

McConnell Meadow Exploration and Picnic Lunch **Donated by Ed Hubbs, Diane and Bill Edwards, Glynnis Collins**

This package is a Sign-Up, open to the first 15 bidders!

Habitat Manager Ed Hubbs directs the conservation activities at Spring Creek Prairie Audubon Center's 850 acres of tallgrass prairie, wetlands, and woodlands. Diane and Bill Edwards are long-time volunteers and supporters. Glynnis Collins is our center director.

Join Ed and Glynnis for a walking tour of McConnell Meadow, followed by a homemade picnic lunch. Ed will discuss the restoration of McConnell Meadow and his overall approach to habitat management. Diane and Bill will provide transportation to and from the visitor center on our tractor-pulled hayrack.



McConnell Meadow is a 160-acre prairie parcel acquired by Spring Creek Prairie in 2006. This little-seen area of the tallgrass prairie preserve offers a private setting tucked away from roads and buildings. This year, the summer rains have made many of the warm season grasses and forbs especially abundant.

Each participant will receive a “prairie patch” – a sheet of homemade paper with embedded native wildflower seeds. You can plant your patch at Spring Creek Prairie or take a piece of the prairie home to your own yard.

This package is available for up to 15 people.

Price: \$50/participant

Date: Saturday, October 8, 2016 – 10am-1pm.

Rain Date: Saturday, October 22, 2016 – 10am-1pm.