

WONDERS OF WISCONSIN

Lang Information Center

TUESDAY, AUGUST 20TH

Theme: ALL ABOUT ENERGY



10:00 a.m. till noon Boy Scout Energy Merit Badge Workshop

(Pre-registration required. See CWSF website for further information.)

Presenter: Gina Smith, KEEP Resource Specialist

UWSP K-12 Energy Education Program (KEEP)

2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Pedal Power Challenge

Join this friendly competition challenging your ability to create electricity using your “Personal Pedal Power.”

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21ST

Theme: HOME GROWN GOODNESS

11:00 a.m. Preserving food from the garden

Presenter: Jackie Carattini

Wood County Human Development & Relationships Educator

1:00 p.m. till 3:00 p.m. Inga Witscher



Join Inga Witscher, dairy farmer, cheese maker, and host of the PBS television show *Around the Farm Table*, for an entertaining and educational cooking demonstration”

Inga will show you how to turn summer ingredients into delicious dishes.

3:00 p.m. “Sweet and Savory from the Garden”

Presenter: TBD

Learn the art of making the perfect scone using sweet and savory herbs from the garden.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 22nd



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Theme: WALK ON THE WILD SIDE

“Skull Challenge” presented by Friends of Sandhill Wildlife Center

How great is your knowledge of the different animal skulls found in the wild?

“Hunter Safety”

Presenter: Linda Xiong, Educator, Wisconsin DNR

Sandhill Wildlife Center

Mead Wildlife Education Center

FRIDAY, AUGUST 23RD

Theme: AGRICULTURE DAY

Food & Farm Exploration Center

11:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m. Hands-on activities



The Food + Farm Exploration Center promotes agricultural literacy, increases the understanding of the origins of food, and deepens the relationship between farmers and consumers. The exploration center is a state-of-the-art place for people to come together on a journey into the world of modern

agriculture, meet the people behind food production, build science and engineering skills, connect, play and learn. With over 60 interactive exhibits, it is a teaching farm, a science center, and a community workshop all rolled into a tantalizing celebration of food and farming.

Wisconsin Maple Syrup Producers Association

12 p.m. & 4:00 p.m. “Tap A Tree” for kids

Learn from the experts! WMSP President Brenda Hansen (Hansen’s Sugar Shack) and Tim Sternitzky (The Maple Dude) will be on hand answer your questions on producing maple syrup in Central Wisconsin.



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Wisconsin Honey Producers Association

Presenter: Sadie Goettl, Wisconsin Honey Bee Queen

1:00 p.m. Wisconsin Honey – The REAL DEAL



The Wisconsin Honey Producers Association is proud to announce that Sadie Goettl of Berlin, Wisconsin was selected as the 2024 Wisconsin Honey Queen. Sadie is the daughter of Tammy and Tony Goettl. A graduate of Berlin High School, Sadie is a student at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, studying Agricultural Business Management and Communications Arts, with certificates in Public Policy and integrated liberal studies.

Come meet Sadie and hear the latest ‘honey news.’”

SATURDAY, AUGUST 24TH

Theme: AG SAFETY ZONE

Presented by UW Extension Wood County

10 am till 2 p.m.

Fun filled activities to educate youth in agriculture safety.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 25th

Theme: Family Day

11:00 a.m. till Noon “The “Cheese Curd Challenge”

Where do you go to purchase your favorite cheese curds? Come vote for your favorite as you sample curds from our local cheese factories.

The Bird Men

Presenters: Rex, Ryon and Zachory Runker

1:00 p.m.

Back to WOW by popular demand, come, learn about birds native to Central Wisconsin from the experts.

