

## Discover the Willowhaven Nature Center

Willowhaven Nature Center provides a place to discover, learn and interact with the natural splendor of the outdoor world. The nature center features both historical and natural displays for both young and old. Exhibits include a full size black bear, albino raccoon, live animal display and hands-on discovery tables with real pelts, feathers, antlers, stones and much more.



The Willowhaven Nature Center building was once a cattle barn located 250 miles away in Iowa. The early 1900's barn was donated to the Park District by the Folkers Family, dismantled timber by timber, transported across the state, re-assembled into a restored, environmentally friendly facility.



Willowhaven Park & Nature Center  
1451 N. 4000 E. Road  
Kankakee, IL 60901

Admission is free, donations are welcome



Scout Programs are available  
year round!  
Please call to schedule your visit  
(815) 933-9905 ext. 4



# Scout Programs



815-933-9905

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*Pond at Willowhaven Park*



Willowhaven Nature Center is an ideal location for scouts to explore and take part in activities that can earn natural science badges. Our programs are tailored to fulfil many of the criteria for various badges. Interpretive staff will guide scouts and provide all the materials needed to complete a program. Once the program is complete, scouts and leaders can then apply these programs toward official scout badges.



To get started planning a program at the nature center, check out the activities listed in this flyer and contact the Willowhaven Program Manager at (815) 933-9905 ext. 4 for details.

## Scout Programs

The Willowhaven staff are currently customizing all scout program requests to tailor out programs to your group age and badge requirements.



**Program time:** Varies depending on the program but can be from 45 minutes to 90 minutes long.

**Program Fees:** Vary depending on the Program and can be anywhere from \$4- \$8 per scout. Please contact the Program Manager for a price quote. Groups of 10 scouts or more qualify for discounted rates.

## Program Options:

- Animal Camouflage
- Animal Homes
- Animal Tracking
- Nature Hikes
- Tree & Leaf Identification
- Poisonous Plants
- Fire Making
- Wetland Habitat
- Animal Puppets
- Snakes & Lizards
- Eggs & Nests
- Owl Pellet Dissection
- Metamorphosis
- Insects & Spiders
- & custom programs available upon request!

