

Earth Day, April 23, 2021

- Pick up a scavenger hunt at the Information Tent and use it as you explore the trails and more
- Nature Rubbings and Butterfly Chromatography Art in the Nature Explore Playground (limited to five families at a time)
- Earth Day Obstacle Course on Sundial Plaza
- Earth Day Chalk Mural at Wild Cat Station

*All activities are weather dependent

To use elevator between upper and lower plazas, ask at Information Tent

Programs

- Pop-up programs at animal habitats throughout the day
- QR codes located throughout the grounds will virtually take you to up-close encounters with our animals and other experiences and fun facts!

Food Service from Edible Creations by Gerry

11:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Outside; Food Pavilion

Museum Shop

Order online at ecotarium.org

Pick up items at Information Tent outside

Health and Safety

- Masks must be worn by all individuals (2+ years old) at all times.
- Unless a family or group arrives together, all guests must remain 6 feet apart at all times.
- Hand sanitizer stations are located throughout the grounds.
- EcoTarium staff will conduct frequent disinfecting of heavy transit areas and high-touch surfaces.

Membership

Purchase a membership today and we'll subtract the cost of today's visit (not applicable for group admission or special event pricing). Learn more at the Tickets & Information Desk.

Museum Shop

The Museum Shop offers a selection of unique treasures and fun gifts to fit all ages, interests, and budgets. EcoTarium members receive 10% off all purchases.

No Smoking Please

For the enjoyment of guests and the safety of our animals smoking and vaping is not allowed on the property.

Photography

As a visitor to the museum, you consent to your likeness being used, without compensation, in any and all media, and you release EcoTarium from any liability.

Commercial photography and artwork are prohibited without prior written authorization. No soliciting.

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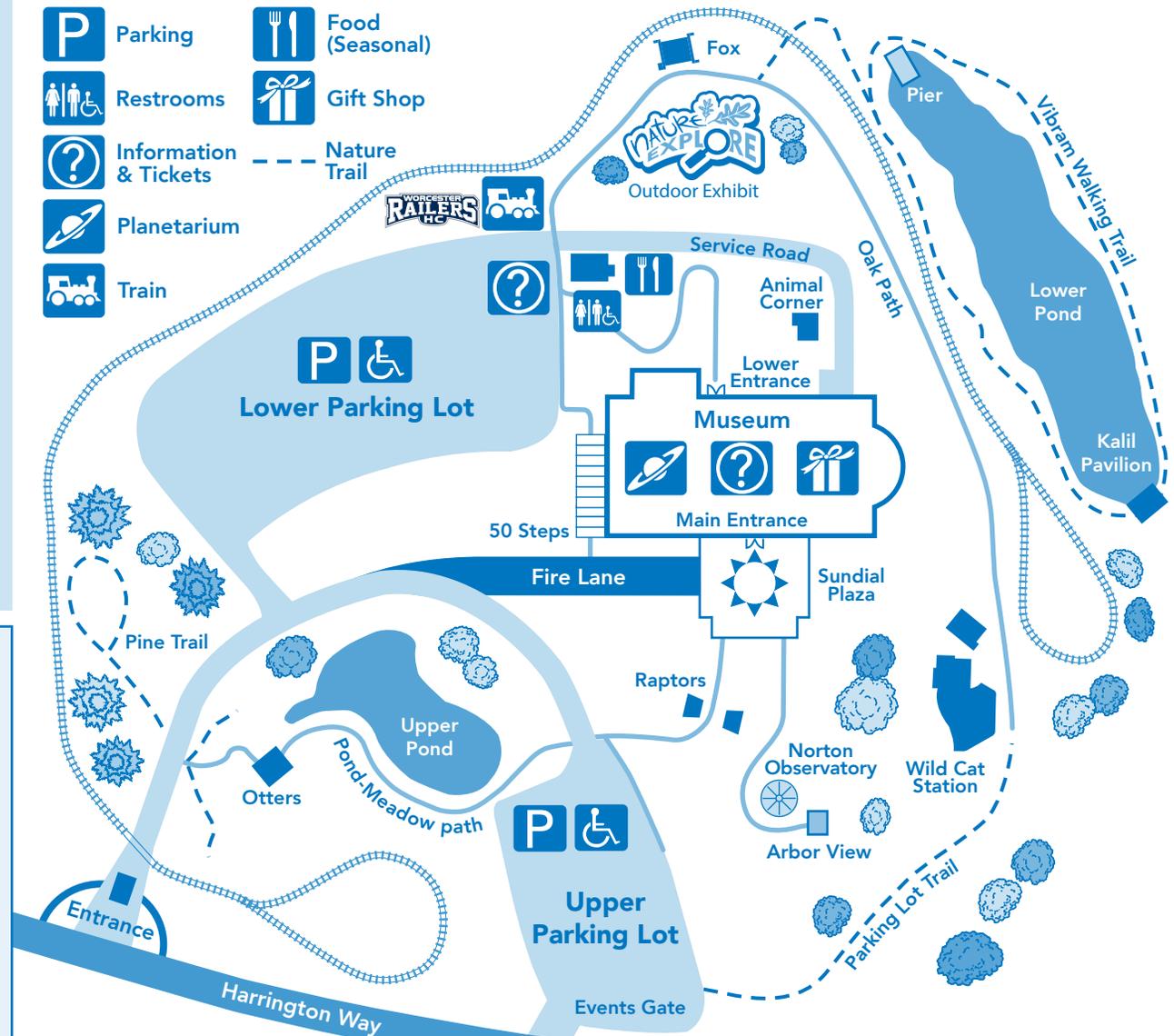


