College of Natural Resources Involvement Night Recording

Did you miss the CNR Involvement Night? Check out the meeting recording below to learn about all the ways to get involved!

Recording Here!

Public Programs at Schmeeckle Reserve

Did you know the Schmeeckle Reserve offers **FREE** public programs? These hour-long programs are led by senior environmental education and interpretation and wildlife education students in the university's College of Natural Resources. Programs explore such diverse topics as wildlife, birds, plant life, natural phenomena, and people and events prominent in central Wisconsin history.

Learn about Schmeeckle's upcoming events [HERE!](#)

EpiPen Training — Great for CNR Students!

Students are welcome to attend new EpiPen trainings. The first one will be taking place in the **DUC Laird room from 5pm to 7:30pm on November 15th**. Here, you will learn how to operate various epinephrine devices and become certified to carry and administer such devices. This training is important for those who come into contact with large groups of people where anaphylaxis can occur. The more people we train on campus, the safer our campus will be for all! More trainings will occur if you cannot make this one. If you have any questions please direct them to the Student Health Director Corinn Fritz at [sga.student.health.services.student.director@uwsp.edu](mailto:sga.student.health.services.student.director@uwsp.edu)
The Pointers Vote Coalition, which is a student organization that works to promote voting and civic engagement on campus, is hosting a Candidate Forum on Tuesday, November 1 from 6:00-7:30 pm in the DUC Theatre.

There will be four candidates in attendance, two Democrats and two Republicans:

Brad Pfaff – Democrat running to take over Ron Kind’s congressional seat
Katrina Shankland – Democratic incumbent running for reelection to the State Assembly
Scott Soik – Shankland’s Republican challenger
Scott Noble – Republican running for Portage County Sheriff

Winterim Registration Opens Today!

If you are planning to take a class this winterim, registration opens today, October 31st! Your “advising hold” does not need to be released to register for winterim classes but do discuss your plans with your adviser!
We are here to help!
Walk-Ins Hours:
Bobbi
Mondays 10 am -12 pm
Tuesdays 1 pm-3 pm
Thursdays 9 am-11 am
Katie
Wednesdays 9 AM-3 PM

CNR Student Success Center
TNR 122
cnrssc@uwsp.edu
715-346-4081
Click here to open Zoom:
www.uwsp.edu/cnr/ssc/
Appointments also available.

WiNR Apparel Sale
Women in Natural Resources is having an apparel sale. They will be taking orders online through Monday, November 21st. The website gives people interested many choices in each item they may order as well as which color and logos to choose from.
Order Here!

Trick or Trash is candy wrapper recycling program that turns Halloween candy wrappers into dog waste bags for animal shelters! Keep an eye out for these special boxes in many locations on
Foundation Forestry Skills Assessment

Did you know? Forestry students are required to complete the Foundational Forestry Skills Assessment to satisfy milestone requirements on their degree progress report and must achieve passing marks at each level of this assessment before graduating with any forestry degree from the College of Natural Resources at the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point. This two-part assessment occurs at three levels and is based on the accrued knowledge, skills, and abilities presented in the core forestry courses. Cumulative Core Courses include NRES 250, FOR 232, FOR 322, and FOR 332.

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WRITTEN ASSESSMENT
NOVEMBER 7 – DECEMBER 9, 2022

DESCRIPTION: To pass the self-assessment written component, you must achieve at least a 70%, or greater, on the independent online assessment regardless of level. If you receive unsatisfactory marks in the evaluation, you may study to improve your skills and repeat as needed. This assessment of learning will be available on Canvas.

DATES: The written assessment will be open from November 7th through December 9th. You may complete this online assessment at any point to work towards achieving the written portion at the respective milestone.

COURSE LEAD: Dr. Richard Hauer

FIELD ASSESSMENT
NOVEMBER 7 – NOVEMBER 18, 2022

DESCRIPTION: The field component emphasizes the identification of 61 common trees and shrubs in central Wisconsin. You will be asked to identify 20 woody plants by common name. To successfully meet the passing criteria for the field component of the milestone, you need at least 70% (Introductory Level) or 75% (Intermediate Level).

DATES: You may register for a field assessment opportunity on Canvas. The initial field assessment will run from November 7th through November 18th. During the initial evaluation, you will have one opportunity to pass. If you receive an unsatisfactory mark during their initial field assessment, then you may study to improve your skills and repeat the assessment as needed during the available times the weeks of November 28th through December 9th.

To satisfy the milestone requirements, forestry students must achieve passing marks in both the written and field assessments within the allotted time to move on to the next level. Please visit the Canvas site for more information and instructions and reserve your field assessment time slot. In cases you cannot attend any scheduled field assessment appointment time or have accommodation needs, contact the proctor (jenatzke@uwsp.edu) to schedule a time to complete the field assessment. You must have justification and have initiated the communication before 5 pm CDT, November 18, 2022.
**CNR Spotlight**
Know someone doing exceptional things in the CNR?! Then nominate a fellow CNR student or faculty to be featured in the CNR Spotlight! Click [HERE](#) to fill out a form!

**GEOG 104 has switched to a Fall-only course!**

**WINR Gear Grab!**
Women in Natural Resources is hosting a gear grab on November 21st at 6PM in TNR 320. Professional and field clothes will be up for grabs, so start collecting items to bring now!

**Are You Ready to Graduate?**
Do you meet all of your graduation requirements? In order to get your diploma, you need to **apply for graduation on accesSPoint**. The semester before you are expected to graduate, log in to accesSPoint, and go to your graduation tile to apply.

**Math Placement Testing**
Two in-person math placement tests have been scheduled.

- **Tuesday Nov. 1st, 10 A.M. in SCI B240**
- **Thursday, Nov. 3rd, 6 P.M. in SCI A208**

To register email Alesha Thompson at alethomp@uwsp.edu

**Treehaven/Campus 2023 Information**
Information about the traditional Treehaven and Campus Summer Field Experiences (SFE) will happen in December.

SFE TA Applications will be out in November. Apply if interested!

Please refer to [CNR SFE Info page](#) for updated information as we have it or stop in the CNR SSC (TNR 122) with questions.

**Have Photos You Would Like to See in the CNR Reporter?**
We are in need of your photography skills! Would you like to see your photos as the cover of the CNR Reporter? Send your photo and all other submissions to [cnr.reporter@uwsp.edu](mailto:cnr.reporter@uwsp.edu)
You can miss important information if you are not keeping up with the CNR Reporter! The live boards linked above are updated daily. Make sure to click on the buttons to see up-to-date information specifically for CNR Students!

Have something you want added to the CNR Reporter? Want to submit a photo? Please send all CNR Reporter submissions and photos to CNR.Reporter@uwsp.edu