

# Wolf



Belle Meade Plantation  
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Nashville, TN 37205

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or

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Hours: Monday-Sunday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Tours begin at 9:30 a.m.

Last tour begins at 4:00 p.m.

Plantation is closed on : Easter; Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Eve,  
Christmas Day, and New Year's Day.

Scavenger Hunt program that includes: a detailed scavenger hunt of  
the outbuilding here at Belle Meade Plantation, this can also help in  
gaining an Orienteering patch. This program is \$8 per scout.

Frontier Games program that includes: a tour of the Harding Cabin,  
playing with frontier games, learning how to play marbles, a pack of  
marbles to take home, and help in fulfilling the Marble Belt Loop.  
This program is \$10 per scout.

Belle Meade Mansion



Everyday Life on the Frontier Program that includes: a tour of the Harding Cabin, playing with frontier games, making your own bed bug bags, and a BMP Cabin Patch. This program is \$10 per scout.

Everyday Life on the Plantation Program that includes: a tour of the Belle Meade Mansion, scavenger hunt, a tin-punch craft, and a BMP Mansion Patch. This program is \$10 per scout.

As an add on to the Everyday Life on the Frontier Program, they can add either Butter Churning if the scouts would like to make butter, or making their own corn husk people at an extra \$2 per scout to those programs.

As an add on to the Everyday Life on the Plantation Program, they can add their Civil War programs of Equip the Soldier, where the scouts learn about the life of a Civil War Soldier and see a rifled musket fired. Or they can have their Artillery program where they can learn about Civil War Artillery and see the cannon fired. These are also an extra \$2 per scout for these programs.

As for an overnight program, if you would like to include one of our field trip options as well as spend the night, then the price is \$15 per scout. If you want to take part in a program, spend the night, and have Belle Meade Plantation supply the food, then the price is \$25 per scout. They can sleep around 25 to 30 scouts with pack leaders or chaperones comfortably in our tent locations.

For parent chaperones, the price is set at \$11 each and the scout leader is free.



**Traveller's Rest**



Travellers Rest  
Plantation and Museum  
636 Ferrell Parkway  
Nashville TN 37220  
615-832-8197

Hours M-Sat 10:00-4:30 Sun 1:00-4:30

[Education@travellersrestplantation.org](mailto:Education@travellersrestplantation.org)  
[www.travellersrestplantation.org](http://www.travellersrestplantation.org)

Home of Judge John Overton , built in 1799. This is the oldest historical house open to the public in Nashville.

Travelers Rest offers scavenger hunts  
Civil War with patch  
World Plantations 1830-1860

They have an arboretum

They welcome service projects, and have several Eagle Projects that were done on the premises.

Fort Nashborough



Fort Nashborough  
Riverfront Park, Downtown Nashville

Fort Nashborough was founded on January 1, 1780 when James Robertson led his group of pioneers across the frozen Cumberland River. They built the fort for shelter for the first families.

Self-guided tours daily from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Admission is free.



Andrew Jackson's Hermitage  
4580 Rachel's Lane  
Hermitage, TN 37076  
615-889-2941  
[Info@thehermitage.com](mailto:Info@thehermitage.com)

Or  
Education Director  
615-889-2941 ext. 243  
[Education@thehermitage.com](mailto:Education@thehermitage.com)

Hours: (Seasonal)  
October 16-March 31 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.  
April 1 - October 15 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Closed Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day; closes at 2:00 p.m. on Christmas Eve.

Scouts can earn the Hermitage Scout Patch Scavenger Hunt by going on an adventure through the visitor center, museum, mansion and farmland. The hunt is to be led by the Scout leaders.

Prices:

Groups under 15 scouts:

\$9.00/scout

\$15.00/adult

\$6.00 /non-participating children ages 6-12

Groups 15 or more scouts:

\$8.00/scout

\$15.00/adult; 1 free per ten scouts

\$6.00/non-participating children ages 6-12

Scouts can also participate in the Hands on History tour, where they will get a customized Andrew Jackson and the Hermitage lessons and materials. They will receive a guided tour of mansion and access to grounds, film, museum and picnic areas.

