

# Movie Nights & Private Events

Located just ten minutes east of downtown Redmond and nestled amongst thirty tranquil acres of beautiful forest, the Emerald Forest Theater provides a stunning backdrop for your private movie night with friends, family, or co-workers. The theater was built by Pete Nelson in The Emerald Forest in 2018 and featured on an episode of Treehouse Masters ('Climb-in Drive-in').



# **Amenities**

- Climb-In Movie Theater with up to 35 seats, depending on the configuration
- 16' Outdoor Movie Screen & Projector Projector is suitable for daytime viewing
- Stage -16' wide by 13' deep ground-level stage between the theater and the screen
- Gazebo & Table 10'x10' gazebo and a 10' live edge conference table. This is usually the spot for serving meals.
- Barbeque and Firepit
- S'mores Station Crackers, chocolate, marshmallows, and roasting sticks provided
- Restroom Facilities Available
- Yurt 24' diameter Available for private parties and with prior approval
- **Concessions –** Includes candy, fresh-popped movie-style popcorn, and filtered ice water
- Forest If you are looking for a tranquil getaway close to home, this is your spot! Part of the charm of this unique venue is that access to it is via an easy ten-minute walk on a flat forest trail.

# <u>Pricing</u>

- Three-and-a-half-hour rental is \$1,149 (All quoted fees are before sales tax of 8.7%)
- Refundable Deposit: \$150
- Garbage Disposal: \$50

For more information or to receive a video tour, please contact us at <u>reservations@theemeraldforest.net</u>. We look forward to assisting you with your special event.

# The Emerald Forest

# Frequently Asked Questions - Movie Nights

#### How soon can we enter the venue?

You may access the Forest venue no earlier than 10 minutes before your contracted time.

# What is the maximum capacity? Are kids included towards that maximum?

Our maximum capacity is 35. Infants and toddlers (3 and under) do not count against your capacity limit.

# Do you host kids' parties?

First, we love kids! The place was designed and built with kids (and kids-at-heart) in mind. However, due to the nature of the space and too many events where problematic activity went unsupervised, we needed to make a change. The Emerald Forest is a family (or groups of families) and adult party themed venue. We do not host kid-centric parties unless there are two adults per child aged 17 and under. For example, a party of 11 children would require the attendance of at least 22 adults.

# Can we pay to have additional guests beyond the 35 maximum capacity?

Possibly depending on the circumstances. Please speak to Jenni to discuss this.

# Do you have a curfew?

Yes, 10:00 pm for amplified music or videos.

#### Can I bring a stroller, wagon or cooler with wheels?

No. If you do, you'll regret it and ditch it 1/3rd of the way in! Please use a backpack.

#### Do we need flashlights for the walkout?

The entire trail is lit with string lights, and flashlights should not be needed. However, we have some flashlights that can be borrowed. Just ask the attendant for details.

#### Can we have signs on the trail?

Only signs/balloons that cannot be seen from the road are allowed on the trail.

#### Do we have to have a bartender on-site to serve alcohol?

No, we strongly discourage events where the client wants to use a professional bartender. The Emerald Forest is a beer and wine venue only, and if alcohol will be made available to guests, a banquet permit for alcohol is required. The cost is \$10 and can be purchased by following this link: <u>Banquet Permit Application Web-site</u>

#### What format movie can you play in the Theater?

Please bring a Blu-Ray (or DVD). We can also stream movies if necessary, but a physical copy is preferred in case the wifi goes down.

# Do you allow confetti?

No confetti of any type is allowed on-site because once it gets onto the forest floor, it is there forever.

#### Can we and/or our guests use the ziplines?

No. The ziplines are for staff only.

#### Do you have an address I can share with my guests?

The venue does not have an actual address. An email with Parking/Driving Directions will be emailed about two weeks prior to your event, and the email is designed to be directly forwarded (by you) to your guests/vendors.

#### Can we Lyft or Uber to the venue?

Yes, we can supply you with an address to share to the trailhead. **Note that the address is not the address to a home** but gets drivers to the trailhead. Because the trailhead is on a slight hill on a rural road where people drive too fast, do not linger on the road before or after your ride.

# Can we bring a dog?

Generally, 'no,' but exceptions can be made with prior discussion/approval.

# Do you supply firewood?

Yes! We will take care of maintaining the firepit during your event.

# Do you provide the s'mores station?

Yes, we supply chocolate, graham crackers, marshmallows, and roasting sticks.

# Can we smoke on the property?

Yes, but only at the firepit.

# Can we play a slideshow?

Yes. Please supply it in DVD format or email it to reservations@theemeraldforest.net at least five days prior to your event date.

# Can we use the BBQ on site?

Yes, we have a propane BBQ and BBQ utensils available upon request. We supply the propane.

# Do you supply drinking cups or utensils?

We have water cups and basic utensils available upon request.

#### Can I purchase additional hours?

Yes! Contact Jenni for details.

#### Do you supply ice?

We have an ice machine that can create enough ice for the supplied filtered ice water throughout your event. If you need more than that, you will need to carry it into the venue with you.

#### Can we use ceramic plates or glassware?

Sorry, no. Should anything break, it is too hard to clean up from the forest floor. Please use plastic or paper plates and cups.

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