

2010 Bickelhaupt Arboretum Calendar of Events

- January 16** - Saturday, 2 pm New Year's Treats for the Birds with Linda Boardsen, Arb Vol, I.M.N.
- February 6** - Saturdays at the Arb, 2 pm International Crane Foundation and Great Backyard Bird Count by Linda Boardsen
- February 13** - Saturdays at the Arb, 9 -10 am. Lifestyles of Bears of Upper Midwest, Dr. John Zimmerman
- March 6** - Horticulture in the Heartland: Arb, CCC, CTF and MG will host a day-long conference at CCC.
- March 20** - Vernal Equinox, 5:30 pm. Help us celebrate the advent of spring.
- April 24** - Earth Day 2010 Celebration A collaboration with Clinton Tree Commission, Clinton Trees Forever
- May 28** - Annual Meeting of Board of Directors of Bickelhaupt Arboretum
- June 5** - Saturdays at the Arb, 9-10 am "Not Your Usual Kitchen Garden" with Linda Cornelius, Arb Vol, M.G.
- June 15** - (rain date June 17) Arts at the Arb, 7 pm. String Quartet Bring a lawn chair and enjoy the outdoor performance.
- June 21** - Summer Solstice, 5:30 pm. Greet summer at the Arb.
- July 6** - (rain date July 8) Arts at the Arb, 7 pm The Drs. Engelson Bring a lawn chair and enjoy the outdoor performance.
- July 17** - Saturdays at the Arb, 9-10 am "Geocaching" with Pam Steinhaus, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

August 3 - (rain date August 5) Arts at the Arb, 7 pm. Travis Hosette

August 7 - Herb Faire. 9 – noon. The lore as well as growing, preserving and cooking with herbs.

August 28 - Butterfly Fest. 10 am-1pm. Learn about the Monarch Butterfly. Watch us tag and release them.

September 7 - (rain date September 9) Arts at the Arb, 6:30 pm. Al Ronek “The Pirate Over 50.” Bring a lawn chair and enjoy.

September 19 - Arts at the Arb, Sunday, 2 pm. Clintones Community Woman’s chorus in the Gathering Place

September 22 - Autumnal Equinox, 5:30 pm. Mark the beginning of fall.

September 26 - Sunday, 2 pm Birding Tour of the Arboretum with Linda Boardsen, Arb Vol, I.M.N.

October 4 - Annual Volunteer Recognition.

October 16 - Saturdays at the Arb, 9 - 10 am. “Constructing a Leopold Bench” with Art Ollie, Arb Vol, M.G.

November 13 - Saturdays at the Arb, 9 – 10 am. “Orchids” with members of the Illowa Orchid Society

December 4 - Saturdays at the Arb. 9 –10 am. Arb presents "Make Your Own Wreath." Instructors: M.G.s.

December 4 - Saturday, 2 pm Winter Bird Feeding and Winter Bird Count with Linda Boardsen, Arb Vol, I.M.N.

December 21 - Winter Solstice, 5:30 pm. Brave the cold on the shortest day of the year and welcome winter.

Free Tours, 2 pm. Sat. and Sun., April – October.

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Arb Vol – Arboretum Volunteer

M.G. – Master Gardener

I.M.N. – Illinois Master Naturalist