



SUMMER & FALL 2024 PROGRAM GUIDE

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DEAR FRIENDS,

This year has already been one to remember. I am stunned by the vibrancy of the natural spaces that surround us. Like many of us, we were told to prepare for drought conditions, and for a while I believed it. But before long, the rains came and brought the entire forest to life. Leaves, wildflowers, dragonflies, migratory birds, fish in the swales, more mushrooms – everything seemed to come to life in an instant. What was predicted to be a bleak season, turned out to be a robust, vibrant, and early spring, especially here in Baileys Harbor. I cannot tell you the number of times I have asked Tony, our Director of Research, “Come on, isn’t it too early for that?” He always reminds me that every year is slightly different, but between the warming temperatures and consistent precipitation, the natural environments surrounding us have come alive.

What does this mean for the summer? I don’t exactly know. But I can hope that this vibrancy maintains and that we can learn from it. Around here we are preparing for earlier bloom times and rapid change all while measuring how these changes compare to years past through citizen science activities like Project Budburst and Monarch Watch among others.

This summer and fall we are diving into the things that make the Sanctuary special. From mushroom forays, healing hikes, and stewardship workshops to monarch madness, a bat wingding and lake lessons – we are excited to present to you a season full of engagement, learning, and take-home knowledge. We strive every day to inspire the conservation of Nature and look forward to doing that with you through an abundance of offerings. Our programs are taught by the most spectacular naturalists, experts, volunteers and friends of The Ridges.

Join us in celebrating another year of beauty, another year of stewardship and another year of inspiration. I cannot wait to see you soon!

Together in conservation,



Katie Krouse
Executive Director

Join us for the 2nd Annual Citizen Science Symposium on October 26, 2024!

Sanctuary Story Hour Series

Saturdays, June 8th, July 13th & August 10th, 10:00AM–11:00AM

Fee: Free

Bring your budding naturalists to our Sanctuary Story Hour! Each month you will hear a Ridges staff member read a nature-themed story at a new location in the Sanctuary. At the end of the story, make a fun nature craft to take home before heading out to explore the trails and swales!

Meet: Cook-Albert Fuller Nature Center



Pollinator Week

June 17th–June 23rd

The Ridges is celebrating National Pollinator Week! Pollinators are a critical part of the agricultural industry, providing pollination of crops. They also help the populations of native plants that they pollinate reproduce, having a positive impact on their ecosystem. Protecting pollinators is a necessary part of protecting The Ridges’ native habitat. In 2017, we planted pollinator gardens in the front of our nature center. Each year, these gardens provide a food source and habitat for pollinator species in our ecosystem, including bees, butterflies, flies, ants, hummingbirds, bats, and insects. During Pollinator Week at The Ridges, we’ll have a display table in our exhibit with resources and free native seed packets to help pollinators thrive in your local habitat. We’ll also highlight items from our Nature Store that focus on pollinators!

Ridges Healing Hike With Author Jess Grasse

Friday, June 21st, 1:00PM–3:00PM

Fee: Public \$15 | Member \$12 | 16 & Under \$7

Experience the hike featured in the meditative book, *Healing Hikes of Door County*, with author Jess Grasse! Enjoy the beauty of the Sanctuary during this reflective and restorative experience. The program will start at the Cabins with a conversation with Jess, then we’ll embark on the healing hike, stopping to practice a meditation from the book, journal, and enjoy a snack. Suitable for ages 12 & up.

Location: Cook-Albert Fuller Nature Center

FEATURED PROGRAMS



Family Hiking



Mushroom Workshop



Swales & Ales / Boos & Brews



Bat House Workshop

Summer in The Sanctuary

Wednesday, August 14th, 1:00PM–4:00PM

Fee: Adults \$5 | 18 & Under \$Free

Join us for summer in the Sanctuary! Explore the Ridges Nature Center and Hidden Brook Boardwalk with nature-themed stations during this family-friendly event. This program is part of a series of Wisconsin Land Trust Days Events offered from July–September. For more information, go to gatheringwaters.org.

