733
Stone Road, (44131)  (216)524-4124
35 acres. Outdoor laboratory. Programs and activities for general public and school groups by appointment.

**Loudonville**
Mohican State Park, Box 211A, Rt. 2, (44842)  (419) 994-4290
Facility operated by Ohio Department of Natural Resources.
1,294 acres. Programs and activities for college, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

**Mansfield**
Mansfield City Schools Outdoor Education Program, Richland Rural Life Center, P.O. Box 17, (44901)  (419)522-0611
80 acres. Special program offered for retarded and deaf visitors. Programs and activities for K-8 grades by appointment.

**Mentor**
The Holden Arboretum, (44060)  (216)946-4400
2,400 acres. Programs and activities for schools and other groups, teacher training, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays.

**Newark**
The Dawes Arboretum, Route #5, (43055)  (614)345-2355 or 345-2990
325 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, teacher training, youth counselor training. Special feature is children's gardens. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

**Oak Harbor**
Sportsmen Migratory Bird Center, Crane Creek Wildlife Experiment Station, Route #3, (43449)  (419)897-3363
Facility operated by Ohio Department of Natural Resources. 2,600 acres. Fresh water marsh. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Year's Day.

**Ravenna**
West Branch State Park, Rt. 5, 5708 Esworthy Road, (44266)
Facility operated by Ohio Department of Natural Resources.
8,456 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public. Mobile outdoor education unit. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Shaker Heights
Shaker Lakes Regional Nature Center, 2600 South Park Blvd., (44120) (216)321-5935
300 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training, boy scouts, girl scouts. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 7 days per week, 11 months per year; closed August 15 to Labor Day.

Stow
Adell Durbin Park and Arboretum, 3300 Darrow Road, (44224) (216)688-8206
Facility operated by Stow Parks and Recreation Department.
34 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, teacher training, scout counselors. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Toledo
George P. Crosby Park Gardens, 5403 Elmer Drive, (43624) (419)536-1031
Facility operated by City of Toledo, Division of Forestry.
50 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, general public, handicapped. Special feature is fragrance garden for blind, handicapped. Children's garden program. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Toledo
Toledo Metropolitan Park District, 911 Madison Avenue, (43624) (419)255-1400
Oak Openings Metropark; 3,300 acres; resident and day-use nature study facility; special programs by appointment.
Secor Metropark Nature Center, Route #1, Berkey, (43504) 882-1010; 500 acres. 250-acre arboretum. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, naturalist training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.
Swan Creek Metropark, Glendale Center, 4102 Glendale Avenue, (43614) (419)385-6736
412 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, leadership and youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

*Warren*

Howland Schools Outdoor Education Program, Administration Offices, 8200 South Street, S.E., (44484) (216)856-5971


*Wilmot*

Stark Wilderness Center, Box 38, (44689) (216)359-5117

409 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

*Worthington*

Harding Hospital Outdoor Laboratory, 445 East Granville Road, (43085) (419)885-5381 Facility operated by Harding Hospital, Inc.

45 acres. Programs are offered to patients (adolescent, college, and adult) under treatment for mental illness. Guided tours for school groups and others. Open all year.

*Yellow Springs*


930 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, naturalist training, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

*Yellow Springs*

Glen Helen Outdoor Education Center, Antioch College, (45387) (513)767-7648 Facility operated by Antioch College.

Utilizes the 930 acres of Glen Helen Nature Reserve. Programs and activities for 4-8, 11-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 7 days per week, 11 months per year; closed holidays and 3 weeks in August.
Youngstown
Ford Nature Education Center, Old Furnace Road in Mill Creek Park, 816 Glenwood Avenue, (44502) (216) 743-5868. Facility operated by Youngstown Township Park District. 6 acres located in 2,389-acre park. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays.

Zaleski
Lake Hope State Park, (45698) (614) 596-4300 Facility operated by Ohio Department of Natural Resources. 3,103 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Cincinnati
Long Branch Farm, Division of Cincinnati Nature Center, 6922 Gaynor Road, Goshen, (513) 831-1711 534 acres. Agricultural education facility specializing in modern agriculture and beef cattle. Open to scheduled groups only. Programs and activities for 5-12, college, general public. Open all year by appointment.

Oregon
Newport
Oregon State University Marine Science Center, Marine Science Drive, (97365) (503) 867-3011 Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed certain holidays.

Portland
Multnomah County Intermediate Education District Outdoor Education District Office, 220 S.E. 102nd Street, P.O. Box 16657, (97216) (503) 255-1841 Lease 6 sites totaling 300 acres. Resident outdoor school. Programs and activities for 6th grade teacher training,
youth counselor training. Guided tours only. Open 6 days per week, 4 months per year; closed mid-November to April and June to September.

Pennsylvania

Abington
Briar Bush Nature Center, 1212 Edge Hill Road, (19001)
Facility operated by Township of Abington.
20 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, teacher training, general public. Guided tours by appointment, self-guided tours. Open all year.

Ambler
Four Mills Nature Reserve, Morris Road, (19002) (215) 6-0267
Facility operated by Natural Lands Trust, Inc.
50 acres. Programs and activities for K-12. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; museum open by appointment.
Applebachsville
Lake Tawhee Outdoor Laboratory, Saw Mill Road. Facility operated by Bucks County Department of Parks & Recreation. 507 acres. Guided tours for school and other groups by appointment. Contact Churchville Outdoor Education Center, Southampton. Self-guided tours. Open all year.

Bristol
Silver Lake Outdoor Education Center, Bath Road, (19007) (215) 785-1177. Facility operated by Bucks County Department of Parks & Recreation. 45 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, seniors. Guided and self-guided tours. Open Wednesday through Sunday; closed Mondays, Tuesdays, and major holidays.

Erie

Fort Washington

Imperial
Wildflower Reserve, Box 723, Clinton, (15126) (412) 899-2767. Facility operated by Western Pennsylvania Conservancy. 300 acres. Guided tours for youth, adult and school groups by appointment. Closed Mondays.

Indiana
Kempton

Hawk Mountain Sanctuary, Route 2, (19529) (215)756-3431
2,110 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Lima

John J. Tyler Arboretum, 515 Painter Road, (19060) (215)566-5431

Media

Conservancy Environmental Education Center, Ridley Creek State Park, Sycamore Mills Road, (19063) (215) 606-9133 Facility operated by Tri-County Conservancy of the Brandywine Inc.
2,500 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, general public, handicapped, teacher training. Guided tours. Open 5 days per week, 11 months per year; closed weekends, school holidays, and August.

Mill Run

Bear Run Nature Reserve, R.D. 1, Box 97, (15464) (412) 329-4743 Facility operated by Western Pennsylvania Conservancy.
1,500 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, teacher education. Guided tours only. Open 6 days per week 10 months per year; closed Mondays, certain holidays, and December 15 to March 1.

