Cable Natural History Museum
2017 Summer Calendar of Events

Museum Hours:
Tuesday—Saturday 10:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.
Summer Extended Hours:
June 19 to August 14
Mondays 10:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.

Please pre-register for classes ONLINE when it is mentioned in the program description. All registration classes are subject to cancellation due to low registration.

For information and registration visit our NEW online reservation service at cablemuseum.org!

Scholarships are available for some programs! Just ask Deb!

Talon Talk Live Raptor Programs: Wednesdays 1:30-2:30 p.m.
Meet the Museum’s live education raptors in person! Learn all about the amazing world of birds of prey. July 5 through August 30. Please come early to find a seat. Donations welcome.

Hatha Yoga at the Museum: Mondays, 8:30-10:00 a.m.
Join Joan Shumway for an exploration of yoga asana, whether you are new to yoga or have been practicing for many lifetimes. All ages and stages welcome! Please bring your own mat. June 12-August 14. Registration required. Cost is $100 member/$125 non-member for the ten week series or $12 member/$15 non-member per class.

Snake Feeding: Saturdays at 10:00 a.m.
June 24 through August 26. Donations welcome.

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Nature Lab: Fridays 10:00 a.m.-noon. June 30-August 25
Drop in to the Museum’s classroom to discover something new about nature! Each week is different, so come to them all!

Living Light Photography Contest
This photo contest invites people of ALL ages to get outside and observe things in their natural light. We encourage photographers to focus on living things and natural processes powered by the Sun, and highlighted by interesting light. Photos must be taken between June 1, and August 31, 2017. Photos must be submitted by August 31, 2017. Visit our website for more information. Presented in memory of Seddie Cogswell, with generous support from James Netz Photography.

May
Saturday, May 27
Exhibit Open House:
Better Together
Celebrating a Natural Community
Stop by the Museum to celebrate our 50th Birthday Year and learn about the amazing partnerships that make our world go round. Refreshments will be served from 10:00 a.m. to noon. Free admission all day. Donations welcome.

June
Monday, June 5 through Saturday June 10
Wisconsin Master Naturalist Volunteer Training Course
The WMN Volunteer Training Course is a 40-hour series of classes and field trips. The course covers geology, ecology, plant communities, wildlife, interpretation, water, water life, and human impacts through lectures and field trips with local experts. Become a certified naturalist! Cost is $250. For more info, email emily@cablemuseum.org.
To register, visit wimasternaturalist.org.*

Saturday, June 10
Nature Fest!
Join us for fun and learning at the Museum from 10:00 a.m. to noon! Wisconsin Master Naturalist Volunteers will be eager to share their new nature knowledge. Hands-on activities! Games! Fun for kids, adults, and the whole family! Donations welcome.

St. Croix River Association
Tuesday, June 13
The River Revealed
Visit the River Ambassador to plan your next river adventure and learn about the plants and animals in this amazing, local National Park. 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. at the Museum.

Wisconsin Master Naturalist
Wednesday, June 14
Memory Day at the Museum
Do you have stories to tell and memories to share? Join us from 1:00-3:00 p.m. at the Museum for a chance to talk about your memories of the Museum, Mrs. Burke, and Lois Nestel. An invited speaker will start us off with a short presentation at 1:00, and then everyone can join in. We’ll be recording stories for oral history, too. Once the stories slow, participants can walk to the Cable-Namakagon Historical Museum to spark more stories with photos and artifacts. Refreshments will be served. Contact Joanne Cleary, clagoon@cheqnet.net, for more information about participating. Online registration requested as an RSVP for this free program.

Thursday, June 15
The Great Wisconsin Bird-A-Thon!
The Museum’s “Namakagon Naturalists” team will try to find as many bird species as possible in one day to support bird conservation throughout Wisconsin. You can help! Join one or more of the birding trips below and help us meet our fundraising goal by donating to our team page at wibirdathon.org.

