

Program Guide

SPRING/SUMMER 2020

FOR STUDENTS IN ELEMENTARY, JUNIOR HIGH, AND HIGH SCHOOL, AGES 6 TO 18
FOR SCHOOLS, FAMILIES, LIBRARIES, ARTISTS, ART GROUPS, AND THE PUBLIC

COMMUNITY ARTS ACCESS GRANTS

Grant Applications Due Feb. 1



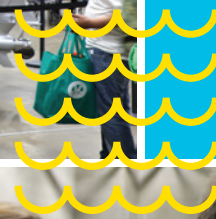
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THE 28TH CLEAN WATER CELEBRATION

Rise Up!

with delegates from Sea Youth Rise Up



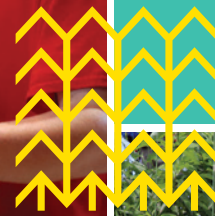
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Art & Science in the Woods

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Welcome!

Since 1973, the Sun Foundation has offered opportunities for students, schools, families and the general public to engage in rewarding and new experiences in environmental sciences and arts.

The Sun Foundation, a *not-for-profit 501(C)(3) organization*, brings students, professional artists and scientists together in a supportive and engaging atmosphere dedicated to the highest quality of education. The Sun Foundation appeals to our community for support program funding.

We ask the communities, families, and three generations of Sun Foundation students that have benefited from their Sun Foundation education, to lend their support to pay forward for the next generation. For 47 years the Foundation has advanced education in the environmental sciences and arts and has become a resource of regional reputation and significance.

We invite you to be a part of the Sun Foundation community dedicated to your education and to the quality of life locally and globally. The woods, streams, wetlands, and prairies alive with the laughter of children provide under served students the opportunity to learn with professional artists and scientists, feed their creativity, develop a connection with nature and grow as stewards of their environment.

Please join us.

Robert C. Ericksen
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Our Mission

The Sun Foundation works to strengthen and advance the arts and environmental sciences in rural and urban communities by providing quality and innovative programs, services, publications, research, regranting financial support and cooperative efforts for the general public, under served groups, schools, Illinois artists and local arts organizations.

We need your help!

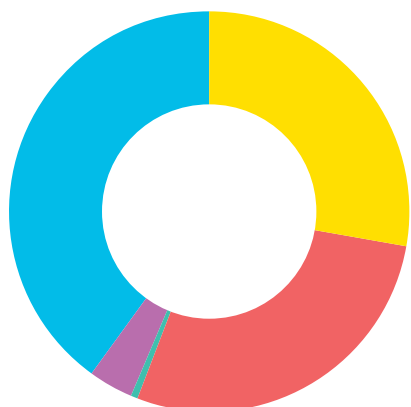
Help the Sun Foundation shine for the children of our community, the future stewards for planet Earth. Our programs educate and inspire youth in our communities in the arts and environmental sciences. Your donation enables us to provide programs at low or no cost to students.

Our fundraising goal for the fiscal year 2020 children's environmental science and arts program is \$182,700. As of January 1, 2020, 25% of the goal has been raised.

THE IMPACT OF YOUR DONATION

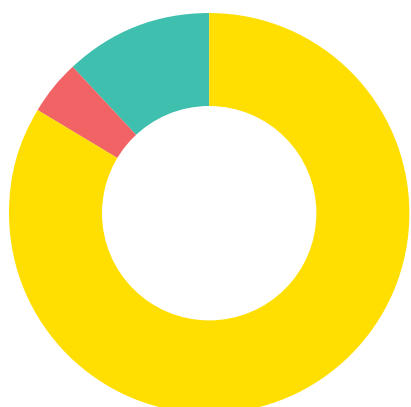
- Donations to our **Art and Science in the Woods** program cover many program costs, including financial need scholarships for nearly a quarter of attending students.
- **Clean Water Celebrations** contributions help us bring incredibly talented lecturers to Central Illinois to inspire students.
- Our **Community Arts Access Grants** must be matched with 25% local donations. A small donation here can have a big financial impact!
- **Art and Nature Center** donations help us continue to offer field trip opportunities and educational workshops and to develop new community programs.
- Contributing to our **endowment fund** helps us plan to continue our mission of advancing environmental sciences and arts to serve future generations.

Income and Expense Report FY2019



Income Sources		\$309,190
Program Participant Fees	\$85,903	28%
Grant Income for Operations	\$87,457	28%
Interest & Other Income	\$1,622	1%
Program Event Fundraising	\$11,183	4%
Contributions	\$123,025	40%

Throughout 2018-2019, In-kind donations exceeded \$156,000 and are not reflected in the above charts.

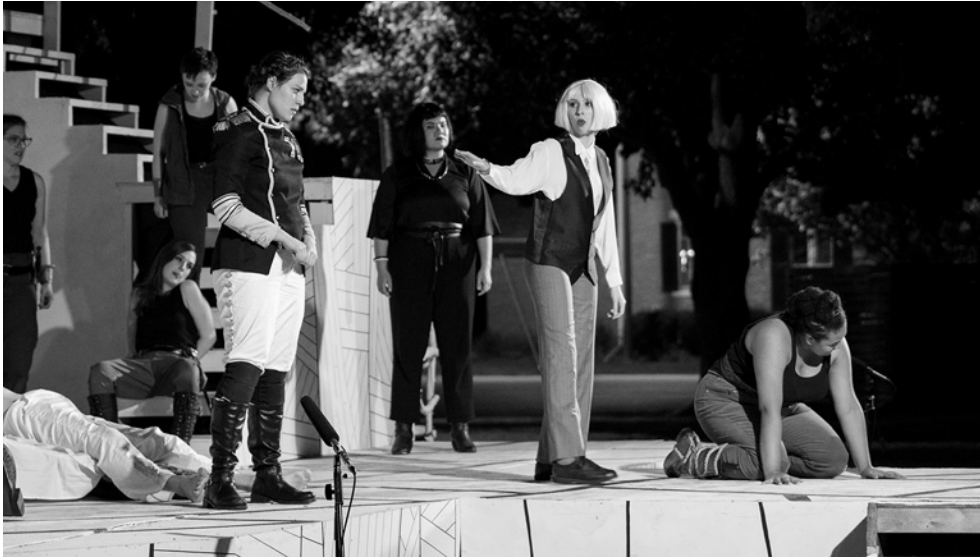


Expenditures		\$341,817
Programs	\$285,874	84%
Program Fundraising	\$15,502	5%
General Administration	\$40,441	12%

This financial information reflects 2019 fiscal year: September 1, 2018 through August 31, 2019.

No donation is too small, and every dollar makes a difference!

You can support the arts and environmental sciences in central Illinois today by making a donation online at sunfoundation.org/donate or by using the form on page 16.



