



NESTING WITH DINOSAURS

"Hatching the Past" is proud to present our newest and smallest exhibit, "Nesting with Dinosaurs." This compact exhibition packs all the drama, excitement and educational content of our larger "Dinosaur Eggs and Babies" traveling exhibitions. "Nesting with Dinosaurs" recently opened at the Quarry Hill Nature Center in Rochester, Minnesota with rave reviews from the most important patrons, the kids, but it is also designed to appeal to families, schools and children of all ages.



Rawlings Public Library, Pueblo, Colorado

"Nesting with Dinosaurs" encourages hands on learning wherever possible with "kid height" cases open for touching cast eggs, models of baby dinosaurs and all new interactive components including computer games and more. Visitors can touch a real dinosaur leg bone, dress up like a dinosaur and protect their nest of eggs, play a paleontologist by putting a dinosaur leg bone back together or discovering dinosaur eggs in a dig-pit. There are real fossil eggs and nests from each dinosaur group represented. One fossilized egg contains rare embryonic dinosaur skin displayed under magnification. All are brought to life with artwork by well known paleo-artists and interpretive panels edited by key paleontologists.





Artwork by Luis V. Rey

Size: 800 to 2000 square feet

Target market: Families, children of all ages, school groups

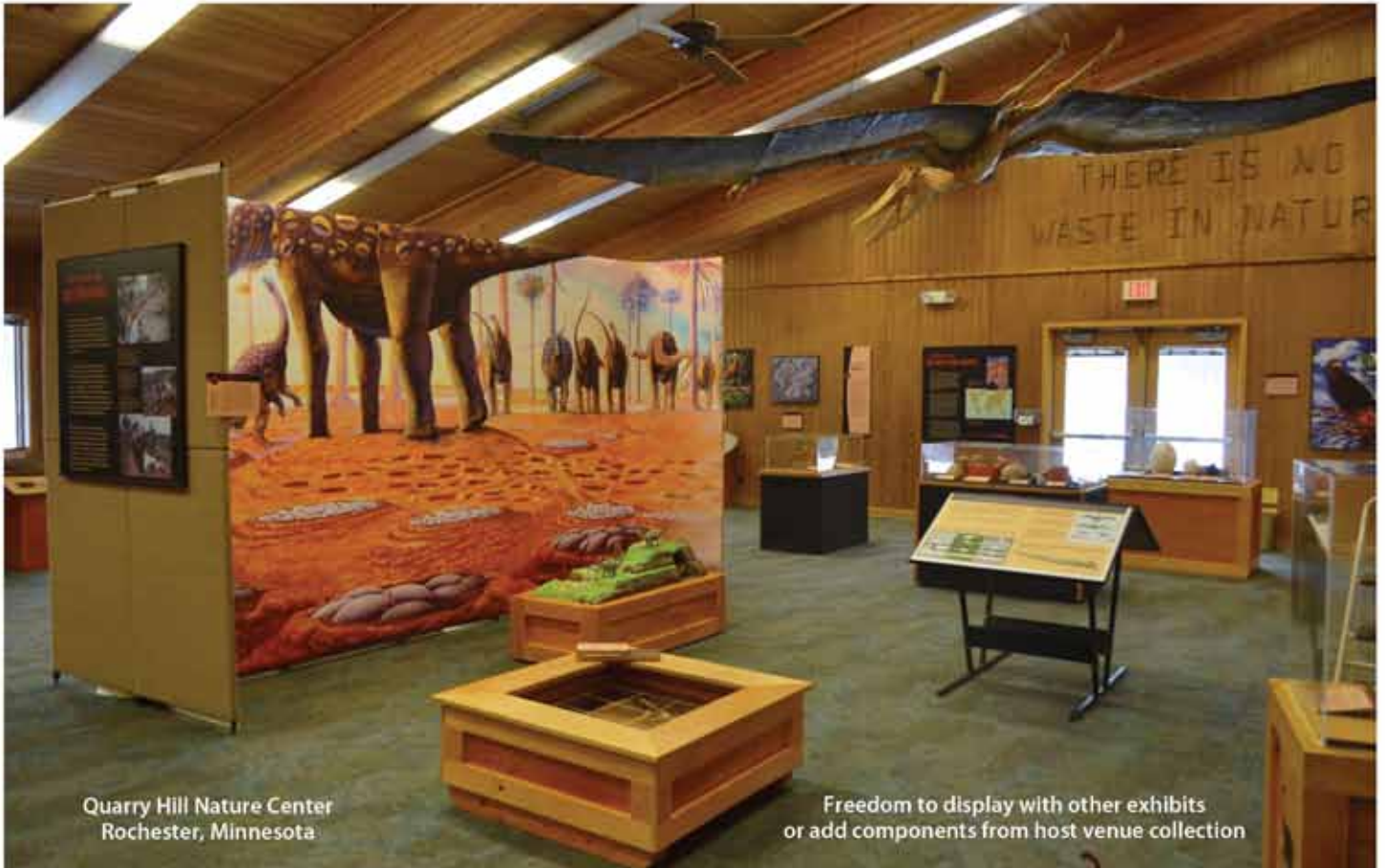
Shipping: one truck load

Customized to fit your needs and budget

Costs vary with exhibit size and duration of stay

Lease fee includes:

- Professional technicians on site for installation, docent training and deinstallation
- Educator's guide with "egg-tivities" and class projects
- Docent resources including an exhibit guide, cast eggs and real fossil eggshell
- Visitor adventure Q & A guide suitable for grading
- Press package with graphics, icons and text
- Spanish translation handout for bilingual visitors



Quarry Hill Nature Center
Rochester, Minnesota

Freedom to display with other exhibits
or add components from host venue collection



ALL-NEW HANDS ON ACTIVITIES

Photography Encouraged

*"The kids were having so much fun.
They didn't even know they were learning!"*

Becky Huff, Collections Coordinator, Rawlins Public Library, Pueblo, CO



HATCHLING READING CORNER

Egg shaped chairs to sit in while reading about dinosaurs
A selection of books including the latest children's book
by Robert T. Bakker and Luis V. Rey.



NESTING AREA with COSTUMES

Full scale nesting dinosaur play area with play nest and eggs. New murals by graphic artist, Luis V. Rey, depicting dinosaur nesting grounds of Patagonia and Mongolia. Dress up like a dinosaur with costumes. Children and adult sizes make it fun for everyone!



Photographs by Nicholas Regester

DINO BONE PUZZLE

Assemble a leg bone in its protective jacket



DIG PIT with DINOSAUR EGGS TO FIND



DINOSAUR PLAY LAND

Pretend you are in the Jurassic with two dinosaurs that lived happily together, Apatosaurus and Stegosaurus.





Quarry Hill Nature Center, Rochester, Minnesota

KID HEIGHT DISPLAY CASES

Showing high quality cast eggs, nests and models for hands-on learning



SCHOOL CLASS with **ACTIVITY SHEET**

Educator packet with current science standards

"We chose this exhibit because it came ready to go with content and educational materials."

Pamela Meyer,
Executive Director
Quarry Hill Nature
Center



COMPUTER GAMES

Eight educational computer games including:
Dino Word Search, Paint Shop and Fossil Hangman



George Downing Playhouse, Silver Plume, Colorado

REAL FOSSIL LEG BONE for **TOUCHING**



HATCH FROM AN EGG

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