

CNR Reporter



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April 22-26, 2024

PLANT WALKS WITH PEER JACK!

PRACTICE IDENTIFICATION FOR PLANTS FROM
SUMMER FIELD EXPERIENCE PLANT COURSE

4/25, 5/2, 5/9

TIME RANGE HAS CHANGED TO 3 PM-5 PM

WILL MEET IN THE CNR STUDENT SUCCESS CENTER (TNR 122)

ECOFAIR

Around The World

TAKE A TRIP AROUND
THE WORLD AS WE
CELEBRATE EARTH
WEEK!

DATE: APRIL 24, 2024

TIME: 10AM-2PM

LOCATION: DUC LAIRD
ROOM

Hosted by: EENA

CNR Student Success Center

TNR 122
cnrssc@uwsp.edu
715-346-4081

www.uwsp.edu/cnr/ssc/

Office Hours:

8am-5pm Monday-Thursday
8am-1pm Friday

In Person & Zoom appointments available

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

Walk-Ins This Week:

Grace
Tuesday 9am-12pm

WINR PRESENTS

Spring PLANT SALE

**APRIL 23
DUC
9AM-3PM
(AS SUPPLIES LAST)**



**Farm
Tour &
Career
Panel**



Register Here



WPVGA 2024 SPRING STUDENT DAY

Friday, May 3rd 9:30-3
Food & Farm Exploration
Center Plover, WI



WANT TO SEE SOME BIRDS OR JUST GET OUTSIDE?
COME TO CNR SSC PEER NICOLE'S

Schmeeckle Birding Trip

APRIL 25, 2023
11:00AM - 1:00 PM
MEET IN TNR 122

BINOCULARS AND BIRD ID BOOKS PROVIDED



ARTS AND CRAFTS IN THE CNR SSC!



**COME AND DECORATE YOUR
GRADUATION CAP!**

TNR 122
APRIL 29
1:00-4:00PM

CRAFT SUPPLIES PROVIDED,
B.Y.O.C (BRING YOUR OWN CAP)



EARTH WEEK 2024



APRIL 20TH-27TH

ONGOING

Every Day is Earth Day Passport

April 14th-30th

Coffee & Special Drinks

Brewhaus, CPS Cafe, Homegrown, Common Ground, Zest

Mindful Meals

Wicked Willow + CPS Cafe

SAAC Shoe Drive

Champions Hall, NFAC, SCI Bulding, DUC

Sustainable Travel Tips

@uwsp_studyabroad on Instagram

Food Waste Art Display

Lower Debot

SATURDAY, APRIL 20TH

Winter Farmers Market

8am-12pm | Boys & Girls Club

SER Tree Planting

9am | Schmeeckle Visitor Center

“Destress in Nature” Family Program

11am | Schmeeckle Visitor Center

SUNDAY, APRIL 21ST

Chalk the Walk

12pm-4pm | Front of Old Main

One Sky Planetarium Show

2pm | Blocher Planetarium (SCI building)

MONDAY, APRIL 22ND

Planting and Painting (Wausau)

12-2PM | Student Union Wausau Campus

Earth Week Panel Discussion (Marshfield)

3:30-4:30PM | Marshfield STEM Community Rm

Peter Young Speaker

6:30pm | DUC Theatre



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TUESDAY, APRIL 23RD

Chalk the Walk (Wausau Campus)

11am-3pm | Wausau Campus Main Entrance

Marathon Park Stroll - “What Do You See?” (Wausau)

12pm-3pm | Wausau Campus West Entrance

COLS Battery Recycling Event

5-7pm | East lobby of Science Building

Natural History Museum Tour

5-7pm | East lobby of Science Building

WMS & ESIC Earth Week Trivia

7pm | Basement Brewhaus

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24TH

Chalk the Walk (Marshfield)

9am-4pm | Marshfield Campus Commons Courtyard

EENA Eco Fair

10am-2pm | DUC Laird Room

Chalk the Walk (Wausau)

11am-3pm | Wausau Campus Main Entrance

Marathon Park Stroll - “What Do You See?” (Wausau)

12-3pm | Wausau Campus West Entrance

Campus Clean-Up (Marshfield)

1-3pm | Marshfield Campus Commons Courtyard

Make-It-Take-It Workshop

6-8pm | TNR 120

THURSDAY, APRIL 25TH

NAC “Grounds From the Earth” Ecological Talk

12-2pm | Basement Brewhaus

Wausau Campus Clean-Up

1-3pm | Wausau Campus Solution Center

RHA Plant It and Paint It

4:30-6pm | Debot Field

FRIDAY, APRIL 26TH

SER Brush Hauling

8-10am | Schmeeckle Visitor Center

Divestment Rally

2-3pm | DUC (North Entrance)

“Hop, Slither, Swim” Family Nature Program

5pm | Schmeeckle Visitor Center

SATURDAY, APRIL 27TH

Sustainable Saturdays

10am-12pm | Farmshed

Fragile Earth Planetarium Show

2pm | Blocher Planetarium (SCI building)

Fall 2024 Registration: Course Updates

Happy registration! Below are some notes about **fall 2024** and **summer 2024 courses**.

