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WALKING TRAILS & WAGON RIDES

AT GOOSE LAKE PRAIRIE STATE NATURAL AREA

- Reservations for Walking Tours and Wagon Rides must be made two weeks in advance to allow time to find a volunteer and driver. Please note that walking groups can be larger but Wagon groups are limited to approximately 12 adults. If you call to reserve a walk or ride be sure to give us any special needs for any of your guests.
- To be courteous, we require that our volunteers wait on your party **ONLY 15 minutes** past the time reserved for your group. Please arrive promptly.
- Please note that we require at least a 24-hour cancellation note.

Direct reservations to the Visitor's Center desk – 815-942-2899

Guided Walking Tours on the Prairie

Available Spring – Fall. Depends largely on availability of volunteer

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| 1 Mile | Tall Grass Interpretive Trail | 1 Hour trip with volunteer interpreter. |
| 1 ½ Mile | Interpretive Trail and Marsh Area | 1 ½ hour with volunteer interpreter |

WAGON RIDES

With a Volunteer Interpreter.

Available on weekends from Early May to Late August.

The wagon will accommodate approximately 12 adults.
For your own safety you will be asked to remain seated unless otherwise instructed.
Discussion will include description of plants, content of prairie soil, and terrain.

Package #1	Rectangle Trail	2 Hours
Package #2	Cabin	1 Hour
Package #3	Strip Mine Trail	1½ to 2 Hours

Recommended Preparation for Hiking

- Wear a Hat with a brim
- Good walking shoes
- Bottle of drinking water
- Insect repellent
- Sun shade, such as an umbrella.

Ticks may be present in the Spring of the year.