

MAIN TRAILS NEAR INTERPRETIVE BUILDING

Blackbird Marsh Trail and Boardwalk 0.37 mi

At the north end of Coal Creek Trail East, the Observation Tower is the start of the .12 mi (600') boardwalk and the .25 mi trail. Muskrat tunnels can put challenging potholes in the level trail.

Blue Heron Loop Trail 0.29 mi

Level dirt trail with posts for self-guided tour, looping around one of the old fish hatchery ponds, with bird blinds overlooking Lake Sherry.

Coal Creek Trail and Bridges 0.71 mi

Level trail but rough in places, along the east and west sides of Coal Creek. The original CCC rockwork is visible in the trail on the north end of Coal Creek West

Coyote Trail 0.38 mi

Level trail connecting the front gate with the main core of trails. Can be wet. This was a low open field on 1 Aug 1974 when the Nature Center was established.

Flowline Trail 0.58 mi

Level grass trail, along the woods' edge above the City's water lines from Lakes Eucha and Spavinaw.

Green Dragon Trail 0.23 mi

Mostly level dirt trail wanders through a pin oak-pecan forest, from Woodpecker Trail to Mohawk Blvd. Stairs at north end. Green dragon is a wildflower.

Lake Trail 0.42 mi

Level gravel trail that borders Lake Sherry. Herons and water fowl may be viewed along the shore. You may return using 0.39 mi of Mohawk Blvd. A 263' connector trail cuts over to Mohawk Blvd near the halfway point, spanning a wet area via a bridge, steps, and boardwalk.

Meadowlark Prairie Trail 0.41 mi

Level grass trail winding through tall grasses and prairie flowers. A good place to look for butterflies in summer and sparrows in winter.

Red Fox Trail 0.34 mi

Level gravel wooded trail with numbered posts for self-guided sensory awareness tour. Two connector trails lead to the Flowline Trail, and 0.24 mi Bob's Trail connects Red Fox Trail to Blue Heron Trail.

Thrush Trail 0.54 mi

Mostly level wooded trail looping from the west end of the Flowline Trail to connector trail near Red Fox Trail. Look for spring wildflowers and fall foliage.

Whitetail Trail 0.29 mi

Level trail winding from the Picnic Grove through the former tree nursery to the Flowline. Watch for deer!

Woodpecker Trail 0.27 mi

Level dirt, often muddy wooded trail. Animal tracks indicate that wildlife use the convenience of trails, too.

WILDLIFE STUDY AREA, north of Mohawk Blvd.

Bird Creek Trail 0.63 mi

A trail winding through deep woods alongside Bird Creek. Many large, old trees grow here. Steps drop downhill to the "Not-So-Grand Canyon" bridge, and would be challenging for wheelchairs and strollers.

Yellow Warbler Trail 0.17 mi

A level trail through young woodlands alongside a small pond where deer and frogs may be found.

NORTH WOODS UNIT, n.w. of Mohawk Golf Course

Oxbow Lake Trail 0.60 mi

Starts at the NW corner of Mohawk Golf Course. Go west along a dike toward Lake Yahola. The trail turns north down a set of steep steps. It is narrow and uneven as it goes between Nelson's Oxbow and Mallard Lake to a three-way intersection on a cleared utility line.

North Woods Loop 1.11 mi

At the 3-way intersection a level but uneven trail goes northeast into the Nature Center's "wilderness" area. Riparian woods undergo regular cycles of floods.

Sierra Club Trail 0.42 mi

A set of steep steps (the "Baby Grand Staircase") leads down from Oxbow Lake Trail. On its way to the 3-way intersection, the level, uneven trail goes through an oak-hickory forest very similar to parts of Redbud Valley.

The Oxley Nature Center Interpretive Building hours:

open 10:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday-Saturday

open 12:00 noon-4:30 p.m. on Sunday.

The front gate is open 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. daily.

The Nature Center closes on most City holidays.

You may park outside the locked gates and hike Oxley Nature Center's trails between 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m.

For more information: call 918-596-9054 or go online at

www.oxleynaturecenter.org or www.tulsaparks.org or on

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Regulations per City of Tulsa, Title 26

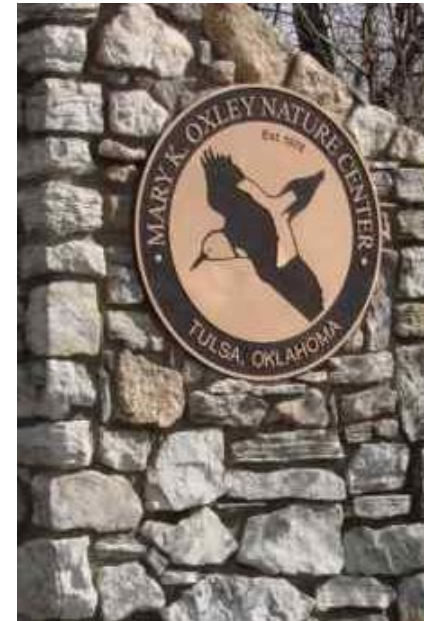
1. Pets, bicycles and motorized equipment are prohibited on trails.
2. Firearms, fireworks, hunting, and trapping are prohibited in the park.
3. Plants, wildlife, and all natural features are protected.
4. Boating is prohibited in Mohawk Park.
5. Fishing, with appropriate permits, is allowed anywhere except B.J.'s Pond and Blackbird Marsh.
6. Commercial photography requires a permit.

Be considerate of others. Keep noise low.

Gates at the gray stone pillars lock at 5:00 p.m.

Mohawk Park closes at 9:00 p.m.

Oxley Nature Center Trail Map



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**Located at 6700 Mohawk Boulevard
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