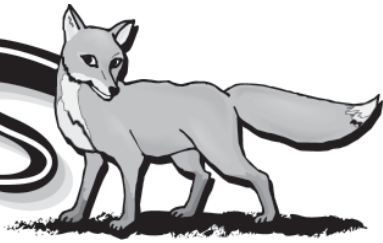


# FOX TALES



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## Family Events

### Calling all future Andretti's!

Moms and Sons...Start Your Engines!

Have a special night out at the

### POTTAWATOMIE 500

Bring mom out for a fun-filled race-themed night with dancing, games and refreshments. A special momento will be provided for each registered son. Advanced registration is required.

Friday, February 12

6:45 – 8:30pm

Pottawatomie Community Center

Ages 3+ • Code: 9946

RES \$11.50 per person

NR \$17 per person



### Daddy & Daughter Dances

Spend a memorable evening with your special guy - DAD! Enjoy a night filled with dancing, entertainment, refreshments, fun and a special memento.

Pottawatomie Community Center

Saturday, March 13 (9943)

Saturday, March 20 (9944)

6:45 - 8:30 p.m.

Dads with daughters, ages 3+

Advanced registration is required for both adult and child.

RES \$11.50 per person

NR \$17 per person

## FRIDAY Live!

FOR 4TH - 6TH GRADERS

Movies • Concessions • Crafts  
Games • Dodgeball • Basketball  
Relays & Races • Live DJ

Meets most Fridays 6:30 to 10 p.m.

Only \$7 for unlimited FUN!

Feb. 5 - Superbowl Party

Feb. 12 - No Friday Live

Feb. 19 - Decades Dance

Feb. 26 - No Friday Live

Mar. 5 - Dodgeball Tournament

Mar. 12 - Pirates and the Sea

Mar. 19 - Spring Dance

Mar. 26 - No Friday Live

Fun, safe, professionally-supervised, parent-oriented program...parents must accompany youth at check-in and check-out.

### ...CLASS LOCATIONS...

All classes are held at Pottawatomie Community Center (PCC), 8 North Avenue, unless otherwise indicated.



### Breakfast with the Easter Bunny!

Wednesday, March 24

9-10:15 a.m.

Ages 1 - 6

Pottawatomie Community Center

Join us for Breakfast with the Easter Bunny! Decorate your own bunny-face pancake for breakfast, color bunny pictures, have your picture taken with the Easter Bunny and do the Bunny Hop! Register early for a 'hopping' good time!

RES \$9 / NR \$13.50 per person  
Code 10412

No charge for infants up to 11 months.  
Adult registration required.

### Annual Easter Egg Hunt



Children, ages 9 and under, are invited to hunt for plastic eggs containing candy or prizes placed throughout Pottawatomie Park. Bring your own baskets to collect the eggs. Remember to bring your camera, too. FREE to Park District residents. Limit 10 eggs per child, please.

Sat., March 27 at 10 a.m.

in Pottawatomie Park

Line up by 9:45 a.m.

Special thanks to

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for their continued support!

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### The Easter Bunny Wants to Visit Your Home!

**Hippity Hop!** The Easter Bunny is coming to your home to bring you a chocolate bunny treat and have his picture taken with you! The Bunny will call when he's on his way. For ages 1 to 7.

Thursday, March 25 - 10am-1pm

First Child - Code: 11071

Additional Child - Code: 11072

Friday, March 26 - 11:30am-3pm

First Child - Code: 11074

Additional Child - Code: 11075

Fee: one child - RES \$15/NR \$22.50,  
additional child - RES \$3/NR \$4.50

## Happy Holidays

### Shamrock Workshop

Everyone's Irish on St. Paddy's Day! Decorate a shamrock cookie, enjoy fun and games, and listen to a story with new friends.



RES \$18.50/NR \$28 Ages 3-6  
9351 Sa Mar 13 10:30am-12:30pm

### Bunny Cookies Make and Take

Make some bunny cookies to snack on and take some home in a cookie keepsake to share!

RES \$18/NR \$27 Ages 4-8  
8920 Sa Mar 24 6:30-7:30pm

### Easter "Egg"stravaganza

Parents and children can enjoy storytime, coloring easter eggs and doing easter crafts together followed by a delicious Easter treat.



