

Forestry Youth Camp and Camp Discover!



Forestry Camp Students, Education Coordinator Anthony Pascall, and Camp Volunteers

Forestry Youth Camp 2022 was a wonderful success! Oklahoma Forestry Services Education Coordinator Anthony Pascall taught campers the basics of forestry management and wildfire prevention through career-based learning exercises, games, and interactive presentations.

Special thanks go to fellow Forestry Services personnel, forestry educators, parent volunteers, and State Park employees for their involvement.

Brianna Teel hosted 14 children for the FHC's annual Camp Discover. Campers enjoyed interactive presentations, completed nature crafts, and made lasting memories. In addition, she was thrilled to have five outstanding student volunteers and a state forester as her helpers for the event. Tree Bear even made an appearance!



Museum Interpreter Brianna, Campers, and Youth Volunteers

Tours, Tours, and More Tours!



Park Ranger Mike Carter and Upward Bound Students





Wright City Pre-K



Smithville Students with Pine Seedlings

Tree Bear Visits the Library

I spoke to a dozen audience members and one squeaky guinea pig!





Tree Bear travelled to the Broken Bow library to share all the "good things" that come from trees. Along with museum interpreter Brianna, they presented many products derived from trees via a trunk handcrafted by the local woodturning association.

1st Saturdays



Craig Marquardt proudly showcasing his art.

A Forester and His Masterpieces

East Central Area Forester Craig Marquardt brought his watercolor art to the FHC for our June 1st Saturday. Every visitor who stopped by marveled at his talent and one young lady was so impressed he gifted her with a painting.

Also in attendance were local chainsaw artists Steve and Sandy Songer.



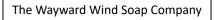


1st Saturday Fun Day!

For the August 1st Saturday, Brianna got together Beavers Bend State Park concessions, local businesses, the Museum of the Red River, and a living history demonstrator to celebrate summer break before children went back to school. There were sweet treats, a tasty food truck, animals to pet, trees to take home, and educational crafts!



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OSU Extension Office Seedlings

Amy's Macrons and Bakery

Southeast Oklahoma Woodturners

Local woodturner Mike Love presented pieces created by his new laser engraver.



Local woodturner Chris Wood demonstrated at the August 1st Saturday event. He brought with him custom turned pens, handmade animal calls, and a variety of bowls.





Woodturning Carnival

The Southeast Oklahoma Woodturners hosted an event on September 3rd where they invited wood artisans to showcase their unique abilities and sell their creations. On display were segmented turnings and laminated rolling pins, along with charcuterie boards. In addition, a woodturner showed visitors how wooden beads are transformed into beautiful jewelry. Other demonstrations included chip carving, chainsaw carving, duck call turning, and pen making. As a special activity, free tops were available for little ones to decorate and take home.







New and Upcoming

On October 1st, the FHC will host a Dutch Oven cooking class!



Please call or email Brianna to reserve your place. Checks may be mailed to:

PO Box 157 Broken Bow, OK 74728



December 3rd Christmas at the Cabin!

Make plans to visit the museum from 9 am to 3 pm on December 3rd to learn about historic holiday traditions, partake in crafts, enjoy festive treats, and purchase from local businesses!



Careers in Forestry Word Search



Arborist Civil Engineer nvironmental Scientist

Silviculturist **Urban Forester** nservation Scientist Water Quality Specialist Wildlife Biologist

Forest Heritage Center Membership and Giving Form

The success of the Forest Heritage Center is due in large part to the memberships and contributions of those who support our mission of "sustaining our forest heritage through history, education and wood art."

We know you are familiar with memberships and donations, but are you aware of our third option of giving? An endowment with the McCurtain Community Fund, an affiliate of the Tulsa Community Foundation, has been established for the FHC. The FHC endowment fund is designed to generate and ensure a stable financial future for the Museum.

Three ways to help secure the future of the Forest Heritage Center

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Thank you for being a part of the Forest Heritage Center family!

If you are ready to leave your legacy, donate to the museum or to our endowment in your will or trust, use the giving form in this newsletter or call us at 580-494-6497. Donations are always appreciated and are tax-deductible to the full extent allowed by the law.

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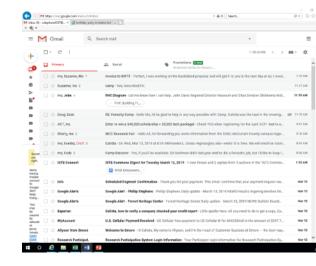
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Did you know?

In the 1800s, railroads accounted for 25% of the nation's wood consumption. Each mile of track needed 2,500 ties and they had to be replaced every 5 to 7 years.