Community Arts Access Grants

2020 grants application deadline is noon, February 1

The Sun Foundation, in collaboration with the Illinois Arts Council, a state agency, and the National Endowment for the Arts, awards Community Art Access Grants each year, subject to grant approval. The program is funded by a grant of \$10,000 from the Illinois Arts Council funded by the National Endowment for the Arts and local matching funds.



LOCAL MATCHING FUNDS SUPPORTERS

Mary Ann Child Hallmark Corporate Foundation
Gallery Exhibit A Goodfield Bank
First National Bank of Lacon Jim & Sue Weber

GRANT DETAILS

In 2020, a total of \$12,500 will be re-granted.

- The grants are available for schools, libraries, community artists, and art groups located in Bureau, Marshall, Stark, and Woodford Counties.
- Each grant recipient is able to receive up to \$1,000. Users of the grant money are required to document and publicize the event and provide end of project reports.

- Grants cannot be used for artistic programs or functions where artists are not the primary focus. Grants cannot be used to support fundraising projects, benefits, receptions, or other social functions.
- Grant funds will not be awarded for capital expenditures, permanent equipment, funding for out of state touring, scholarships, or deficit funding. All projects must have a public community service emphasis to be funded.

GRANT REVIEW

For grant approval, hiring Illinois artist/artists, community involvement, and reaching the under-served are all vitally important.

A 1 to 5 point system is applied to each grant, 5 being the highest point rating.

If applications exceed available funds, grants with the highest rating and priority number will receive funding. Notifications will be sent by February 4th, 2020.

REVIEW CRITERIA

Projects must be for non-profit groups, organizations, schools and individual artists with projects and programs that are presented from:

1. Involvement of Illinois artists and/or groups
2. Community involvement and access

3. Need for financial support
4. Ways the grant will strengthen the organization or individual artist's project
5. How will the project impact the community and reach under-represented and under-served populations
6. Quality of the project
7. Project goals
8. 25% cash match
9. In-kind, non-cash contributions
10. Publicity – visibility of the project
11. Foster cultural development of under-represented populations within your service area
12. Documentation of the scheduled project; film, video and printed materials

Download the grant application at sunfoundation.org



ABOVE Members of the Princeton Theatre Group perform *Othello*, as part of Shakespeare in the Park.

RIGHT Students from Malden Grade School work on art projects from their program *Art From Here and There, Now and Then: Two and Three Dimensional Art*, introducing the arts of Africa, China, Japan, Hispanic cultures, European and American artists, minority artists and artists of the region using recyclable materials.

Art & Nature Center

The Sun Foundation Art and Nature Center offers exciting, hands-on programs and activities throughout the year.

New & Returning Programs!
Learn more and register at: sunfoundation.org

EDUCATIONAL FIELD TRIPS

The Sun Foundation Art and Nature Center offers tailored educational field trip experiences for school groups, scouts, church groups, seniors, home schoolers, and organizations. The Art and Nature Center features Illinois River Valley wetlands, an oak hickory forest, meadows, five miles of trails, and ancient inland sea fossil beds, making it an ideal setting to learn from nature.

Field trips incorporate group games and creative activities within the field of environmental science. The program emphasizes nature study as an activity that draws from and enhances other disciplines: arts, language arts, social studies, and science.

We offer field trip programming in the areas of environmental education and art. Environmental education topics include Fossils and Rocks, Native American Indian Material Culture, Wetland Plants and Animals, Wilderness and Nature Skills, the Art and Science of Nature, and Aboriginal Survival Arts. The Aboriginal Survival Arts program teaches basic survival

skills, awareness skills, and Native American philosophy, focusing on shelter, water, fire, and food. Arts topics include drawing from nature, creative writing, and design in nature.

Fee:
\$350 per naturalist/instructor for 25 students

Availability:
Scheduled by request from April – June, and September, between 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.

PLAN A RETREAT

Host your organization's next retreat at one of the Illinois River Valley's most beautiful settings. Located 25 miles north of Peoria in rural Washburn, Illinois, the Sun Foundation Art and Nature Center includes five miles of trails, a freshwater marsh, oak hickory forest grounds, meadows, and multiple unique meeting spaces including a pavilion and retrofitted barns.

Fees vary depending on event size, duration, and facilities used.

ADDITIONAL PROGRAMING

We're excited to announce new and returning programs at the Art and Nature Center for 2020.

Osage Self-Bow Workshop
Adults, ages 16+ with parental permission
April 17–19
9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m., daily
\$395

Primitive Firings with Clay Artist Chris Kukla
July 18 and October 3
10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
\$125

Introduction to Mushrooms
August 30
9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
\$25

Advance Drawing with Artist Doug DePauw
Ages 18 and up
July 18
10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
\$50

Advanced Painting with Artist Doug DePauw
Ages 18 and up
October 3
10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
\$50

Learn more about our programs or plan a retreat, at sunfoundation.org.

THE SUN FOUNDATION PRESENTS
THE 28TH CLEAN WATER CELEBRATION

Rise Up!

with delegates from Sea Youth Rise Up

April 26 & 27, 2020

Peoria Civic Center, River Front,
and Contemporary Art Center



SUNDAY, APRIL 26

Opening Ceremonies

Free and open to the public

4:00 p.m.

Peoria Riverfront, outside
Riverfront Gateway Building
200 NE Water Street

Parade of Waters and Native American
Blessing of Waters, Jimmy Lakota, Brian Fox
Ellis, with performances of Native American
Drum by Chip Roberts and African Drum by
Oba William King.

Please bring a small container of water from
your watershed for the blessing.

Dinner with Our Keynote Speakers

5:30 p.m.

**Contemporary Art Center
of Peoria**
305 SW Water Street

Dinner & Conversations

Adults: \$25
Students: \$15

Join our keynote speakers, the 2019 Sea
Youth Rise Up team, for a special dinner.
The 2019 Sea Youth Rise Up delegation
traveled to Washington D.C. to advocate
for increased policy to protect and restore
our ocean and climate, the two major
interconnected issues facing our planet
and society. Meet these youth leaders
selected from across the country. Learn
from them and share your ideas to Rise
Up and affect change!

**Register and purchase your dinner
tickets online at sunfoundation.org**

MONDAY, APRIL 27

Environmental Classroom

Free to middle schools, high schools, and the public

9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. | Peoria Civic Center 201 SW Jefferson Ave.



Keynote Presentations

Sea Youth Rise Up presentations at
9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.



Environmental Streams

Showcasing topics from aquatic life,
watersheds and recycling.



Interactive Exhibits

Environmental topics, art, STEM
and more!



Special Event Sessions

Presentations by artists, storytellers,
field scientists, youth citizen sci-
entists, national and state environmen-
tal organizations.



Zero Waste

We strive to make this event zero
waste by providing Zero Waste
Stations throughout the venue.

1,950+

Number of students, teachers,
and community members who
attended the 27th Clean Water
Celebration.

