

THE
Wanderwood
 GARDENS



1 Wanderwood Learning Center

- o Education Center
- o A magical building with classrooms, event spaces and an immersive outdoor courtyard.

2 Storybook Stage

- o Performance Amphitheater
- o Listen to a story being told by one of the multi-talented garden volunteers or create your own little drama on stage.

3 Garden of Melodies

- o Interactive Music Garden
- o Add to nature's songs with interactive stepping chimes, wind chimes, percussion instruments and drums.

4 Wandering Waters

- o Snail Plaza
- o A large mosaic tiled snail with a huge interactive floating granite ball shell greets you at the Snail Plaza.

5 The Potting Shed

- o Little Ones Garden
- o Climb among molehills, traverse the stepping logs and tiptoe across crazy balance beams.

6 Dendy Village

- o Pixie Homes and Gardens
- o A magical village where you can visit the homes of the Wanderwood fairies and elves... they might be sleeping when you arrive! Fragrant flowers and colorful plants welcome you into their little gardens.

7 Frog Pond

- o Botanical Pond
- o Quietly and gently walk across the stepping stones between water lilies and frogs.

8 The Enchanted Trail

- o Trail Challenge Course
- o This 100 yard course winds through the woods, in and amongst the trees with dappled sunlight sparkling through.

9 Puddles, Ponds and Splashes

- o Interactive Water Adventure
- o Spitting animal fountains, a wading stream and a misty fog bank will definitely cool you down on a hot summer day.

10 The Canopy

- o Tree House Canopy Experience
- o Traverse an obstacle bridge or challenge yourself on the catawampus balance beams. An overhead walkway in the tree canopy leads to elevated rope net platform for the brave. A set of spiral stairs or a slide spin you back down to the forest floor.

11 The Dubuque Mine Camp

- o Explore Dubuque's History
- o Adventurous visitors can dig for treasure, fill mine carts sand, duck into a cool mine tunnel or climb to the top of a hill.

12 Tree Allée Vista

- o Historical Survivors
- o Calming linear views and vistas through the old Christmas Tree farm Firs into the forest below.

13 Spinning Bird Plaza

- o Interactive sculptures
- o Walk through towering trees to activate the kinetic birds sculptures spinning in dizzying circles overhead.

14 The Birdsong Sanctuary

- o Nature's Sing-A-Long
- o Discover interactive bird sound sculptures and engage with the birds while they respond with their own personal song.

15 Bloom at the Gardens

- o Event Meadow
- o A colorful meadow used for large events filled with blooming native flowers and butterflies.