

YES, *I want to become a member of the Meadowlands Environment Center.*

Please enroll me:

GREAT EGRET Membership
\$25.00 (senior/individual)

GREAT BLUE HERON Membership
\$100.00 (family or business)

Name _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

I would also like to make a tax-deductible contribution to the Meadowlands Environment Center in the amount of \$ _____

Enclosed is my check or money order, payable to the Meadowlands Environment Center, in the amount of \$ _____

Mail to:
Meadowlands Environment Center
Membership Office
Two DeKorte Park Plaza
P.O. Box 640
Lyndhurst, N.J. 07071

Membership fees are tax deductible to the extent of the law. Membership is valid for one full year from sign-up.

FOR OFFICE ID _____
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**A New Jersey Sports and Exposition Authority Facility
Operated by Ramapo College**
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HOURS

Meadowlands Environment Center

Monday: 9 am - 4 pm
Tuesday: 9 am - 2 pm
Wednesday: 9 am - 2 pm
Thursday: 9 am - 2 pm
Friday: 9 am - 2 pm
Saturday: closed
Sunday: closed

On Saturday and Sunday, the building is open on the hour for 15 minutes for use of the bathroom facilities.



MEMBERSHIP PROGRAM



Tideland Treasures Gift Shop
Monday - Friday: 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Trails Open Dawn to Dusk

Admission: Free
Facilities and Trails are Handicapped Accessible

About the Meadowlands Environment Center

The Meadowlands Environment Center (MEC) opened in 1983 to provide environmental education programs to schoolchildren and professional development opportunities for teachers. Today tens of thousands of students in grades K-12 visit the MEC on school field trips and participate in hands-on lessons that bring science to life and raise awareness of the importance of environmental stewardship. The school-based environmental education program is administered through a contract with Ramapo College.

All MEC school programs comply with New Jersey Core Curriculum Content Standards and cover a wide array of scientific disciplines including ecology, chemistry, biology, physics, natural history and astronomy. Educators incorporate DeKorte Park and its marshes into their lesson plans, providing children and teens with an up-close introduction to nature and real-world examples of scientific concepts.

In addition, the MEC offers year-round environmentally themed programs for the general public that help people better understand the issues that impact the Meadowlands District's unique urban ecosystem, specific types of wildlife and the greater environment. Live animal demonstrations and presentations on the Meadowlands' history and wetlands underscore the importance of environmental conservation to the public and instill an appreciation of nature in children at a young age.

The MEC's operations are fully funded by the New Jersey Sports and Exposition Authority (NJSEA) and the MEC membership program. Contributions from members help support the Center's environmental education programming.



Membership Categories



Great Blue Heron *(family or business)*

\$100.00

- Four membership cards
- Event discounts
- 10% off in Tideland Treasures Gift Shop
- Four passes to enjoy a Pontoon Boat Tour



Great Egret *(senior/individual)*

\$25.00

- Membership card
- Event discounts
- 10% off in Tideland Treasures Gift Shop

Benefits of membership can be enjoyed throughout the year.