Mt. Wolf

Oerwood Nature Center, Shady Lane, Route #1, (17347) (717)266-1725 Facility operated by Oerwood Ecology Club.
42 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, handicapped, scout and church groups. Braille trail. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Orefield

Parkland Environmental Laboratory, R.D. 1, (18069) (215)395-2021
28 acres. Programs and activities for school groups. Guided tours by appointment.
Petersburg
Stone Valley Recreation Area, R.D. #1, (16669) (814) 238-5872 Facility operated by Pennsylvania State University.
600 acres. Outdoor school and junior conservation camp. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training. Open all year.

Philadelphia
Schuylkill Valley Nature Center, Hagy's Mill Road, (19128) (215)482-7300
360 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, naturalist training, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed holidays.

Pittsburgh
Schenley Park Nature Museum, (15201) (412)681-2272 Facility operated by Pittsburgh Department of Parks & Recreation.
440 acres. Programs and activities for school and youth groups, general public.

Reading
Nolde Forest State Park Environmental Education Center, R.D. #1, Box 392, (19607) (215)775-1411 Facility operated by Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Resources, Bureau of Parks.
644 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training. Open all year; closed weekends except for pre-arranged programs.

Reading
Reading Nature Museum and Trails, c/o Bureau of Recreation, City Hall, (19601) (215)373-5111, ext. 201
30 acres. 1,700+ acres are available in adjoining city-owned land. Braille trail. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 7 days per week, 3 months per year; closed September to June.

Slippery Rock
Jennings Nature Reserve, R.D. #1, Box 281, (16057) (412) 794-6011 Facility operated by Slippery Rock State College.
383 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8,
9-12, college, general public, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 7 days per week, 10 months per year; closed week days December and January.

Southampton
Churchville Outdoor Education Center, 501 Churchville Lane, (18966). (215)357-4005. Facility operated by Bucks County Department of Parks and Recreation. 50 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays, Tuesdays, and major holidays.

Spring Mills
Penns Valley Area Land Resource Laboratory, R.D. 2, (16875). (814)422-8854. 30 acres. Facilities available to all groups by appointment. Open all year.

Turbotville
Montour Preserve, R.D. 1, (17772). (717)437-3131. Facility operated by Pennsylvania Power and Light Company. 1,000 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, teacher training, youth counselor training, youth groups. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Washington Crossing

Wilkes-Barre
Kirby Park Environmental Education Center and Trailwood Nature Environmental Education Center. New facilities. For information, contact Executive Director, Recreation Board of the City of Wilkes-Barre, 701 South Main Street, (18702).
Rhode Island

Coventry Center
Youth Science Center, University of Rhode Island, W. Alton Jones Campus, Route 2, (02816) (401)397-3302
400 acres. Programs and activities for grades K-6, 4-H clubs and local schools only. Open all year.

Middletown
Norman Bird Sanctuary, Third Beach Road, (02840)
(401)846-2577 Facility operated by Norman Bird Sanctuary Trust and Rhode Island Audubon Society.
450+ acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays and Tuesdays to the public, but open for classes.

South Carolina

Anderson
Woodfern Environmental Center, School District #5, P.O. Box 439, (29621) (803)224-3244
45 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed weekends, Thanksgiving, Christmas.

Columbia
Columbia Science Museum, 1519 Senate Street, (29201)
(803)252-6974 Facility operated by Columbia Art Commission.
4 acres, plus use of private, city and state lands. Wildflower garden. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Open all year; closed Mondays.
Tennessee

Kingsport
Bays Mountain Nature Education Center, Route 4, Bays Mountain Park Road, (37660) (1-615) 245-4192 or 245-4193 Facility operated by City of Kingsport. 1,300 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Special features: display gallery, planetarium; floating water ecology teaching station. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Nashville
Nashville Metropolitan Schools Nature Center, Ridge Road, (37205) 130 acres. Summer day camp. Programs and activities for local K-6 school groups by appointment.

Nashville

Pikeville
Cane Creek Nature Center, Fall Creek State Park, (37367) (615)881-3708 Facility operated by Tennessee State Parks. 16,000 acres. Programs and activities for K-12, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Townsend
Maryville College Environmental Education Center, Great Smoky Mountains National Park, Box 177, (37882) (615) 448-2211 Facility operated by Maryville College in cooperation with the National Park Service. Entire park available. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Primarily residential facility. Guided tours. Open all year.
Texas

Austin

Austin Natural Science Center, 401 Deep Eddy Avenue, (78703) (512)472-4523 Facility operated by Austin Parks and Recreation Department, Austin Natural Science Association, Inc.

80 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, general public. Special feature is outdoor animal exhibit. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed major holidays.

*Dallas

L. B. Houston Park Nature Area, Dallas Museum of Natural History, P.O. Box 26193, (75226) (214)421-2169

400 acres. Tours for school groups by appointment. Open all year.

Fort Worth

Fort Worth Nature Center, Route 10, Box 53, (76135) (817)237-1111 Facility operated by Fort Worth Park and Recreation Department.

4,000 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped
(projected--braille and deaf interpretation), naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed major holidays.

**Houston**
Aline McAshan Botanical Hall for Children, P.O. Box 55647, (77055) (713)681-8433
245 acres. Programs and activities for K-12, general public. Programs and lectures by appointment. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

**McKinney**
Heard Natural Science Museum & Wildlife Sanctuary, Route 7, Box 171, (75069) (214)542-5012
266 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, general public; teacher training. Guided tours only on trails Tuesday through Saturday. Museum self-guided. Open all year; closed Mondays and holidays.

**Waco**
Strecker Museum, Sid Richardson Science Building, Baylor University, (76703) (817)755-1110
30 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, naturalist training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Sundays and holidays.

**Whitehouse**
Camp Tyler Outdoor Education School, Route 1, Box 542, (75791) (214)566-2621 Facility operated by Smith County Youth Foundation and Tyler Public Schools.
300 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed weekends.

**Utah**

**Provo**
Big Spring, Box 816, (84601) (801)373-6301 Facility operated by Provo City Schools and Provo City Parks and Recreation Department.
1,000 acres. Programs and activities for grades 5 through 9, teacher training. Day camp planned. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year to school groups.

Vermont

Huntington
Green Mountain Audubon Nature Center, P.O. Box 68, (05462) (802) 434-3068

Rupert
Merck Forest, (05768), 2,600 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, scouts, garden clubs. Guided tours for groups. Open all year.

Townshend
West River Valley Greenway, Conservation Society of Southern Vermont, (05353) (802) 365-7754
2,500 acres. Programs and activities for general public. Summer conservation school for children 7 to 16 years. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Woodstock
Vermont Institute of Natural Science, (05091) (802) 457-2779
57 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, handicapped, naturalist training, general public. Environmental research division, statewide bird banding program. Continuous water quality monitoring program. Guided tours for school groups. Open all year.
Virginia

Annandale
Hidden Oaks Nature Center, Fairfax County Park Authority, Box 236, (22003) (703)941-5009
38 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays and holidays.

