

Summer at a Glance



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Weldon Spring Site Interpretive Center

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History Presentation: From Farms to Factories Thursday, June 18, 7-8 p.m.

Experience the second of three presentations on the rich and storied history of the Weldon Spring area. This evening will cover the federal government's acquisition and transformation of the area, focusing on operations at the Weldon Spring Ordnance Works and Uranium Feed Materials Plant.

Registration is required.

Summer of STEM: Be an Engineer Saturday, June 20, 10 a.m. to noon

Have you ever wondered how a boat made of steel can float or if the materials that wheels are made of affect the distance a car travels? If so, come design a foil boat and a balloon car using the engineering design process. Learn about how that same process was used to design Weldon's disposal cell.

Registration is required.

Native Gardening Series: Preparing to Plant Saturday, June 27, 10 a.m. to noon

If you are planning on starting a native garden this fall, now is a good time to get the ground prepared! Learn three relatively easy techniques for removing existing lawn and preparing for new native plants! Staff will demonstrate each technique and explain when each one is best to use. Additionally, learn how to identify major soil types and how to correct the most common soil problems. Adults or youth 10 and up with supervision.

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History Presentation: Contamination and Remediation Thursday, July 16, 7-8 p.m.

Experience the last of three presentations on the rich and storied history of the Weldon Spring area. This evening will focus on the site's historical contamination, Superfund cleanup, and present-day status and operations.

Registration is required.

Summer of STEM: Nature in Howell Prairie Saturday, July 18, 10 a.m. to noon

Come explore all that Howell Prairie has to offer. Learn how the plants and animals of the prairie get their energy through the food chain and make a bird feeder to take home. Weather permitting, we will take a guided 1-mile trail walk in Howell Prairie while on a scavenger hunt for native Missouri plants and animals. Wear sturdy shoes and dress for the weather.

Registration is required.

History and Science Tour Saturdays at 2 p.m.*

Learn about the history and science of the Weldon Spring Site with a guided tour of the Interpretive Center's exhibit gallery. The tour lasts approximately 45 minutes.

No registration required.

**Not offered on July 4 due to holiday closure.*

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