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*Runge*  
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**Nature  
Center**

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# Discover nature with us.

Runge Conservation Nature Center is located on 97 acres in the heart of central Missouri. Come discover and enjoy the wonders of Missouri's habitats and its array of fish, forests and wildlife.

## Welcome outdoors

- Hike one of five nature trails to view a variety of habitats and wildlife.
- Climb the fire tower and discover the importance of these forest sentinels.
- The Naturescape Trail is accessible to people with disabilities and offers ideas for bringing nature close to home.



## Make connections

- Join us at one of our special events. Call or visit us on-line for details.
- Naturalist-led programs are available for families, scouts, schools or other community groups. Contact the nature center for scheduling.
- Visit us on-line to sign up for our newsletter, *Habitat Happenings*.

## Step inside

- Come eye to eye with some of Missouri's wild critters.
- Encounter nature's wonders through hands-on exhibits, an indoor wildlife-viewing area, conservation movies or our nature library.

**No fees are charged at the nature center.**

## Hours

Building and area grounds are closed on Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's Day.

### *Building hours*

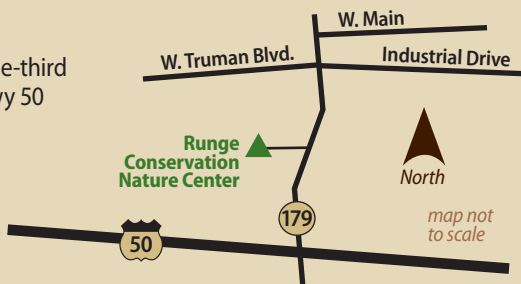
- Tuesday–Saturday: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. (open Thursdays until 8 p.m.)
- Building closed Sunday and Monday

### *Trail hours*

- Open 6 a.m. to 9 p.m.

## Directions

Runge CNC is one-third mile north of Hwy 50 on Hwy 179.



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