Arlington
Gulf Branch Nature Center, 3608 North Military Road, (22207) (703)558-2340 Facility operated by Arlington County Department of Environmental Affairs, Park Division, 30 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays.

Arlington
Potomac Overlook Regional Park. New facility. For information, contact, Chief Naturalist, Northern Virginia Regional Park Authority, 11001 Popes Head Road, Fairfax, (22030)

Chesterfield
Pocahontas State Park, (23832) (804)748-5920 Facility operated by Virginia State Parks. 2,005 acres. Programs and activities for general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open June, July and August; closed other 9 months.

Clinchport
Natural Tunnel State Park, Route 1, Box 271, (24227) (703)940-2674 Facility operated by Virginia State Parks. 567 acres. Programs and activities for general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open June through October; closed other 7 months.

Dublin
Marion
 Hungry Mother State Park, (24354)  (703)783-3422
 Facility operated by Virginia State Parks.
 2,180 acres. Programs and activities for general public.
 Guided and self-guided tours. Open June, July, August;
 closed other 9 months.

Montross
 Westmoreland State Park, Box 465, (22520)  (804) 493-6167
 Facility operated by Virginia State Parks.
 1,302 acres. Programs and activities for general public.
 Guided and self-guided tours. Open June, July, August;
 closed other 9 months.

Millboro
 Douthat State Park, Box 212, (24460)  (703)862-0612
 Facility operated by Virginia State Parks.
 4,493 acres. Programs and activities for general public.
 Guided and self-guided tours. Open June, July, August;
 closed other 9 months.

Reston
 The Nature Center, 1606 Washington Plaza, (22070)  (703) 471-7472
 Environmental education and management programs in and
 for a "planned city."

Richmond
 Maymont Nature Center, Maymont Park, (23220)  (804) 649-5175
 Facility operated by Richmond Department of
 Recreation and Parks.
 95 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8,
 9-12, general public, handicapped, youth counselor train-
ing, boy scout training. Guided and self-guided tours.
 Open all year; closed holidays.

Scottsburg
 Staunton River State Park, Route 2, Box 295, (24589)
 Facility operated by Virginia State Parks.
 1,287 acres. Programs and activities for general public.
 Guided and self-guided tours. Open June, July, August;
 closed other 9 months.

Stuart
 Fairy Stone State Park, Route 2, Box 134, (24171)
 (703)930-2424  Facility operated by Virginia State
 Parks.

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4,570 acres. Programs and activities for general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open June, July, August; closed other 9 months.

**Surry**

**Vienna**
Laurel Ridge Nature Center, 8925 Leesburg Pike (Route 7), (22180) (703)790-4000 Facility operated by the National Wildlife Federation. 20 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, teacher training, general public. Guided tours Monday through Friday. Trails open all year.

**Virginia Beach**

**Washington**

**Coupeville**
Casey Campus Branch, Seattle Pacific College, 1276 South Fort Casey Road, (98239) (206)678-5050 115 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, college, general public; handicapped, teacher training. Open all year.

**Enumclaw**
Catherine Montgomery Interpretive Center, Federation Forest State Park, 49201 Chinook Pass Road, Star Route, (98022) (206)663-2207 Facility operated by Washington State Parks & Recreation Commission. 612 acres. Programs and activities for school and adult

Randle

Cispus Environmental Center, Route 4, Cispus Camp, (98377) (206)497-7131 Facility operated by Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, State of Washington.

45 acres, plus surrounding national forest land. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Facility available for all groups. Self-guided tours only. Open all year; closed most weekends.

West Virginia

Morgantown

West Virginia University Arboretum, Department of Biology, West Virginia University, (26506) (304)293-4794.

75 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, college, general public, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.
Morgantown
West Virginia University Forest, New Forestry Building, (26506) (304)293-2391 Division of Forestry, College of Agriculture and Forestry, West Virginia University. 7,500 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, naturalist training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Wheeling
Brooks Nature Center, Oglebay Institute, (26003) (304) 242-6855
1,500 acres. Programs and activities for K-12, teacher training, general public. 6th grade resident program. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Wisconsin

Baraboo
Devil's Lake State Park, Route 4, Box 36, (53913) (1-608) 356-8301 or 8302 Facility operated by Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources. 3,800 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public. Facility time schedule varies with each season. Call or write for detailed information.

Dousman
Oak Ridge Demonstration Farm, (53118) (414)475-8192 Facility operated by Milwaukee Public Schools, Division of Municipal Recreation and Adult Education in cooperation with Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources. 100 acres. Programs and activities for K-4, 9-12, handicapped, general public. Guided tours only. Open all year.

Eagle River
Trees for Tomorrow Environmental Center, (54521) (715) 479-4808 40 acres. Resident outdoor school. Three-day workshop program for various groups. Tours for all grade levels by appointment. Open all year.
Green Bay
Green Bay Wildlife Sanctuary, 1660 East Shore Drive,
(54302) (414) 468-7926 Facility operated by Green
Bay Park and Recreation Department.
276 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8,
9-12, college, general public, handicapped. Guided
tours by appointment. Special feature: waterfowl
sanctuary. Open all year.

Hales Corner
Todd Wehr Nature Center in Whitnall Park, 5879 South 92nd.
Street, (53130) (414) 425-1133 Facility operated by
Milwaukee County Park Commission.
655 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college,
general public, handicapped, naturalist training, youth
counselor training, teacher training. Guided and self-
guided tours. Open all year; closed weekends in winter
except for special events.

Janesville
Janesville Schools Outdoor Laboratory, 315 South Jackson
Street, (608) 752-7413 85 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college,
handicapped, teacher training. Guided and self-guided
tours. Open all year.

Madison
Cherokee Marsh Outdoor Education Area. New facility.
For information, contact Superintendent of Parks, Board
of Park Commissioners, 704 East Gorham Street, (53703)

Madison
Jackson School Forest, 502 Caromar Drive, (608) 233-5314 Facility operated by Madison Public Schools.
300 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8,
9-12, general public, teacher training, youth counselor
training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Madison
University of Wisconsin Arboretum, 1207 Seminole Highway,
(608) 262-2746 1,240 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, col-
lege, general public, handicapped, naturalist training.
Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Milwaukee
Hawthorn Glen Outdoor Education Center, 1130 North 60th
Street, (53208) (414)475-8613 Facility operated by Milwaukee Public Schools, Division of Municipal Recreation and Adult Education.
25 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided tours only. Open all year.

**Milwaukee**

Schlitz Audubon Center. New facility. For information, contact Director-Naturalist, 1111 East Brown Deer Road, (53217).

**Newberg**

Riveredge Nature Center, P.O. Box 92, 4311 West Hawthorne Drive, (53060) (414)377-1766
250 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public, handicapped, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 7 days per week, 11 months per year; closed August.

**Palmyra**

Palmyra Camp, Bluff Road, (63156) (414)475-8192 Facility operated by Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources and Milwaukee Public Schools, Division of Municipal Recreation and Adult Education.
90 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public, youth counselor training. Guided tours only. Open all year.

