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WISCONSIN YOUTH CONSERVATION CAMP
SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

Waushara County Land Conservation & Zoning is offering four- $50 scholarships to Waushara County middle and high school students towards registration in one of the two summer conservation camps in Wisconsin. These camps offer students the chance to enjoy camp fires, canoeing, hiking, fishing, meeting new friends, and swimming. While occupied with these fun and exciting activities students are learning more about their environment with programs on wildlife, habitat, water quality, fisheries, forestry, outdoor skills and associated careers, gaining valuable insight into conservation of our natural resources.

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 21-23, 2017. The fee is $100 ($150 after May 19th) 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 1st and are first-come, first-served; space is limited and camp usually fills quickly. Registration forms are available online for printing.

High school youth (entering 9-12th grade in fall; must be 17 or under) are invited to participate in the Wisconsin Land + Water Conservation Association Youth Conservation Camp, June 19-23 at the North Lakeland Discovery Center in Manitowish Waters (Vilas County, www.discoverycenter.net). Registration fee is $250 and covers all programs, meals, snacks, lodging, and a t-shirt. The deadline for registration is June 2. Register online at: http://wisconsinlandwater.org/events/youth-conservation-camps or contact Kim Warkentin at the Wisconsin Land + Water Wisconsin Land & Water Conservation Association.

With $50 scholarship money from Waushara County, Wisconsin Youth Camp would cost $200 and the Sand Lake Camp would cost only $50, plus your transportation there.

A GREAT DEAL FOR EITHER ONE!!!

The deadline for Waushara County students to submit a camp registration form in order to apply for one of four scholarships is May 4, 2016, first come, first serve. Contact Tammi Kenton at the Waushara County Land Conservation Department – 920-787-0443, Mon. – Fri. 8-4:30 or at lcdzoning.courthouse@co.waushara.wi.us with any questions.