Over 62,000 students and their
teachers have attended the
Clean Water Celebration Environ-
mental Classroom and learned
how to become stewards for the
planet's naturally resources
locally and globally.

NAVIGATING COMMITTEE

The navigating committee meets
once per month during the
school year to make the Clean
Water Celebration possible.

Learn more and apply at
sunfoundation.org

Register for the Environmental Classroom by April 13

Visit sunfoundation.org or
use the form on the follow-
ing pages for additional
details and to register.

Contact Karen Zuckerman,
309-231-7451, with any
questions.

SCHOOLS AND OTHER LARGE GROUPS

Pre-register online or using the form on page 5, and your group will be
scheduled for the day.

INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILIES

A walk-in schedule will be available on the day of the event. Please note
that some sessions may be full and unavailable due to space limitations.

**skip
the STRAW**

April 27 - May 3, 2020

*Make a choice! Skip plastic straws for a week, take the
pledge at sunfoundation.org/skip-the-straw*

Skip the Straw is a call to action for schools, students,
restaurants, bar managers, coffee shops, and the
general public.

WHAT CAN YOU DO?

Ask servers and restaurants owners to switch to a "straw on
request" policy, rather than seeing straws when they're not
asked for (this is a great money saver, too!).

When a straw is required for health or functional purposes
please recycle or consider using biodegradable paper or
reusable metal or glass straws instead.

Schools, businesses, and the public participating in
Skip the Straw can recycle any plastic used that day,
as an extra effort.

WHY SKIP THE STRAW?

Every year Americans use an estimated half a billion plastic
beverage straws. The plastic straws we use for a few minutes
then toss, are adding substantially to the tons of plastic
waste buried in landfills. Plastic disposables are leaching into
the environment and discharged into the ocean and lakes
every year. Plastic straws are commonly found on beaches
and biologists are finding straws in the bodies of marine life.
Plastic straws do not biodegrade like organic matter but
break down into smaller and smaller pieces that clog the
ocean and get consumed by marine life—little straws are a
big problem. Getting a handle on the problem may simply
require those who serve beverages to adopt a straw on

request policy and for each of us to *skip the straw*. Not
only is it a money saver for businesses, but it can save our
oceans, marine life, and natural resources.

Join us by committing to **Skip the Straw** during the week
of April 27–May 3 and consider committing to all the other
days of the year.

Additionally, we should all start thinking about how we can
reduce our consumption of other single use plastics like
detachable plastic bottle caps, disposable plastic drink lids,
and plastic bags.

Start doing whatever you can to help stop single use plastic,
and **Skip the Straw!**

Registration

Schools and other large groups, please complete steps 1-4 of this form—or register online at sunfoundation.org—by April 13.



Register Online!
For all the latest information and to register, visit us online: sunfoundation.org

Please read and respond to the choices that follow. You are welcome to join us anytime between 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. All special events are on a first come first served basis. You will receive a packet confirming your schedule shortly before the event.

LEARNING STANDARDS

All of our activities have learning standards listed for your convenience in planning your day. (CC) Common Core, (ELA) English Language Arts, (SL) Speaking and Listening, (W) Writing, and the (ILS) Illinois Learning Standards: Science or (NGSS) Next Generation of Science Standards, (SS) Social Sciences, (FA) Fine Arts, (MA) Media Arts, (MU) Music, (VA) Visual Arts, and (FL) Foreign Language

BUS FUNDING

Bus funding may be available to assist in transportation costs. Mason, Peoria, Tazewell, and Woodford County Schools visit sunfoundation.org for details. Marshall and Putnam County schools, please call Stacy at the Marshall-Putnam Soil and Water Conservation District for instructions: 309-364-3991 ext. 3.

Please note that every attempt will be made to fulfill requests, however dependent upon the amount requested or the number of schools applying, the request may not be able to be totally funded.

MAKING WAVES AWARD

Making Waves Awards for those who have gone above and beyond to protect and preserve clean water and the environment in the categories of: student, teacher, school, individual, government, organization.

Nominations are being accepted until March 1 at: sunfoundation.org/making-waves-awards

1 Organization Details

SCHOOL NAME		CONTACT NAME		
STREET ADDRESS		CONTACT MOBILE PHONE	CONTACT E-MAIL	
CITY	STATE	ZIP	COUNTY	
TIME OF ARRIVAL	TIME OF DEPARTURE	NUMBER OF BUSES	NUMBER OF STUDENTS ATTENDING	GRADE LEVELS

- Please schedule our students together for sessions.
- Schedule students in _____ groups with _____ students in each group (e.g. 5 groups with 20 students in each group).

_____ Number of adults attending

Please list the names of all teachers attending to assure each teacher receives a teacher resource packet:

Please describe any other special needs or requests:

Registration continues on next page

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2 Activity Details

Select the activities your group is interested in participating in.

KEYNOTE **Sea Youth Rise Up Delegates**

The 2019 Sea Youth Rise Up delegation traveled to Washington D.C. in June to advocate for increased policy to protect and restore our ocean and our climate, the two major interconnected issues facing our planet and society. Meet these seven youth leaders selected from across the United States. You will hear about their projects in their schools and communities.

CCSS: ELA SL / ILS: NGSS PS1, LS2 / SS CV1, SS G2

- 9:30-10:30 11:00-12:00

- ENVIRONMENTAL STREAMS Three 20 minute sessions that total one hour**
Environmental Streams are designed to give teachers and their classes substance and science content about *aquatic life, watersheds, and recycling*. CCSS: ELA SL / ILS: NGSS LS2, ESS2, ESS3
- DELEGATE WORKSHOP Turn Passion into Action 40 minutes**
You will have the opportunity to send delegates from your school to an empowering session with these leaders where they will collaborate with your students to transform their passion into action and share the knowledge and skills they gained in their week in Washington D.C. at Capitol Hill Ocean Week. Rise up and affect change!
CCSS: ELA SL-W / ILS: NGSS PS1, LS2 / SS CV1, SS G2

- 9:00-2:00 EXHIBITS Hands on activities at booths**
Please be sure to let us know the amount of time you would like in the exhibit hall: _____
- LUNCH TIME Check if you would like a scheduled lunchtime**
The Peoria Civic Center has graciously allowed you to pack and bring lunches to this event. Remember to think Zero Waste! See website for Zero Waste Resources. Concessions will be available.

3 Special Event Sessions

Please mark all sessions that you are interested in attending. You will be scheduled into sessions that fit your time of attendance, activities selected, and your group size(s).