*online registration required

Connecting YOU to the Northwoods!
Thursday, June 15
Birding at the Cable Community Farm
Varied habitats and a fresh breeze make the fields and forests of the Cable Community Farm a perfect place to look for bluebirds, hawks, and more. Join Naturalist Haley Appleman for a leisurely stroll with binoculars. Meet at 13765 Perry Lake Road, just one mile north of Cable from 7:00-9:00 a.m. Online registration required by June 14. $5 member/$7 non-member.*

Thursday, June 15
Birding by Kayak
Participate in the Great Wisconsin Birdathon while paddling the Namekagon River! Paddlers of all experience levels are welcome; basic kayaking and birding skills will be taught. Meet at the Museum at 10:00 a.m. Return by 2:00 p.m. Pack your own lunch in a waterproof container and dress for the weather. Space is limited. Register online by June 12. $40 member/$48 non-member.*

Thursday, June 15
Owl Prowl
Participate in the Great Wisconsin Birdathon! Join a naturalist on a nighttime hike to learn about the natural history of Wisconsin’s owls and try calling in barred owls. Meet at the Forest Lodge Nature Trail 10 miles east of Cable, on Garmisch Road, at 8:00 p.m. to learn more about nature’s best mouse trap and maybe see or hear one up close! Donations welcome.

Friday, June 16
Rivers Are Alive
Explore the world of the Namekagon River with a River Ambassador. Step into the river with nets and discover what lies beneath the water’s surface. Bring water shoes and dress for getting wet! We’ll meet at a different landing each week. Check cablemuseum.org or call to find out where! 10:00-11:30 a.m. Donations welcome.

Friday, June 16
Be a River Steward!
Join a River Ambassador to make a difference! Projects will include identifying or removing invasive species, picking up trash, or learning more about what you can do to help! Trips will embark at 1:00 p.m. and return by 4:00 p.m. Kayaks are provided with online registration, or bring your own. Check our website for the weekly project, and register online by the Tuesday prior to reserve your boat.*

Saturday, June 17
BIOLITZ!
In a 7 hour period, we will bring natural resource experts together in an effort to inventory all the organisms that inhabit a site in the Cable Area. We will catalog all the trees, plants, insects, amphibians, reptiles, birds, mammals, and fungi we encounter throughout the day. Expand your Northwoods nature knowledge as you tag along and interact with our fleet of experts! Lunch provided for the first 10 registrants. Join us for all or part of the day from 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Come back to the site at 9:00 p.m. for a survey of nocturnal insects and birds! Check our website for more information as the details emerge. Online registration required by June 16 for this free program.*

Saturday, June 17
Fairy Treasures Playgroup
Wear your fairy wings! Build fairy houses made of bark, moss, and other natural objects. Look outdoors for new discoveries. Kids ages 3-6 and their families can experience the Museum’s Wayside Wanderings Natural Play Area with Sue Thurn. 10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. at 43135 Randyse Road in Cable. Drop-ins are welcome, but online registration by June 16 is appreciated. $6 member/$8 non-member per family.

Saturday, June 20
Junior Naturalists Begin!
Check page 10 for descriptions of all the programs!

Tuesday, June 20
The River Revealed
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Wednesday, June 21
Forest Lodge Tour
Explore the fascinating history and architectural design of the Forest Lodge Historic District. The estate is nestled among 872 acres of old growth forest in the heart of the Chequamegon-Nicolet National and situated along Lake Namekagon’s pristine shoreline. Dress for the weather and walking on uneven surfaces. Meet the Northland College guide at the Forest Lodge Nature Trail parking lot at 9 a.m. and return by 11 a.m. Online registration required. $5 per person.*

Wednesday, June 21
Talon Talk Live Raptor Program
Meet the Museum’s live education raptors in person! Learn all about the amazing world of birds of prey from Naturalist Haley Appleman. 1:30-2:30 p.m. Please come early to find a seat. Donations welcome.

Thursday, June 22
Kayak the Namekagon River
Experience the wonders of this dynamic National Park with the River Ambassador! Paddlers of all experience levels are welcome; basic kayaking skills will be taught. Meet at the Thompson Bridge canoe landing at 10:00 a.m., then shuttle to Cable Wayside Landing. Return by 2:00 p.m. Pack your own lunch in a waterproof container and dress for the weather. Space is limited. Register online by June 19. $40 member/$48 non-member.*

Friday, June 23
Medium Organizer Basket Class for Beginners
Adult Naturalist Program
Join instructor Jean Carryl to craft this simple basket which is just right for a beginning weaver. At 10 inches in diameter and 7 inches high, it is the perfect storage basket for any room in your home. You will practice the basics such as start/stop weaving and twining. If you’ve already experienced two or more of Jean’s classes, please sit this one out and let a new weaver learn! 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. at the Museum. Space is limited. Online registration required by June 16. $40 member/$45 non-member.*

Saturday, June 24
Mad Hatter Tea Party Playgroup
Wear your favorite hat! Kids ages 3-6 and their families can experience the Museum’s Wayside Wanderings Natural Play Area with Sue Thurn. 10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. at 43135 Randyse Road in Cable. Drop-ins are welcome, but online registration by June 23 is appreciated. $6 member/$8 non-member per family.