**Poynette**

MacKenzie Environmental Center, Route #1, (53955), (608) 635-4498 Facility operated by Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources.
250 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public. Special features: logging museum, native animals, an arboretum of native and exotic trees. Day camp facilities planned. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 7 days per week, 7 months per year; closed weekends November 1 to April 1.

**Sheboygan**

Willow Brook Glen, 3508 North 21st Street, (53081) (414) 458-4621 Facility located behind Pigeon River School and operated by Sheboygan Public Schools.
30 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.
Somers
Hawthorne Hollow Arboretum & Wildlife Sanctuary, Kenosha County, (414)633-7124. Facility operated by Hyslop Foundation, Inc.
40 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, teacher training. Open 3 days per week, 12 months per year; closed Saturdays, Sundays, Mondays, Tuesdays, but open by appointment all days.

Wisconsin Dells
Camp Upham Woods, Route #1, Box 292, (53965) (608) 254-8077 Facility operated by Youth Development Department, University of Wisconsin.
318 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 7 days per week, 11 months per year.
Federal Facilities

This section contains a list of facilities that are primarily concerned with nature or outdoor interpretation and are operated and maintained by one or more of the following federal agencies: Bureau of Reclamation (BR), Forest Service (FS), Fish & Wildlife Service (FW), National Park Service (NPS), Soil Conservation Service (SCS), and Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA).

The facilities are listed alphabetically by state and community. Entries contain the name, address, telephone number, agency responsible for its operation and a brief description of the facility where it has been provided.

For further information on these and other facilities write to the appropriate agency listed below.

Bureau of Reclamation
Washington, D.C. 20240

VIS Service Work Group
Division of Recreation
U.S. Forest Service
Agricultural Building
Washington, D.C. 20250

Division of Information & Education
National Park Service
Washington, D.C. 20240

Division of Public Use
National Wildlife Refuges
U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service
Washington, D.C. 20240

Division of Information & Education
National Park Service
Washington, D.C. 20240

Director of Information
Soil Conservation Service
Washington, D.C. 20250

Director of Information
Tennessee Valley Authority
New Sprinkle Building
Knoxville, Tennessee 37902
Alabama

Decatur
Wheeler National Wildlife Refuge, Box 1643, (35601)
(205)353-7243. Facility operated by FW.
34,063 acres. Programs offered for K-8, 9-12, college,
adult, teacher training. Guided and unguided tours.
Observation building. Open all year. Advance reservations required.

Alaska

Anchorage
Portage Glacier, Chugach National Forest, near Anchorage, Alaska. Facility operated by FS.
This observatory, restroom, and exhibit trailer afford the visitor shelter from the severe weather conditions while viewing the glacier. Exhibits interpret the history of the glacier, the severe climate, and identify flora and fauna in the surrounding valley.

Juneau
Mendenhall Glacier Visitor Center, Tongass National Forest, near Juneau, Alaska. Facility operated by FS. The Visitor Center is a circular observatory that allows a year-round, all-weather view of the glacier. Visitors are afforded an impressive view of the glacier face--1½ miles wide and from 100 to 200 feet high. From the exhibits and from naturalists they can learn about glaciation. By following a self-guiding trail starting at the center, they may see the effects of glaciation.

Arizona

Ajo
Organ Pipe Cactus National Monument, P.O. Box 38,
Ajo, Arizona 85321.  (602) Organ Pipe Cactus #1. Facility operated by NPS.

Flagstaff
Sunset Crater National Monument, Tuba Star Route, Flagstaff, Arizona 86001.  (602)774-8894. Correspondence to: Supt., Grand Canyon NP, P.O. Box 129, Grand Canyon, AZ 86023. Facility operated by NPS.

Grand Canyon
Grand Canyon National Park, Grand Canyon, Arizona 86023.  (602)638-2411. Facility operated by NPS.

Tucson
Sabino Canyon Visitor Center, Coronado National Forest, Tucson, Arizona. Facility operated by FS. An hour's drive along the Hitchcock Highway near the Sabino Canyon Visitor Center takes the visitor from the desert shrub growth of the Sonoran Desert floor to the towering Douglas-fir forests high on Mt. Lemmon. The changes in climate and vegetation types that are experienced on this trip are similar to those that would be encountered in traveling from Tucson to Canada. Exhibits inside the visitor center interpret the botany, geology, and the history of the Santa Catalina Mountains.

Arkansas

Blanchard Springs
Blanchard Springs Caverns V.C., Ozark N.F., Mountain View, Arkansas. Facility operated by FS. The Visitor Center contains orientation film that explains how the caverns were formed, orientation exhibits to the nearby visitor attractions, and an exhibit room that interprets natural history and human history of the caverns.
California

Crescent City
Redwood National Park, 1 Greyer N, Crescent City, California, 95531. (707)464-6101. Facility operated by NPS.

Death Valley
Death Valley National Monument, Death Valley, California 92328. (714)786-2331. Facility operated by NPS.

Mammoth Lakes
Mammoth Visitor Center, Mammoth Lakes, Inyo National Forest, California 93546. Facility operated by FS. Audio-visual programs and exhibits bring to the visitor’s attention the many opportunities for outdoor recreation throughout the year available to them on the Inyo National Forest. Open twelve months of the year, this visitor center caters to skiers in the winter, fishermen in the spring, campers in the summer, hunters in the fall, and school children throughout the year. Evening campfire programs are put on during the summer months at an adjacent amphitheater for campers in nearby Forest Service campgrounds.

Redding
Trinity Visitor Center, Shasta-Trinity National Forest, Redding, California 96001. Facility operated by FS and BR. The Visitor Center is operated jointly by the Forest Service and the Bureau of Reclamation. Inside the center, the visitor is oriented to the Trinity Lake complex with a map. The significance of the reservoir and watershed management is interpreted. The story of how Trinity Dam generates hydroelectric power is told and a tour of the dam is available.

South Lake Tahoe
Lake Tahoe Visitor Center, Eldorado National Forest, South Lake Tahoe, California 95705. Facility operated by FS. The uses of various forest resources and the interrelationship of the forest soils, water, flora, and fauna in the Lake Tahoe Basin are explained in exhibits inside the center. Self-guiding trails and conducted tours are available. In the evenings, slide shows are presented in the 850-seat outdoor amphitheater.
Three Rivers
Sequoia & Kings Canyon National Parks, Three Rivers, California 93271. (209) 565-3301. Facility operated by NPS.

Colorado

Estes Park
Rocky Mountain National Park, Estes Park, Colorado, 80517. (303) 586-2371 Facility operated by NPS.

Idaho Springs
Arapahoe National Forest, Idaho Springs, Colorado. Facility operated by FS.
Exhibits depicting the early history of the area during the mining era along with information on nearby recreational opportunities for the visitor are provided.

