

## About the Preserve

This preserve is primarily an upland deciduous forest. Other ecosystems here include prairie, marsh, and seasonal swamp. Watch for differences in the animals, plants and bugs as you visit different places at different times.



## Who lives at Maple Wood?



### Towering Trees

Dogwood  
Basswood  
Sugar Maple  
American Beech  
Red Oak  
White Oak  
Wild Black Cherry  
Shagbark Hickory



### Mammals to Meet

White-tailed Deer  
Red Fox  
Fox Squirrel  
Raccoon  
Opposum  
Chipmunk



### Wildflower Wonders

Large-flowered Trillium  
Solomon's Seal  
Jack-in-the-Pulpit  
Mayapple  
Wild Ginger  
Touch-me-not

Don't forget birds, bugs, frogs!

## Programs and Services offered at Maple Wood

- guided nature walks
- environmental education programs for youth, groups, families, schools, clubs
- field science and craft classes
- hiking trail
- exhibits and displays

### Maple Wood Nature Center

4550 E 100 S LaGrange IN 46761  
mailing address: 0505 W 700 S  
Wolcottville IN 46795  
lagrangecountyparks@yahoo.com

### Nature Center hours:

Wednesday 8:00-4:00  
2nd and 4th weekends  
Saturday 9:00-5:00  
Sunday 1:00-5:00  
closed Sundays in July and  
Holiday weekends

Programs can be scheduled other days  
by special appointment  
260-463-4022 for information



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# Trail Map

## LaGrange County Nature Preserve



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## Rules of the Trail

- **Walk our trails often**

Trails are to be used as footpaths. Leave bicycles, vehicles, horses in parking areas.

- **Take lots of Pictures**

Nature preserves are set aside to protect ecosystems. We ask that the only things you leave with are memories.  
DO NOT MARK ON TREES!

- **Visit when you can**

Although the Nature Center can not always be open, trails are usable daily, dawn to dusk.

