

Youth Conservation Camp Scholarship

Douglas County is offering two \$100 scholarships to cover the total camp fee for students who reside in Douglas County to attend Sand Lake Conservation Camp in Crivitz, WI on June 17-19. The camp is available for students entering 6-8th grades.

To apply for the scholarship, please submit a typed or handwritten letter not to exceed one page. The application should include:

- Name
- Address/email address
- Phone number
- School Grade to be entered in Fall of 2020
- What makes you interested in natural resources and conservation
- Why you want to attend the Sand Lake Youth Camp

If there may be other factors that limit the applicant's ability to attend the Sand Lake Youth Camp, such as transportation, please include this with the letter of application. The Douglas County Land Conservation Department wants this camp to be accessible to Douglas County Youth!

***Important-** Before completing this scholarship, please send in camp registration materials. Note on the registration form you are applying for the Douglas County LWCD scholarship. DO NOT submit payment with the registration. If you are awarded the scholarship, Douglas County will make the payment. If you are not awarded the scholarship, you will have the option to cancel your registration or pay for the camp yourself.

Please submit scholarship letters by April 15, 2020.

Submit letters to Ashley.vandervoort@gmail.com

or

Douglas County Land Conservation Department

ATTN: Ashley Vande Voort

1313 Belknap St. Room 206

Superior, WI 54880

For more information about the camp or scholarship, please contact Ashley Vande Voort at Ashley.Vandervoort@douglascountywi.org or 715-395-1266.

Sand Lake Conservation Camp

Middle school youth (entering 6-8th grade in fall) are invited to attend **Sand Lake Conservation Camp** at Camp Bird near Crivitz (Marinette County) from June 17-19, 2019. The fee is \$100 (\$150 after May 20th) and includes room, board, t-shirt, and all activities/programs. Visit www.marinettecounty.com (search for "Sand Lake" or "Conservation Camp") for more information. Registrations are not accepted after June 3rd and are first-come, first-served; space is limited. The registration packet is available online, or you can request it via mail/email. For more information or to request registration materials, please call Anne Bartels, Education Specialist/Camp Director, at 715-732-7784 or email abartels@marinettecounty.com.

This camp provides fun outdoor experiences, help foster an appreciation for nature, and introduce a variety of opportunities in natural resources and conservation careers. Natural resource professionals present programs on wildlife, habitat, water quality, fisheries, forestry, outdoor skills, and more. Engaging speakers and interesting topics give campers an opportunity to participate in hands-on activities, learn outdoor skills, make friends, participate in typical 'summer camp' experiences, and enjoy Wisconsin's beautiful Northwoods.

Here's some cool stuff you might do...

- Find out what it takes to be a DNR Conservation Warden
- Get an up-close look at amphibians & reptiles in the nature center
- Catch & identify aquatic critters and learn how water quality affects them
- Meet live animals from the Bay Beach Wildlife Sanctuary of Green Bay and the Raptor Education Group of Antigo
- Learn about Wisconsin's native fish and how DNR Fisheries Biologists study them
- Hone your teambuilding and problemsolving skills on the challenge course
- Learn about water pollution using a giant water runoff model demonstration
- Compete with other campers in a campfire-building contest
- Play, fish, swim, hike, canoe, kayak, shoot a bow, and more
- Make new friends at the campfire and feast on s'mores & pudgy pies
- Show off your knowledge during "Conservation Camp Jeopardy"