- SESSION 1 Choose Your Path and the Good Red Road – Eagle Ridge Singers and Friends, Jimmy Lakota, Jo Lakota**
(45 MINUTES) What are your choices? Whatever you choose, travel the Native American Way of conscious living on the earth. Learn through Native American song, dance, and stories of this thoughtful way of living and gain a new perspective on your impact, your conscious choices.
CCSS: ELA SL / ILS: NGSS ESS3, SSG2 • facebook.com/EagleRidgeandFriends
- SESSION 2 The History of Science, as Told by Mark Twain and performed by Warren Brown, Mark Twain Scholar**
(45 MINUTES) Mark Twain said "Inventors are the creators of the world—after God." This presentation is a first-person Chautauqua-style program by Warren Brown as Mark Twain. You will journey on water, land, and air, sharing insights from the Diaries of Adam and Eve to friendships with inventors and thoughts about Galileo and Newton. CCSS: ELA SL • wbmtwain.com
- SESSION 3 The Comic Mis-Adventures of Lewis and Clark with Brian "Fox" Ellis as Meriwether Lewis – Brian "Fox" Ellis, Storyteller and Educator**
(45 MINUTES) Join the Corps of Discovery in this humorous and informative blend of story, songs, journal excerpts and Native American folklore. Imagine an evening in Philadelphia with some of the greatest scientific minds in Early American history where Meriwether Lewis reveals for the first time many of the scientific findings of the Corps of Discovery. Encountering grizzly bears and collecting soil samples, capturing prairie dogs and hunting for antelope, Lewis cataloged 122 new animal species and 178 new plant species. In this original performance Lewis sings the praises of the geology, the diverse flora and fauna, and the web of life that binds us to the land. The expedition was first and foremost a scientific expedition and this program brings the scientific process to life in what one reviewer called "the perfect blend of science and stand-up comedy."
CCSS: ELA SL / ILS: NGSS LS1 • foxtalesint.com
- SESSION 4 Melted II: Fifty Years Still Going Strong With Your Help – Oba William King, Interactive Storyteller**
(45 MINUTES) Have you ever had an ear worm, a little song that stays in your head, a poem that creates a memory or a story you'll never forget. Through the Traditional art of storytelling our resident Folk-talesman will introduce students to songs, stories, and poems that celebrate the 50th anniversary of Earth Day.
CCSS: ELA SL & W / ILS: FA-MU:Pr6.1 • obawilliamking.com
- SESSION 5 River Music, Songwriting to Celebrate Humanities Link to the Waters – Barry Cloyd, full time, touring Singer/Songwriter**
(45 MINUTES) With 10 CD's, 200 plus shows per year and an extensive touring schedule some of Barry's most effective original songs have been based around and focused on the rivers as their primary subject matter. Barry's nature classroom for 19 years of his music career has been an authentic paddlewheel riverboat (which he performs on up & down the Illinois and Mississippi Rivers) and his kayak, as he has explored, researched and written about rivers and their amazing historical importance. In this presentation, Barry and his students will work together to bring out their own creativity in a song that they write, and can take with them to sing their passion about what clean water and healthy, verdant rivers mean to all of humanity.
CCSS: ELA SL, W / ILS: NGSS ESS2 / SS.G.2 / FA-MU:Cr1-2-3
barrycloydproductions.com
- SESSION 6 Create System Dioramas, a hands-on project, focused on water! – Tim Wagner, Nature's Farm Camp**
(60 MINUTES) We split up into four separate groups: Native Americans, Normal Farmers, Modern City Dwellers and Regenerative Farmers. Each group is given a brief description of the way their communities live. Each group then creates small scale renderings of their lives using a variety of natural materials provided, demonstrating how their group uses: Water, Food, Shelter, Energy, Transportation and Waste. Upon completion of the dioramas, each group presents to their peers and we compare and discuss.
CCSS: ELA SL / ILS: SS.G.2.3 / FA-VA:Cr1.1, VA:Cn11.1 • naturesfarmcamp.com
- SESSION 7 Zoo Conservation, Making a Splash! – Peoria Zoo**
(45 MINUTES) Meet several zoo animals while learning about ways we can save water and habitat. CCSS: ELA SL / ILS: NGSS LS2 • peoriazoo.org
- SESSION 8 Endangered or Threatened in Illinois? Wildlife Prairie Park**
(30-40 MINUTES) Can you name an endangered or threatened animal? Come learn about why some of these animal populations are decreasing and what humans can and have done to help.
CCSS: ELA SL / ILS: NGSS LS2 • wildlifeprairiepark.org
- SESSION 9 Amphibians as Indicator Species – Doug Holmes, resident herpetologist, Peoria Zoo**
(30-45 MINUTES) Find out what amphibians can tell us about the health of our environment while learning about the effects of chemicals on amphibians, the importance of amphibians, and how we are all connected. CCSS: ELA SL / ILS: NGSS ESS2, LS2 / SS.G.2 • peoriazoo.org
- SESSION 10 P2D2: Prescription Pill and Drug Disposal Program – Pontiac High School Environmental Students**
(40 MINUTES) Hey! If you have a passion for the environment and clean water, come check out P2D2! The International Prescription Pill and Drug Disposal Program (P2D2) was started as a way to prevent misuse and abuse of prescription drugs keeping them out of our water supply. Come check us out!
CCSS: ELA SL / ILS: NGSS LS2 • p2d2program.org
- SESSION 11 OES, Operation Endangered Species – Jenn Carey and students from Parkside Jr. High**
(40 MINUTES) Are you interested in saving endangered wildlife? We are too. Operation Endangered Species is all about bringing back the Alligator Snapping Turtle to Illinois! We joined Pontiac Township High School in raising the turtles and now we are able to put them back into the wild! Join us today.
CCSS: ELA SL / ILS: NGSS ESS2, LS2 • operationendangeredspecies.com
- SESSION 12 Water Cycle Adventures – Susie Grana Ingram, Forest Park Nature Center**
(45 MINUTES) Water covers most of the earth and is always moving! Discover the role water plays in every stage of its cycle. You will also meet a native animal that depends on clean water for survival!
CCSS: ELA SL / ILS: NGSS ESS2 / SS.G.2 • peoriaparks.org/forest-park-nature-center
- SESSION 13 Becoming an Outdoors Advocate Through Leadership and Recreation – Shae L. Birkey, Caterpillar Inc.**
(30 MINUTES) There are so many positive ways to connect to the outdoors. Whether it is through active or passive recreation, the end result is fostering a love for the outdoors. Through experiencing the outdoors especially at a young age, advocacy for it's many wise uses can be established resulting in the betterment of society and the long term sustainability of our long-standing American outdoors heritage. CCSS: ELA SL / ILS: SS G.2, PD&H 22 C
- SESSION 14 Nurture Nature or Move: Lessons from Ancient Native Americans – Dr. Michael Wiant anthropologist, archeologist**
(45 MINUTES) Drawing on archeological and ethnohistoric research, it is clear that some societies so depleted local resources that they were forced to move to a new location. Using this as a conceptual foundation, we consider the impact of meeting our basic needs in the future. CCSS: ELA SL / ILS: NGSS LS2 / SS.H.1.2 • illinoistatemuseum.org
- SESSION 15 Water on the Move! – Emily Poynter Jenkins, Farnsworth Group Inc.**
(30 MINUTES) How are stream channels created and why do they change over time? How can people live in harmony with streams? Learn why streams don't flow in a straight line, why streams erode their stream banks, and what engineers do to protect streams.
CCSS: ELA SL / ILS: NGSS ESS2, ESS3 • f-w.com
- SESSION 16 Clean Water: It's for the Birds – Dr. Travis Wilcoxon, Millikin University**
(30 MINUTES) It's easy to see how polluted water has an impact on animals that live in the water, like fish and frogs. The truth is, clean water is extremely important for animals that spend much of their time in the air, like birds. In this session, students will learn about how pollutants in water such as lead, mercury, and pesticides can cause problems for many kinds of birds, from ducks to eagles.
CCSS: ELA SL / ILS: NGSS LS2, PD&H 22 C • millikin.edu
- SESSION 17 Clean Water for Life – Randolph Pankiewicz, Illinois American Water Company Mobile Education Center**
(30 MINUTES) The importance of water as a natural resource will be shown through video, instructor presentation and hands on learning. Topics will include the water cycle, water conservation, water treatment and source water.
CCSS: ELA SL / ILS: NGSS ESS3 / SSG2 • illinoisamwater.com
- SESSION 18 It's NOT Magic, It's Science! – Bradley University Chemistry Club & Dr. Dean Campbell**
(45 MINUTES) The event will feature a series of chemistry-related demonstrations that are science (not magic) in focus. Emphasis will be placed on physical and chemical properties of water and the environment. CCSS: ELA SL / ILS: NGSS PS1
bradley.edu/academic/departments/chem/faculty/profile.dot?id=169366
- SESSION 19 Flexing your Mussel Knowledge: The Importance of Freshwater Mussels – Mike Coyne-Logan, Rachel Loomis, Living Lands & Waters**
(45 MINUTES) Students will learn about different freshwater mussel species of the Mississippi River and their role in the ecosystem. Students will take on the role of malacologists (mussel experts) by examining specimens and learning about mussel anatomy and their unique life history. This activity includes an interactive matching game that requires teamwork and collaboration.
CCSS: ELA SL / ILS: NGSS LS2, ESS3 • livinglandsandwaters.org
- SESSION 20 Drinking Water: From Source to Tap – Trip Barton, Engineering Manager Project Delivery, Illinois American Water**
(30 MINUTES) A high level overview of how drinking water gets to your tap. The session will include discussion of the sources of water, water treatment processes, and how the water gets to your house.
CCSS: ELA SL / ILS: NGSS ESS2 / PDH 22C
amwater.com/ilaw/water-information/water-learning-center
- SESSION 21 The Illinois River and You: Testing for Pollutants and More! – Limestone Community High School**
(30 MINUTES) During the spring of 2020, students at Limestone Community High School will collect data on the water quality of the Illinois River. During this presentation, they will share their findings using hands-on techniques which gets their audience involved. Presentation attendees will have the chance to practice using the same techniques that LCHS students used to collect their data, as well as, will learn more about what they can do to minimize water pollution near them. This session will be led by high school students and is bound to be full of fun! CCSS: ELA SL / ILS: NGSS ESS3
- SESSION 22 Your Future with Electricity – CeMAST at Illinois State University**
(30 MINUTES) Students will see how the electrical grid works and the changes already taking place. They will also learn how electricity will be used in the homes of the future.
CCSS: ELA SL / ILS: NGSS PS2 / SSG3, SSG4
- SESSION 23 Understanding Plant Blindness – Illinois Botanizer, Chris Benda**
(30 MINUTES) All life as we know it literally owes its survival to plants, yet few people know how to identify them or can explain the importance of their roles in nature. This inability to see the plants that surround us is termed "plant blindness." This program will challenge your perceptions about plants and teach you ways to inform others about their value to humans and nature.
CCSS: ELA SL / ILS: NGSS LS4 / SS G2 • illinoisbotanizer.com

