

CNR Reporter



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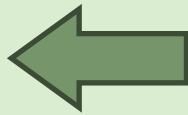
February 17-21, 2025

Are You Participating in the CNR Research Symposium?

*Abstracts are DUE
MARCH 1st!!*



*Use this
Form to
Submit
them!!*



CNR Student Research Symposium Photo Contest!

Guidelines:

- Max of three photo submissions a person
- Photos must be in good taste and kept professional
- Photos must be as large as possible (4000x3000 pixels or better) oriented vertically and sent as a file attachment (formats accepted: jpeg, png, jpg) To submit: cnrurs@uwsp.edu
- CNR Student submissions only

Prizes!

- 1st Place: \$50 Zest gift card, feature on front of booklet
- 2nd Place: \$25 Zest gift card, feature on back of booklet

Contest will run from Feb. 17-21st.

CNR Student Success Center

TNR 190
cnrssc@uwsp.edu
715-346-4081

www.uwsp.edu/cnr/ssc/

Office Hours:

Monday—Thursday 8am-5pm
Fridays 8am-3pm

CNR SSC Peer Mentor
Appointments
available [HERE](#).

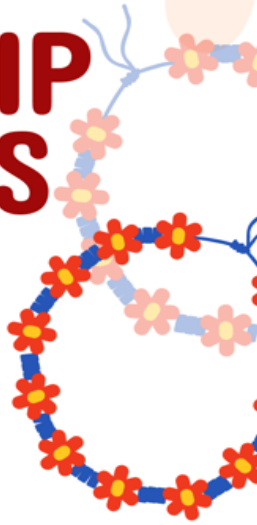
Walk-Ins This Week:

Katie
Wednesday 9am-12pm

Grace
Tuesday 9am-12pm

Create FRIENDSHIP BRACELETS

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WEDNESDAY,
FEBRUARY 26
12:00 - 1:00PM
TNR WEST LOBBY



- MAKE FRIENDSHIP BRACELETS!
- MEET OTHER CNR STUDENTS!
- TAKE A MENTAL BREAK FROM CLASSES!
- ALL SUPPLIES INCLUDED!!!

CNR SSC

CNR SSC FARMERS
MARKET WALK!

BRUNCH AND SHOPPING!

MEET US IN THE DUC BY THE
TICKETING OFFICE ON SATURDAY
MARCH 1 FROM 9 - 11AM

FEATURES FARMERS, MAKERS, PRODUCERS,
LOCAL BUSINESSES, UNIQUE SHOPPING
OPPORTUNITIES AND MORE!

Join us for..

NEW CNRSSC PEER EVENTS

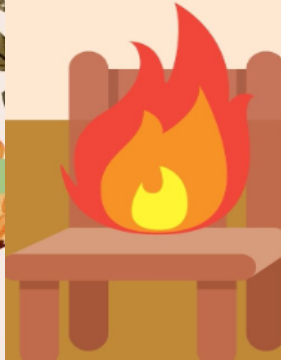
These are great ways to
make friends & meet your
peers, learn useful new
skills, and *have a bunch of*
fun!

Make sure to keep checking the
CNR Reporter for more details!!

The CNR SSC
Presents:

Hot Seat

See if you can brave
the CNR SSC's Hottest
Topics in a game of this
or that! Topics range
from Campus
Resources, Would you
rather, and more!



Thursday, February 20th
from 10am-11am
TNR West Lobby
(outside TNR 170)
Hosted by: Peer Mentor
Brandon



Taking part in a student organization that deals with Environmental Education?

UW-Extension is evaluating statewide organizations and needs

YOUR Help!

Learn more at this link:

[CLICK HERE!](#)

Take this survey to help in the Rational Status & Needs for Environmental Education in Wisconsin.

[CLICK HERE FOR SURVEY!](#)

Do you like to throw axes, practice forestry skills, discover careers in Natural Resources, resume building opportunities, and learn more about sustainable forestry?



Weekly Meetings-Thursday at

5PM in TNR 120

Officer Meetings in TNR 361 Wednesday at 5PM



Do you live on campus?
Are you interested in sustainability?
You're invited to join the Green Advocates!



Who are we?

