

Association for the Wolf Lake Initiative

A not-for-profit organization and land trust

Working across state boundaries to enhance the Wolf Lake Watershed



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\$200 Youth Leader Stipends

Funded by a grant from the Elizabeth Morse Genius Charitable Trust

The Association for the Wolf Lake Initiative (AWLI) has designed these stipends for youth group leaders to encourage members to connect more with nature. Each youth group leader is required to introduce a project for the year 2020-21 that would be conducted within the Wolf Lake watershed. The stipends were designed in partnership with the Department of Education at Calumet College of St. Joseph and in collaboration with the Field Museum.

Scope:

Limited to youth organizations in Lake County, Indiana and Southeast Cook County, Illinois

Benefits:

Copy of *Over the Line*, a 20-year history of AWLI.

Requirements:

- Youth group leader be a member of the group for at least one year
- Attend an all-day guided bus tour of the Wolf Lake watershed on May 30, 2020
- Present a preview of project, including a budget, at the November 6, 2020 meeting of the 3rd annual Wolf Lake Advisory Committee at Calumet College
- Project submitted must include a location within the Wolf Lake watershed
- Be available for meetings or conference calls throughout the school year for tracking progress
- Submit a self-assessment of your project, with participants' evidence, at end of May, 2021
- Recommend a stipend applicant for the school year 2021-2022

Optional:

Attendance at Calumet Revisited Forums held through the school year at 5 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month, September through May, in Room 265, Calumet College of St. Joseph

Deadline to submit application:

April 15, 2020. Selections announced on April 30.

Application forms are available to download on AWLI's Website: www.wolflakeinitiative.org.

Questions.

Direct questions to Michael@wolflakeinitiative.org

Calendar

February 1, 2020

Youth group leader stipends announced

April 15

Deadline to submit youth group leader stipend application

April 30

Stipend winners announced.

Saturday, May 30

All-day tour of the Wolf Lake Watershed

Friday, November 6

All-day meeting of the Wolf Lake Watershed Advisory Committee when stipends will be awarded.

End of May, 2021

Deadline to submit self-assessment of project with participants' evidence