

Backyard & Outdoor Summer Fun

Backyard Obstacle Course

Use everyday items to create a unique and challenging obstacle course in your yard or in your campsite this summer. Items like laundry baskets, reusable cups and cardboard boxes are inexpensive and eco-friendly items that will help reduce waste and ensure your family has a blast summer! Great for all ages and skill levels.





Glow Bug Nightlight

Use a recycled water plastic water bottle to make your own glow-bug night light for camping or summer nighttime adventures. Place a glow stick inside a water bottle. Decorate the outside like a bug using what you have at home.

Nature's Alphabet Hike

Keep the kids happy on the trail this summer by playing games along the way! Look for all the letters of the alphabet in nature. Or, take turns thinking of things in nature that start with each letter of the alphabet from A-Z. We'll start..."A is for acorns, ants, and acorn woodpeckers."



Popsicle Stick Dice Game

Color one side only of all six popsicle sticks. Leave one side blank on all six popsicle sticks. Toss the "dice" and score the following:

1 point = 3 face up and 3 face down 2 points = all 6 face up OR all 6 face down 0 points = any other combination



If the player scores, they take another turn. Player wins when first player reaches 10 points. Take this game with you for a lightweight, fun for all ages game. Play during a rest break on the trail or at the park or beach this summer!