- **Art 111** is open for ART majors ONLY. All seats have been reserved until Art students are done registering. **Art 170** is also full.
- **Phil 381**: American Indian Environmental Philosophies is running **this summer**. This course has a double GEP designation: US Diversity and Humanities.

If you have any questions about registration or need schedule help, please stop in the **CNR SSC this week!**



Free Coffee/Tea/Hot Chocolate every **Thursday** in the CNR Student Success Center (TNR 122)! Students, Faculty, and Staff Welcome!

“UWSP” University Hunting Program

Program Objectives

1. Educate students on the hunter’s role in conservation.
2. Recruit new hunters.

INCLUDES:

- Hunter Education Certification
- Safety Skeet Shoot (9/14/24)
- Mentored Hunt (9/15/24)

Mentored Hunt September 15th

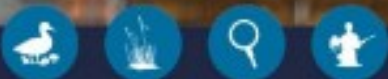
Student participants will be selected based on field of study (ex: wildlife, natural resources, environmental science, biology) and prior hunting experience. Students must receive their hunter education certification and attend shooting day to participate.

Contact: Professor Ben Sedinger with questions:
bsedinge@uwsp.edu

Register at the link or
QR Code below:



https://deltawaterfowifoundation.formstack.com/forms/university_hunting_program_pre_survey_copy



Foundation Forestry Skills Assessment

Please accept the course invitation to the Spring 2024, Foundational Forestry Skills Assessment and start preparing for a Field Assessment.

All 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.

Assessment Level	Approximate Academic Year	Core Courses Completed	Minimum Written Assessment Score	Field Assessment Score Minimum
Introductory	Sophomore	NRES 250 and FOR 232	70%	70%
Intermediate	Junior	FOR 322, and 332	70%	75%

WRITTEN ASSESSMENT

APRIL 17—MAY 8, 2024

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 online from **April 17th through May 8th**. You may complete this online assessment at any point to work towards achieving the written portion at the respective milestone.

COURSE LEAD: Dr. Melinda Vokoun

FIELD ASSESSMENT

APRIL 26, APRIL 30, MAY 1, MAY 3

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 must register for a field assessment opportunity on Canvas. Only four field assessment opportunities will be available on **Friday April 26 and May 5, Tuesday April 30 and Wednesday May 1**. You are encouraged to study to improve your skills and repeat the evaluation at the next available time. The next available time may be the following semester.

FIELD INSTRUCTOR: Dr. Melinda Vokoun

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 (mvokoun@uwsp.edu) to schedule a time to complete the field assessment. You must have justification and have initiated the communication before 5pm CDT, April 25, 2024.

Job Opportunity — TLC Tutor

The Tutoring-Learning Center is seeking a handful of new tutors who can support learners in **one or more of the following areas:**

- content areas—tutoring course material in CNR related courses such as NRES 250 & 251, Forestry, Soils, Waters
- academic coaches—supporting students in time management, organization, and test-taking
- writing—providing help with essays, creative writing projects, and resumes and cover letters

Tutors are responsible for working with UWSP students on coursework in a collaborative learning environment. **Benefits of working at the TLC include:**

- Flexible hours (4-10 per week) in a convenient on-campus work location.
- A starting wage of \$12/hour.
- Increased understanding and perspectives on the subject you tutor as you work with other tutors and learners.
- Development of mentorship, teaching, and communication skills.

For further details and to apply, visit [our website](#). Questions? Don't hesitate to respond to this email or stop into one of the [TLCs many spaces on campus](#).

Click these three separate links for more cool information and opportunities!



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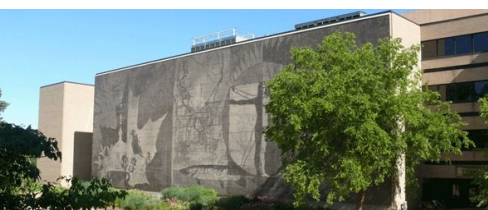
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