Saturday, June 24
Biodiversity Tour at the Cable Community Farm
Join the Museum’s Pollinator Intern for a tour of the exciting diversity growing at the Farm. You’ll see the native flower gardens planted just for the pollinators, as well as the Community Orchard, Community Vineyard, and beekeeping operation! Meet at 13765 Perry Lake Road, just one mile north of Cable, from 2:00-3:00 p.m. Donations welcome.

Saturday, June 24
Owl Prowl
Join Naturalist Susan Thurn on a nighttime hike to learn about the natural history of Wisconsin’s owls and try calling in barred owls. Meet at the North End Trailhead on Randyse Road at 8:00 p.m. to learn more about nature’s best mouse trap and maybe see or hear one up close! Donations welcome.

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Tuesday, June 27
The River Revealed
Visit the River Ambassador to plan your next river adventure and learn about the plants and animals in this amazing, local National Park. 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. at the Museum.

Wednesday, June 28
Talon Talk Live Raptor Program
Meet the Museum's live education raptors in person! Learn all about the amazing world of birds of prey from Naturalist Haley Appleman. 1:30-2:30 p.m. Please come early to find a seat. Donations welcome.

Thursday, June 29
Kayak the Namekagon River with FLIP
Students going into grades 6-12 can experience the wonders of this dynamic National Park with a National Park Ranger and River Ambassador! Basic kayaking and safety skills will be taught. All equipment is provided. Call ahead to find out where to meet at 10:00 a.m. Return by 3:00 p.m. Pack your own lunch in a waterproof container and dress for the weather. Space is limited. Online registration required by June 20 for this free program.*

The Forest Lab Intermediate Program (FLIP) is a series of programs for students in grades 6-12.

Friday, June 30
Rivers Are Alive
Explore the world of the Namekagon River with a River Ambassador. Step into the river with nets and discover what lies beneath the water’s surface. Bring water shoes and dress for getting wet! We’ll meet at a different landing each week. Check cablemuseum.org or call to find out where! 10:00-11:30 a.m. Donations welcome.

Friday, June 30
Be a River Steward!
Join a River Ambassador to make a difference! Projects will include identifying or removing invasive species, picking up trash, or learning more about what you can do to help! Trips will embark at 1:00 p.m. and return by 4:00 p.m. Kayaks are provided with registration, or bring your own. Check our website for the weekly project, and register online by the Tuesday prior to reserve your boat. Donations welcome.*

Friday, June 30
Pollinator Party at the Farm
Families and adults can join the Museum’s Pollinator Intern for education and stewardship in the native flower gardens planted just for the pollinators, as well as other areas of the Cable Community Farm that serve the bees. Meet at 13765 Perry Lake Road, just one mile north of Cable, from 3:00-4:00 p.m. Donations welcome.

July
Saturday, July 1
Harry Potter Playgroup
Bring your magic wand! Kids ages 3-6 and their families can experience the Museum’s Wayside Wanderings Natural Play Area with Sue Thurn. 10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. at 43135 Randyse Road in Cable. Drop-ins are welcome, but online registration by June 30 is appreciated. $6 member/$8 non-member per family.

Saturday, July 1
Frog Call Concert
Have you heard them? Frog lovers of all ages can stop by the classroom between 10:30 a.m. and noon to learn more about the frogs in your lake, stream or woods! Listen to and learn to identify by call all of Wisconsin's 12 frogs. Learn a bit about frog biology and some amazing frog adaptations. Donations welcome.

