

Wehr



Chapter Calendar



Summer-Fall 2019

Staying in touch with your chapter: To reach us with a question, please email wildones.wehr@gmail.com.

Current meeting and other information can be found on our chapter webpage: milwaukee-southwestwehr.wildones.org.

Staying in touch with Wild Ones National: See the national webpage: wildones.org

Please note that during June-September we will be taking field trips to various SE Wisconsin locations. Our field trips are for members only. However, memberships can be purchased on the day of the meeting (cash or check only) or join online before coming. Starting in October, we will resume our indoor meetings. These meetings are free and open to non members. Unless otherwise specified, we meet on the second Saturday of each month at Wehr Nature Center to carpool or to attend meetings.

June 8, 2019

Saturday, 9 a.m.

**Wehr Nature Center
Chiwaukee Prairie**

Note the different starting time.

We will tour the Chiwaukee Prairie in Kenosha County. Chiwaukee Prairie Preservation Fund members will lead us through this beautiful Nature Conservancy property. Meet at 9 to carpool from Wehr or at 10 at the prairie at 121st St. and 2nd Ave., Pleasant Prairie, Wis.

July 13, 2019

Saturday, 12:30 p.m.

**Wehr Nature Center
Yard Tour**

We will tour two Wild Ones members' yards in West Allis. **Ben & Marian French** will host us in their yard, and then we will get an update of what's changed at **Bethany & Aaron Skinner's** yard. We visited the Skinner yard years ago when they were just beginning to put in their native area.

August 10, 2019

Saturday, 12:30 p.m.

**Wehr Nature Center
Yard Tour**

In this month we will visit two Wild One members' yards in southeastern Milwaukee. Members **Karen Johnson & Jim**

Toth hosted us several years ago and have since completely redone their front yard. Come see the changes they made and learn why. We will follow that up with a visit to **Rich Champeau's** yard.

September 14, 2019

Saturday, 12:30 p.m.

**Wehr Nature Center
Monarch Trail**

To follow up on the presentation at our December 2018 meeting, **Jim Price** will take us on the Wauwatosa monarch trail. We will see migrating monarchs as they stop over on their journey to Mexico. This should be near peak migration time. After the tour, Jim will show us some roosting sites.

October 12, 2019

Saturday, 1:30 p.m.

**Wehr Nature Center
Phenology Studies**

Our indoor lecture season

kicks off with **Jim Barnes**.

Jim does phenology studies at the Wehr Nature Center and has discovered species of special concern growing there. He will share his discoveries with us. This meeting is free and open to the public.

November 9, 2019

Saturday, 1:30 p.m.

**Wehr Nature Center
Plant Diseases**

Brian Hudelson of the Plant Disease Diagnostics Clinic at UW-Madison will present: "10 Diseases of Native Plants." Want to keep your plants healthy? Wondering what happened to your favorite native plant? This should be a very helpful and informative talk. Free and open to the public.

December 14, 2019

Saturday, 1:30 p.m.

**Wehr Nature Center
Holiday Party**

This is our annual holiday party! We are planning a soup buffet, door prizes, seed exchange and other surprises. We always have a great time visiting and getting to know each other better at this fun event.

All during the month of June, Wild Ones members will be able to purchase native plants, shrubs, and trees at **Johnson's Nursery** (W180 N6275 Marcy Rd., Menomonee Falls) for **40% discount**, but you must have your membership card. Your card was sent when you joined or renewed in a confirmation membership email. Search your email history for "wild ones membership." The subject is "Your Wild Ones Membership ID Card." If you no longer have it, email the national office at info@wildones.org and request a replacement. If none of that works, email Pat at brustpat@gmail.com, and she will send you a postcard that will work. The native plant inventory can be found at www.kbjnplants.com/native-plant-sale. Scroll down and click on "Browse Public Inventory," then scroll through secondary window looking for "Native" in the "Type" column.