

DRIFTLESS AREA SCIENCE AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM - FALL 2023

We are excited to offer an Afterschool program for MFL MarMac students at the Driftless Area Wetlands Centre again this fall! Hands-on science activities and outdoor exploration will be led by environmental education staff and volunteers, focusing on the biology, ecology, and geology of the Driftless Area.

Location: Driftless Area Wetlands Centre
509 US 18, Marquette, IA
Times: 3:40pm – 4:30pm
Dates: September 11th – November 3rd
Each student will attend one day per week for 8 weeks.



Grades: Mondays: K-1st Grade Students
Tuesdays: 2-3rd Grade Students
Thursdays: 4-6th Grade Students

Buses will transport students from Monona & McGregor to the Wetlands Centre after school. Students will go outside each day and should dress accordingly! No classes on no school/early out days.

Pick-up - Students can ride the bus from the Wetlands Centre to Monona, Luana & Farmersburg after the program (leaving the Wetlands Centre around 4:40pm) OR students can be picked up at the Wetlands Centre between 4:30-5:00pm. McGregor/Marquette parents should plan to pick students up at the Wetlands Centre between 4:30-5:00pm. Buses will not be transporting students to McGregor.

Cost: \$10 per student. Checks should be made out to Friends of the Marquette Driftless Area. Thank you to 3M Foundation, Clayton County Foundation for the Future, Friends of Marquette Driftless Area, City of Marquette and MFL MarMac schools for sponsoring this program. Financial assistance is available by contacting us.

Information about the Afterschool program can be found on our website:

www.driftlessareawetlandcentre.com

Contact Alicia Mullarkey at 563-873-3537 or driftlessareawetlandcentreia@gmail.com for additional info.

Student Name _____ **Grade** _____ **Age** _____
Parent(s) Name _____ **Phone/Cell** _____
Email _____ **Needed for communication and planning*
Emergency Contact _____ **Phone/Cell** _____

Allergy Concerns (food allergy, asthma or insect sting allergy): _____
Allergy and Anaphylaxis Emergency Plans will be sent to parents with any allergy concerns

Optional T-shirt - \$12 additional XS ___ S ___ M ___ L ___ XL ___



Transportation Home (please select one option)

Student will be taking the bus after the program to: Monona _____ Luana _____ Farmersburg _____
Student will be picked up at the Driftless Area Wetlands Centre _____

Permission to ride with (list names):

I/We will not hold Driftless Area Wetlands Centre, City of Marquette, Friends of the Marquette Driftless Area, MFL MarMac School District or any employee or volunteer responsible for any accident or injury incurred during these activities. Students agree to follow the rules of conduct provided by Wetlands Centre staff. I give permission to photograph my child (if no, please specify).

Parent Signature _____ **Date** _____

*Return the bottom portion of this form to the school office. No maximum class size has been set.
Registration forms due by Sept. 7th*