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Tuesday, July 4th
Come watch the Junior Naturalists in the parade at 11:00 a.m. The Museum will be open from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Wednesday, July 5
Forest Lodge Tour
Explore the fascinating history and architectural design of the Forest Lodge Historic District. The estate is nestled among 872 acres of old growth forest in the heart of the Chequamegon-Nicolet National Forest and along Lake Namakagon’s pristine shoreline. Dress for the weather and walking on uneven surfaces. Meet the Northland College guide at the Forest Lodge Nature Trail parking lot at 9 a.m. and return by 11 a.m. Online registration required. $5 per person.*

Wednesday, July 5
Talon Talk Live Raptor Program
Meet the Museum’s live education raptors in person! Learn all about the amazing world of birds of prey from Naturalist Haley Appleman. 1:30-2:30 p.m. Please come early to find a seat. Donations welcome.

Wednesday, July 5
Dinner with an Explorer
Since 2001, Dave and Amy Freeman have traveled over 30,000 miles by kayak, canoe and dogsled through some of the world’s wildest places, from the Amazon to the Arctic. National Geographic named Dave and Amy Adventurers of the Year in 2014. Join Amy for dinner and conversation at the Rivers Eatery from 5:30-6:30 p.m. Then see her lecture at the Museum.

Wednesday, July 5
Joseph Jenkins Lecture Series: A Year in the Wilderness
On September 23, 2015, Dave and Amy Freeman embarked on a yearlong adventure in the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness in an effort to protect the Boundary Waters from proposed sulfide-ore copper mining on the Wilderness edge. Amy will share their adventures, show their short film “Bear Witness,” and talk about the incredible teamwork that made their expedition memorable. 7:00 p.m. at the Cable Natural History Museum. Refreshments. Sponsored by Henry and Jodi Kingdom. Donations welcome.

Thursday, July 6
Lake Owen Pontoon Tour
Emily Stone, Museum Naturalist, will bring to life Lake Owen’s natural history as you tour the lake on a pontoon boat. Learn about eagles, loons, and what lies beneath. Meet at the Museum at 9:00 a.m., return by noon. Space is limited. Online registration is required. $38 member/$43 non-member.*

Thursday, July 6
Redbery Storytime Begins!
Check page 11 for a full schedule of days and themes!

Thursday, July 6
Kayak the Namekagon River
Experience the wonders of this dynamic National Park with the River Ambassador! Paddlers of all experience levels are welcome; basic kayaking skills will be taught. Meet at the Phillipi Landing at 10:00 a.m., then shuttle to County M Road landing. Pack your own lunch in a waterproof container and dress for the weather. Return by 2:00 p.m. Space is limited. Register online by July 3. $40 member/$48 non-member.*
Friday, July 7  
**Who Pooped in the Woods? Playgroup**  
Bring your detective hat! Kids ages 3-6 and their families can experience the Museum’s Wayside Wanderings Natural Play Area with Sue Thurn. 10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. at 43135 Randyske Road in Cable. Drop-ins are welcome, but online registration by July 6 is appreciated. $6 member/$8 non-member per family.

Friday, July 7  
**Pollinator Party at the Museum**  
Families and adults can join the Museum’s Pollinator Intern for education and stewardship in the native flower gardens planted just for the pollinators. Meet at the Museum from 3:00-4:00 p.m. Donations welcome.

Friday, July 7  
**Owl Prowl**  
Join Naturalist Susan Thurn on a nighttime hike to learn about the natural history of Wisconsin’s owls and try calling in barred owls. Meet at the North End Trailhead on Randyske Road at 8:00 p.m. to learn more about nature’s best mouse trap and maybe see or hear one up close! Donations welcome.

Saturday, July 8  
**Talon Talk Live Raptor Program**  
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Saturday, July 8  
**Memory Day at the Museum**  
Do you have stories to tell and memories to share? Join us from 1:00-3:00 p.m. at the Museum for a chance to talk about you memories of the Museum, Mrs. Burke, and Lois Nelst. An invited speaker will start us off with a short presentation at 1:00, and then everyone can join in. We’ll be recording stories for oral history, too. Once the stories slow, participants can walk to the Cable-Namakagon Historical Museum to spark more stories with photos and artifacts. Refreshments will be served. Contact Joanne Cleary, daloogon@cheqnet.net, for more information about participating. Online registration requested as an RSVP for this free program.

