

#### SUMMER NEWSLETTER

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# BACK TO SCHOOL: SEE YOU IN THE CLASSROOM!

School is back in session for the 2021-2022 school year!

Our team of fully-vaccinated educators are <u>so excited</u> to meet students in-person! If you are looking for **free in-person programs**, we have an array of fully-funded programs through our water district partners that we can bring to your students throughout King County, as well as Bothell and Lynnwood in Snohomish County.

Check out our programs and register on our website: <u>naturevision.org/school-programs.</u>

#### Not back to in-person, yet?

No worries! We are still offering all of our high quality **remote asynchronous and video call programs** to continue serving students in whatever format they need! See a list of remote offerings here: <a href="mailto:naturevision.org/remote-learning-programs">naturevision.org/remote-learning-programs</a>.

We are looking forward to **building even more connections to our environment** with you this year.

## **SUMMER HIGHLIGHTS**

We stayed busy this summer by bringing our enriching **summer day camp experiences** to four sites this year! We met adventurous young explorers in Redmond, Shoreline, and Mercer Island. Together, we investigated our natural surroundings with some fun, interconnecting activities. Building and art-making, storytelling and plant identification, we did it all!

**Didn't get a chance to join us outside this summer?** Good news: your young explorer can join us **this fall** after school in Redmond and Shoreline at our **Afterschool Programs!** We're committed to bringing science into young minds all year round, so don't miss out! Get the details on the next page.

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Top left: Campers dissect and articulate bones found in owl pellets Top right: Students test water samples to assess water quality Above: Campers investigate a damselfly





# PROGRAM SPOTLIGHT: AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMS



Above: Educator Dandy leads campers in a song Top left: A camper gets face-to-face with a native insect Top right: A camper investigates native plants with the quide of a bingo-scavenger hunt

To find free programs for your K-12 class or for registration help, please email <a href="mailto:info@naturevision.org">info@naturevision.org</a>

Nature Vision is once again bringing our acclaimed summer day camp programs to the school year with our newly developed **Afterschool Programs!** 

Our Afterschool Programs are a wonderful way for your student to get outside during the school year in a safe, fun, and educational environment. These programs offer engaging scientific learning in the form of fun and exploration to our own backyard!

We'll be investigating nature, playing games, and even making some art this school year on Wednesdays in November, 2:30-4:30 PM at Farrel-McWhirter Park in Redmond and Hamlin

Park in Shoreline.

**You don't want to miss out!**Register for Afterschool Programs today: naturevision.org/day-camp-programs

Need more reasons to sign up?

Here are a few quotes from summer camp parents about why they love our programs:

"[Our daughter] loved being in nature and learning about this place right next to where we live so that she could then share with us."

"[Nature Vision] builds on all the core learning and social skills you would want your child to have."

"I have worked in camps, outdoor preschool, and childcare since I was 15 (I'm 38 now) and I'm VERY picky about what programs I will enroll my son in. Nature Vision is EXACTLY how I would want a program run!"

We look forward to digging into nature with you after school this year!

## **REGISTER NOW FOR 2021-2022!**

The school year is just beginning, and now is the time to get Nature Vision programming on your calendar! Check out our fully-funded science programs for your K-12 students (or pass the word on to any teachers you know) by visiting <a href="mailto:naturevision.org/school-programs">naturevision.org/school-programs</a>.

In-person or remote, we have you covered!









