

Contact Station Resources



Rocky Mountain Arsenal
National Wildlife Refuge
Commerce City, CO



Lobby Resources

- Bathrooms
- Water cooler
- Animal pelts and mounts
 - Badger
 - Red fox
 - Cottontail rabbit
 - Coyote
 - Deer
 - Skunk
 - Bald Eagle



Activity Room



The Activity Room is a large, open room with few displays and activity stations. It is a great place to seat your group for orientation to the Refuge, large activities needing space and an area for bad weather plans.

Activity Room Resources



- Storage Shelf
- Folding Chairs
- Art Cart – scissors, glue sticks, crayons, markers, clipboards (no paper)
- Television with VHS/DVD player
- Puppet stage with puppets
- Lake Mary Hiking Guides

Activity Room Resources

- Prairie dog town diorama with underground tunnels
- Bald Eagle display
- American Bison display
- Animal Clues display
- Wetland Wildlife Memory Game



Wildlife Learning Lab



The Wildlife Learning Lab is a room with numerous hand-on learning stations for children. It is a great rotational space to introduce your group to what lives at the Refuge.

Wildlife Learning Lab – Plant Station

Displays:

- What is a Plant?
- Refuge habitats
- Identify prairie grasses
- Tree parts
- Flower parts
- Plant functions
- Wildflowers



Wildlife Learning Lab – Invertebrate Station



Displays:

- What is an Insect?
- Arthropoda family
- Metamorphosis
- Benefits of insects
- Honey bees – life cycle, importance
- Spiders – webs, body parts, classification
- Aquatic invertebrates

Wildlife Learning Lab – Mammal Station

Displays:

- What is a Mammal?
- Horn vs. Antler – match up game
- Skulls – herbivore, omnivore, carnivore
- Deer teeth
- Animal pelts – coyote, deer, badger
- Camouflage
- Refuge mammal list



Wildlife Learning Lab – Reptile Station



Displays:

- What is a Reptile?
- Snake skeleton and skull
- Turtle shells and skull
- Refuge reptile list and photos

Wildlife Learning Lab – Amphibian Station

Displays:

- What is an Amphibian?
- Frog skeleton
- Frog life cycle and puzzle
- Refuge amphibian list and photos



Wildlife Learning Lab – Bird Station

Displays:

- What is a Bird?
- Bird beaks
- Bird feet
- Migration
- Feathers
- Nests and eggs
- Owl pellet display
- Tips and tricks to identifying birds
- Refuge Raptor photos



Wildlife Learning Lab – Fish Station



Displays:

- What is a Fish?
- Body parts
- Fish skeleton
- Refuge fish photos

Contact Station Patio



The Contact Station is a great location to the lakes and main trail system of the Refuge. Sign up today for a self-guided field trip at the Contact Station!