



Connecting People with Nature  
through Science and the Arts

## The Green Center's "Nature Play" Programs



Start **2023** off right by having your child join our *Winter Nature Play* programs!

"Nature play" programs reconnect children to nature and offer them experiences to explore, discover and interact with the natural environment. Connecting children to nature has beneficial effects on a child's health, development and well being. Sign up your child for one, two or all of them!

### 2023 Winter Schedule

#### Feathered Friends

Friday, February 03 (ages 4-10)

Despite the cold, we still have birds that make their home here during the winter season. Learn about these birds & create a bird feeder to take home!

#### Valentine's Day Nature Craft

Friday, February 10 (ages 4-10)

♥ Create fun, homemade Valentine's Day cards with the help from our garden! ♥

#### Jr. Naturalist

Friday, February 17 (ages 4-10)

Become a naturalist by uncovering the secrets of the winter season using your senses & develop skills to help you explore the outdoors any time of year!

#### All About Snowflakes!

Friday, February 24 (ages 4-10)

Special guest: Snowflake photographer, Rick Walters!

Stop to look at the shape of snowflakes and you will discover that each one is different! Learn all about snowflakes and create your own to take home!

#### Winter Work of Art

Friday, March 03 (ages 4-10)

Use nature to inspire and create an artistic winter scene from natural items we collect on our winter walk.

**To register for a class, contact:**  
Kathleen at 314-725-8314 X 105 or  
classes@thegreencenter.org

**Time: 4:00-5:00pm**

**Cost: \$8 per student/program**

**Location: The Green Center, 8025 Blackberry Ave, St. Louis, MO 63130**

**Pre-registration is required for each program!**

Programs will occur indoors & outdoors. Please dress children appropriately for the weather.