4 Submit

Registration closes April 13, please return selections as soon as possible to
Karen Zuckerman:

E-MAIL cleanwater@sunfoundation.org

MAIL 903 W Moss Ave.
Peoria, IL 61606

Art & Science in the Woods



Art and Science in the Woods is a weeklong day camp held at the Sun Foundation Art and Nature Center every summer, where students as young as six learn from, and are inspired, by professional artists and scientists in nature's classroom.

CELEBRATE WITH US!

In celebration of the 46th Art and Science in the Woods, we will be hosting a special summer farm to table dinner—with music and presenting artists—to benefit the Sun Foundation's Endowment Fund. The event will take place at the Sun Foundation Art and Nature Center. Please visit our website or follow us on Facebook for more details later this month.

This five day program connects students with inspiring artists, engineers, archaeologists, scientists, survival skills instructors, and more, all while taking in the natural beauty of the outdoors. On the final day, family, friends and the community are invited to the Sun Foundation Art and Nature Center to celebrate their week of sharing and learning.

WHO CAN ATTEND?

Everyone in moderate physical condition can enjoy being at the Sun Foundation's Art and Science in the Woods summer day camp. We welcome students ages 6 through adult.

WHEN & WHERE?

Art and Science in the Woods is a five day program held Monday through Friday, *rain or shine*.

June 8 to June 12, 2020

Monday – Thursday: 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Friday: 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Sun Foundation Art and Nature Center

1276 Sun Road
Washburn, IL 61570

- 25 miles north of Peoria, on the east side of the Illinois River
- 9 miles south of Lacon
- 2.5 miles east of IL Route 26
- A Sun Foundation sign on Route 26 marks the exit on to Sun Road heading east

The Sun Foundation owns no land or facility. The Sun Foundation Art and Nature Center and Art and Science in the Woods are located on the property of Joan, Brett and Bob Ericksen, Blue Heron Farm, and neighboring farms.

HOW IT WORKS

Majors

Mornings and all day Friday classes are devoted to in-depth study of one subject, called Majors. On Friday evening, you will share what you have learned with the rest of the group, including family and friends.

Minors

Monday through Thursday afternoon classes are called Minors; a chance to do something different each day with different students about topics that interest you.

For classes with a wide suggested age range (8-18) please note, we will narrow that down, once we see the trend in registration. We always try to keep students of similar age together in their classes. Students ages 6 and 7 who have finished kindergarten may sign up for pee wee classes. Older 7 year old students who have attended camp previously or are comfortable in new class situations may choose to opt for Majors and Minors listed for that age group.

