

DANE COUNTY PARKS

INFORMATION & EVENTS NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER 2, 2020



Cooper's Hawk
Lussier Family Heritage Center

NEW NATURAL PLAYGROUND

Have you visited the new natural playground at CamRock County Park Shelter #2? Watch the video below to learn more about this new feature from Catherine Boldt (ADA Consultant) John LaPointe (GRG Playscapes Founder) and Sara Rigelman (Dane County Parks Planner).



FIRESIDE YOGA

Come out the Lussier Family Heritage Center for **Fireside Yoga** with Wishing Tree Studio. They will be hosting 45-minute Yoga Flow by the campfire. Bring a yoga mat or beach towel, any props, and your mask.

All experience levels welcome! Cost is \$10 per person. Must sign up using the link below.

We will keep a safe distance and masks are optional while on your mat, but required any time you are off your mat and not physically distanced.

[Learn More](#)



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ART IN THE PARK

Join **Wine & Design** at the Lussier Family Heritage Center on Sunday, October 18 for Art in the Park!

Sit by a bonfire and knit a cozy chunky blanket. Hot apple cider will be provided or you are welcome to bring a beverage of your choice. Program cost includes all project supplies and instruction. Cost is \$95 per person. A portion of the proceeds will support environmental education programs at the Heritage Center. COVID-19 safety measure will be in place. Seats are limited so register today!

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NEW INTERPRETIVE SIGNS

Visit **Schumacher Farm County Park** and check out the new historic interpretive signs. Each sign shows a historical photo and detail about the machine or object and how it was used. This was a project of the Friends of Schumacher Farm Park Historic Committee.



OPERATION FRESH START AWARD

Thank you **Operation Fresh Start** for presenting Dane County Parks with your **Community Collaboration Award!**



Our OFS crews do amazing work for our parks and we value and appreciate this partnership.

Watch the award ceremony and the larger 50th Anniversary Celebration in this video.

STAFF SPOTLIGHT



Ethan Hau

GIS Mapping Technician LTE

Ethan updates maps and GIS data for parks, collects data in the field, and assists with the development of some park web content. He enjoys hiking at Pheasant Branch Conservancy and biking on the Capital City Trail through the Lewis Nine Springs E-Way.



Michelle Richardson, GIS Analyst

Michelle uses Geographical Information Systems (GIS) data to create maps, posters and analyses. She also helps to update the parks website and provides general GIS and computer support to staff. She enjoys hiking at Walking Iron County Park with family, friends and her dog Jasper. She also has fond memories of visits to Prairie Moraine with her previous dog Bogey.

SOCIAL SPOTLIGHT



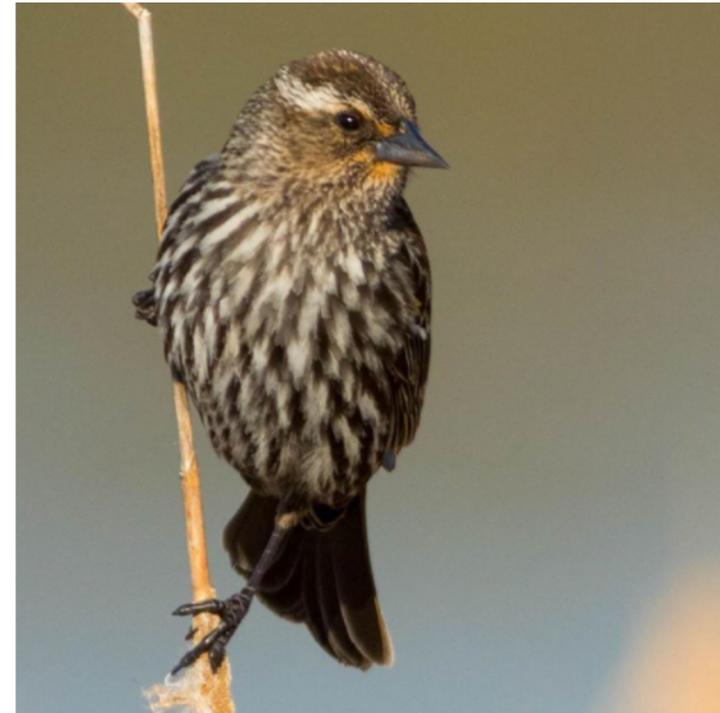
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