



# Cass County Conservation Board November 2019

## CONSERVATION UPDATES:

November 11th is the last day for entering the Swan Contest!! Let your class pick the first day the swans will arrive in Atlantic and win a class prize!

Kindergarten teachers -Countywide coloring contest and prizes will be during your visit or shortly after I am emailing the coloring page ahead of time.

### Upcoming public programs this month:

Bird Feeder Workshop, Outdoor Educational Classroom, Saturday November 23rd 9AM. We will be making a bird feeder to take home~ Deadline for pre-registration Nov. 18th. call 769-2372.

We have a survey for programs that I do for you in classroom. You will see this many times this year but here is the link! <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/ZCHBJ5L>

Feel free to send me an email with program ideas! I know alot of things have shifted with the new science standards. I am here to help! Let me see where I can fit in to the class curriculum!

*Stream and Lake Mats:* 3' by 6' stream and lake mats are available. Lake Mat will be housed at the Outdoor Educational classroom, you can get it out and play with it as part of your experience there. The stream mat will be available to check out to use in your classroom. Each mat is dry erase (yes they can draw on it), comes with (appropriate) fish and other wildlife. Use as a center or arrival activity.

Snow is coming, have fun with it! December is not as busy for scheduling snowshoeing programs, as long as we have snow. I am gone December 16th-20th. I have 5 pairs of snowshoes that fit children 90 lbs. and below. I have 25 pairs fit children weighing up to 175 lbs. and 3 pairs for children over 175 lbs.

*Field Trips:* Reminder Outdoor Educational Classroom outside Massena is available to all school districts, ALL year round. Classroom/ lodge is heated. Lots of programming options available, including new trunks (Birds, Tracks, Iowater, and Orienteering) are available, contact Lora.

Please visit our Conservation webpage at <http://www.mycountyparks.com/County/Cass.aspx>

### Featured Programs:

Gobble, Gobble (K-1) November Only. Seeds (1-3), or Oh Deer! (4) a partial outdoor session. Programs to fit your schedule although most can take up to 45 min. Please contact me if you do not have a program list!

### IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

Future monthly newsletters will be sent to E-MAIL accounts

Happy Thanksgiving!



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