Location: Cook–Albert Fuller Nature Center

Mushrooms of The Ridges with Charlotte Lukes

Friday, August 16th & Thursday, September 12th, 1:30PM–3:30PM

Fee: Public \$25 | Member \$20

Join Door County's mushroom expert as she leads you through the fungi of The Ridges Sanctuary. Charlotte will go over fungal biology and ecology, then take the group out on a hike through the Sanctuary to identify mushrooms.

Meet: Kaye Cabin at The Ridges Sanctuary, 8288 Cty. Q, Baileys Harbor, WI

Swales & Ales

Thursday, September 26th & October 10th, 3:00PM–6:00PM

Fee: Public \$35 | Member \$30

Explore The Ridges Sanctuary with Ridges Naturalists and discover what plants in and around Door County might be used to create different flavor profiles when brewing beer. After walking the ridges and discussing some nature inspired brews, we will head over to Sway Brewing to learn about the beer making process. Program fee includes Ridges Pint Glass and Brewery pour. In partnership with Sway Brewing + Blending – Must be 21 years or older to participate.

Location: Cook–Albert Fuller Nature Center



Wisconsin Bat Wingding

Friday, October 18th

Presentation: 2:00PM–3:30PM | Workshop: 3:30PM

Fees: Presentation: Public \$8 | Member \$5
12 & Under Free

Workshop: Public \$45 | Member \$40

Get to Know Wisconsin's Bats Presentation

Curious about Wisconsin's bats? Want to know more about White Nose Syndrome? Join us for a presentation all about Wisconsin bat species, White Nose Syndrome, and current population data.

Location: Cook–Albert Fuller Nature Center

Bat House Workshop

Build your own bat house to hang on your property! We'll help you assemble your own bat house and give you instructions on hanging and maintenance so you can provide important shelter for native bat species.

Location: Ridges Workshop

To register for programs, visit RidgesSanctuary.org or call (920) 839–2802

LAKE LESSONS



Sucker Monitoring



Range Light Corridor

The Ridges honors its history of accessible and impactful conservation education through Lake Lessons. These evening programs feature topics about the Great Lakes and surrounding habitats by experts from around the Midwest. All programs are free and donations are appreciated! Pre-registration is requested due to limited space.

Sucker Migration with Dr. Karen Murchie

Thursday, June 20th, 6:00PM–7:30PM

Join Dr. Karen Murchie, Director of Freshwater Research at Shedd Aquarium in Chicago, to learn about migratory fishes. Dr. Murchie's research program is focused on suckers, which are an important native species in the Great Lakes. Karen will share how she uses technology as well as an incredible network of volunteers across three states, to fill in the knowledge gaps for these animals.

Location: Cook-Albert Fuller Nature Center

Wilderness, Water & Rust: A Journey toward Great Lakes Resilience – Author Talk with Jane Elder

Tuesday, June 25th, 6:00PM–7:30PM

Wilderness, Water, and Rust: A Journey toward Great Lakes Resilience asks us to consider what we value about life in the Great Lakes region and how caring for its remarkable ecosystems might help us imagine new, whole futures. Weaving together memories from her life in the upper Midwest with nearly fifty years of environmental policy advocacy work, join Jane Elder as she provides a uniquely moving insider's perspective into the quest to protect the Great Lakes and surrounding public lands.

Location: Cook-Albert Fuller Nature Center

Stewardship of Maritime Heritage in the Great Lakes with John Wyrostek

Thursday, July 18th, 6:00PM–7:30PM

Curious about shipwrecks in the Great Lakes? Join John Wyrostek, President of Friends of Point Beach, as he details the research being done in the Wisconsin Shipwreck Coast National Marine Sanctuary and the rich history and stories of the Shipwrecks of Rawley Point in Two Rivers, Wisconsin. Look at and discuss shipwreck artifacts that have washed up and continue to be washed up on the shores of Point Beach from the last 160 years.