Monte Vista
Monte Vista National Wildlife Refuge, Box 511, (81144) (303) 852-2934 Facility operated by FW.
13,548 acres. Programs offered for K-8, 9-12, college, adult, teacher training. Guided and unguided tours. Visitor facilities open April 1 - October 30. Wildlife tour route open all year, advance reservations required.
District of Columbia

Washington
Rock Creek Nature Center, Box 8758, Military and Glover Roads, N.W., (20015)  (202)426-6834  Facility operated by NPS.
1,754 acres. Special programs for schools. Clubs receive programs in conservation and natural history. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Washington
United States National Arboretum, 24th and "R" Streets N.E., (20002)  (202)399-5400  Facility operated by NPS.
415 acres. Herbarium. Programs and activities for school groups, agriculture research and general public. Special feature: trail for the blind. Open all year.

Florida

Homestead
Everglades National Park, P.O. Box 279, Homestead, Florida 33030  (305)247-6211  Facility operated by NPS.

Georgia

Blairsville
Brasstown Bald Visitor Center, Chattahoochee National Forest, Blairsville, Georgia. Facility operated by FS. Brasstown Bald Visitor Center, a unique building that was planned to reflect the natural beauty of the area surrounding it, rests on the highest peak in Georgia. Exhibits interpret the history and topography of the southern Appalachian Mountains and the management of the Chattahoochee National Forest.
Waycross

Okefenokee National Wildlife Refuge, Box 117, (31501) (912)283-2580. Facility operated by FW. 371,445 acres. Programs offered for K-8, 9-12, college, adult, teacher training. Guided and unguided tours. Special features include wildlife tour route, 4,000 ft. boardwalk and observation tower. Open all year, advance reservations.

Idaho

Arco

Craters of the Moon National Monument, P.O. Box 29, Arco, Idaho, 83213 (208)527-3257. Facility operated by NPS.

Stanley

Redfish Lake Visitor Center, Sawtooth National Forest, near Stanley, Idaho. Facility operated by FS. This Visitor Center, located in the spectacularly rugged Sawtooth Mountains country, interprets for the visitor the human and natural history of the area. Exhibits, photographs, maps, and an audio-visual program aid in this interpretation. An interpretive trail starts at the visitor center.

Iowa

Missouri Valley

De Sota National Wildlife Refuge. Route 1, Box 114, (51555) (712)642-4121 Facility operated by FW. 7,800 acres. Programs offered for K-8, 9-12, college, adult, teacher training. Guided and unguided tours. Special features include a display of artifacts from the steamship "Bertrand." Facilities open from April 15 - November 30. Wildlife tour route open October 15 - November 15. Advance reservations required.
Kentucky

Golden Pond
Environmental Education Center, Land Between the Lakes, (42231) (502)924-5602 Facility operated by TVA. 5,000 acres. Resident center, educational farm. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, handicapped, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 11 months per year. Educational farm closed Mondays and Tuesdays. All facilities closed December 15 to January 15, except resident outdoor school which is open all year.

Mammoth Cave
Mammoth Cave National Park, Mammoth Cave, Kentucky, 42259 (502)758-2251. Facility operated by NPS.

Middlesboro
Cumberland Gap National Historical Park, P.O. Box 840, Middlesboro, Kentucky, 40965 (606)248-2817. Facility operated by NPS. (See also page 33).

Maine

Bar Harbor
Acadia National Park, RFD #1, Box 1, Bar Harbor, Maine, 04609 (207)288-3338 Facility operated by NPS.

Calais
Moosehorn National Wildlife Refuge, Box X, (04619) (207)454-3521. Facility operated by FW. 22,666 acres. Programs offered for K-8, 9-12, college, adult, teacher training. Guided and unguided tours. Wildlife tour route open 7 days per week, 3 months per year; closed early September to June 15. Advance reservations required.
Maryland

Berlin
Assateague Island National Seashore, Route 2, Box 294,
Berlin, Maryland 21811 (301)641-1441 Facility
operated by NPS.

Cambridge
Blackwater National Wildlife Refuge, Route 1, Box 121,
(21613) (301)228-2677. Facility operated by FW.
11,216 acres. Programs offered for K-8, 9-12, college,
adult, teacher training. Guided and unguided tours.
Wildlife tour route. Advance reservations required.

Frederick
Frederick County Outdoor School, Board of Education,
(21701) (301)662-9200 Facility operated by NPS.
10,000 acres (National park). Programs and activities
for K-8, handicapped, youth counselor training. Guided
and self-guided tours. Open 5 days per week, 5 months
per year; closed November to March.

Thurmont
Round Meadow Environmental Education Center, o/o Catoctin
Mountain Park, (21788) (301)824-2574 Facility
operated by NPS.
30 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general
public, naturalist training, teacher training, youth
counselor training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open
all year.

Massachusetts

South Wellfleet
Cape Cod National Seashore, South Wellfleet, Massachu-
setts 02663 (617)349-3785 Facility operated
by NPS.
Michigan

Houghton
Isle Royale National Park, 87 North Ripley Street, Houghton, Michigan 49931 (906)482-3310 Facility operated by NPS.

Seney
Seney National Wildlife Refuge. Star Route, (49883) (906)586-6504. Facility operated by FW.

Watersmeet
Sylvania Visitor Center (Ottawa National Forest), Watersmeet, Michigan 49969. Facility operated by FS.
The story of man's discovery of this land, which now makes up portions of the Ottawa National Forest, is depicted in a series of exhibits and audio-visual programs. Beginning with the Indians, followed by the early fur-traders, miners, loggers, and current recreationists, man's use of these lands is explained to the visitor.
Orientation to the recreation opportunities available on the Sylvania tract, recently incorporated within the Ottawa National Forest, is also provided at this center.

**Minnesota**

Ely
Voyageur Visitor Center - (Superior National Forest), Ely, Minnesota, 55731. Facility operated by FS.
The colorful inhabitants of the canoe country in days gone by—"Voyageurs" or early French-Canadian fur traders, Chippewa Indians, lumberjacks, and miners—come alive to the visitor here. Main attraction of the exhibit is a full-size voyageur canoe, handcrafted exactly as they were in the days of the voyageur. While viewing the canoe, the visitor "hears" (via a recording) a French voyageur telling of his life in the fur trade. A diorama of a logging camp-bunkhouse and an exhibit that explains how the many lakes in northern Minnesota were formed during the ice ages are particularly interesting. For the more adventuresome visitor, intent on exploring on his own the innumerable lakes and streams formerly traveled on by the voyageurs, a canoe-handling demonstration is held behind the visitor center.

**Mississippi**

Tupelo
Natchez Trace Parkway, Rural Route 5, NT-143, Tupelo, Mississippi 38801  (601)842-1572 Facility operated by NPS.
Missouri

Puxico
Mingo National Wildlife Refuge. RFD 1, Box 9 A, (63960)
(314)222-3686. Facility operated by FW.
21,672 acres. Programs offered for K-8, 9-12, college,
adult, teacher training. Guided and unguided tours.
Wildlife tour route. Advance reservations required.

