



SPRING Nature Day Camp!



FOCW Nature Day Camps...So much fun packed into two days!*

- * Make your own nature journal to keep
- * Put on your boots and go on a pond safari
- * Learn about water bugs and amphibians
- * Search for salamanders

- * Go on a geocaching scavenger hunt
- * Try your hand at camouflaging into the forest in the ever popular "Thicket" game
- * Learn the basics of fishing and cast your line with expert anglers



Please Note: Exact activity schedule will be dependent on weather

CAMP STAFF

Spring Nature Day Camp is led by Friend's Education Director, Cami Wilbert, assisted by FOCW staff & volunteers with outdoor, ecology and education experience.



Come Join Us!

- Have **Fun** outside!
- Make new friends!
- Play nature games!
- Celebrate Earth week!
- Receive a goody bag after each session!
- Healthy afternoon snack provided!



Coming Up...

Space for Spring Nature Day Camp fills up quickly - **just 20 campers accepted per session.**

Don't delay - register today!
~ Registration form on back ~



TWO SEPARATE SESSIONS!

Session A: April 18 & 19, 2023
Session B: April 20 & 21, 2023

Summer Nature Day Camp is just around the corner!

Session A: July 24th-28th, 2023
Session B: August 7th-11th, 2023

Friends of the Cobbossee Watershed Nature Day Camps are made possible by these area organizations:



Brooks Memorial Scholarship



Limited Scholarships Available!



Please Note: The Friends Nature Day Camps are not a school sponsored event.

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WHO: 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders
WHEN: Session A - Tues & Wed April 18 & 19, 2023
Session B - Thurs & Fri April 20 & 21, 2023
WHERE: YMCA Camp of Maine, East Winthrop



Schedule: Two 2-day sessions for you to choose from! Session A will be Tuesday & Wednesday, April 18 & 19, 2023 and Session B will be Thursday & Friday, April 20 & 21, 2023. Camp runs daily from 9:00 am - 3:00 pm. Each camp day will consist of both fun indoor and outdoor activities - with the goal of being outdoors as much as possible - dependent on weather conditions and camper's energy levels! Activities are based on appreciation and understanding of nature and the great outdoors.

Please be sure to indicate your preferred session choice on the form below!



Location: Camp will be held at the YMCA Camp of Maine on Cobboossee Lake in East Winthrop, ME. Directions will be provided upon camp registration. Parents will be responsible for providing transportation to and from camp.



What to Bring: Campers need to come prepared for time outdoors in spring conditions, which means being prepared for just about anything! This includes, but is not limited to: rainproof coat, rain pants to put on over clothes if necessary, warm layers, rubber boots if possible for mud & water, warm weather clothing depending on weather, warm socks, hiking shoes or boots and back-ups of any of the above if possible! Campers will also need to bring a healthy morning snack and lunch, as well as a refillable water bottle. (A light afternoon snack will be provided!)

Registration: The cost of the camp is \$100 per camper for each 2-day session. Registration is on a first-come, first-served basis and space is limited. A signed registration form and payment must be received before the beginning of camp in order for your child to participate. Please make checks payable to FOCW.



Enjoy your Friends membership benefits and pay only \$90.00 per camper!



REGISTRATION & RELEASE OF LIABILITY FORM – Please sign and return with payment to:
Friends of the Cobboossee Watershed, PO Box 206, East Winthrop ME 04343

Name: _____ **Age:** _____ **Grade:** _____ **Male / Female (Circle one)**

Address: _____ **Town:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Parent/guardian name: _____ **Daytime phone#:** _____

Home phone #: _____ **Cell or Alt. #:** _____

(confirmation & correspondence will be via e-mail)

Email: _____ **Session Preference:** A / B (Circle one)

Name and phone number of emergency contact (another contact in addition to person listed above):

If your child has any allergies (bees, food, drugs), asthma (and uses an inhaler), physical limitations, daily medication needs, learning or behavioral needs please call the office 395-5239.

I give permission for my child to attend Spring Nature Day Camp, offered by the *Friends of the Cobboossee Watershed (Friends)*. By signing below, I hereby indemnify and hold harmless the *Friends* and any supporting agencies, and release any sponsors and representatives from all claims or liabilities arising from my child's participation, unless said claim is proven to be the result of negligence. Additionally, I allow *Friends* to use photographs or images of my child for appropriate promotional materials.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ **Date:** _____

QUESTIONS? Contact Cami Wilbert - FOCW Education & Outreach Director Phone: 395-5239
Email: camil@watershedfriends.com

Registration forms are also available on our web site at: www.watershedfriends.com

