

# MCKNIGHT OUTDOOR EDUCATION CENTER FACILITY RENTAL OPPORTUNITIES



The McKnight Outdoor Education Center is located on the west bank of the Scioto River at Griggs Reservoir and is only minutes away from urban life. Our facility hosts a trail system, caves, Ottawa Lodge, creeks, and access to the Scioto River. Entering the gates of our park is like stepping into a different world with mature trees and abundant wildlife.

Our center hosts numerous classes, camps and special events and is a popular rental space. The Ottawa Lodge can be rented with a maximum occupancy of 185. The flexibility of the space can accommodate any event, from wedding receptions to corporate meetings. The lodge has a large open room with a wood burning fireplace and offset kitchen. Restrooms and an arts and crafts room are also available.

## OTTAWA LODGE RENTAL RATES

### HOURLY RATE

Columbus Resident/Non-Profit: \$40

Non-Resident: \$45

### 12 HOUR OVERNIGHT RENTAL

Columbus Resident/Non-Profit: \$200

Non-Resident: \$250

### 24 HOUR OVERNIGHT RENTAL

Columbus Resident/Non-Profit: \$400

Non-Resident: \$500

\* Don't forget to book time for set up and clean up

## ADDITIONAL PROGRAM RATES

### ONE HOUR PROGRAM ONSITE

Columbus Resident/Non-Profit: \$50

Non-Resident: \$75

### ONE HOUR PROGRAM OFFSITE

Columbus Resident/Non-Profit: \$75

Non-Resident: \$75

### 90 MINUTE ARCHERY PROGRAM

Columbus Resident/Non-Profit: \$50

Non-Resident: \$75

### TWO HOUR CANOEING PROGRAM

Columbus Resident/Non-Profit: \$150

Non-Resident: \$175

### ONE HOUR PONTOON BOAT RIDE

Columbus Resident/Non-Profit: \$85

Non-Resident: \$100

\* Call for information on program options, participant min/max, and available dates

## RENTAL INFORMATION/RULES

Rentals must be booked a minimum of two weeks in advance.

A 20% deposit or full payment is due within two weeks from booking along with a signed rental contract and rental agreement. Full payment is due at the time of attendance.

Reservations can be made up to 12 months prior to your event.

General occupancy is 185.

Rental includes use of outside porch, backyard, and fire pit. You must bring your own firewood.

We will provide 14 rectangular tables (8') and 100 chairs. Setup is included in the price.

A no-alcohol policy applies.

Outdoor Education programs during your rental are available. Programs must be booked in advanced and are charged separately.



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