Location: Cook-Albert Fuller Nature Center

Path to Fisheries Research and Management with Hickey Bros Research

Thursday, August 15th, 6:00PM–7:30PM

Join Hickey Bros on an exploration into operational expertise in fisheries assessment and data collection, as well as expanding research projects that Hickey Bros Research, LLC completed locally and across the inland Northwest. Hickey Bros Research, LLC has longstanding professional relationships with state, federal, and tribal agencies focusing on fisheries research. Learn about their objective to collaborate with the scientific community to assist in managing invasive species and restoring native ecosystems to continue the commercial fishing tradition in Door County and further the Wisconsin waters of Lake Michigan.

Location: Cook-Albert Fuller Nature Center

MONARCH MADNESS



Tagged Monarch



Monarch Education

Have you ever seen a butterfly chrysalis or found a monarch caterpillar munching on a milkweed plant? Join us for this year's Monarch Madness event, where you can learn all about this important migratory butterfly species! This year, Monarch Madness will span a week in August to raise awareness of decreasing Monarch populations. We'll discuss the threats Monarchs face and how we can help support the populations we have in Wisconsin!

Daily Tagging Events

Monday, August 19th through

Friday, August 23rd, 1:30PM-2:00PM

Fee: \$5 per tag when available

Stop by the Nature Center during Monarch Madness, where Ridges staff will be on hand to answer questions and teach visitors about monarch caterpillars and butterfly migration. Each day we'll be doing demonstrations about the tagging process and tag butterflies that are ready to head out on their journey. The Ridges receives tags from the non-profit organization Monarch Watch, which we apply to the migrating monarch butterflies before they are released at the end of August. Tag or sponsor a monarch for \$5 per tag while supplies last. Tagging kits available to take home for \$5 per tag. Suitable for families of all ages.

Location: Cook-Albert Fuller Nature Center

Milkweed Workshop

Thursday, August 22nd, 2:00PM-3:00PM

Fee: Free

Curious about the ecological benefits of gardening with native plants like milkweed? Join us for this workshop to learn about providing habitat and food for pollinators and other organisms and how to plant a native garden. Learn tips on seed dispersal and planting milkweed, the only plant that monarch butterflies lay eggs on, and monarch caterpillars feed on. At the end of the presentation, take home a mix of Ridges Pollinator native seeds.

Location: Cook-Albert Fuller Nature Center

Monarch Story Hour

Friday, August 23rd, 10:00AM-11:30AM

Fee: Free

Bring your budding entomologists to our Monarch Story Hour for young children and families at the Family Discovery Trail! Hear Ridges staff read a story about this magnificent species and learn about their life cycle and annual migration. At the end of the story, make a fun craft to take home before heading out to explore the Discovery Trail to look for caterpillars in a monarch milkweed habitat. Suitable for families with young children.

Location: Family Discovery Trail, 8297 Hwy 57, Baileys Harbor



Family Story Hour

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
JUNE Pollinator Week 17th–23rd						Early Bird Hikes 6:30AM Guided Hike 10AM 1
2	Guided Hike 10AM 3	Guided Hike 10AM 4	Guided Hike 10AM 5 Logan Creek Guided Hike 1PM	Guided Hike 10AM 6	Guided Hike 10AM 7	Early Bird Hikes 6:30AM 8 Guided Hike 10AM Sanctuary Story Hour 10AM
9	Guided Hike 10AM 10	Invasive Species Workdays 9AM Guided Hike 10AM 11	Guided Hike 10AM 12	Logan Creek Workday 9AM 13 Guided Hike 10AM	Guided Hike 10AM 14	Early Bird Hikes 6:30AM 15 Guided Hike 10AM
16	Guided Hike 10AM 17	Guided Hike 10AM 18	Guided Hike 10AM 19 Appel's Bluff Guided Hike 1PM	Stewardship Workshop 9AM 20 Guided Hike 10AM Lake Lesson 6PM	Guided Hike 10AM 21 Ridges Healing Hike 1PM	Early Bird Hikes 6:30AM 22 Guided Hike 10AM
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28	Guided Hike 10AM 29	Guided Hike 10AM 30	Guided Hike 10AM 31	JULY		