Van Buren
Ozark National Scenic Riverways, P.O. Box 448, Van
Buren, Missouri 63965. (314)323-4236 Facility
operated by NPS.

Montana

Hungry Horse
Hungry Horse Reservoir (Flathead National Forest),
Hungry Horse, Montana. Facility operated by FS and BR.
The Visitor Center, operated jointly by the Forest
Service and the Bureau of Reclamation, affords visitors
a view of the face of Hungry Horse Dam and the reservoir.
An interesting exhibit tells the story of water and the
Hungry Horse watershed from the time that the moisture
falls as rain or snow until the water flows into the
Pacific Ocean via the Columbia River. Another exhibit
explains how hydroelectric power is produced by the dam.
Conducted tours through the dam are available.

Missoula
Missoula Visitor Center, Missoula, Montana. Facility
operated by FS.
This Visitor Center interprets the activities of the near-
by Aerial Fire Depot, Northern Forest Fire Laboratory, and
Equipment Development Center. Inside the center visitors
view a variety of exhibits while waiting for a Forest
Service smokejumper to take them on a tour of Smokejumper
Headquarters and its three-story parachute loft.
West Glacier
Glacier National Park, West Glacier, Montana 59936
(406)888-5441 Facility operated by NPS.

West Yellowstone
Madison River Earthquake Area Visitor Center (Gallatin National Forest), West Yellowstone, Montana 59758.
Facility operated by FS.
On August 17, 1959, a rampage of nature in the form of an earthquake sent the whole face of a mountain (43 million cubic yards of earth and rock) cascading into the canyon and across the Madison River and up the side of the opposite mountain. Behind this natural dam, Quake Lake was formed. A Visitor Center has been built on top of the earth and rock dam and acts as an observatory for the scarred face of the mountain. Inside the center the exhibits explain what happened, what an earthquake is, and what causes one. An outstanding feature of the center will be an operating seismograph—the instrument for recording earthquakes.

Nevada

Baker
Wheeler Peak Scenic Area-Lehman Caves National Monument Visitor Center (Humboldt National Forest), Baker, Nevada-89311 (702) #1 Toll Station via Ely, Nevada. Facility operated by FS and NPS.
At this Visitor Center, the visitor finds interpretation of the environment both above and below the ground. The story of cave formation and guided tours through the Lehman Caves are provided by the National Park Service. An introduction to the ecological and historical background of the Wheeler Peak Scenic Area, which surrounds the National Monument, is provided by the Forest Service. Campfire programs at the nearby Forest Service campground are provided for visitors to this isolated area, and are presented by both Park and Forest Rangers.
New Jersey

Highlands
Spermaceti Cove Nature Center, Gateway National Recreation Area, Sandy Hook Unit, P.O. Box 437, Highlands, New Jersey 07732 (201) 872-0115. Facility operated by NPS.
1,300 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, teacher training. Conducted and self-guided tours. Open all year.

New Mexico

Abiquiu
Ghost Ranch Museum (Carson National Forest), Abiquiu, New Mexico. Facility operated by FS and SCS.
Here the visitor finds live exhibits of wild animals native to the area along with interpretation of the local geology and some aspects of the local Indian culture. In cooperation with the Soil Conservation Service a number of outdoor exhibits on soil and water conservation have been established. In conjunction with the Ghost Ranch, the Beaver National Forest, a 1-½ acre outdoor exhibit built to one-half scale, shows many of the resource management activities carried out on the typical National Forest.

Alamogordo
White Sands National Monument, P.O. Box 458, Alamogordo, New Mexico 88310 (505) 437-1058 Facility operated by NPS.

Carlsbad
Carlsbad Caverns National Park, P.O. Box 1598, Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220 (505) 885-8884 Facility operated by NPS.

Silver City
Gila Cliff Dwellings Visitor Center (Gila National Forest), Silver City, New Mexico. Facility operated by FS and NPS. Inside the center exhibits tell the story of the Gila
National Forest and its resources and the history of the Gila Cliff Dwellings. The Gila Wilderness is interpreted for the visitor. Outdoor exhibits interpret the geology and flora of the area.

New York

Patchogue

Fire Island National Seashore, P.O. Box 229, Patchogue, New York 11772. (516)289-4810 Facility operated by NPS.

North Carolina

Asheville

Blue Ridge Parkway, P.O. Box 7606, Asheville, North Carolina 28807. (704)254-0961 Facility operated by NPS.

Brevard

Cradle of Forestry in America Visitor Center (Pisgah National Forest), Brevard, North Carolina. Facility operated by FS.

The main exhibit hall tells the story of the beginnings of forestry in America. Gifford Pinchot, America's first professional forester, practiced forest management here for the first time in the United States on the lands of George Vanderbilt in the late 19th century. Pinchot later became first chief of the Forest Service under...
Theodore Roosevelt. Here, too, the first forestry school in America was begun by Carl Schenck. Then in 1911 the first National Forest under the Week's Law was established here. The exhibits depict the history and importance of these "firsts" in American forestry.

Manteo
Cape Hatteras National Seashore, P.O. Box 457, Manteo, North Carolina 27954 (919)473-2113 Facility operated by NPS.

Oklahoma

Cache

Sulphur
Travertine Nature Center, Platt National Park, P.O. Box 201, (73086) (405)622-3147 Facility operated by NPS. 140 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed certain holidays.

Oregon

Burns
Crater Lake
Crater Lake National Park, P.O. Box 7, Crater Lake, Oregon 97640 (503) Facility operated by NPS.

Yachats
Cape Perpetua Visitor Center (Siuslaw National Forest), Yachats, Oregon 97498. Facility operated by FS. The beautiful Oregon coast, where the forest meets the sea, is the topic of interpretation in this Visitor Center. Exhibits tell about the climate, geology, plant life, and the ocean, especially the tidal areas. The history of the land management in the Cape Perpetua area is stressed. A film, "Forces of Nature," shown in the theater describes the influence of weather and other natural forces upon the land and the forest. Three trails near the center interpret local plant and animal life.

South Dakota

Custer
Jewel Cave National Monument, Custer, South Dakota 57730 (605)673-2328 Correspondence to: Supt., Wind Cave NP, Hot Springs, South Dakota 57747. Facility operated by NPS.

Hot Springs
Wind Cave National Park, Hot Springs, South Dakota 57747 (605)727-2301 Facility operated by NPS.

Interior
Badlands National Monument, P.O. Box 72, Interior, South Dakota 57750 (605)433-5361 Facility operated by NPS.
Tennessee

Gatlinburg
Great Smoky Mountains National Park, Gatlinburg, Tennessee 37738 (615)436-5615 Facility operated by NPS.

Texas

Austwell

Big Bend National Park
Big Bend National Park, Big Bend National Park, Texas 79834 (915)477-2251 Facility operated by NPS.