HOW TO REGISTER PLEASE REGISTER EARLY

- Please read descriptions of the classes and instructor introductions
- Decide which classes interest you
- Register and pay online at sunfoundation.org, or by mail using the form on page 13
- Please use **one** registration form per person
- We will try to put you in the classes you want most. Scheduling and class size limits may affect your assignments.
- You should receive a confirmation of your class selection by June 1
- Please advise us when you register if the student has special needs

LUNCH & SNACKS

We recommend healthy, low sugar, nutritious lunches and snacks for the morning and afternoon that won't need refrigeration, and a water bottle.

BRING & WEAR

Wear comfortable clothing that can get soiled, wet, and painted. Long pants and long sleeved shirts are best for protection from plants and insects, and are required in some classes. For comfort and safety, do not wear sandals. Flies and mosquitoes will not be as annoying if you wear socks, and hiking and exploring will be easier in shoes that tie. Bring a cap, backpack, and non-toxic, non-aerosol bug repellent (such as Avon Skin So Soft).

TRANSPORTATION

Our students come from many central Illinois communities. Bus service may be provided from Peoria, Metamora, and Germantown Hills. We can also share contact information for carpooling with your permission.

Please indicate interest in either of these options where indicated on the registration form.





FINANCIAL NEED SCHOLARSHIPS

A limited number of scholarships are available through the generosity of the Sun Foundation community and local businesses for students with verifiable financial need. Need can be verified by teachers, scout leaders, church leaders or any adult or parent who knows of a child's interest in Art and Science in the Woods but is unable to attend because of financial considerations. Students should fill out the registration form and send it with a note or recommendation.

Adults who are interested in attending may contact us on their own behalf.

FIRST AID & INSURANCE

A nurse and/or a resident EMT will administer minor first aid. In the event serious medical attention is needed, the emergency number listed on your registration form will be called. Please be sure to give a number for a responsible party. The Sun Foundation does not provide insurance for coverage of medical expenses.

Please advise us when you register if the student has special needs.

VOLUNTEERS

Art and Science in the Woods would not be possible without volunteers: they SHINE. We need teaching assistants, evaluators, nurses, and people to help with various duties before, during, and after camp. Adult teaching assistant volunteers receive a \$50 deduction for one of their children and a free, limited edition, 2020 camp t-shirt. A limited number of teen volunteers ages 16 and up are needed. *Learn more on page 12.*

Apply online to be a volunteer at: sunfoundation.org > *Art & Science in the Woods* > *Support*

LOST & FOUND POLICY

Check the Pavilion Lost and Found Box each day. Items will be held following the program for up to two weeks and then donated to Goodwill.

DAILY SCHEDULE

- 8:30 – 9:00** Morning Major class grouping at pavilion
- 9:00 – 11:45** Morning Major (everyday)
- 11:45 – 12:15** Lunch with Major class (everyday)
- 12:15 – 12:30** Minor class grouping at pavilion
- 12:30 – 3:00** Minor class, different everyday (Monday – Thursday)
Major class (Friday)

There is **no bus service home on Friday**, student dismissal is at 5:00 p.m. this day only. Contact Sharon Obery: 309-251-2819 or e-mail sharon@sunfoundation.org if you have questions or if you need special arrangements for student pick-up.

FRIDAY CELEBRATION SCHEDULE

- For families, friends, and the public
- 9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.**
Silent Auction bidding in the Pavilion
- 3:00 – 5:00**
Special activities for all students. Students not staying for the evening program must be picked up from the Sun Foundation pavilion at 5:00 p.m.
- 5:00 – 6:00**
Picnic and Silent Auction
- 6:00**
Performances, Exhibits, and Auction results

Celebrate with us Friday Evening, June 12

Family, friends, and the community are invited to the Sun Foundation Art and Nature Center on Friday, June 12, to celebrate our week of sharing and learning. Bring a picnic dinner (blanket or lawn chairs are a good idea) and enjoy music in the woods from 5:00–6:00 p.m. At 6:00 classes will begin exhibits, demonstrations, and performances that exemplify the work they have concentrated on during the week.

FRIDAY SILENT AUCTION BENEFIT

The Auction is held at the Sun Foundation Art and Nature Center. Auction pieces are displayed in the pavilion and are marked for silent bidding. Works by artists and scientists, students, and friends of the Sun Foundation are available for purchase.

Bidding is from 9:00 a.m. to 5:45 p.m. on Friday and auction results are announced at 6:00 p.m. outside the pavilion.

Thank you to all of our Art and Science in the Woods friends who have donated auction gifts, served as volunteers or have given contributions for program support.

Celebrated Sponsors for 46 Years

As of January 7, 2020



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Support Art & Science in the Woods

Last year, over 100 volunteers served as teaching assistants, medical staff, administrative assistants, and more. With your help, we hope to do it again!



Silent Auction Support

The Art and Science in the Woods Silent Auction helps support our summer camp every year, and is a great way to join the Sun Foundation community. Consider how you are able to help support this great event!

DONATE

I can donate _____ with a value of \$_____.

VOLUNTEER

- I can help set up for the auction **Thursday, June 11** from 12:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
- I can volunteer to help with the auction on **Friday, June 12**, at the time specified:

9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.
3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	6:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

NAME _____ EMAIL _____

TELEPHONE _____ ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____



Financial Support

Art and Science in the Woods has inspired several generations of young students to become biologists, artists, teachers, musicians, filmmakers, and more—active members of society, creating the future with their talents. This kind of programing isn't available elsewhere to these students, nearly a quarter of whom attend at no cost via a financial need scholarship.

Art and Science in the Woods wouldn't be possible without the support of our community. Please consider making a donation today by filling out the form below, or at our website: sunfoundation.org.

Listed below are examples of how you, or your company, can financially support specific areas of the program. This list shows examples of what it takes to provide our programing every summer, but you can contribute any amount to each area. *Your donation is tax-deductible.*



Please identify where you would like to direct your donation below:

- Program Sponsor \$1000
- Bus Rental \$600
- Class Sponsor \$500
- Tent Rental \$300
- ½ Class Sponsor \$250
- Student Scholarship \$260
- Class Supplies \$100
- Meal Provisions \$50
- Cleaning Supplies \$25
- Area of Greatest Need

Yes!

I/We will support the Sun Foundation with a tax-deductible contribution. Pay by credit card and set-up recurring donations at sunfoundation.org, or:

- A check for the contribution is enclosed.
- I pledge a payment of \$_____. Pledge date: _____

INDIVIDUAL CONTRIBUTOR

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

TELEPHONE _____ EMAIL _____

In an effort to help the Sun Foundation conserve paper and postage, I would like my gift receipt sent via email.

This donation is a gift in honor or memory of: _____

I would like my gift to remain anonymous.

Camp Volunteer Support

Art and Science in the Woods would not be possible without volunteers. Each year, roughly 100 volunteers serve as teaching assistants, medical staff, administrative assistants, and in many other capacities. We also have a limited number of teen volunteer opportunities for those ages 16 and up.