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JUNE / JULY / AUGUST / SEPTEMBER

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
AUGUST				Guided Hike 10AM 1	Guided Hike 10AM 2	Guided Hike 10AM 3 Annual Meeting 4PM
4	Guided Hike 10AM 5	Guided Hike 10AM 6	Guided Hike 10AM 7 Logan Creek Hike 1PM	Guided Hike 10AM 8	Guided Hike 10AM 9 Night Hike 8PM	Guided Hike 10AM 10 Sanctuary Story Hour 10AM
11	Guided Hike 10AM 12	Invasive Species Workday 9AM Guided Hike 10AM 13	Guided Hike 10AM 14 Summer in The Sanctuary 1PM	Logan Creek Workday 9AM 15 Guided Hike 10AM Lake Lesson 6PM	Guided Hike 10AM 16 Mushroom Workshop 1:30PM Night Hike 8PM	Guided Hike 10AM 17
18	Guided Hike 10AM 19 Monarch Tagging Events 1:30PM	Guided Hike 10AM 20 Monarch Tagging Events 1:30PM	Guided Hike 10AM 21 Appel's Bluff Hike 1PM Monarch Tagging Events 1:30PM	Stewardship Workshop 9AM 22 Guided Hike 10AM Monarch Tagging Events 1:30PM Milkweed Workshop 2PM	Guided Hike 10AM 23 Monarch Story Hour 10AM Monarch Tagging Events 1:30PM Night Hike 8PM	Guided Hike 10AM 24
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22	Guided Hike 10AM 23	Guided Hike 10AM 24	Guided Hike 10AM 25	Guided Hike 10AM 26 Swales & Ales 3PM	Guided Hike 10AM 27 Night Hike 7PM	Fall Workday 9AM 28 Guided Hike 10AM
29	Guided Hike 10AM 30	SEPTEMBER				

The Ridges Sanctuary is committed to providing programs and events that are accessible to people regardless of age and ability. For more information, go to RidgesSanctuary.org/visit-us/access/

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OCTOBER

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OCTOBER		Guided Hike 10AM 1	Guided Hike 10AM 2	Guided Hike 10AM 3	Guided Hike 10AM 4 Night Hike 6PM	Guided Hike 10AM 5
6	Guided Hike 10AM 7	Guided Hike 10AM 8	Guided Hike 10AM 9	Guided Hike 10AM 10 Swales & Ales 3PM	Guided Hike 10AM 11 Bat Chats Guided Night Hike 6PM	Guided Hike 10AM 12
13	Guided Hike 10AM 14	Guided Hike 10AM 15	Guided Hike 10AM 16	Guided Hike 10AM 17	Guided Hike 10AM 18 Bat Wingding Presentation 2PM Bat House Workshop 3:30PM Night Hike 6PM	Guided Hike 10AM 19
20	Guided Hike 10AM 21	Guided Hike 10AM 22	Guided Hike 10AM 23	Guided Hike 10AM 24 Boos & Brews 3PM	Guided Hike 10AM 25	Halloween Hike 5PM 26
27	Guided Hike 10AM 28	Guided Hike 10AM 29	Guided Hike 10AM 30	Guided Hike 10AM 31		

HALLOWEEN EVENTS

Boos & Brews

Thursday, October 24th, 3:00PM–6:00PM

Fee: Public \$35 | Member \$30

Think Swales and Ales but Spooky Edition! Explore The Ridges Sanctuary with Ridges Naturalists and discover what plants in and around Door County might be used to create different flavor profiles when brewing beer. After walking the ridges and discussing some nature inspired brews, we will head over to Sway Brewing to learn about the beer making process. Program fee includes Ridges Pint Glass and Brewery pour. Must be 21 years or older to participate.

Location: Cook-Albert Fuller Nature Center



Halloween Hike

Saturday, October 26th, 5:00PM–7:00PM

Fee: Adults \$8 | Children \$5

Come hike the boardwalk if you dare! Special Halloween-themed stations along Hidden Brook Boardwalk will highlight creepy critters and spooky sights of The Ridges Sanctuary. If you make it to the Upper Range Light, prepare yourself for a ghostly encounter... This event is appropriate for families of all ages. Flashlights will be provided to you for the duration of your hike. Costumes are encouraged!