Prices:

\$8.00/student

\$15.00/adult, 1 free per 10 students

Fort Negley City Park  
1100 Fort Negley Blvd.  
Nashville, TN 37203  
615-862-8470

[www.nashville.gov/Parks-and-Recreation/Historic-Sites/Fort-Negley.aspx](http://www.nashville.gov/Parks-and-Recreation/Historic-Sites/Fort-Negley.aspx)

Hours:

Winter: (Sept-May) Tues-Friday Noon-4:00p.m. Sat. 9-4 p.m.

Summer: (June-August) Tu-Th Noon-4:00 p.m. Sat. 9-4p.m.

And by appointment

Fort Negley is the largest inland stone fort built during the Civil War. It covers four acres and measures 600 feet long by 300 feet wide.

Fort Negley offers 2 videos (20 minutes each) and interactive exhibits with touch screens. There are self-guided tours, and free guided tours with 2 weeks advance notice.

Mayor's Office  
And  
Courthouse  
615-862-6000  
[Mayor@nashville.gov](mailto:Mayor@nashville.gov)

This tour would include a tour of the Mayor's office, and if the Mayor is in - a photo with the Mayor; then a tour of the courthouse, and council chambers, and they would get to do a mock vote.

Call the Mayor's Office at number above to set up the tour.

## State Capitol

Public Programs Department  
615-741-0830  
800-407-4324

Tours are available Monday -Friday 9:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 1:00 p.m., 2:00p.m., and 3:00 p.m.

Tours usually take 30-45 minutes, depending on the size of your group.

Tours begin at the Information Desk on the first floor.

Groups of 10 or more should make a reservation prior to their visit. (call number above).

You will see the governor's reception room, the bullet-scarred stair rail, the House of Representatives, Senate, and old State Library.

The Capitol is a working building, and some areas may not be available for tour due to being used for meetings, ceremonies, and session.



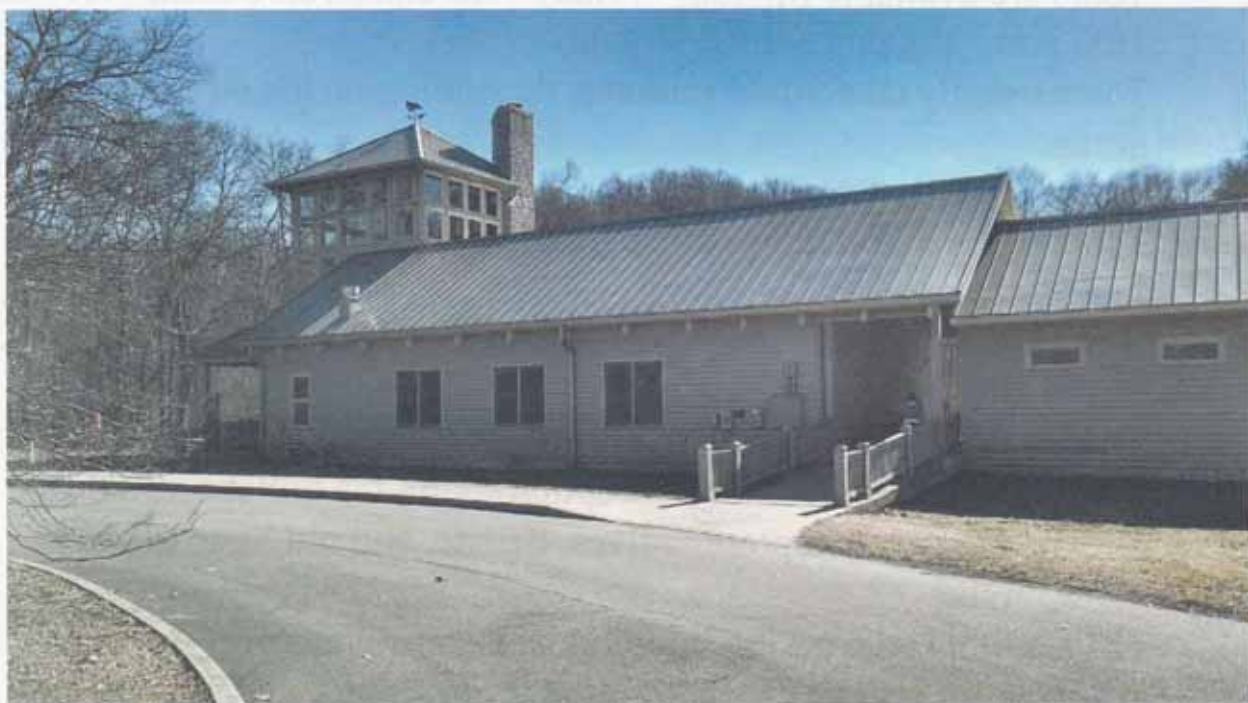
State Capital

Public Programs Department

615-741-0830

800-907-4334

Warner Nature Center



Warner Park Nature Center

Hours: Sunrise - 11:00p.m.

