



## Nature Connection Programs for ages 5-12!

### Timberdoodles

**Ages 5-7**

**Monthly on  
Saturdays**

At Timberdoodles, kids will have the space to deepen their connection with creeks, forests, bogs, and fields of north central MA while developing healthy peer and mentor relationships. We seek to strengthen kids' sense of belonging, joy, and comfort where they are. At this age, we focus on sensory development, imaginative play and exploration, and learning seasonal earth skills.



### Flickers

**Ages 8-12**

**Monthly on Sundays**

Flickers is based in nature connection practices and strives to help kids who are transitioning to adolescence develop deeper and more resilient relationships with themselves, each other, and the natural communities they live in.

We combine meaningful play with learning seasonal earth skills such as wild crafting, fire making, animal tracking, engaging wild edible and medicinal plants, and bird language to help kids see themselves in a greater web of relationships.

Please reach out to Will Nissen at [willie.nissen@gmail.com](mailto:willie.nissen@gmail.com) if you are interested in joining!

**Both programs in North Orange, MA**  
**September - May**  
**9 Program days each**  
**9am-3pm**  
**(Flickers campout Sat, May 18th 10 am - Sunday May 19th 10 am)**  
**Cost: Sliding scale- \$350-\$650**  
**Deposit of \$100 due at registration**

**Timberdoodle dates: All Saturdays 9am-3pm**

September 16th  
October 14th  
November 4th  
December 16th  
January 13th  
February 10th  
March 9th  
April 13th  
May 11th

**Flickers dates: All Sundays 9am-3pm**

September 17th  
October 15th  
November 5th  
December 17th  
January 14th  
February 11th  
March 10th  
April 14th  
May: Campout 10 am on Sat  
18th-10 am Sunday 19th



Im Will (he/him) I love to listen, run, laugh, imagine, talk, joke, play, and think with kids usually while exploring and playing in wild places. I care about kids creating and caring for their emotional and imaginal connection with land, particularly the place they live.

I have worked with kids for the past 10 years in a nature connection context, most recently as a mentor at Weaving Earth's kids program "[Wild Tenders](#)" in Northern CA.

Before that, I was a three year participant in [Weaving Earth](#)'s adult relational education immersion program. I am also a graduate of [Rx Outside](#)'s teacher training program.