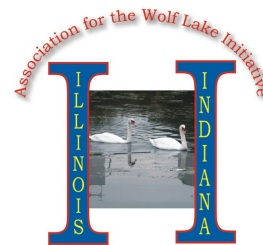


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Dragonflies discussed at next
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Immediate Release

Loyce Fandre, a naturalist at Gibson Woods and retired science teacher in Hammond, will give a presentation on dragonflies in the Calumet Region via Zoom at 5 p.m. Tues. Feb. 2.

She is the sixth speaker in this year's Calumet Revisited Forum. The series of monthly discussions began its seventh year last September.

The forums shed light on the region's rich human history and environmental treasures. All meetings through May are by Zoom.

Fandre last November spoke on the same subject at the fourth annual meeting of the Wolf Lake Watershed Advisory Committee sponsored by the Association of the Wolf Lake Initiative (AWLI).

Upcoming speakers include the following:

Tuesday, March 2: Geof Benson, executive director, Indiana Dunes Environmental Learning Center, on the history and mission of his organization

Tuesday, April 6: Kelly Freeman, special projects director, on the history and mission of South Shore Arts

Tuesday, May 4: Paul Fitzgerald, executive director, Friends of Big Marsh, on his organization's mission and purpose.

The forums are jointly sponsored by AWLI and Calumet College of St. Joseph's History Program and partially funded by the Indiana Humanities and the National Endowment for the Humanities.

The Forum's previous speaker on January 5 was Dick Lanyon, former executive director of the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago. Others include Dr. Richard Morrisroe of East Chicago, Walter Skiba and Dr. Amy McCormack of Calumet College, Dr. Eli Suzukovich of the Field Museum, and Gloria Orozco of Friends of the Forest Preserve.

AWLI is a not-for-profit organization and land trust seeking to protect and enhance the Wolf Lake Watershed.

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