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## Hands-On Learning at “Reptile Day”

Franklin, WI (May 31, 2013) – Meeting snakes, turtles, and lizards, up close and personal, is in store at Reptile Day, Sunday, June 9, 1-4 p.m., at Wehr Nature Center, 9701 W. College Ave.

Families will see and learn about a variety of reptiles and amphibians from Wisconsin and around the world. Naturalists will hold the animals and give visitors the opportunity to touch or hold them as well.

“A lot of misinformation about these cold-blooded creatures still prevails,” said Howard Aprill, Wehr Nature Center Naturalist. “For example, you cannot get warts from a toad. Through this program we’ll put these rumors to rest.”

Reptile-themed make-and-take crafts will be available for kids and kids at heart. Refreshments will be available for purchase.

Families are also encouraged to explore the trails of Wehr in search of resident reptiles.

General admission is \$2 per person, \$1 per Friends of Wehr member. Parking is \$3 per car.

For more information go to [countyparks.com](http://countyparks.com) or call Wehr Nature Center at (414) 425-8550

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