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Tuesday, July 11  
**The River Revealed**  
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Tuesday, July 11 — Thursday, July 13  
**FLIP: Paddle the Namekagon**  
Join us for fun, rapid-running, fishing, and river ecology on this two night/three day canoe trip on the Namekagon River for paddlers ages 12-18 years old with some experience. Whitewater skills will be taught by an experienced guide from Lost Creek Adventures. All paddling, camping, and fishing gear is provided by the National Park Service, and a NPS Ranger will give an evening campfire program. Young adults can really hone their wilderness skills as they carry all their gear and food down the river with them. Meet at the Museum at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday. Return by 3:00 p.m. on Thursday. Space is limited. Register online by July 1. We don’t have full grant funding this year, so there is a sliding scale of $10-$100 per student. Please contribute what you can!*

Wednesday, July 12  
**Talon Talk Live Raptor Program**  
Meet the Museum’s live education raptors in person! Learn all about the amazing world of birds of prey from Naturalist Haley Appleman. 1:30-2:30 p.m. Please come early to find a seat. Donations welcome.

Wednesday, July 12  
**Dinner with Photographer Jeff Richter**  
Join this evening’s speaker for dinner and conversation at the Rivers Eatery from 5:30-6:30 p.m. Then see his lecture at the Museum.

Wednesday, July 12  
**Joseph Jenkins Lecture Series: Shadowing the White Deer**  
The thrill of encountering a white deer in the wild is something you never forget. Jeff has searched out these beautiful anomalies and spent countless hours filming them to produce a gorgeous documentary. He’ll share the film, and then talk more about the science, history and mystique of the white deer. 7:00 p.m. at the Cable Natural History Museum. Refreshments. Sponsored by Henry and Jodi Kingdom. Donations welcome.

Thursday, July 13  
**Lake Owen Pontoon Tour**  
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Thursday, July 13  
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Saturday, July 15  
**Fairy Festival Playgroup at Forest Lodge**  
Wear your fairy wings! Build fairy houses made of bark, moss, and other natural objects. Look outdoors for new discoveries. Kids ages 3-6 and their families can experience the Fairyland that inspired the Museum’s founder with Sue Thurn 10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. at Forest Lodge on Lake Namakagon. Meet at the Forest Lodge Nature Trail parking area. Drop-ins are welcome, but online registration by July 14 is appreciated. $6 member/$8 non-member per family.

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**Wisconsin**

**Saturday, July 15**  
**Five Knots Every Camper Should Know**  
Join Master Naturalist Volunteer John Radloff to learn some handy knots! With names like clove hitch, bowline, taut line hitch, sheepey knot, and trucker's hitch, you know these knots are good! 10:30-11:30 a.m. in the classroom. Donations welcome.

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**Monday, July 17**  
**Family Owl Prowl**  
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**Wednesday, July 19**  
**A FEN Adventure with FLIP**  
Students going into grades 6-12 can experience the wonders of the magical Namakagon Fen State Natural Area! Cross the moat to discover carnivorous plants, spectacular orchids, and a floating floor. Wear either tall mud boots or old shoes that can get wet. Bring water, but on sunscreen and a hat, and wear clothes that protect you from the bugs. Meet at the Museum by 12:30 p.m. and return by 3:00 p.m. Online registration required by July 18 for this free program.*

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**Wednesday, July 19**  
**Joseph Jenkins Lecture Series: Things the Squirrel Taught Me**  
If you feed the birds, that usually means that you have to outsmart the squirrels. In that battle of wits, you've exposed writer, storyteller, and humorist Al Batt as an unarmed man. The peace talks with squirrels will continue. 7:00 p.m. at the Cable Natural History Museum. Refreshments. Sponsored by Henry and Jodi Kingdon. Donations welcome.

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**Friday, July 21**  
**Superhero Playgroup**  
Wear your cape or costume! Kids ages 3-6 and their families can experience the Museum’s Wayside Wanderings Natural Play Area with Sue Thurn. 10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. at 43135 Randysek Road in Cable. Drop-ins are welcome, but online registration by July 20 is appreciated. $6 member/$8 non-member per family.

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**Saturday, July 22**  
**Cable Natural History Museum Summer Benefit**  
Join us as we head “Back to Our Roots” to celebrate the Museum’s 50th Anniversary. The Great Hall at the Birkie Start Line will be our venue with live performance by Randy Sabien & The Subterraneans — a bare bones down home blues, boogie, and roots quartet! Small silent auction, food & drink begin at 5:00p.m. Dancing will follow dinner. Registration required. Tickets can be purchased online www.cablemuseum.org or by calling the Museum at 715-798-3890.