RES \$18/NR \$27 Ages 3-5 w/adult  
8921 M Mar 29 6:30-7:30pm

### St. Patrick's Day Nutritious Snacks

A heaping spoonful of fun along with a sprinkle of nutrition are featured in this hands-on cooking class. Parents are welcome during the last 15 minutes for sampling.



RES \$20/NR \$30 Ages 5-12  
10112 M Mar 15 4-5:30pm

## Down on the Farm

The following courses are held at Primrose Farm, 5N726 Crane Road.

### Hands-On Milking

How do you make cheese, butter and ice cream? With milk, of course! Learn about the biology of milk production and milk dairy cattle by hand and machine. Dress for the weather. Children must be accompanied by a paying adult.

RES \$5/NR \$7.50 per person Ages 4+  
11262 Sa Mar 20 9-10am

### Family Farm Chores

Venture out to Primrose Farm to meet the farm's animal residents on this special tour. Learn about their care and housing while helping with afternoon feeding. Dress for the weather. A paying adult must accompany children.

RES \$5/NR \$7.50 Ages 4+  
11272 Sa Mar 20 2-3pm

## Have Your Birthday Party

### At Pottawatomie!

#### Pick Your Party Theme!

Jungle, Science, Sports, Tie-Dye,

Little Lady Tea, Stuff 'n Fluff,

All Star Cheer, Dance or

Tumble Time

For Preschoolers — 5th graders

90-min. parties

Includes souvenirs, games, balloons, etc. Great location and supervision.

We do the set-up and clean up!

Friday Nights, Saturdays &

Sunday Afternoons

For more details, call 630-513-4331

## NO SCHOOL DAY TRIPS

Looking for something to do on your day off? Join us for an all-day adventure!

### Enchanted Castle

Enjoy the arcade, laser tag and all the other attractions that Enchanted Castle in Lombard has to offer. Fee includes: pizza lunch, admission, 20 game tokens, transportation and supervision. Extra money may be needed for extra tokens.

RES \$35/NR \$52.50 Ages 5-11  
10011 M Mar 29 11am-4pm

### Monkey Joe's and Jimmy John's

Jump to your heart's content at Monkey Joe's in Wheaton. This fun-filled inflatable play center is covered wall to wall with slides, jumps and obstacle courses. Jimmy John's menus will be mailed home 1 week prior to the trip. Fee includes: supervision, transportation, admission and lunch.

RES \$40/NR \$60 Ages 5-10  
10016 Tu Mar 30 10am-4pm

### Cyberspace Laser Tag

Enjoy unlimited rounds of laser tag, a pizza lunch and arcade game time in Naperville. Fee includes supervision, transportation, admission, lunch and \$10 in game tokens. Bring money for more game tokens.

RES \$45/NR \$67.50 Ages 5-11  
10012 W Mar 31 10am-4pm

## Nature Fun

### Owl Pellet Dissection

How do owls digest the wide variety of prey animals, such as mice, voles, moles and shrews? Learn about owl biology and ecology while taking apart a sanitized owl pellet. Identify common mammal bones and skulls, too.



RES \$10/NR \$15 Ages 6-12  
10257 Sa Mar 6 10-11:30am

### March Thaw Hike

Thawing frozen ground, tree buds swelling and hibernators awakening from their long winter rest are all signs of spring. Hike 1-mile around Otter Creek Bend Wetland Park, off Crane Road between Bolcum and Silver Glen Roads. Dress for the weather.

RES \$6/NR \$9 per family All Ages  
10266 Sa Mar 13 10-11:30am



### Cat First Aid

Prepare for cat medical emergencies by learning prompt, effective first aid actions and immediate care for injured cats. Care for your furry friend until professional medical care is found. Fee includes certificate, book and DVD.

RES \$44/NR \$66 per family Ages 10+  
10061 Su Mar 21 12-3pm

### Babysitter's Training: Child/Infant CPR

For babysitters who would like to get their American Red Cross Infant and Child CPR certification. This class teaches the correct techniques when giving CPR. Please bring a sack lunch to class.



RES \$30/NR \$45 Ages 10-16  
9065 Sa Mar 27 9am-2pm

### Babysitters' Training

Future babysitters learn skills through fun activities, group and teacher-led discussions and role playing. All participants will receive a 3 year American Red Cross First Aid certification card. Bring a doll and sack lunch.

RES \$40/NR \$60 Ages 10-16  
9063 M/Tu Mar 29, 30 9am-2pm