7311 Highway 100  
Nashville, TN 37221

615-352-6299

[Wpnc@nashville.gov](mailto:Wpnc@nashville.gov)

[www.nashville.gov/parks/wpnc](http://www.nashville.gov/parks/wpnc)

Contact person - Heather Gallagher

[Heather.Gallagher@nashville.gov](mailto:Heather.Gallagher@nashville.gov)

Warner Nature Center is very Scout friendly. They have several activities that scouts can do, including hiking trails, the nature center, a camp during the summer, and working on badge requirements. The programs offered to scouts are free, but you can make a donation to Friends of Warner Park.

Warner Park offers structured exploration/play activities - including badge work during certain months:

October - Forester (leaves)

February - Geologist (earth, weather, soil)

Anytime - Naturalist

You can also work on the Wildlife Conservation Belt loop.

The nature center also has several Scout Boxes that can be checked out for 2 weeks that have all the necessary items to teach Naturalist, Forrester, and Geologist.

They also have at certain times of the year a Scout Conservation Project Day. You can sign up for an activity to help the park, and this will could as a conservation/service project. See website/call for info/times.

Radnor Lake



The county center also has several other facilities including a community center, a library, a senior center, a fitness center, and a community garden. The center is located in the heart of the county and is a great place to visit. For more information, please contact the county office at (770) 420-1234.

Radnor Lake State Natural Area  
1160 Otter Creek Road  
Nashville, TN 37220

Leslie Anne Rawlings- Park Ranger  
[Leslie.Anne.Rawlings@tn.gov](mailto:Leslie.Anne.Rawlings@tn.gov)

Radnor Lake offers live Birds of Prey programs , live snake programs, and also has a Bones box, with bones and skins of mammals. Each program is 30 minutes.

There is 6 miles of hiking trails, and canoeing is available from Memorial Day to Labor Day.

The Rangers will work with each group, and will tailor a program for the needs of that group.

Radnor Lake has Volunteer Days every 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of every month (except December) 8:00a.-12:00pm. This would count as a service project for your group. This could include mulching, gravel on trails, or pulling invasive plants from the park. The park provides bottled water, insect repellent, gloves and any other supplies that would be needed.

Park Manager to contact: Steve Ward. [Steve.ward@tn.gov](mailto:Steve.ward@tn.gov)

Please contact ranger for details/setting up times to visit.

Coming May 2015 Radnor Lake Nature Center will open its Aviary.



# **Volunteer Days at Radnor Lake**

The fourth Saturday of  
every month (except December)

8:00am – 12:00pm



- ❖ Meet at the Visitor Center off of Granny White Pike.
- ❖ Projects include exotic plant removal, mulching trails, and trail projects.
- ❖ The Friends of Radnor Lake provide bottled water, insect repellent, gloves, and other supplies so all we need is for you to show up ready to work.
- ❖ We really appreciate all of our volunteers and hope that you will join us!
- ❖ Groups wanting to volunteer please contact Park Manager Steve Ward by email: [steve.ward@tn.gov](mailto:steve.ward@tn.gov).
- ❖ For more information, please call (615) 373-3467





# VOLUNTEER REGISTRATION

Park Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Volunteer's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Numbers ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ or ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

In Case of Emergency Notify  
The Following:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Numbers ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ or ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

## Volunteer Activity Involvement

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Volunteers are protected from liability if they unintentionally injure another person or damage someone else's property while participating in an authorized volunteer activity.

Volunteers are not eligible for workers' compensation benefits from the State of Tennessee.