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Programs & Education

Symbolic Animal Adoption Program

Adopt an animal & help the museum! This symbolic adoption program is an opportunity to give direct financial support to an animal of your choosing and to help maintain their health and welfare here at the EcoTarium. Your donation will go towards their food, enrichment, veterinary visits, treats, and so much more.

Summer Discovery Camp

Extraordinary explorations and awesome adventures! Campers become immersed in hands-on science and nature activities alongside friends old and new. A mix of traditional camp songs and games adds to the weekly experience.

Women & Gender Minorities in STEM: A Monthly Virtual Speaker Series

Join us for this dynamic, virtual speaker series showcasing the accomplishments and career paths of women and gender minorities in Science, Technology, Engineering and Math. Learn from a wide range of contributors – from experts at the top of their field to hobbyists reaching communities via social media. Watch videos on-demand on our Facebook, Instagram, or YouTube Channel, and register to attend a live Zoom Q+A with each month's speaker.

Virtual Astronomy Programs

Can't charter a rocket? Bring the universe to you! With the help of our Digitarium@SkyBox system and an EcoTarium educator, you can explore outer space without even leaving our atmosphere.

Virtual Education Programs

Build Your World: Think you need concrete and steel to build bridges? Think again! Using the engineering design process, students explore the forces of motion and work in small groups to plan, test and build a way across a "river" using a simple material. Will it hold up to an earthquake? What about a tornado?

Animal Adaptions: What structures and behaviors do animals exhibit that help them survive? Compare the adaptations of a live animal to the observed adaptations of biofacts such as bones and animal pelts. Draw conclusions about how structure and function influence evolutionary success.

Understanding Weather: Why does the weather change from day to day and season to season? How are weather and climate different? What variables affect the weather? Experience the forces driving weather through interactive demonstrations, careful observation, and scientific analysis.

Virtual Animal Encounters

Wild Birthdays: Make your Zoom birthday WILD. Our talented Animal Keepers will join your virtual birthday with one of our small mammals or birds for a training session followed by a question and answer.

Zoom-tastic Encounters: Have one of our amazing animals break the ice at your company's next zoom meeting! Animals available: river otters, mountain links, chicken, red fox, turkey vulture, chinchilla, porcupine, toads, reptiles- turtles.

Learn More at:
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