

DANE COUNTY PARKS

INFORMATION & EVENTS NEWSLETTER

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WINTER RECREATION

Winter offers new ways to play in the Dane County Park System!

Learn about opportunities like cross-country skiing, sledding, snowshoeing, ice fishing, and winter hiking on our winter recreation page. From there, you can access maps, link to ski trail conditions, or purchase a permit for activities that require one.

Please remember that snowshoeing, winter hiking and dogs are **NOT allowed** on groomed cross-country ski trails.

[Learn More](#)

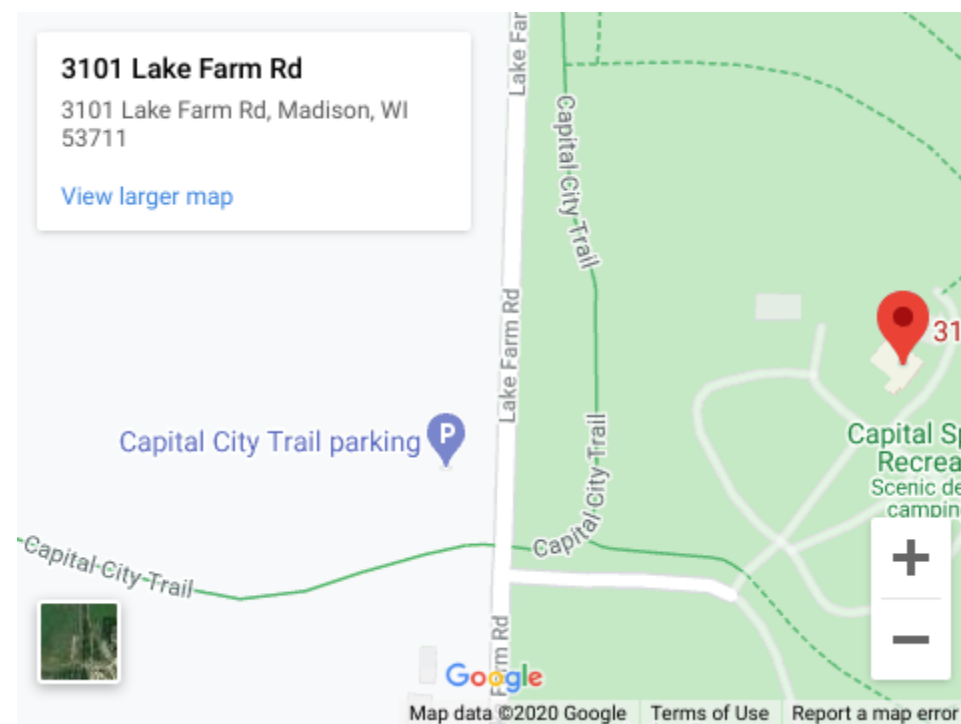
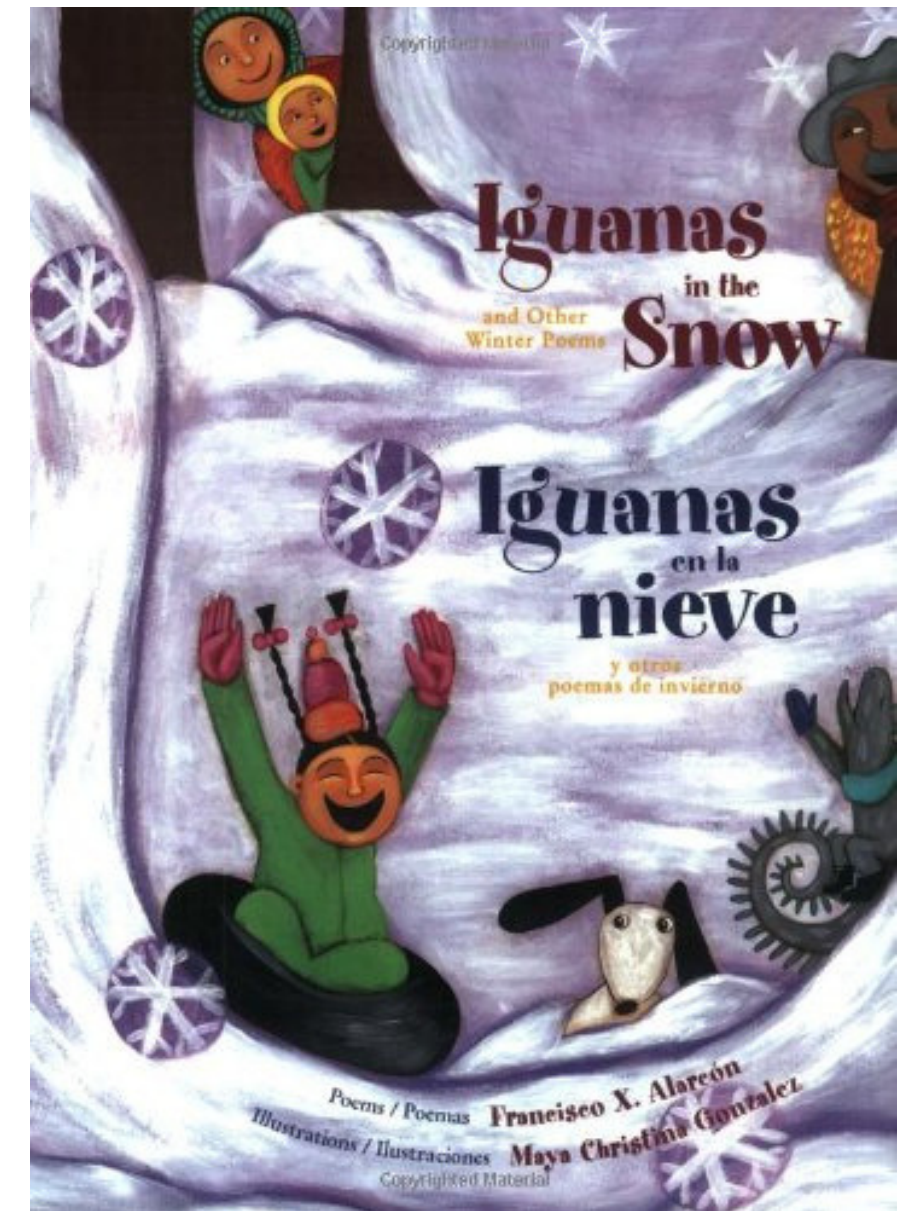


