Birthday Themes

A Wise Old Owl? (ages 6 and up) Guests will have a blast learning about these mysterious nocturnal animals. We will meet an owl up-close, dissect owl pellets and visit our Wildlife Housing Area to meet some more owls and other animals that live here.

Bugs and Butterflies (June-Sept) Creepy crawlies are all around us! We will begin with a story about bugs before learning about the bugs and butterflies in our own backyards. Then, we will grab our nets and explore the trails!

Frog Frolic (June-Sept) This program will have you hopping! Guests will learn all about these fabulous 4-legged amphibians. We will dress up as a frog, go on a frog hunt (weather permitting) and practice making our best frog sounds!

Critter Clue Caper (ages 6 and up) Someone stole the keys to the Wildlife Hospital! We can't help the animals if we can't get inside!! Follow the clues to search for hidden puzzles along the trail and discover “whodunit.” After you solve the case, meet the culprit in person! (Includes a visit with a resident animal).

Night Hike (ages 8 and up) Guests will be amazed to learn how some animals survive at night. We will hike the trail listening for sounds of the night, visit the Wildlife Housing Area and have s'mores around the campfire (we provide the s'mores). $30 additional charge for campfire. Program time dependant on sunset time.

Owl Stories (ages 3-5) Guests will have a hoot during our most popular program for the little ones! We begin with an imaginary owl hunt, an owl story and a visit with one of our resident owls. The fun continues with a visit to the Wildlife Housing Area to see more owls.

Raptors and Reptiles Can’t decide which animal group is your favorite? You don’t have to! This up-close encounter with one of our resident raptors (birds of prey) and one of our reptiles has both!

Survival (ages 6 and up) Do you have what it takes to survive in the wild? Guests will learn some cool and creative ways animals survive in the wild before embarking on a hike to build a debris hut and discover other skills needed to survive alone in the forest.

Snakes and Turtles, Oh My! Guests will get up-close and personal with our resident reptiles, view a feeding and go on a turtle hunt (weather permitting).

Wildlife Rehab Our animals love to celebrate your birthday too! Have your guests help us, help them. Learn about how Cedar Run takes care of wildlife. Assist in making enrichment “games” for one of our residents and see your project in action!

Contact the Education Dept. at 856-983-3329, ext. 103 or Education@CedarRun.org with questions or to reserve your party.

Pricing

- Refuge Members: $200 for up to 10 guests
- Non-Members: $275 for up to 10 guests and includes a 1-year family membership to Cedar Run Wildlife Refuge (valued at $75).
- Additional party guests are $7.00 each.
- The birthday child and birthday parents are free. For every child, one adult is free. Additional adults are $3.00 each.
- A $75 non-refundable deposit is required at the time of booking. If rescheduling the event, the deposit will be carried over to the new booking. Rescheduling less than 7 days prior to the event will result in a $25 administrative fee. Balance is due on the day of the program and payable by cash, check or credit card.

Program time dependant on sunset time.
Do you love spending time outdoors and want to have a birthday party that everyone will be talking about?

Then look no further and book your party at Cedar Run Wildlife Refuge!

- Parties are for the young and young at heart, all ages are welcome.
- Parties are available on weekends from 10am-12pm or 1pm-3pm.
- Night Hike times vary with sunset times.
- Parties are available weekdays by special request.
- Every party includes a themed program delivered by Cedar Run staff, use of our party room or outdoor pavilion for 2 hours (first or last 30 minutes is reserved for food) and a Cedar Run t-shirt for the birthday child.
- Reservations must be made at least 2 weeks in advance. Peak spring and fall dates fill quickly.
- We provide wildlife program, party space, tables and chairs. Parents provide plates, utensils, paper goods, food, beverages and decorations (no balloons or confetti, please!)
- Parents are responsible for clean up. Cedar Run is a carry in/carry out facility.

Have a WILD Birthday!

Woodford Cedar Run Wildlife Refuge is a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization, and does NOT receive support from local, state or federal governments; all our work is supported by generous people like you who care about NJ’s wildlife and habitats.

More Ways to GO WILD

Often our guests are looking for creative ways to give back to us. Here are a few ideas to add more fun to your party.

- Have each guest bring an item from our “Wish List,” instead of gifts! A complete list of items is on our website.
- “Adopt-A-Wild-One” symbolic animal adoptions make a great birthday gift. Adoptions begin at $35.
- Order party favors from our Gift Shop. Call in advance for selection and pricing.
- Ask us about personalized invitations!

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