**Monday, July 24**  
**Natural Connections Lecture and Book Signing**  
The Barnes Area Book Club is hosting Museum Naturalist and author, Emily Stone. Let Emily transport you into the woods with stories based on her book! Join us at the Barnes Town Hall at 7:00 p.m.

**Tuesday, July 25**  
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**Kayak the Namekagon River**  
Experience the wonders of this dynamic National Park with the River Ambassador! Paddlers of all experience levels are welcome; basic kayaking skills will be taught. Meet at Phillipi Landing at 10:00 a.m., then shuttle to County Road M Landing. Return by 2:00 p.m. Pack your own lunch in a waterproof container and dress for the weather. Register online by July 31. $40 member/$48 non-member.*

Friday, August 4  
**Explorers Club at the Hayward Library**  
Explore the wetlands and forests behind the Hayward Library with a Museum Naturalist. Get wet and muddy as you search for frogs and water bugs, learn about wetlands, and have lots of fun! For kids entering grades 3-6. Wear clothes and shoes that can get wet.  
10:30-11:30 a.m. Free!

Friday, August 4  
**Butterfly Treasure Hunt at the Farm**  
How often have you seen a butterfly that seemed out-of-the-ordinary? With all of their unique colors and patterns, they can be hard to tell apart. Let Eric North, local ecologist and butterfly aficionado, help you hone your identification skills. Meet at the Cable Community Farm at 13765 Perry Lake Road, just one mile north of Cable, from 3:00-4:30 p.m. All ages are welcome. Register online by August 3. $5 member/$8 non-member or max $13/$17 per family.

Saturday, August 5  
**Cable Natural History Museum Garden Tour**  
Tour five fabulous garden sites in the town of Lenroot (Seeley area) from 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. You will see gorgeous flower and vegetable beds of all sizes; tour an orchard that produces berries, apples and vegetables; learn about organically-raised sheep and chickens; and view a home site with natural prairie landscaping. Registration is required. Tickets are $10 and can be purchased at the Museum or at any of the garden sites. You will receive a map of the garden sites and driving directions when you purchase your ticket. All proceeds benefit the Cable Natural History Museum.

Saturday, August 5  
**The Secret Life of Clams with the National Park Service**  
Join a National Park Service Ranger at the Museum to dive into the secret world of mussels from 10:00 a.m.-noon. Drop by to find out why our rivers provide such a good home to so many mussels and why it is so important not to disturb them. Stick around and browse through the mobile mussel exhibit, complete with fun hands-on educational activities for both children and adults. Free.

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**Curious George Playgroup**  
Bring your favorite stuffed animal to monkey around in the woods! Kids ages 3-6 and their families can experience the Museum’s Wayside Wanderings Natural Play Area with Sue Thurn. 10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. at 43135 Randysek Road in Cable. Drop-ins are welcome, but online registration by August 4 is appreciated. $6 member/$8 non-member per family.

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Saturday, August 12

Birthday Party Playgroup
It’s the Museum’s 50th Birthday, so let’s celebrate! Kids ages 3-6 and their families can experience the Museum’s Wayside Wanderings Natural Play Area with Sue Thurn. 10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. at 43135 Randyseck Road in Cable. Drop-ins are welcome, but online registration by August 11 is appreciated. $6 member/$8 non-member per family.

Saturday, August 12

My What Big Teeth You Have!
Teeth, and all the other bones in skulls, can tell you a lot about what animals eat and how they live. Join Master Naturalist Volunteer David Broadwell in examining animal skulls to learn more about their former owners. Everyone is welcome. Kids under age 11 should bring an adult helper. 10:30-11:30 a.m. at the Museum.

Saturday, August 12

Biodiversity Tour at the Cable Community Farm
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Tuesday, August 15

Insect Collecting and Pinning
Get hands-on experience collecting beautiful Northwoods insects using multiple techniques with Museum Curator Kaylee Falty. After collecting, learn how to preserve the insects with carefully crafted pinning techniques. Meet at the Museum from 1:00-2:30 p.m. Register online by August 14. $6 member/$8 non-member.