Log volunteer hours with the Sun Foundation and we will supply documentation for the work that was given. Individuals who need to fulfill community service hours are more than welcome to do that with us. Plus, the Sun Foundation could not continue its work without you!

BEFORE SUMMER CAMP BEGINS

Before Art and Science in the Woods begins (May through the second week of June), a team of volunteers prepares Blue Heron Farm from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. each day.



- Classroom preparation
- Organization and distribution of supplies
- Landscaping/mowing
- Trail clearing
- Painting
- Class site clean-up
- Storage of supplies

DURING SUMMER CAMP

During our week-long summer camp, June 8–12, we need teaching assistants, evaluators, nurses, and volunteers to help with various duties.



Teaching Assistants

Assist the instructor with class needs



Nurses

We need at least two volunteer nurses on site at all times



Office Help

Help with mailings, light computer work, organizing supplies, etc.



Bus Monitors

Assist students using bus transportation

WHY VOLUNTEER?

Community: Be part of a welcoming group of people all coming together for a common cause.

Enjoyment: There's nothing quite like seeing the excitement of a child as he or she explores and learns new things.

FOR YOUR TIME AND HELP, VOLUNTEERS RECEIVE:

TA Discount: Adult Teaching Assistants (TAs) and Nurses receive a \$50 tuition discount for one student, to use as you wish.

Limited Edition T-shirt: TAs receive a free Art and Science in the Woods T-shirt, designed by an artist from our community.

I Want to Volunteer!

Volunteer opportunities are available for those ages 16 and up. If you're available before, during, or after the week of June 8, we'd love to have you!

Visit sunfoundation.org for more information and to apply.

JUNE 8 - JUNE 12

Art & Science in the Woods 2020 Registration

Register Online!
Register and find all the latest information on our website:
sunfoundation.org

Please complete steps 1-7, on both sides of this registration form, or register online and pay by credit card at sunfoundation.org.

1 Participant Details

Male Female

STUDENT'S FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	AGE	BIRTHDAY	GENDER
PARENT'S NAME		PRIMARY PHONE	E-MAIL	
PARENT'S EMPLOYER		WORK PHONE # (OR SECONDARY PHONE)		
EMERGENCY CONTACT NAME (IF PRIMARY PARENT IS UNREACHABLE)		EMERGENCY CONTACT PHONE #		
MAILING ADDRESS				
CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTY	

2 Course Selection

Participants will be placed in classes with students of similar ages. Age limits may be adapted as enrollment progresses. Pee Wee students must have completed kindergarten by June, 2020. Class sizes are limited in space and fill quickly. We encourage early registration.

Major Classes

Please choose six (6) Majors, ranked in order of preference.

- _____ Aboriginal Arts - Basic, *all day major* Ages 11-18
- _____ Aboriginal Arts - Advanced, *all day major* Ages 12-18
- _____ Are We There Yet? Ages 11-18
- _____ Clay Creations Ages 8-12
- _____ Comedy in the Woods Ages 8-14
- _____ Coyote Warriors, *all day major* Ages 13-18
- _____ Dragonfly Tales Ages 8-11
- _____ Draw With Brushes/Paint With Pencils Ages 8-18
- _____ Drawing & Sculpting from Nature Ages 8-18
- _____ Drawing with the Sun Ages 10-18
- _____ Getting Familiar with Reptiles Ages 10-18
- _____ Global Street Art Ages 11-18
- _____ Imagination Nation Ages 7-9
- _____ Living Like an Insect Ages 8-18
- _____ Magnificent Monarchs & Friends Ages 7-10
- _____ Mural, Mural, Mural Ages 8-18
- _____ Paint on the Path Ages 8-11
- _____ Patterns & Rhythms in the Woods Ages 7-10
- _____ Rocke-tree in the Woods, *requires rocket fee* Ages 11-18
- _____ Songwriting, Composition, & Basic Recording Tech. Ages 10-18
- _____ Stories in the Woods Ages 7-10
- _____ Treasure Hunt for the Past Ages 10-18
- _____ Tune in and Move Ages 7-10
- _____ Wild Crafted Art Materials Ages 11-18
- _____ Young Naturalists Ages 8-11
- _____ PEE WEE C.S.I.-Cool Scene Investigators, *all day major* Ages 6 & 7
- _____ PEE WEE Little Explorers, *all day major* Ages 6 & 7

Minor Classes

Please choose ten (10) Minors, ranked in order of preference. Days will be assigned.

- _____ Bird in the Hand Ages 11-18
- _____ Challenge Course Ages 10-18
- _____ Clay Play Ages 8-18
- _____ Creepy Crawlers Ages 8-18
- _____ Discovering Monarchs Ages 7-11
- _____ Dragonfly Observation Ages 7-18
- _____ Drawing with the Sun Ages 10-18
- _____ Fossils and Rocks Ages 10-18
- _____ Fun with Photosynthesis Ages 8-11
- _____ Global Street Art Ages 11-18
- _____ Guitar, Piano, Voice Ages 10-18
- _____ Hand Drill Friction Fire Ages 10-18
- _____ Henna Art Ages 10-18
- _____ Kit Rockets, *requires rocket fee* Ages 8-18
- _____ Knitting in Nature Ages 10-18
- _____ Native American Arts & Culture Ages 8-18
- _____ Paint & Draw with Doug DePauw Ages 7-18
- _____ Rhythm Circles Ages 7-12
- _____ Sculpt & Draw Nature Ages 7-18
- _____ Splat Ages 7-18
- _____ Storytelling, Singing Dance Jam Ages 7-10
- _____ Sun Foundation Insects Ages 8-18
- _____ Tune in and Move Ages 7-10
- _____ Video Crew for a Day Ages 11-18
- _____ Watercolor in the Woods Ages 7-18

3 T-shirt

Select your desired size:

- Adult S M L XL XXL XXXL
 Child S M L

4 Fees and Supplies

Review your fees and supply total. Please consider making an additional donation to the Sun Foundation to provide financial need scholarships and fund our programs into the future.

- Registration Fee \$260
- Rocket Fee (for Rocke-tree and Kit Rockets courses) \$10
- Bus Fee (see next page for details) \$70
- Teaching Assistant Discount (Waiver) -\$50
- Financial Need Scholarship Sponsor (Donation) \$260
- Other Donation (see below for how you can help) \$_____

Make checks payable to "Sun Foundation" **Total:** \$_____

- Apply for Financial Need Scholarship **No Payment Today**
 (See page 8 for requirements)

ART & SCIENCE IN THE WOODS

Financial Fund Support

Listed below are examples of how you, or your company, can financially support specific areas of the program. This list shows examples of what it takes to provide our programming every summer, but you can contribute any amount to each area. *Your donation is tax-deductible.*

Please identify where you'd like to direct your donation below, and add the donation amount in the Fees and Supplies section above.