Location: Cook-Albert Fuller Nature Center

Visit RidgesSanctuary.org for more information

EXPLORATORY HIKES



Appel's Bluff Hikes



Hidden Brook Boardwalk

Summer Sanctuary Guided Hikes

Mondays–Saturdays, through August 31st (excluding July 4th), 10:00AM–Noon

Fee: Public \$10 | Member \$7 | 16 & Under Free

Join a naturalist for an exploration of The Ridges Sanctuary. We'll head out on the trails to learn about the history of The Ridges, the unique features of the Sanctuary habitats, and what makes the Sanctuary the most biologically diverse area in Wisconsin! This guided hike includes a tour of our Upper Range Light, which has been restored to the period of the last Range Light Keeper. Suitable for all ages.

Location: Cook–Albert Fuller Nature Center

Early Bird Hikes

Saturdays 6:30AM–8:30AM, through June

Fee: Public \$5 | Member Free

Head out with Ridges Naturalists to learn and identify the morning birds at The Ridges Sanctuary and surrounding Baileys Harbor habitats. Make sure you bring your binoculars. You won't want to miss our early morning friends!

Location: Cabins at The Ridges Sanctuary, 8288 Cty. Q, Baileys Harbor, WI

Night Hikes on the Boardwalk

Fridays, August–November

Fee: Public \$15 | Member \$12 | 16 & Under \$7

Owls, bats, and Range Lights, oh my! Come explore The Ridges at night. On this two-hour guided hike, you will learn about the creatures that become active after the sun goes down and check out The Range Lights at work as a navigational aid. (Dress appropriately and please no flashlights, light up shoes, etc. as we want our eyes to adjust to the dark and to be able to see just as the animals do at night.) For dates and times, see calendar or go to RidgesSanctuary.org.

Location: Cook–Albert Fuller Nature Center

Fall Sanctuary Guided Hikes

Mondays–Saturdays, September 2nd through October 31st (excluding October 26th),

10:00AM–11:30AM

Fee: Public \$10 | Member \$7 | 16 & Under Free

Join a naturalist for a fall hike at The Ridges Sanctuary! We'll head out on the trails to learn about the history of The Ridges, the unique features of the Sanctuary habitats, and some of the fall changes you'll see along the way. This guided hike includes a tour of our Upper Range Light, which has been restored to the period of the last Range Light Keeper. Suitable for all ages.

Meet: Cook–Albert Fuller Nature Center

Bat Chats Guided Night Hike

Friday, October 11th, 6:00PM–8:00PM

Fee: Public \$15 | Member \$12 | 16 & Under \$7

Let's chat about Wisconsin Bats! Join Ridges staff on a hike through the Sanctuary, stopping to learn about the unique adaptations and life cycle of bats. Stop along the way to capture bats on an acoustic monitor. Suitable for ages 14 & up.

Meet: Cook–Albert Fuller Nature Center

Logan Creek Hikes

June 5th, July 3rd, August 7th, 1:00PM–3:00PM

Fee: Public \$15 | Member \$12 | 16 & Under \$7

Explore the beautiful landscape of this 170-acre parcel on Clark Lake featuring upland hardwood forest, lowland cedar-hemlock forest and frontage along Clark Lake and Logan Creek. Moderate to easy hiking. Wear appropriate footwear and bring binoculars if desired. Pre-registration is required.

Meet: At the Logan Trailhead in Jacksonport, 5724 Loritz Road

Appel's Bluff Hikes

June 19th, July 17th, August 21st, 1:00PM–3:00PM

Fee: Public \$15 | Member \$12 | 16 & Under \$7

Join a naturalist to explore this varied landscape featuring ledges, a hardwood forest, and open fields. We'll meet at the Cook–Albert Fuller Nature Center and then carpool to the trailhead. Moderate to easy hike. Pre-registration is required.

