



Treehaven Announces Upcoming Public Programs

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"We are excited about this new lineup of programs," said Treehaven Director Scott Johnson.

"The wide variety of speakers and films are meant to satisfy those eager to learn more about people,

places, culture, history, and our natural world. We hope attendees leave each program more knowledgeable and inspired than when they arrived."

Treehaven is a natural resources education facility and conference center located between Tomahawk and Rhinelander, and is known as Wisconsin's center for integrating natural resources education, management, research, and recreation.

Registration and more detailed information about each program can be found online at www.uwsp.edu/treehaven (click on "Public Programs") or by calling 715-453-4106. All of the programs will take place at Treehaven, located at W2540 Pickerel Creek Road, Tomahawk, Wisconsin.



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- **6-8:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 19: "From Mammoths to Mounds: Weathering the Ice Age and Beyond."** Ice Age presentation, dinner, and prehistoric artifact identification with Dr. Ray Reser, Director of the UW-Stevens Point Museum of Natural History. Attendees welcomed to bring in a prehistoric artifact, such as copper and stone tools or ceramics, or suspected prehistoric bone or teeth specimens, to be identified. Dinner at 6 p.m., Speaker at 7 p.m. Cost is \$15/person. Includes dinner (choices available online).
- **6-8:30 p.m. Thursday, March 8: *Before the Flood*. Film, Dinner, and Discussion.** From Academy Award®-winning filmmaker Fisher Stevens and Academy Award-winning actor Leonardo DiCaprio, *Before the Flood* presents a riveting account of the dramatic changes now occurring around the world due to climate change. Dinner at 6 p.m., Film at 7 p.m. Cost is \$15/person. Includes dinner (choices available online).



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- **10 a.m. March 26 - 4:30 p.m. March 28: “Quilts as Art: A Retreat for the Modern Quilter.”**
Learn how to incorporate contemporary art into quilts, as well as create a series of unique, contemporary art quilts using a variety of fiber techniques. Class will include instruction in hand embroidery, watercolor pencils, beading and technique of thread painting. Co-sponsored by the University of Wisconsin-Marathon County Continuing Education. More information available online.
- **6-8:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 13: “Counting Wolves.” Dinner & Presentation by Director George Desort.**
Independent film director George Desort, who is fresh off the boat from shooting the latest season of the Discovery Channel’s *Deadliest Catch*, will present his earlier film, *Counting Wolves*, which showcases the adventure, beauty and friendship of two scientists and a bush pilot in their pursuit of knowledge about wolves and moose on Isle Royale. Dinner is served at 6 p.m., speaker is at 7 p.m. Cost is \$15/person. Includes dinner (choices available online). Attendees who book a night at Treehaven will be invited to have breakfast with George Desort in the morning.
- **6-8:30 p.m. Thursday, March 29: “Monitoring Ecological Change in the Northwoods.”**
Peter Weishampel, Ph.D., will broadly describe National Ecological Observatory Network (NEON)’s research program at the National level, and highlight its work in the Northwoods and especially at Treehaven. The Treehaven property is one of NEON’s terrestrial study sites. NEON work at Treehaven began in 2015. Dinner is served at 6 p.m., Speaker is at 7 p.m. Cost is \$15/person. Includes dinner (choices available online).
- **6-8:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 10: Meet Brook & Dave from History Channel’s hit series *Alone***
Imagine spending 57 days in the wilderness. The first eight using only a compass to find your loved one, the remaining 49 days together surviving the brutally thick wilderness on Vancouver Island in British Columbia. This is what Brooke and Dave Whipple did as part of Season 4 of the History Channel’s hit series, *Alone*. Brooke and Dave will be at Treehaven, speaking to listeners about their triumphs and struggles from the show and discuss what the future of bushcraft and survival look like for television and our backyards. Dinner is served at 6 p.m., Presentation at 7 p.m. Cost is \$15/person. Includes dinner (choices available online). Attendees who book a night at Treehaven will be invited to have breakfast with Brooke and Dave in the morning.
- **6-8:30 p.m. April 24: Groundwater Pumping and its Impacts of Wisconsin Lakes, Streams, and Wetlands**
Whether or not to limit groundwater pumping by high capacity wells in Wisconsin has been a political hot potato. George J. Kraft, Ph.D. and University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point Professor Emeritus, will explain the science of groundwater, groundwater pumping, and how pumping in parts of the state is drying surface waters. Dinner is served at 6 p.m. Presentation at 7 p.m. Cost is \$15/person. Includes dinner (choices available online).