

# 2010 Public Fossil Digs

## Whiskey Creek

Dates: June 14th-18th, 2010



A sixty million-year-old fossil site containing crocodile, champsosaur (crocodile-like animal), turtle, and fish has recently been discovered in the beautiful and rugged badlands near Buffalo Gap, North Dakota. The North Dakota Geological Survey, in cooperation with the U.S. Forest Service - Dakota Prairie Grasslands, will participate in scientific, professionally-conducted, fossil excavations at this site in June 2010. Public participation is invited. This dig is open to anyone 14 years and older.

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## Marmarth

Dates: August 1st-6th, 2010

Sixty-five to seventy-five million-year-old fossil sites containing dinosaur and other fossils have recently been discovered in the beautiful and rugged badlands near Marmarth, North Dakota. The North Dakota Geological Survey and the Marmarth Research Foundation, in cooperation with the U.S. Forest Service - Dakota Prairie Grasslands, will participate in scientific, professionally-conducted, fossil excavations at these sites in August 2010. Public participation is invited. This dig is open to anyone 14 years and older.

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## Rhame

Dates: Check website (<https://www.dmr.nd.gov/ndfossil/digs/digs.asp>) for more information.



About sixty-five million year old (Cretaceous age Hell Creek Formation) fossil sites containing *Triceratops*, plant, and other fossils have recently been discovered in the beautiful and rugged badlands near Rhame, North Dakota. The North Dakota Geological Survey and Pioneer Trails Regional Museum, in cooperation with the U.S. Bureau of Land Management, will co-sponsor scientific, professionally-conducted, fossil excavations at these sites in 2010. Public participation is invited. This dig is open to anyone 12 years and older.

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## Medora

Dates: June 21st-27th, 2010

A sixty million-year-old fossil site containing crocodile, champsosaur (crocodile-like animal), turtle, and fish fossils has recently been discovered in the beautiful and rugged badlands near Medora, North Dakota. The North Dakota Geological Survey and Theodore Roosevelt Medora Foundation will co-sponsor a scientific, professionally conducted, fossil excavation at that site in June 2010. Public participation is invited. This dig is open to anyone 12 years and older.

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