The Green Advocates are a group of dedicated students who live in the residence halls and are interested in fostering a more eco-friendly campus.

Why join?

- Resume building
- Leadership opportunity
- Volunteer hours
- Ability to create own events



Scan the QR code to sign-up!
Email sustainability.office@uwsp.edu for more information



The Art of Waterfowl and Wetland Conservation

2025 WCW Spring Seminar Series



Managing Wetlands for Waterbirds on Horicon National Wildlife Refuge

February 20
Sadie O'Dell
Horicon National Wildlife Refuge Complex
US Fish and Wildlife Service

**UW Stevens Point Trainer Natural Resources Building, Room 170
5 p.m.**



Wisconsin Center for Wildlife
College of Natural Resources
University of Wisconsin - Stevens Point

National Park Intensive

Everything you need to know to land your dream job!



DATE: Wednesday, February 19th
TIME: 6-7 p.m.
LOCATION: TNR 120

LEARN ABOUT

- *Types of jobs available in national parks
- *How to navigate the federal hiring process
- *What makes federal jobs unique
- *Plus, unwind with fun national park coloring sheets!



Presented by: UWSP Parks and Recreation Association
For more information: pra@uwsp.edu

DREAM. PLAN. *Pitch.*



You've created your can't-miss business idea and started making your dream a reality. Now it's time to pitch your idea and compete for **\$10,000 cash and prizes!**

Up to two student entrepreneurs will represent UWSP at The Pitch 2025 business startup competition at Fox Cities Stadium. And get this: It's *open to all UWSP students!*

Last year a Pointer won it all. This year? That's up to you!



UWSP Qualifying Event:
Tuesday, Feb. 25

**The Pitch @
Fox Cities Stadium:**
Monday, April 28

Learn More and Register:
uwsp.edu/thepitch





Become a Wildland Firefighter

Sponsored by the WI DNR and the UWSP Fire Crew.



- Receive the certifications necessary to qualify as a Firefighter Type 2.
- Gets you ready to apply for summer firefighting jobs across the United States with various federal, state, and local agencies as well as numerous private firefighting contract companies.

Certifications

- **S-130:** Firefighter Training
- **S-190:** Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior
- **L-180:** Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service
- **IS-100.C:** Introduction to the Incident Command System
- **IS-700.B:** An Introduction to the National Incident Management System

Course Schedule

Friday	February 28	12:00 PM – 9:00 PM
Saturday	March 1	8:00 AM – 6:00 PM
Friday	March 7	8:00 AM – 6:00 PM
Saturday	March 8	8:00 AM – 6:00 PM
Sunday	March 9	8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

How To Register

Download a registration form from:

<https://spin.uwsp.edu/firecrew/home/>

Go to "Documents" and download the document named *Spring 2025 Wildland Fire Course Registration Form*.

OR

Pick up an application at the UWSP Fire Crew office (red bulletin board across from office door).

UWSP Fire Crew office: Room 361A Trainer Natural Resources Building
800 Reserve Street
Stevens Point, WI. 54481

Mail or drop off your registration form and course fee to the address above.

Course Fee

\$150 for UWSP Students and WI DNR Employees

\$200 for other agencies and colleges

**Applications Due By
February 21, 2025**

Questions?

Contact the UWSP Fire Crew via email at firecrew@uwsp.edu.

****To register, you must be 18 years or older by March 9, 2025.****

COSTA RICA

TROPICAL BIOLOGY AND ECOLOGY
IN COSTA RICA

PROGRAM DATES: WINTER 2025-26

APPLICATIONS

Meet with the Study
Abroad Adviser in the
**International Education
Resource Center (DUC
203)** & apply online at
studyabroad.uwsp.edu



APPLY TODAY!

Priority Application Deadlines:

Winter Programs: April 1

Late applications accepted.

ACADEMIC LEADERS

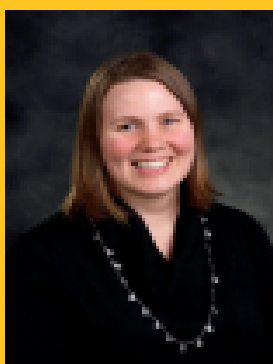


Dr. Christopher Yahnke
Professor of Wildlife
Coordinator of Wildlife
Discipline

Room 346 TNR Building

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Rebecca Roberts
Land Use Specialist and
Interim Director Center for
Land Use Education

Room 207 TNR Building

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Email: roberts@uwsp.edu

Interested in learning from and networking with wastewater professionals?