Wednesday, August 16

Forest Lodge Tour
Explore the fascinating history and architectural design of the Forest Lodge Historic District. The estate is nestled among 872 acres of old growth forest in the heart of the Chequamegon-Nicolet National Forest and along Lake Namakagon’s pristine shoreline. Dress for the weather and walking on uneven surfaces. Meet the Northland College guide at the Forest Lodge Nature Trail parking lot at 9 a.m. and return by 11 a.m. Online registration required. $5 person.

Wednesday, August 16

Field Walk with John Kotar: Why Wisconsin Forests Look the Way They Do #6 (Adult Naturalist Program)
Have you ever wondered what a plant was and why it grows there? John Kotar can tell you! As emeritus professor of forest ecology from University of Wisconsin-Madison, Kotar developed an ecological classification system for Great Lakes forests. Join him to explore a forested wetland and learn about the classification system he created. Meet at the Cable Natural History Museum at 10:30 a.m., return by 2:00 p.m. Bring a lunch and water; dress for the weather. Expect a walk with many pauses for questions and answers. Online registration required by August 14. $12 member/$17 non-member.

Thursday, August 17

Lake Owen Pontoon Tour
Emily Stone, Museum Naturalist, will bring to life Lake Owen’s natural history as you tour the lake on a pontoon boat. Learn about eagles, loons, and what lies beneath. Meet at the Museum at 9:00 a.m., return by noon. Space is limited. Online registration is required. $38 member/$43 non-member.

Thursday, August 17

Two-Pie Basket Class (Adult Naturalist Program)
Join instructor Jean Carrol to craft this basket, which can serve many purposes. It will indeed hold two pies, but also great for gathering flowers or holding your magazines, newspapers, etc. It is 10” X 18” X 14”. In addition to using dyed reed we will add a fancy wrapped handle to make it even more attractive. 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. at the Museum. Space is limited. Online registration required by August 1. $45 member/$50 non-member.

Friday, August 18

Explorers Club at the Hayward Library
Did you know that earthworms are not native to Wisconsin? Our forests are in danger from invasive earthworms. The Explorers Club will partner with the Great Lakes Worm Watch to find out how many worms live behind the Hayward Library! For kids entering grades 3-6. 10:30-11:30 a.m. Free!

Friday, August 18

Pollinator Party at the Farm
Families and adults can join the Museum’s Pollinator Intern for education and stewardship in the native flower gardens planted just for the pollinators, as well as other areas of the Cable Community Farm that serve the bees. Meet at 13765 Perry Lake Road, just one mile north of Cable, from 3:00-4:00 p.m. Donations welcome.

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Rag Rug Workshop (Adult Naturalist Program)
Scandinavian loop weaving is a simple and durable technique that uses no thread or looms, and turns trash into treasure! Bring 1-2 old bed sheets (any size will work) or other fabric that can be easily torn into strips, and a pair of sharp scissors. Some extra materials will be on hand. You will take your rug home to finish. 1:00-3:30 p.m. Register online by August 15. $10 member/$15 non-member.

Friday, August 18

Wool Howl with a Naturalist
Ready for a howling good time? Learn how wolves communicate—then travel to a nearby forest and howl to a local wolf pack. Don’t be surprised if you hear them howl back! Meet at the Cable Natural History Museum at 8:00 p.m. and return by 10:30 p.m. Space is limited. Register online by August 17. $7 member/$12 non-member or max $15/$25 per family.

Saturday, August 19

Talon Talk Live Raptor Program
Meet the Museum’s live education raptors in person! Learn all about the amazing world of birds of prey from Naturalist Haley Appelman. 10:30-11:30 a.m. Please come early to find a seat. Donations welcome.

Saturday, August 19

Memory Day at the Museum
Do you have stories to tell and memories to share? Join us from 1:00-3:00 p.m. at the Museum for a chance to talk about your memories of the Museum, Mrs. Burke, and Lois Nestel. An invited speaker will start us off with a short presentation at 1:00, and then everyone can join in. We’ll be recording stories for oral history, too. Once the stories slow, participants can walk to the Cable-Namakagon Historical Museum to spark more stories with photos and artifacts. Refreshments will be served. Contact Joanne Cleary, clagoon@chequen.net, for more information about participating. Online registration requested as an RSVP for this free program.

