

Becoming An Outdoors-Woman™ Workshop Registration Form

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June 7th, 8th, 9th 2024 - Lorado Taft Field Campus - Northern Illinois University

Registration is open until we receive 80 applications - first come, first serve process.

\$270 WORKSHOP FEE: *fee includes class instruction, program materials, giveaways, use of class equipment and supplies, six meals and lodging.*

Name

Is This Your First Illinois BOW? Yes No

Address

Phone

City

State

ZIP

E-mail

In case of emergency, please contact

Name

Phone

Special Needs:

Please describe any dietary requirements, medical conditions, or special needs that you want us to know about.

Liability Acknowledgement:

I acknowledge there are risks of physical injury to Becoming an Outdoors-Woman participants and I agree to assume the full risk of injuries, damages, or loss, regardless of severity which I may sustain as a result of participating in activities connected to or associated with this program. I waive and relinquish all claims that I, my insurer or my family, may have against the Illinois Department of Natural Resources, the Illinois Conservation Foundation, and any of their employees, officers, agents, volunteers, vendors and assigns from claims from injuries, damages, or loss which I may have or which accrue to me on account of my participation in the above program.

Initials

Permission to Photograph:

Media representatives and staff photographers may observe and photograph portions of the workshop. The Illinois Department of Natural Resources, may use my (or the minor listed below) photographic images made with such alterations, additions and/or editing as deemed necessary and appropriate by the Illinois Department of Natural Resources.

Initials

I agree to abide by and accept the BOW program terms and conditions for my participation in this event.

What is your T-Shirt Size?

XS

S

M

L

XL

XXL

Signature

Date

Please indicate your first (1), second (2) and third (3) choice for each of the four sessions.

If your first choice class is already full and closed, you will get your second choice, and so on. You will be assigned one class per session. All live-fire classes (Shotgun Intro) require a Hunter Safety card or BOW workshop Firearms Safety Class

Session 1 Friday June 7th

1:30 pm - 5:00 pm

Archery - Intro

*Equestrian Care/Riding

Firearm Safety

Hiking

Mushroom ID - Intro

Native Seed Collecting/Starting

Turkey Hunting - Intro

Woodcarving

Session 3 Saturday June 8th

1:30 pm - 5:00 pm

Dutch Oven

Fishing with Lures

Gun Cleaning

*Kayak

Mocktail and S'More Pairings

Nature Photography

Shotgun - Intro

Wild Game Processing / Cooking

Session 2 Saturday June 8th

8:30 am - 12:00 pm

Bass fishing

Beginner Backpacking

Bowhunting - Intro

Firearm Safety

Outdoor Cooking

Paper and Journal Making

Primitive Skills

Shotgun - Intro

Session 4 Sunday June 9th

8:30 am - 12:00 pm

*Birds of Prey requires extra \$15 payable at workshop

Car Trunk Survival

Field Journaling

Forest Bathing

Fur Trapping - Intro

Girls With Power Tools

Prairie Hike

Wildlife Conservation

requires extra \$25 payable at workshop

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In addition to your class choices, we are offering 6am Yoga on both mornings for all you early-birds. Please indicate if this is something you would be interested in. All participants must provide their own yoga mat.

Yes

No

Maybe

Complete Your Registration

The next step is to attach this form in an email to lisa.demeule@illinois.gov

Registration will be open until we receive 80 applications via email. Emails with the attached forms will be counted in the order they are received. You will be notified within 48 hours if your application was successful. You will also be notified if you are put on a waitlist.

Final Step

Successful applicants will get an email with a link to pay online. You must submit \$270 (payment in full) by April 1st, 2024 in order to keep your spot. If you do not, someone from the waitlist will be allowed to register in your place.

IF YOU REQUIRE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT REGISTRATION PLEASE CONTACT ME ASAP.

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