Wisconsin Society for Conservation Biology

Member Meeting #1 9/29/20 6-7pm



If you want to be on our email list, please send your email in the chat





About Us

Promote the science and practice of conservation throughout Wisconsin through networking events, lectures, workshops, outreach, and volunteer work

Statewide chapter deriving from the National Society for Conservation Biology (>6,000 members)









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What We Do

- litter clean ups
- volunteering
- conservation fundraisers
- citizen science
- conservation education
- local field trips
- documentary/paint night
- host guest speakers
- take part in conservation- related certifications (scuba, chain saw, fire..)



https://wscbstudentchapter.wixsite.com/conservation

Go to our WIN Page to Request Membership



EXEC BOARD



get to know the members!

- 1. Name & pronouns
- 2. Year & major
- 3. Fun fact about you (where you've travelled, research, favorite animal, etc..)
- 4. Why WSCB?

icebreaker

would you rather...

- 1. Be able to communicate with all animals
- 2. Be able to speak all human languages

icebreaker

would you rather...

- 1. Explore space
- 2. Explore the ocean

icebreaker

Would you rather...

- 1. Have x-ray vision
- 2. Have magnified hearing

hammock raffle

Coming Soon

- Venmo our Treasurer, Luis
- 1 ticket= \$3
- 2 tickets= \$5
- 3 tickets= \$8



Guest Speaker Options

1. Nazan Gillie

a. Marine Biology

2. Holly Gibbs

- a. Land use/cover
- b. Deforestation

3. Zuzana Burivalova

a. Tropical forest conservation



An email forum will be sent out in the future to vote/rank your top interests

4. Dr. Tim Van Deelen

a. Large mammals in the Great Lakes Region

5. Catherine Woodward

- b. Rainforest conservation
- c. Marine biology
- d. CEIBA Study Abroad

Certification Opportunities

- Limited right now due to COVID-19
- Scuba
 - Usually through UW Hoofers, but temporarily on hold due to campus guidelines for RSO's 0
 - Opportunity still available through Diversions: <u>https://www.diversions-scuba.com/</u> 0
 - Variety of courses available: Tune-Up, Technical Training, Advanced/Specialty, Emergency Ο Management
- Wisconsin Boating License
 - https://www.boaterexam.com/usa/wisconsin/ Ο
 - \$30, course is completely online 0
 - Boating is a great way to spend time outdoors in 0 Madison on lakes Mendota and Monona!
 - 0 https://www.visitmadison.com/things-to-do/outdoors-a nd-recreation/on-the-lakes/cruises-and-boat-rentals/

Wisconsin Boater Safety Course

In Wisconsin, anyone born on or after January 1, 1989, must successfully complete a boater safety course approved by the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources in order to operate a motorboat or personal watercraft (PWC). Boaters are required to carry their boater safety course certificate as proof of boater education.







Good for life! Get your official Wisconsin Boating License

mark your calendars

next member meeting: Tues 10/20 at 7:30pm

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