Park staff should return this form to Central Office via fax or mail

Fax: (615)-532-0145 • Attn: General Counsel TSP

Mailing Address: Office of General Counsel TSP • L& C Tower • 401 Church Street 20<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Nashville, TN 37243



Department of Environment and Conservation



## Tennessee State Parks Photo Release Form

I hereby grant Tennessee State Parks permission to use my likeness in photograph(s) in any and all of its publications, print, electronic or video format, whether now known or hereafter existing, in perpetuity. I will make no monetary or other claim against Tennessee State Parks for the use of the photograph(s). All photographic images shall constitute the property of Tennessee State Parks, solely and completely.

I am over 18 years of age: Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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If person(s) in photograph/video is under 18, consent should be given by parent or guardian, as follows: I hereby certify that I am the parent or guardian of

\_\_\_\_\_

I do give my consent without reservations to the foregoing on behalf of him or her or them.

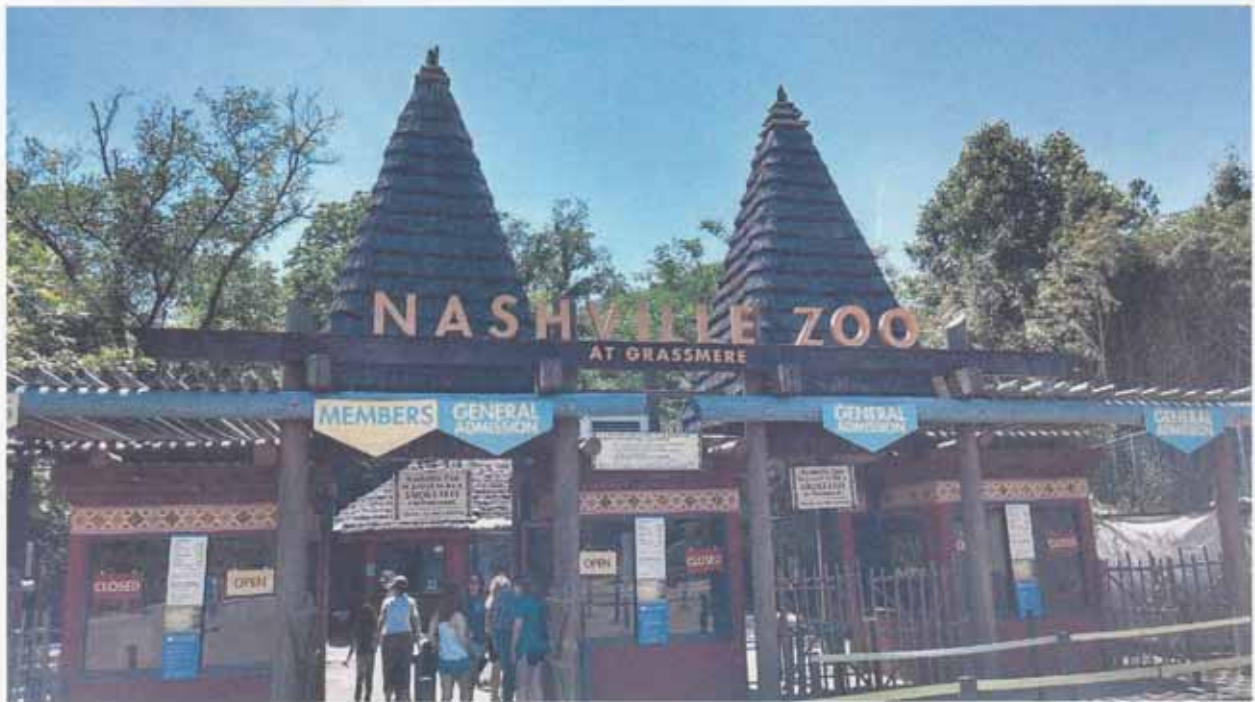
Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent or Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

ZOO



Nashville Zoo  
3777 Nolensville Road  
Nashville TN 37211  
615-833-1534 ext. 141  
[www.nashvillezoo.org](http://www.nashvillezoo.org)

Hours: Jan.2 - March 14 9a.m.-4p.m.  
March 15-Oct. 14 9a.m.- 6p.m.  
Oct. 15-Dec 31 9 a.m.-4p.m.

Closed Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day  
And New Year's Day

The zoo offers live animal presentations and crafts.

You can book a 1 ½ hour program. To reserve is \$100.00 for 10 scouts with 1 free adult. This includes admission to the zoo that day.

They offer overnight stays in the zoo, which includes breakfast.

