

# Archery



**FREE**

**Discover the ancient art of archery!**

*Archery equipment is provided  
for all programs.*

## **ARCHERY, EXPLORE AND MORE**

**Eggers Woods**

**11201 S Avenue B, Chicago**

All are invited to join us for a night of archery instruction and target practice, hiking and exploring, and nature games. *Archery for ages 10 & up; other activities for all ages.*

**Tuesday, June 16 • 4 – 7 pm**

## **BOW STRINGS & CLIFF STAIRS**

**Swallow Cliff Stairs**

**10267 Calumet Sag Rd, Palos Hills**

Families, join us on a Saturday and exercise using the Swallow Cliff stairs, then learn about archery and take aim at our targets. Be sure to grab some snacks and check out our new comfort station.

**Saturday, June 27 • 11 am – 2 pm**

## **ARCHERY 101**

Never tried archery before? Attend one of these sessions and learn about the history of archery, parts of the bow and arrow and proper technique.

**Tuesday, August 11 • 3 – 6 pm**

**Lake Avenue East Woods**

**4887 W Lake Ave, Northbrook**

*Explore River Trail Nature Center before you join in on the archery fun.*

**Tuesday, August 18 • 3 – 6 pm**

**Dan Ryan Woods**

**87th and Western, Chicago**

*Hike the Dan Ryan Woods trails before you join in on the archery fun.*

**To reserve your spot, call 708-386-4042 x23 or  
email [experience.nature@cookcountytill.gov](mailto:experience.nature@cookcountytill.gov)**



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# Paddling

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**Bring your own canoe  
or you can use one of ours!**

*We have a limited number of boats available.  
Canoe instruction provided. All paddles  
are for ages 5 and up.*

## **DOGGY PADDLE**

**Beck Lake Boat Launch  
1000 N East River Rd, Des Plaines**

Spend some time with your pup, enjoy refreshments, and then join a special paddle with your furry friend. *Dogs and their owners are invited to paddle together.*

**Thursday, June 4 • 6 – 8 pm**

## **LITTLE CALUMET RIVER ECOLOGY PADDLE AND CLEANUP**

**Little Calumet Boat Launch, Ashland & Jackson, Riverdale**

Help us clean up the river as we paddle to Kickapoo Woods and back. Learn about aquatic life along the Little Calumet, and why cleaning up the river is so important. *Tools, breakfast snacks and lunch provided. Groups welcome. Register at [calumetwaterwaystowards.com](http://calumetwaterwaystowards.com)*

**Saturday, June 6 • 8 am – 3 pm**

## **BEGINNERS CANOE WORKSHOP**

**Wampum Lake, I-90/94 & Thornton-Lansing Rd, Thornton-Lansing**

Beginners, this paddle is for you! Learn about parts of the canoe and basic paddle strokes, then test your new skills with a paddle around the lake.

**Thursday, July 9 • 3 – 5 pm**

## **LOWER DES PLAINES PADDLE AND CLEANUP**

**Columbia Woods Boat Launch, Archer & Wentworth, Willow Springs**

This paddle is good for both you and the environment! Use those paddling muscles while keeping your local waterway healthy. Assist in clean-up and learn different ways to help keep your preserves pristine.

**Saturday, August 15 • 8 am – 3 pm**

## **FULL MOON CELEBRATION PADDLE**

**Skokie Lagoons, Tower Road Boat Launch, Winnetka**

Join us for this unique paddle as we celebrate the full moon. This is more than a canoe trip – it's an experience full of special surprises.

**Thursday, August 27 • 6 – 9:30 pm**

**Call 708-386-4042 x 23 To reserve your spot!**



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