Utah

American Fork
Timpanogos Cave National Monument, RR 1, Box 200, American Fork, Utah 84003 (801)756-4497 Facility operated by NPS.

Brigham City
Bear River Migratory Bird Refuge, Box 548, (84302) (801)723-3577. Facility operated by FW. 64,895 acres. Programs offered for K-8, 9-12, college, adult, teacher training. Guided and unguided tours. Visitor facilities and wildlife tour route open 7 days per week, April 1-November 1. Advance reservations required.
Dutch John
Red Canyon Visitor Center (Ashley National Forest), Flaming Gorge National Recreation Area, Dutch John, Utah 84023. Facility operated by FS. The center, an observatory placed on the cliff edge, provides the public a superb view of the magnificent Red Canyon portion of the Flaming Gorge Dam reservoir. Displays in the building tell of the land management practices on the area and important resources of the area.

Dutch John
Flaming Gorge Visitor Center (Ashley National Forest), Flaming Gorge National Recreation Area, Dutch John, Utah 84023. Facility operated by FS and BR. Sixteen miles from the Red Canyon Visitor Center is the Flaming Gorge Visitor Center. The main attraction of this visitor center, located on the dam, is a very large relief map of the reservoir area. The center provides information and orientation about the lake to boaters and other visitors.

Moab
Arches National Park, Moab, Utah 84532 (801)259-7166
All correspondence to: Supt., Canyonlands NP, Moab, Utah 84532. Facility operated by NPS.

Torrey
Capitol Reef National Monument, Torrey, Utah 84775 (801)425-3871. Facility operated by NPS.

Virginia

Harrisonburg
Massanutten, George Washington National Forest, Harrisonburg, Virginia 22801. Facility operated by FS. Exhibits and an audio-visual program provide the visitor with an orientation to the many recreational opportunities to be found on this historic National Forest. Additional suggestions are made for interesting outdoor activities for further enjoyment of the out-of-doors. An interpretive trail at the rear of the Center provides an opportunity for a short walk in the forest.
with signs explaining things of interest. Special provisions have been made on this trail to accommodate wheelchairs and provide braille signs for the visually handicapped.

Luray

Shenandoah National Park, Luray, Virginia 22835
(703)999-2241, Facility operated by NPS.

Triangle

Prince William Forest Park Environmental Study Area, Box 208, (22172) (703)221-7181, Facility operated by NPS. 14,000 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Virgin Islands

St. Thomas

Virgin Islands National Park, P.O. Box 806, Charlotte Amalie, St. Thomas, Virgin Islands 00801 (809) 774-0651. Facility operated by NPS.

Washington

Longmire

Mount Rainier National Park, Longmire, Washington 98397 (206) LO 9-2211. Facility operated by NPS.

Port Angeles

Olympic National Park, 600 East Park Avenue, Port Angeles, Washington 98362 (206)452-9235. Facility operated by NPS.
West Virginia

Richwood
Cranberry Mountain Visitor Center (Monongahela National Forest), Richwood, West Virginia 26261. Facility operated by FS.
This unusual botanical area, where orchids and cranberries grow in the mountain bogs, is likened by some to Alaska. Inside the center the visitor will find interesting exhibits based on the theme "Resources of the Forest," among these are a diorama of the water cycle, a model of a coal mining operation, a display of wildlife found in the area, products of the forest, and a model of a forest area.

Wisconsin

Mayville
Horicon National Wildlife Refuge, Route 2, (53050) (414)387-2658. Facility operated by FW.
20,935 acres. Programs offered for K-8, 9-12, college, adult, teacher training. Guided and unguided tours. Advance reservations required.

Wyoming

Devils Tower
Devils Tower National Monument, Devils Tower, Wyoming 82714 (307)467-5370. Facility operated by NPS.

Moose
Grand Teton National Park, P.O. Box 67, Moose, Wyoming 83012 (307)733-2880. Facility operated by NPS.

Yellowstone National Park
Yellowstone National Park, Yellowstone National Park, Wyoming 82190 (307)344-7381. Facility operated by NPS.
Alberta

Hinton
Alberta Blue Lake Centre, P.O. Box 3018, Mobile Unit JK 224 97, on Hinton Channel. Facility operated by Alberta Department of Culture, Youth & Recreation. 220 acres in Entrance Provincial Park. Resident adult outdoor school. Leadership training program in outdoor education/recreation for the public. Open all year.

British Columbia

Creston
Creston Valley Wildlife Centre, Box 1849, VOB 1G0. Facility operated by Canadian Wildlife Service, Department of Environment. New facility. For information, contact above address.

Delta
George C. Reifel Migratory Bird Sanctuary, 5191 Robertson Road, R.R. 1, (604)946-6980 Facility operated by British Columbia Waterfowl Society. 860 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training by appointment. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Field
Yoho National Park, The Superintendent, (604)343-6324 Facility operated by Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development. 507 square miles. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 7 days per week, 2½ months per year, June 21 to September 5, balance of year by appointment.
*Peachland*
Canadian Forestry Association of British Columbia,
#410-1200 West Pender Street, Vancouver, V6E 2S9
(604)683-7591
10 acres. Resident outdoor camp. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, teacher training, youth counselor training. Open 7 days per week, 7 months per year; closed November to March except on weekends.

*Prince George*
Canadian Forestry Association of British Columbia,
#410-1200 West Pender Street, V6E 2S9 (604)683-7591
8 acres. Resident outdoor camp. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, teacher training, youth counselor training. Open 7 days per week, 6 months per year; closed November to May.

**Victoria**
Provincial Parks System, Parks Branch, Parliament Buildings, (604)382-6111, Local 2494
Variable acres—to 500,000 acres. Four interpretive centers. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, naturalist training. Guided and self-guided programs. Open 7 days per week, 4 months per year; closed September 10 to June 1.

**Victoria**
Thomas S. Francis Park, 1710 Munns Road; 479-2966
Facility operated by Victoria Natural History Society. 215 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, college, general public, naturalist training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

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**Manitoba**

**Winnipeg**
Birds Hill Provincial Park, 809 Norguay Building, (204)946-7394
New Brunswick

Alma
Fundy National Park Children's Program, (506) 887-2000
Facility operated by the Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development, National Parks Branch.
80 square miles. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, teacher training. Open 5 days per week, 3 months per year; closed weekends and September to May.

Ontario

Bolton
Albion Hills Conservation Field Centre, (416) 594-0280
Facility operated by the Metropolitan Toronto and Region Conservation Authority.
1,250 acres. Programs and activities for 9-12, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Bracebridge
Muskoka Out-of-Classroom Education Department, Box 750, POB 1C0, (705) 645-5282 Adjacent to 6 school sites.
Facility operated by Muskoka Board of Education.
300 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, mentally handicapped, naturalist training, teacher training, youth counselor training. Supervised tours only. Open all year; closed school and legal holidays.

Brantford
App's Mill Nature Centre, (519) 752-0655 Facility operated by Grand River Conservation Authority, 400 Clyde Road, Box 729, Cambridge N1R 5W6.
150 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12. Guided tours by appointment. Open 5 days per week, 10 months per year; closed July to September.

