



Program Information

The Delaware Nature Society, a nonprofit membership organization, fosters understanding, appreciation and enjoyment of the natural world through education, preserves ecologically significant areas, and advocates stewardship and conservation of natural resources. Committed to providing a high-quality, safe, educational experience, we offer a low student-teacher ratio and the finest indoor and outdoor facilities in the area. We welcome new members to the Delaware Nature Society and believe that becoming a member offers special benefits far beyond the membership fee.

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RESERVATIONS

Overnights

Advance reservation by phone is required. Call (302) 239-2334, ext. 110 (Mon. – Fri., 9:00 am – 4:00 pm). Please have the following information ready:

- Name, address, and phone number of contact person
- Number of participants (minimum 15, maximum 72)

Field Studies and Outreach Programs

Advance reservation by phone is required.

For Ashland Nature Center and Coverdale Farm, call (302) 239-2334, ext. 110; for Abbott’s Mill Nature Center, call (302) 422-0847 (Mon. – Fri., 9:00 am – 4:00 pm). Please have the following information ready:

- Type of program (Field Study or Outreach)
- Name of the program
- Number of participants - minimum 15 (Smaller groups accepted, but you are charged for 15 participants)
- Name, address and phone number of contact person
- Advise us at this time about children with special needs

COST and PROGRAM LENGTH

Overnights

Standard Overnight (6:00 pm – 11:30 am)

\$25/participant, \$20/chaperone

Themed Overnight (6:00 pm – 12:00 pm)

\$30/participant, \$25/chaperone

Coverdale Farm Overnight (6:00 pm – 2:00 pm)

\$35/Participant, \$30/chaperone

Field Studies and Outreach Programs

Ashland Nature Center Field Studies

1½ hours in duration - \$5.00/participant, Chaperones free (one/every 15 participants required)

Coverdale Farm Field Studies

1½ hours in duration - \$5.00/participant, Chaperones free (one/every 15 participants required)

2 hour program - \$7.00/participant, Chaperones free (one/every 15 participants required)

Abbott’s Mill Nature Center Field Studies

2 hours in duration - \$6.00/participant, Chaperones free (one/every 15 participants required)

Abbott’s Mill Nature Center Primitive Technology Programs

Please see page 9 for program length and fee.

Outreach Programs

\$5.00/participant plus \$25 Travel Fee

DEPOSITS & PAYMENTS

Overnights

Non-refundable deposit equivalent to 15 participants (\$375) is required to reserve an Overnight. Deposit is due within two (2) weeks of making the reservation. Balance is due 30 days prior to the program.

Field Studies and Outreach Programs

Full payment (non-refundable) is required 30 days prior to the program; payable by check or credit card.

Cancellation Policy

If group cancels or participant numbers are reduced within 30 days of the program, fees are not refunded.

Weather and Program Attire

Programs are held rain or shine – please dress participants according to weather and program activities.

Photographs

Delaware Nature Society reserves the right to use any pictures of program participants to promote our programs unless otherwise notified in writing by parents.

Ashland Nature Center (Ashland and Coverdale Farm programs)
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Fax: 302-239-2473

Abbott’s Mill Nature Center (Abbott’s Mill programs)
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