



Audubon

Corkscrew Swamp
Sanctuary

Remembrance Ceremony

Thank you for your interest in sharing this special day with us at Corkscrew Swamp Sanctuary. This tranquil place is an ideal location for your Remembrance or Ceremony of Life gathering. Here is some preliminary information about hosting an event on site.



Location for Ceremonies

- Amphitheater along private loop on the boardwalk (10-minute walk):
 - Capacity – 30 seated + 10 standing
 - Wheelchair accessible
- Patio behind Visitor Center (only after hours):
 - Capacity – 50 seated + 10 standing
 - Ramp leading to area, but surface is stone and slightly uneven for mobility devices

Prices

- From 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., the rental fee is \$350, plus applicable 7% tax (\$315 for Corkscrew Kite membership level or higher).
- After hours, from 4 to 9 p.m., the rental fee is \$450, plus applicable 7% tax (\$405 for Kite membership level or higher).
- 5% event photography discount when sharing your event professional photography photos with Corkscrew Swamp Sanctuary promotion.

Important Details

All terms and conditions for event booking are noted in the contract, however, some key items to note include:

- The Sanctuary is open 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. daily. Event attendees during regular operating hours will encounter other Sanctuary visitors during that time.
- Recorded or live soft ceremony music may be played at no more than 80 decibels.
- Decorations must be preapproved by staff, cannot be affixed to anything living, and must be removed upon departure.
- Flowers brought in for the ceremony must be preapproved by staff to avoid pollen or seeds being brought into the swamp.
- No disposing of ashes.
- All bookings require a contract and a 50% deposit.

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