



## 2019 Events, Volunteer Opportunities, Activities & More

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**March 8-10: CANOECOPIA** at the Alliant Energy Center, Madison WI. Visit us at our booth at CANOECOPIA, the world's largest paddlesports expo!

**April 24: Reception to Welcome Lynne Dominy: new park superintendent** "Friends" and the Bayfield Chamber of Commerce and Visitor Bureau are hosting a reception on Wed, April 24th (sandwiched between Earth Day and Arbor Day), 5:30-7:30pm at the Park Headquarters in Bayfield.

**May 13-24: "Island School"** 6th Graders experience Wilderness Camping on Stockton Island

**May TBD: Native Plant Lovers Gaylord Nelson Flower Garden Restoration** This garden is a wonderful collection of native plants that are in need of love and care if they are to reach their potential as an example to the community. Meet on TBD at Bayfield Park Headquarters at Rice & N 4th St. Bring water, work gloves and garden tools (shovel, trowel, clippers, loppers).

**June TBD: Michigan Island Light Station Gardening** Past years' volunteer gardeners put in over a dozen historical perennial beds. We are anxious to see how they over-wintered and get them cleaned up and ready for the next season of island visitors. We also will be planting annuals in the raised beds, lilacs and some annual seeds for lasting color.  
8:30-4:30, Meeting location: Roy's Pt. Marina, Group size: 6-7, Weather date: TBD

**August 8: "FRIENDS" Annual Meeting Cruise** aboard Ashland Bay Express. Our destination is TBD. Depart Bayfield City Dock @ TBD

**October 4, 5 & 6: Apple Festival** Stop at our booth during Bayfield's famous Apple Festival and see what fun and interesting things the FRIENDS and the Apostle Islands National Lakeshore have to offer!