

# ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES



## MEDIA KIT

## 2025 EVERYONE BELONGS NATURE FESTIVAL

The Illinois Department of Natural Resources is hosting their 3rd-annual Everyone Belongs Nature Festival Saturday, June 14th at William W. Powers State Recreation Area.

The event will take place from 9am - 1 pm, with two park entrances, both accessible off South Avenue O (SAO).

Ranger's Facilities/South Gate: SAO x 130th Street  
Main Gate: SAO x 126th street.

The primary address for the recreation area is as follows:

**William W. Powers State Recreation Area**  
**12949 S Avenue O**  
**Chicago, Illinois 60633**

This festival is the result of collaboration between the department, local community members, and organizations across Illinois.



### EVENT OBJECTIVES

- **Promote** Outdoor Wellness, Recreational Activities
- **Provide** Natural-Based Education Alongside Enrichment Activities
- **Encourage** Community Connection
- **Familiarize** Locals with Free State Resources

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# EVENT HIGHLIGHTS





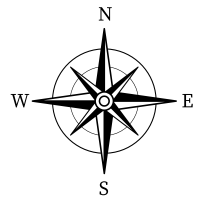
## RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

- Kid's Fishing Derby
- Archery
- Yoga (Guided)
- Canoeing
- Picnicking (Food Provided)
- Dancing! (DJ on Sight)
- Free-Play Frisbee Field
- General Fishing (No License Weekend!)
- Walking, Hiking
- NFL Alumni Association Flag Football



## EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES

- Visitor's Center 
- Pollinator Path 
- Learn from our many exhibitors!



**FIRST 300  
ATTENDEES  
RECEIVE A FREE  
FRISBEE!**

**Live Animal Interactions**  
Native and Exotic Taxa