- Program Sponsor \$1000 Bus Rental \$600
- Class Sponsor \$500 Tent Rental \$300
- 1/2 Class Sponsor \$250 Student Scholarship \$260
- Class Supplies \$100 Meal Provisions \$50
- Cleaning Supplies \$25 Area of Greatest Need \$_____

Registration continues on next page



5 Bus Permission

The Sun Foundation has contracted bus service for round trip transportation each day (except Friday return) to Art and Science in the Woods. We will have adult and teen volunteers monitoring the buses. Parents should stay with children until you are sure that an adult volunteer is present. Please be sure to arrive on time to drop off and pick up your children.

Bus service is not provided Friday afternoon, parents/guardians are responsible for pick-up at 5:00 p.m. Additionally, family/friends are invited to bring a picnic supper and join the celebration at the end of the day. Learn more about the Friday celebration on our website.

PEORIA

There will be buses from Lindbergh School and Whittier School. We have been asked not to enter the buildings. Both buses will leave promptly at 7:45 a.m. and return at approximately 3:45 p.m. each afternoon, *except for Friday*—when parents are responsible to pick up children or join them for the evening festivities at 5:00 p.m.

Lindbergh School

6327 N. Sheridan Road

Whittier Grade School

1619 W. Fredonia Ave.

METAMORA

The bus will leave the grade school at approximately 8:15 each day and return between 3:30-3:45 p.m. each afternoon, *except for Friday*—when parents are responsible to pick up children or join them for the evening festivities at 5:00 p.m.

GERMANTOWN HILLS

The bus will leave the grade school at approximately 8:00 each day and return between 3:30- 3:45 p.m. each afternoon, *except for Friday*—when parents are responsible to pick up children or join them for the evening festivities at 5:00 p.m.

BUS FEES ARE \$70 PER STUDENT

We are asking for a \$70 fee in order to try and make it affordable for all. However, if you are able to donate a little extra to help ensure we can cover costs it would be much appreciated.

Select your pick-up/drop-off location:

Lindbergh School Whittier School Metamora School Germantown Hills School

I authorize the child named on the reverse of this document to ride the bus to and from the Sun Foundation the week of June 8-12, 2020.

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME PRINTED

Please state any special needs of your child the school bus driver should be aware of:

6 Liability Waiver and Release of Claims

We are excited that you have chosen to be a part of our Sun Foundation program. This Liability Waiver and Release of Claims (hereinafter referred to as "Waiver and Release") is vital in ensuring the safety of all Participants, including, but not limited to, children, adults, students, campers, volunteers, presenters, teachers, assistants, staff, employees, and agents (collectively referred to herein as "Participants"). All Participants must provide a completed, signed Waiver and Release prior to their involvement in any Sun Foundation program. Please read this Waiver and Release carefully prior to signing.

SPECIAL ACCOMMODATION(S)

Please list any special needs or accommodations for your child we should be aware of:

USE OF TYLENOL

I give permission; I do not give permission

to the Sun Foundation Art & Science in the Woods staff to administer Tylenol to my child,

CHILD'S NAME

for treatment of headache or other minor ailments.

ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND RELEASE. As a Participant, or the parent/guardian of a Participant, I recognize, understand, and acknowledge that this program involves the risk of injury. I agree to assume any and all risk of injury, whether known or unknown, anticipated or unanticipated, suspected or unsuspected, including, but not limited to, physical injury, psychological injury, death, damage, and loss, which I, or my minor child/ward, may sustain as a Participant in any or all activities connected with, associated with, or incidental to such program.

As a Participant, or the parent/guardian of a Participant, I hereby fully, unconditionally, and irrevocably waive, release, and discharge the Sun Foundation, Blue Heron Farm, Robert Ericksen, Joan Ericksen, Brett Ericksen, Terry Blecher, Dale Blecher, and all of their Officers, Directors, agents, employees, attorneys, managers, members, partners, supervisors, shareholders, heirs, successors, legatees, beneficiaries, representatives, administrators, assigns, affiliates, independent contractors, servants, and representatives, from any and all actual or potential claims, demands, damages, liabilities, rights, causes of action, rights of action, rights of subrogation, rights of indemnity, rights to reimbursement, rights to payment, liens, and remedies of each and every kind or nature whatsoever, whether at law, in equity, under statute, contract, common law, or otherwise, and whether the same are known or unknown, anticipated or unanticipated, suspected or unsuspected, claimed, fixed or contingent, whether yet accrued or not, and whether damages have been incurred from such or not, arising out of any event occurring at any time during the aforementioned Sun Foundation program, including, but not limited to, all claims arising out of, connected to, or relating in any way to said program. It is the intent and understanding of the Participant, or the parent/guardian of a Participant, that the foregoing is and shall constitute a general release for all issues and claims arising after the execution of this Waiver and Release as set forth above.

INDEMNIFICATION. As a Participant, or the parent/guardian of a Participant, I understand and acknowledge all risks and responsibilities for accidents, injuries or damages to any person or property and agree to indemnify, hold harmless, and defend the Sun Foundation, Blue Heron Farm, Robert Ericksen, Joan Ericksen, Brett Ericksen, Terry Blecher, Dale Blecher, and all of their Officers, Directors, agents, employees, attorneys, managers, members, partners, supervisors, shareholders, heirs, successors, legatees, beneficiaries, representatives, administrators, assigns, affiliates, independent contractors, servants, and representatives, from any and all claims, liabilities, losses, costs and expenses (including attorneys' fees) arising from, connection with, or in any way associated with the activities of the Sun Foundation program.

MEDICAL CARE. In case of any accident, injury, or sickness, I, as a Participant, or the parent/guardian of a Participant, consent to emergency medical care, whether provided by ambulance, hospital, physician, nurse, medical volunteer, or emergency medical provider.

USE OF LIKENESS. As a Participant, or the parent/guardian of a Participant, I hereby consent to the use of my, or my minor child's/ward's, photograph and/or likeness in any and all Sun Foundation multimedia, publication, presentation, and/or social media publication.

REVIEW & EXECUTION. As a Participant, or the parent/guardian of a Participant, I represent and warrant that this Waiver and Release has been carefully read, the contents hereof are known, understood, and accepted freely and voluntarily, without duress or undue influence, and with full knowledge of its significance, intending to be legally bound.

DATE

SIGNATURE OF PARTICIPANT OR PARENT/GUARDIAN

7 Submit

Registration deadline is April 30, 2020, but may end sooner if classes fill early. Visit our website for updates.

- Completed registration form
 Check made payable to "Sun Foundation"
 Financial Need Scholarship recommendation (if applicable)

- I would like more information about carpooling from:

Mail to:

Sharon Obery
1115 Dixon St.
Washington, IL 61571

INDICATE LOCATION, IF DIFFERENT FROM THE ADDRESS LISTED

