

JOIN US!

Yes, I want to become a Friend of the Dyken Pond Center.

Join at www.dykenpond.org or fill out and return this form:

Membership Categories

- ☐ Student \$10.00
- ☐ Individual \$20.00
- ☐ Family \$30.00
- ☐ Supporting \$50.00
- ☐ Contributing \$100.00
- ☐ Life \$500.00



Total Enclosed: _____

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email _____

- ☐ Check if interested in volunteering or becoming a Board member.

Make checks payable to:

Friends of the Dyken Pond Center

Detach and return to:

475 DYKEN POND RD.

CROPSEYVILLE, NY 12052



About The Friends

The Friends of the Dyken Pond Center is a not-for-profit 501 (c) (3) organization created in 1991 to support the Dyken Pond Environmental Education Center, which is owned and operated by Rensselaer County.

Together, Rensselaer County and the Friends collaborate to provide high quality environmental education, outdoor recreation and youth development opportunities at this special place called Dyken Pond.

Our Mission

To foster ecological literacy and land stewardship by promoting experiential environmental education, supporting the Dyken Pond Environmental Education Center's programs and protecting the natural resources at and around the Center through financial and volunteer support.

Be A Friend!



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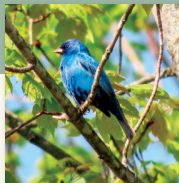
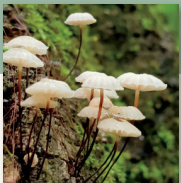
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A Place to Connect

Experience the natural world at the Dyken Pond Environmental Education Center.



Enjoy nature at your own pace: attend a program, walk a trail, go fishing, or rent snowshoes or a kayak.



As a member of the Friends, you help ensure the Center is here for future generations to enjoy. From working on trails to hosting concerts and fundraising events, we are community supported and you help make it all possible.

Inspiring Youth



"In every walk with nature one receives far more than he seeks"
— John Muir

As a Friend, you will amplify your impact on the next generation. With your support the Center can offer:

- Nature Day Camp for ages 6 - 13
- Youth scholarships to attend camp
- School field trip scholarships to local schools to cover bus transportation
- Outdoor recreation and education for youth organizations
- Nature Workshops for Adults, too.



Nature for All

The Friends own over 250 acres of land open to the public. Eleven miles of trails on Friends and County lands are maintained by volunteers and used for low-impact recreation.



As a Friend, you will receive discounts for programs and workshops, and you will be part of the community that keeps Dyken Pond a natural treasure for all.

Other ways to help out:

- Volunteer to teach youth
- Make a donation
- Donate by Estate Planning
- Adopt A Trail / Adopt A Garden
- Improve wildlife habitat
- Join a Committee or our Board
- Attend an event
- Spread the word about us.