

For Immediate Release – 4/8/24

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Waushara County Land Conservation & Zoning is Offering Scholarships for Wisconsin Middle and High School Conservation Camps

There are 2 Scholarships being offered to Waushara County middle school (**Scholarship of \$200 is available**) and high school (**Scholarship of \$350 is available**) for students towards registration in one of the two summer conservation camps in Wisconsin. Waushara County is asking applicants to send along an essay explaining why they are interested in attending Conservation Camp. Please submit your essay by April 30th. These camps offer students the chance to enjoy Conservation Projects, Forestry & Wildlife Biology, Archery, Lake Research, Nature Hikes, Canoeing, Hiking, Fishing, meeting new friends, and swimming. Students interested in Natural Resources along with being outdoors will gain valuable insight into the conservation of our natural resources.

Middle School Youth (entering 6-8th grade in fall) are invited to participate in the **Wisconsin Land + Water Conservation Camp**, June 9-12, 2024 at **Upham Woods Conservation Camp** in the WI Dells. The fee is \$300 by May 17th (Cancellations after this date will not be refunded) includes meals, snacks, lodging, and a t-shirt and all activities/programs.

High School Youth (entering 9-12th grade in fall; must be 17 or under) are invited to participate in the **Wisconsin Land + Water Conservation Camp**, June 17-20, 2024 at the **North Lakeland Discovery Center Conservation Camp** in Manitowish Waters the fee is \$450 (Cancellations after this date will not be refunded) includes meals, snacks, lodging, and a t-shirt and all activities/programs.

For Each Camp Please Visit:

<https://wisconsinlandwater.org/our-work/youth-education/conservation-camp>.

The deadline for registration is May 31, 2023. If you have any questions, contact Kim Warkentin - kim@wisconsinlandwater.org 608) 441-2677

The deadline for Waushara County students to submit an essay and the camp registration form in order to apply for one of the two scholarships is May 1, 2024, first come, first serve. Contact Laura Johnson at the Waushara County Land Conservation Department – 920-787-0443, Mon. – Fri. 9-1:00 or at lcd.zoning.courthouse@co.waushara.wi.us with any questions.