CSWEA Wastewater Operations Conference

February 27, 2025

8:00am – 3:00pm

DUC Laird Room

Seminar topics:

PFAS in biosolids

Equipment troubleshooting

Emergency preparedness



Visit cswea.org for more information about the meeting.

Student Registration is \$20 (including lunch)

CNR & STEM Student Organization Meetings

Monday

350 Stevens Point 6:30pm CBB 165
Backcountry Hunters and Anglers 7:00pm
TNR 320 (Every other)
Ducks Unlimited 5:00pm TNR 170
Herpetology Society 6:00pm TNR 120

Izaak Walton League 5:00pm TNR 320
(Every other)
Student Law Enforcement Association
6:00pm TNR 170 (Every other)
Women in Natural Resources 6:00pm
TNR 320 (Every other)

Tuesday

**Environmental and Conservation
Planning Club** 6:00pm TNR 359 (Every other)
**Environmental Educators & Naturalists
Association** 6:00pm TNR 120

American Water Resource Association
5:00pm TNR 252
The Wildlife Society 5:00pm TNR 170
Society of Stevens Point 6:30pm TNR 400

Wednesday

Parks and Recreation Association 6:00pm
TNR 120
Ichthyology and Aquarium Science
6:30pm TNR 400
Botany Club 6:00pm CBB 165 (1st and 3rd of
the Month)
Fisheries Society 6:30pm TNR 170
Society for Ecological Restoration 5:00pm
TNR 352

Student Society of Arboriculture 6:00pm
TNR 320 (1st and 4th of the month)
Wisconsin's Green Fire 6:30pm TNR 320
(1st of the Month)
Animal Behavior Club 6:00pm TNR 170
(Every other)
Soil and Water Conservation Society
5:00pm TNR 262
Green Advocates 5:00pm CCC 306 (Every
other)

Thursday

**American Institute of Chemical
Engineering Student Chapter** 5:00pm D279
(3rd of the Month)
Entomology Club 5:00pm CBB 131 (Every
other)
Students for Sustainability 4:00pm (2nd of
the Month) location TBD
**CNR Undergraduate Research
Symposium** 5:00pm TNR 320 (Every other)
Society of Women Engineers 5:00pm SCI
279 (1st of the Month)

Fly Fishing Club 6:00pm CBB 166
Society of American Foresters 5:00pm
TNR 170
Big Dawg Bass Fishing Club 7:00pm CCC
213
Society of Women Engineers 5:00pm SCI
279 (1st of the Month)
Waste Management Society 5:30pm TNR
255
Society of American Foresters 5:00pm
TNR 120
Fire Crew 6:00pm TNR 170

Don't see your student org listed above? Email the CNR Reporter at cnr.reporter@uwsp.edu your student org name, meeting day, time and location to be added to this list.

Click [HERE](#) to check out the SPIN page of the student orgs above.

Looking for a FUN way to Help out?

The Cupboard student food pantry is seeking volunteers. Please email CASEcoc@uwsp.edu to connect with Ally Klug our Cupboard Operations Coordinator.

ALSO...

CASE partners with the Portage County United Way to host [VolunteersRock](#) check out this community site for Events/Organizations in need of volunteers!!

Click these yellow link buttons for more information and opportunities!



CNR JOB BOARD



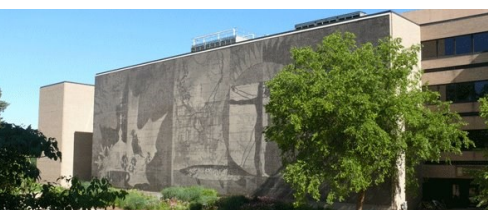
**Professional
Development and
Student Organizations**



**Apply for
Scholarships!**

Do you have news to share in or a photo for the front page of the *CNR Reporter*? Please send all submissions to CNR.Reporter@uwsp.edu by 5pm Thursdays. To view past CNR Reporters, [click here](#).

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Your weekly college dirt