They offer night hikes.

And they offer visual scavenger hunts.

Call or visit the website for details.

Ellington Ag.





Tennessee Agricultural Museum                      Hours: M-F 9:00-4:00  
Ellington Agricultural Center  
440 Hogan Road  
Nashville, TN 37220  
615-837-5197  
[Tennessee.agricultural.museum@tn.gov](mailto:Tennessee.agricultural.museum@tn.gov)  
[www.tnagmuseum.org](http://www.tnagmuseum.org)

Tennessee Agricultural Museum offers an activity program \$1.00 per scout. You need to arrive by 2:30.

They also offer tours that last approximately 1 hour \$1.00 per scout.

There are independent activities outside - there is a pavilion that is called the William A. Strasser Experience Center that has 6 informational pillars on it to read and learn.

There is an Eagle Trail behind the cabins that leads to the Iris Garden that has 12 stops. This was an Eagle Project.

The Center is always looking for help with service projects.

Tennessee State Museum  
505 Deaderick Street  
Nashville, TN 37243  
615-741-2692  
800-407-4324  
[museuminfo@tnmuseum.org](mailto:museuminfo@tnmuseum.org)

Hours: Tuesday-Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 1:00p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Closed Mondays and New Year's Day, Easter, Thanksgiving, and Christmas Day.

Reservations required for all museum programs.

This museum has permanent and changing/traveling programs, so check the website for the program you wish to visit.

This museum has exhibits from prehistoric people to the early 1900's. It has exhibits about explorers, pioneers, Civil War, and Reconstruction, along with Civil War uniforms, battle flags and weapons.

The museum offers special tours call "museum lessons" about certain parts of history or exhibits. These lessons last 30-45 minutes, and are available Tuesday - Friday 10:00a.m.-3:00p.m.

The museum also offers self-guided tours if you would like to tour the whole museum. There is a clipboard scavenger hunt that is also self-guided.

### Military Branch Museum

Located in the War Memorial Building,

Across the street from the Tennessee State Museum main building.

615-741-2692

[museuminfo@tnmuseum.org](mailto:museuminfo@tnmuseum.org)

Hours: Tuesday- Saturday, 10:00a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Closed Sundays, and Mondays.

This museum has exhibits that deal with America's overseas conflicts starting with the Spanish-American War in 1898 and ending with World War II in 1945.

The museum discusses the wars, battles, and the outcomes. There is a deck gun from the U.S.S Nashville. There is also weaponry, military equipment, and other materials, plus posters, uniforms, and General Dwight Eisenhower's jacket.

Also included are memorials to Tennessee soldiers who died in World War I, the Korean War, and the Vietnam War.

\* At the time of this printing, the Tennessee State Military Museum is closed for renovations. Check website for opening info.

Library





The Main Library has groups on Thursday morning with a puppet show, and tour of children's department. Call for reservations.

There are also special collections : Call extension 6023

Tennessee History

Nashville History

Civil War History

Edmondson Pike Branch will offer tours which can be combined with story time. Contact Children's Department. With a parent, the scout can apply for a library card. They also offer a scavenger hunt.

Thompson Lane Branch also will offer tours. Call for appointment. Wednesday 10:30 is story time.

All libraries off summer time reading activities with prizes. Contact local library for info.

Cheekwood Botanical Garden

1200 Forrest Park Drive

Nashville, TN 37205

Hours: Tu-Sun 9-5 Fri May-Oct. 9-10pm

[www.cheekwood.org](http://www.cheekwood.org)

615-353-9827 - Education Department

Cheekwood offers guided and self-guided tours for 12 or more. Visits must be scheduled at least 2 weeks in advance to get the group price (\$5.00 per scout, \$12.00 per adult.)

There is also a Backpack Adventure, where you can pick up a backpack that has interactive and fun activities that you can use to explore Cheekwood. Each pack has enough supplies for up to 3 children.

Cheekwood also has a train exhibit. There are 2 outdoor trains on 3 separate tracks, created in garden scale, for all to enjoy.

See website for information.



Service Projects:

The following expressed interest in Scouting service projects. Please contact if you would like to help:

Ellington Agricultural Center

Owl's Hill Nature Sanctuary

Radnor Lake Nature Center

Travellers Rest Plantation and Museum

Warner Nature Center