Meet: Cook–Albert Fuller Nature Center

CALL FOR ACTION

Stewardship Workshop Series

Thursdays, 9:00AM–11:30AM

June 20th, Wetland Management

July 25th, Conserving Biodiversity

August 22nd, Soil Health

September 12th, Climate Change Resiliency

Fee: Public \$30 | Member \$25

You are invited to take part in The Ridges Stewardship Workshop Series. These talks will focus on local environmental issues and what landowners can do to better steward their own property. Land Manager Sam Hoffman will lead discussions and demonstrate different techniques ranging from plant identification and invasive species control, to promoting diverse wildlife habitats in your own backyard.

Meet: Cook-Albert Fuller Nature Center



Invasive Species Workdays



Logan Creek Workday

VOLUNTEER WORKDAYS

Invasive Species Workdays

Tuesdays, 9:00AM–12:00PM,

June 11th, July 16th, August 13th, September 17th

Come help with invasive species projects at The Ridges! Work will involve removing and bagging invasive plants. Wear appropriate footwear, pants, long sleeves, and gloves.

Location: Cook-Albert Fuller Nature Center

Logan Creek Workdays

Thursdays, 9:00AM–12:00PM

June 13th, July 18th, August 15th, September 19th

Join staff and volunteers in helping with various projects at The Ridges' Logan Creek preserve located on the shore of Clark Lake. Activities may include trail and boardwalk work, invasive species control and general site maintenance. Come dressed appropriately for moderate hiking and for the potential of working in wet conditions.

Meet: Logan Creek preserve parking lot, 5724 Loritz Road, Jacksonport

Fall Workday

Saturday, September 28th, 9:00AM–12:00PM

Love fall and spending time outdoors? Join the Ridges for our Fall Volunteer Workday! Our Fall Workday is open to volunteers of all abilities, ages and skill sets. Activities include garden maintenance, storage organization, and general cleanup and preparation for the winter season. The workday will begin at 9:00AM and end with a lunch at 12:00PM.

Location: Cook-Albert Fuller Nature Center

VOLUNTEER

Make an Impact!

Ridges volunteers create a meaningful experience for everyone who visits the Sanctuary. Join our Front Desk team, Wednesday Crew, Range Light Docents, pollinator garden keepers, and more!

For more information and to participate in volunteer workdays, contact Ridges Land Manager Sam Hoffman at sam@ridgessanctuary.org or call (920) 839-2802, ext. 108.

Visit RidgesSanctuary.org for more information

Citizen Science Symposium

Saturday, October 26th, 9:00AM-12:00PM

Save the date for our annual Citizen Science Symposium! We will provide the opportunity for our Citizen Scientists along with the public to gather in celebration of a successful field season. With a mix of social time, amusing anecdotes, and a light breakfast, the focus of the Symposium is on the great research that our Citizen Scientists are performing. Brief reports from The Ridges Sanctuary, Crossroads at Big Creek, Climate Change Coalition of Door County and the Door County Land Trust volunteers will highlight this event. A call for presenters from our various Citizen Scientist programs will be forthcoming.

Location: Cook-Albert Fuller Nature Center



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**Crossroads
at Big Creek**
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ANNUAL MEETING

**Join us for the 87th
Ridges Sanctuary Annual Meeting.
Saturday, August 3rd, 2024,
4:00PM-8:00PM**

**About Thyme Farm,
8425 County Road F, Baileys Harbor**
Fee: Member \$35 | 18 & Under \$20

Schedule of Events:

4:00PM Member Mix & Mingle

*Silent Auction Opens

5:00PM Business Meeting of The Ridges
and Board Member Election

6:15PM Family Style Dinner and Social

Join us for a celebration of our past year's accomplishments and socialize among peers and neighbors in conservation. Our membership remains at the center of our operation, and we truly cannot do what we do without you. We hope to see you there and look forward to celebrating with you!

Details for the board member election and meeting resources can be found at
<https://www.ridgessanctuary.org/annual-meeting/>
or scan the qr code.



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