Cayuga
Taquanyah Nature Centre, (416) 768-3955 Facility operated by Grandriver Conservation Authority, 400 Clyde
Road, Box 729, Cambridge, N1R 5W6.
350 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12.
Guided tours by appointment. Open 10 months per year; closed July to September.

Don Mills
Ontario Science Centre, 770 Don Mills Road, M3C 1T3
(416)429-4100. New facility.

Downsview (Toronto)
Claremont Conservation Field Centre, Metropolitan Toronto and Region Conservation Authority, 5 Shoreham Drive,
(416)649-2208.
450 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Christmas.

Downsview (Toronto)
Cold Creek Conservation Field Centre, Metropolitan Toronto and Region Conservation Authority, 5 Shoreham Drive,
(416)630-9780
450 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Christmas.

Fergus
Belwood Nature Centre, (519)843-2979 Facility operated by Grand River Conservation Authority, 400 Clyde Road, Box 729, Cambridge N1R 5W6.
3,000 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12.
Guided tours by appointment. Open 5 days per week, 10 months per year; closed July to September.

Hamilton
Resource Management Centre, P.O. Box 99, Ancaster, (416) 648-6303
Facility operated by Hamilton Region Conservation Authority.

200 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, general public, teacher training, youth counselor training, scout groups. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 5 days per week; closed major holidays.

Hamilton
Royal Botanical Gardens, Box 399, (416)529-5928

2,000 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public, teacher training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Midland
Wye Marsh Wildlife Centre, Box 100, (705)526-7809
Facility operated by Canadian Wildlife Service, Department of Environment.

2,500 acres. Programs and activities for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, college, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed November and December.

Milton
Three environmental field centres. Facilities operated by Halton Region Conservation Authority, 225 Main Street, East, (416)878-4131
Crawford Lake, 425 acres; Kelso, 380 acres; Mountsberg, 1,120 acres. All facilities offer programs for pre-school, K-8, 9-12, general public, teacher training, scouts; guided and self-guided tours; open all year.

*Ottawa
MacSkimming Natural Science School, R.R. #2, Cumberland, (613)824-4192.

280 acres. Outdoor laboratory. Programs and activities for all school groups by appointment. Resident outdoor program. Open all year.

Ottawa
Ottawa Carleton Conservation Centre, Incorporated, R.R. #7, K2H 7V2 (613)828-3620

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100 acres, plus use of 3,000 acres of Greenbelt Forest. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Groups by appointment. Open all year.

Renfrew
Champlain Storyland Ltd., R.R. 5, (613)432-2797
140 acres. Wildlife museum. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12. Guided programs only. Open 5 days per week, 4 months per year; closed November through April, July through August.

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Sydenham Valley Outdoor Education School, 2 miles east of Alvinston; and Coldstream Outdoor Education Centre, Coldstream Conservation Area, 1 mile north of Poplar Hill. Facilities operated by Sydenham Valley Conservation Authority, 205 Front Street East, N7G 1Y8 (519) 245-3710
315 acres and 130 acres respectively. Programs and activities for K-8. Open 7 days per week, 4 months per year; closed winter and summer.

Sudbury
Nature Centre, Junction Creek Conservation Authority, Box 1000, (705)674-3141
1,200 acres. Programs and activities for all school groups.

Sutton
Sibbald Point Provincial Park, (416)722-5182
Facility operated by the Department of Lands & Forests, Province of Ontario.
410 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public, handicapped. Guided programs only. Open 4 days per week, 4 months per year; closed Tuesday-Thursday and September-April.

Waterloo
Laurel Creek Nature Centre, (519)885-1480 Facility operated by Grand River Conservation Authority, 400 Clyde Road, Box 729, Cambridge N1R 5W6
700 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12. Guided tours by appointment. Open 5 days per week, 10 months per year; closed July to September.
Whitney  
Algonquin Provincial Park Interpretive Program, Department of Lands and Forests, (705) 633-5613  
Visitor center-interpretive building. Special programs and activities for various groups. Guided tours by request. Open May to October.

Prince Edward Island  

North Rustico  
Prince Edward Island Wildlife Park; telephone: Rustico River 33  
87 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, handicapped. Special feature is natural wildlife display. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 7 days per week, 6 months per year; closed November to May 24.

Quebec  

*Calumet  
CIP Nature Centre, Centre d'Ecologie CIP, R.R. #2, J0V 1B0 (819) 242-6066 Facility operated by Canadian International Paper Company.  
18,000 acres. Centre offers facilities to organized groups, such as 4-H, boy scouts, girl guides, youth training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Montreal  
Morgan Arboretum, P.O. Box 500, MacDonald College, H9X 3M1 (514) 457-6580, ext. 317 Facility operated by the Department of Renewable Resources, School of Agriculture, McGill University.  
640 acres. Natural forest, forest plantation, arboretum. Programs and activities for K-8, naturalist training. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.
Mont St. Hilaire
Mont St. Hilaire Nature Conservation Centre, 422 Rue des Moulins, JOL 1L0. Facility operated by McGill University, Montreal, Canada. 2,280 acres. Programs and activities for family groups, the general public, handicapped, scouts.

Notre Dame de la Paix
Les Bois Meles, Centre d'Interprétation de Nature. Office: 12027 Boulevard Saint-Germain, (514)334-9195 or 522-6536. 100 acres. Programs and activities for 9-12, general public. French and English guided tours by appointment only. Open Saturdays and Sundays, 8 months per year; closed December 1 to April 1.

Perce

Quebec City
Provancher Society, 1160 Rue Bourlamague. 25 acres. Bird sanctuary. Outdoor laboratory facilities. Tours of area available to all groups. Closed during nesting season.

St. Joachim
Saskatchewan

Regina
Condie Nature Refuge, 11 miles northwest of Regina.
(306) 522-1691 Facility operated by Museum of Natural History, Saskatchewan Department of Natural Resources.
200 acres. Programs and activities for preschool, K-8, 9-12, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open 5 days per week, 5 months per year; closed October to May.

Regina
Wascana Waterfowl Park, 440 Provincial Health Building, (306) 527-0691 Facility operated by Wascana Waterfowl Park Committee of Wascana Centre Authority.
360 acres. Programs and activities for K-8, 9-12, college, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year.

Saskatoon
Saskatoon Public Board of Education, 405 South Third Avenue, (306) 652-0850
400 acres. Interpretive building. Programs and activities for school groups by request.
**Grand Bahama Island**

Freeport
Rand Memorial Nature Center, P.O. Box F-2954, East Settlers Way, (809)352-5438
100 acres. Programs and activities for school groups, conservation groups, teacher training, general public. Guided and self-guided tours. Open all year; closed Mondays and Tuesdays.

**Trinidad**

Arima
Asa Wright Nature Center, G.P.O. Bag 10, Port of Spain, West Indies.