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Tea Party at the Boathouse
Enjoy a lovely afternoon at Forest Lodge. Arrive at 1:00 p.m. for a tour of the grounds. You’ll explore the history and architectural design of the Forest Lodge Historic District. The estate is nestled among 872 acres of old growth forest in the heart of the Chequamegon-Nicolet National Forest and along Lake Namakagon’s pristine shoreline. End in the scenic boathouse for delicious, old-fashioned refreshments. Throughout the afternoon, you’ll learn more about Mrs. Burke, the visionary philanthropist who made an indelible mark on the Museum, Northland College, and more. Perhaps you’ll also be inspired to make your own mark as an influential woman. Hat and gloves encouraged! Wrap-up by 4:00 p.m. Online registration required by August 17. $30 member/$35 non-member.*

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Use your observation skills to discover nature’s secrets.
(4th of July Parade Float Prep: Noon-1:00 p.m. Bring a lunch.)

Wednesday, June 21: A Natural Team
Work as a team to solve unique challenges and find out how
we are all “Better Together.”
(4th of July Parade Float Prep: Noon-1:00 p.m. Bring a lunch.)

Tuesday, June 27: Nature’s Stories
Nature is full of stories! Use trees and tracks as the inspiration
to craft your own tale.
(4th of July Parade Float Prep: Noon-1:00 p.m. Bring a lunch.)

Wednesday, June 28: Flower Frenzy
Appreciate the function of flowers and their pollinators.
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Tuesday, July 4
Everyone can come see the Junior Naturalists’ Float in the 4th of July Parade at 11:00 a.m.!

Wednesday, July 5: Early Explorers
Travel back in time and discover new worlds and survival skills.

Tuesday, July 11: Secrets of the Forest
Inspect trees, rocks, and holes to find all the components of a
functional forest.

Wednesday, July 12: Predator and Prey
Who eats who? Both predators and prey keep the ecosystem
in balance.

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Use your artistic eye to capture beauty in nature.

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Get ready to get dirty and dig into our food sources.
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Who’s awake? Me too! Meet live bats with the US Forest
Service. Adults are welcome, too!

Wednesday, July 26: River Rats
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Tuesday, August 1: Insect Investigations
Let’s get buggy! Search for live insects and check out the
Museum’s collection of creepy crawlies.

Wednesday, August 2: Nurture Nature
Nature takes care of us in many ways. It’s time to give back!

Tuesday, August 8: Rodents Big and Small
See the world through the eyes of a tiny mouse or our largest
rodent, the beaver!

Wednesday, August 9: Compost Cuisine
What’s the dirt on dirt? Meet the decomposers that get dirty.

Redbery Reads is a story time that helps kids connect to the world around
them. There will be stories, hands-on activities, circle games, learning, and
lots of fun. All ages are welcome and the activities are geared to preschool
through fifth grade. Donations welcome.

Thursday, July 6
What’s the Buzz? Busy, Busy Bees

Thursday, July 13
Night Wings: Creatures of the Night

Thursday, July 20
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Thursday, July 27
A Walk in the Woods: Animals We Might Find

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Music in Nature: Songbirds

Thursday, August 10
Wonders of Water: Rivers, Lakes, and Ponds
Thanks to our many partners, sponsors, and supporters!

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Programs offered by or for Wisconsin Master Naturalist Volunteers.

We are grateful to Henry and Jodi Kingdon for sponsoring the Joseph Jenkins Lecture Series.

Becoming a Member of the Cable Natural History Museum has never been more beneficial!
The benefits of Museum membership include:

- unlimited free admission
- reduced rates on our nature and education programs
- discounts on items in the Museum Shop

Members play a vital role in supporting exhibits, programs and special events. Annual memberships start at just $30. Visit www.cablemuseum.org for more information, and to become a member today! Thanks to our current members, whose support makes our events possible!

Get Involved — Become a Museum Volunteer!
Volunteers are always needed and appreciated.
Call our Volunteer Coordinator, Beda McKinney, at 715-798-3890.

Museum Admission:
All current members will be granted free admission to the Museum at all times. All other adult visitors to the Museum are charged a $5 admission fee. Children (up to the age of 18) always have free admission. On Tuesdays, admission is free for all visitors.

The Mission of the Cable Natural History Museum is:
Connecting people to Northwoods nature through educational experiences that inspire wonder, discovery, and responsibility.

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