WELCOME TO THE ADVENTURE!

NEW MEMBER GUIDE
WE’RE SO GLAD YOU’RE A MEMBER!

As a member of the Urban Ecology Center, you provide valuable support for our mission and you’re entitled to some wonderful benefits.

*Urban Ecology Center members:*

• Support learning opportunities for thousands of urban youth each year and help keep our parks safe for everyone to use.

• Can take advantage of our members-only equipment lending benefit. Borrow canoes, kayaks, snowshoes, bicycles, cross-country skis and more! Find details about how this works at urbanecologycenter.org/equipment-lending

• Get discounts on programs for all ages and invitations to members-only events!

• Get advance notice about popular summer camps with the program guide mailed to your home.

• Are in the know! Find out how to use your membership to learn, enjoy, and connect via our monthly member e-newsletter, quarterly mailers, and Weekly guide email newsletter.

• Can enjoy membership benefits at all three of our branches.
**TAKE A WALK WITH US**

This is your Urban Ecology Center and we’re here for you and your family all year round. Take a walk anytime through the parks surrounding each of our three branches to experience the beauty of nature right here in the heart of the city.

You can also find all sorts of ideas for how to connect with the nature right outside your door on our UEC in My Backyard page:  

[www.urbanecologycenter.org/backyard](http://www.urbanecologycenter.org/backyard)

**CONNECT WITH US**

The best way to get to know the Urban Ecology Center is to come and experience it for yourself. Through our programs, we connect our communities to nature for endless learning opportunities and awe-inspiring experiences! Here are some ideas on how to get involved at the UEC:

**Adults:**
- Classes, lectures, and events
- Volunteering
- Equipment lending (see next page!)

**Families & kids:**
- After school & weekend programs
- Summer & Spring Break camps
- Kid-friendly volunteer opportunities

To find out all about our upcoming programs, classes, and events, visit [urbanecologycenter.org](http://urbanecologycenter.org)
**GET OUTSIDE WITH US!**

UEC Members can borrow all of our outdoor equipment for free! Reserve equipment online at [www.urbanecologycenter.org/equipment-lending](http://www.urbanecologycenter.org/equipment-lending). Note: equipment availability may vary due to COVID-19 restrictions. Call one of our branches to find out more!

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### RIVERSIDE PARK

1500 E. Park Pl.
Milwaukee, WI 53211
(414) 964-8505

### WASHINGTON PARK

1859 N. 40th St.
Milwaukee, WI 53208
(414) 344-5460

### MENOMONEE VALLEY

3700 W. Pierce St.
Milwaukee, WI 53215
(414) 431-2940

**Watercraft**

Canoes
Kayaks: Single, Tandem
Paddleboards
Paddles
Life Jackets (PFDs)
Tie Down Kits
Canoe/Kayak Carts

**Bicycles**

Bikes
Tandem Bike
Burley Trailer
Bike Helmets
Bike Locks

**Lawn Sports**

Croquet Set
Bocce Ball Set
Kite
Tennis Racquets
Disc Golf
Sports Balls
Kubb Set

**Garden Tools**

Shovels
Wheelbarrows
Pitchforks
Hand Tools
Watering Can
Manual Tiller
Garden Tiller

*Before borrowing a boat from any of our locations, we require members to attend a Watercraft Lending Orientation.*
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Skis & Snowshoes
Cross-Country Skis
    NNN Bindings
    Adult & Child Sizes
Cross Country Ski Boots
Cross Country Ski Poles

Camping Gear
Snowshoes
    Adult & Child Sizes

Sleds
Winter tent
Backpacks
Bedrolls
Winter Sleeping Bag
Cooking Kits
Binoculars
GPS Units

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Ski Boots
Ski Poles

Camping Gear
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    Adult & Child Sizes

Sleds
Wood Toboggans
Plastic Sleds
Plastic Saucers

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Skis & Snowshoes
Cross-Country Skis
    NNN Bindings
    Adult & Child Sizes
Ski Boots
Ski Poles

Camping Gear
Winter tent
Backpacks
Bedrolls
Winter Sleeping Bag
Cooking Kits
Binoculars

See the back page of this booklet, call, or visit our website for branch hours and holiday availability.
# New Member Bingo

## Take the New Member Bingo Challenge

Keep track of each activity you’ve participated in by marking these squares. Go for three in a row or see if you can complete the whole board!

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**Urban Ecology Center**

- Visit our Washington Park Branch
- Borrow some gear from any UEC location
- Visit our Riverside Park Branch
- Visit our Menomonee Valley Branch
- Check out UEC in my backyard: [urbanecologycenter.org/backyard](http://urbanecologycenter.org/backyard)
- Connect with us on social media!
- Free space
- Take one of our classes or programs
- Tell a friend about the UEC!
VISIT OUR THREE BRANCHES

While our buildings are currently closed to the public, our parks are always open! Stop by for a walk, or check our website for scheduled programming.

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STAY IN TOUCH!
Find out about upcoming events and programs at urbanecologycenter.org and connect with us on Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter.
MEMBERSHIP QUESTIONS?

Call us at 414-626-8568
or email membership@urbaneologycenter.org

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