Stewart Lake County Park

Courtesy of Ron Lutz II

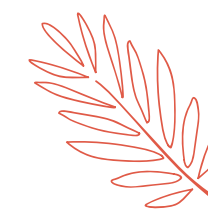
NEW STORYWALK BOOK

Come out to the Lussier Family Heritage Center prairie trails for a self-guided StoryWalk® featuring “**Iguanas in the Snow?**” by: Francisco X. Alarcón. This dual-language book features vibrant poems about a city where people are bridges to each other and children sing poetry in Spanish and English. A family frolic in the snow reminds the poet of the iguanas playing by his grandmother's house in Mexico. **Note: please do not walk on the nearby groomed ski trails.**



*Location:
3101 Lake Farm Rd, Madison*

*Trails are open daily.
Have fun!*



Nature Notes

from the Lussier Family Heritage Center
a Dane County Parks Facility

NEW FRIENDS PAGE

The Prairie Moraine Friends, Inc. now have a facebook page! It is always exciting when our park friends groups create websites or new social media accounts because they help highlight park events, educational features, volunteer opportunities and it helps showcase all of the hard work the volunteers do behind the scenes to make our Park System so amazing.



Follow [Prairie Moraine Friends, Inc.](#) to learn more about the park, friends group and how you can get involved.

Want to learn more about the restoration work being done at the park? Check out the new [Prairie Moraine Restoration](#) page on our website to learn about the important ecosystems staff and volunteers are working to restore.



STEWART LAKE WATERSHED TRAIL

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Dane County Parks
tour by Dane County Parks

37.3 km DISTANCE 12 POINTS ★★★★★ RATING

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The Upper Sugar River Watershed Association has created a new watershed trail at Stewart Lake County Park. You can explore the natural landscapes while learning about the environmental and cultural history of the area. They worked with the Friends of Stewart and parks staff to create this new trail.

Download the free GeoTourist app and locate the **Stewart Lake County Park trail** to learn more. Along the trail you will find numbered sign posts and can either listen to an audio recording or read the story at each stop.



SOCIAL SPOTLIGHT



Indian Lake County Park

@joytrippproject



Capital Springs Dog Park

@adventures_of_frethel



Pheasant Branch Conservancy

@burlepix



Lewis Nine Springs E-Way

@eboyd0012

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