

2024 Indiana Master Naturalist Workshop Registration



The mission of the Indiana Master Naturalist program is to bring together natural resource specialists with adult learners to foster an understanding of Indiana's plants, water, soils and wildlife, and promote natural resource volunteer service within the State of Indiana.

Thank you for your interest in the 2024 Indiana Master Naturalist (IMN) Workshop being hosted by Pokagon State Park and the Steuben County Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD). Sessions begin April 27 and end July 6. All sessions are on Saturdays from 8:30 a.m. to noon, except for May 30th, and there will be no session on June 29. (Please see the schedule for complete details.) You must attend a minimum of eight of the ten sessions and pass the open-note quizzes with a cumulative score of at least 70% in order to qualify for certification. You must also complete 24 hours of volunteer service (at least 12 of the hours must be served in Indiana) with an environmental or natural resources organization to become certified.

If you have any questions please contact Aimee Wentworth at the Steuben County SWCD office at (260) 665-3211 ext. 3 or email steubenswcd@gmail.com. Registrations must be received by March 15, 2024. Limited space is available.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Please mail your completed form and payment of \$150.00 made out to Steuben County SWCD to:
Steuben County SWCD
1220 N. 200 W., Suite L
Angola, IN 46703



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2024 Pokagon State Park Indiana Master Naturalist Workshop Session Schedule

DATE & TIME	LOCATION	SESSION TITLE	PRESENTER
Saturday, April 27 8:30 a.m. - noon	Pokagon State Park Nature Center	IMN Orientation and Interpretation	Jody Heaston
Saturday, May 4 8:30 a.m. - noon	Trine State Recreation Area Swenson Lodge	Birds and Birding	Jan McGowan
Saturday, May 11 8:30 a.m. - noon	Pokagon State Park Nature Center	Wildflower	Nicky Ball
Saturday, May 18 8:30 a.m. - noon	Pokagon State Park Nature Center	Wild Edibles	Carrie Vrael
Thursday, May 30 6:00 - 9:30 p.m.	Pokagon State Park Nature Center	Geology	Tony Fleming
Saturday, June 1 8:30 a.m. - noon	Pokagon State Park Nature Center	Trees and Tree Identification	Dr. Jordan Marshall
Saturday, June 8 8:30 a.m. - noon	Pokagon State Park Nature Center	Mammals	Dr. Scott Bergeson
Saturday, June 15 8:30 a.m. - noon	Trine State Recreation Area Swenson Lodge	Water and Wetlands	Kate Sanders
Saturday, June 22 8:30 a.m. - noon	Pokagon State Park Nature Center	Reptiles and Amphibians	Dr. Bruce Kingsbury
Saturday, July 6 8:30 a.m. - noon	Pokagon State Park Nature Center	People and Natural Resources	Jan McGowan
BONUS SESSION: Saturday, July 13 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.	Location TBD	Introduction to Hoosier Riverwatch	Dylan Allison

*Please dress appropriately for the weather and wear comfortable, sturdy shoes for outdoor excursions.

*We will provide light refreshments. Please bring your own beverage or water bottle.