

Way of the Wild

SUMMER 2024 PROGRAMS

Join us at varied locations in North Boulder County.

Way of the Wild runs educational programs on survival skills. All programs are geared toward teaching one thing: survival skills. Summer programs are designed to teach kids skills in ways similar to what small hunter-gatherer groups would have done. Contact Mary Sweeney with any questions.

FISHING WEEK (A FAN FAVORITE!) (1 week) 6 years old and up

Spend a week learning fishing equipment basics and fishing in varied waters. (5 year olds considered on a case by case basis.)

Dates: 5/27 to 5/31 **Time:** 9 AM to 3 PM **Location:** One of our North Boulder County Locations **Tuition:** \$399 per week

INTUITIVE SCOUT ARCHERY PROGRAM (4 weeks of opportunities!) 6 years old and up

Connect with nature/self/other playing archery, survival skills, swimming, fishing, fire making, scout games! Play, relax, hang out with friends! (5 year olds considered on a case by case basis.)

Dates: 6/3 to 6/7 6/10 to 6/14 7/1 to 7/5 8/5 to 8/9 **Time:** 9 AM to 3 PM **Location:** One of our North Boulder County Locations **Tuition:** \$399 per week

KNIFE FORGING PROGRAM (4 weeks) (9 year old considered case by case)

Hand forge a simple working metal knife. Ages 10 on up. Limited enrollment (9 students only). Options for working with high carbon steel for experienced students.

Dates: 6/10 to 6/14 6/17 to 6/21 7/8 to 7/12 7/29 to 8/2 **Time:** 9 AM to 3 PM **Location:** One of our North Boulder County Locations **Tuition:** \$460 per week

BOW MAKING AND ARROW MAKING PROGRAM (1 week) 9 years old and up

Learn how to make a real wooden long bow. Learn rudimentary arrow construction for lightweight bows, (35 lbs or less). (Younger children considered on a case by case basis.) Limited enrollment (8 students). Option to make a reduced sized bow and/or arrow.

Dates: 6/24 to 6/28 **Time:** 9 AM to 3 PM **Location:** One of our North Boulder County Locations **Tuition:** \$425 per week

VIKING KNIFE FORGING PROGRAM (1 week) 10 years old and up

A viking knife is a steel blade with a scrolled steel handle. There is no wooden handle and no sheath. It is quick and easy so good for a short holiday week if you cannot do a 5 day class. Five day price is \$460. Four day (short week) price is \$425.

Dates: 7/1 to 7/5 **Time:** 9 AM to 3 PM **Location:** One of our North Boulder County Locations **Tuition:** \$460 per week

SCOUT AIRSOFT HUNTING PROGRAM (1 week) 11 years old and up

This is a scout camp that uses Airsoft to further engage the kids in developing awareness skills. Airsoft is a scout game employing toy guns. Learn listening skills, stalking skills, teamwork, improve intuitive and physical awareness. You must provide your own equipment.

Dates: 7/15 to 7/19 **Time:** 9 AM to 3 PM **Location:** One of our North Boulder County Locations **Tuition:** \$395 per week

CAPTURE THE FLAG SCOUT PROGRAM (1 week) 8 years old and up

Full on, hard core Capture the Flag all week long for girls and boys. Improve your stealth and scout skills.

Dates: 7/22 to 7/26 **Time:** 9 AM to 3 PM (one after dark class is planned with this group) **Location:** One of our North Boulder County Locations **Tuition:** \$395 per week

ALL CLASSES: Drop-in \$90 per day. Drop-in holiday week \$100 per day. **AFTER AUG. 9TH** we are available for drop-in and special week long classes for late starting schools. Please contact us.

NEW THIS YEAR FOR ADULTS ONLY - ADULT CRAFT CLASSES IN AUGUST

FORGING **Dates:** 8/12 to 8/16 **Time:** 4:30 to 7 PM **Location:** North Boulder County **Tuition:** \$460 per week

BOW MAKING **Dates:** 8/19 to 8/23 **Time:** 4:30 to 7 PM **Location:** North Boulder County **Tuition:** \$425 per week

All classes require a \$100 non-refundable deposit to receive priority enrollment (check or cash only). All classes have limited enrollment. Registrations received by May 1, 2024 will receive a \$10 discount.

NOTE: I've modified program dates for larger groups when it would not effect others. If you have such a group, reach out.

More Information: wayofthewild.org/programs

Mary Margaret Sweeney, PhD is a survivalist who has spent over 40 years creating learning environments. Her work involves a deep respect for individual differences. She endeavors to build platforms that support individual students through places they stall. She has 21 years experience working with kids and young adults in outdoor settings.

REGISTER at wayofthewild.org/register

Contact Mary Sweeney at mmsweeney@earthlink.net or (603) 554-7433 with any questions

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