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NORTHERN WILDS CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Thru May 5

Lakehead University Honours Exhibition
Thunder Bay Art Gallery, theag.ca

Thru May 10

Lauren Faherty: Interlaced Prove Gallery,
Duluth, provecollective.org

Thru May 12

Paintings: Damon Dowbak Co.Lab Gallery &
Arts Centre, Thunder Bay, colabgallery.ca

Thru May 19

Tanya Piatz: Species of Special Concern
Johnson Heritage Post, Grand Marais,
cookcountyhistory.org

Thru May 28

The Hanna Collaboration: Ink Drawings by John
Hanna & Paintings by Cherry Hanna Great Lakes
Aquarium, Duluth, glaquarium.org

Thru June 16

Ziigwan: New Acquisitions to the Permanent
Collection Thunder Bay Art Gallery, theag.ca

Thru Aug. 10

From Where They Came: Portraits from Ukraine
by Katherine Turczan Tweed Museum of Art,
Duluth, tweed.d.umn.edu

John Hitchcock: Blanket Song Tweed Museum
of Art, Duluth, tweed.d.umn.edu

Thru Sept. 9

Ukrainian Matrix Exhibit Thunder Bay Museum,
thunderbaymuseum.com

Thru Oct. 6

Indian Day Schools in Canada: An Introduction
Thunder Bay Museum,
thunderbaymuseum.com

April 28-May 5

Homegrown Music Festival Duluth,
facebook.com/duluthhomegrown

May 1-31

Artist of the Month: Natalija Walbridge
Split Rock Lighthouse, Two Harbors,
mnhs.org/splitrock

May 2, Thursday

Duluth Lions Club Pancake Day 6 a.m.
Decc, Duluth, decc.org

Trivia with Cook County Historical Society
6 p.m. Up Yonder, Grand Marais,
facebook.com/cookcountyhistoricalsociety

Free Concert for Mental Health Awareness
7 p.m. Ely's Historic State Theater, ely.org

May 2-5

World Accordion Festival Harrington Arts
Center, Superior, worldofaccordions.org

May 3, Friday

Gooseberry River Water Walk 11:30 a.m.
Gooseberry Falls State Park, Two Harbors,
mndnr.gov/gooseberry

Chasing Waterfalls Tour 1:30 p.m.
Gooseberry Falls State Park, Two Harbors,
mndnr.gov/gooseberry

Toast to Tails: 1920s Costume Party 6 p.m.
Lake Superior Zoo, Duluth, ls zoo.org

Lady Prom 6 p.m. Aad Shrine Event Center,
Duluth, glitteratievents.com

TBSO: Noondaagotoon! 7:30 p.m. Fort
William Historical Park, Thunder Bay, tbs o.ca

May 3-8

Spring Into Art Exhibit & Sale Thunder Bay 55
Plus Centre, facebook.com/tbay55pluscentre

May 3-31

Artist of the Month: Lance Wurst (Reception
May 3 at 7 p.m.) Tettegouche State Park,
Silver Bay, mndnr.gov/tettegouche

May 4, Saturday

Sports Cards & Collectables Show 9 a.m.
Ramada Hotel, Thunder Bay,
visithunderbay.com

Cook County Winter Market 10 a.m. The Hub,
Grand Marais, visitcookcounty.com/events

Kam River Ultimate Duck Race 1 p.m. Fort
William Historical Park, Thunder Bay,
ourkidscount.ca

Art in Motion: Standing Ovation 2:30 p.m.
Thunder Bay Community Auditorium,
tbca.com

Book Release Party with Joe Friedrichs: Last
Entry Point 6 p.m. Drury Lane Books,
Grand Marais, drurylanebooks.com

Angelique Francis 7 p.m. FWHP:
McGillivray's Landing, Thunder Bay,
sleepinggiant.ca

DSSO: MW7: Empress of the World 7 p.m.
Decc, Duluth, dsso.com

Jason Rouse: The Dark Side Comedy Tour
8 p.m. The Industry, Thunder Bay,
campfirecomedy.ca

May 4-5

Folklore Festival Noon, Fort William Gardens
& Curling Club, Thunder Bay,
facebook.com/folkloretribay

May 5, Sunday

Everyone Can Bird! Spring Migration
9:30 p.m. Chambers Grove Park, Duluth,
northlandadaptive.org

Spring Craft Revival 10 a.m. Waterfront
District, Thunder Bay, craftrevival.ca

May 6, Monday

ALS Bookmobile 4:30 p.m. McQuade Small
Craft Harbor, Duluth, alslib.info/bookmobile

May 7, Tuesday

Free Presentation: Iditarod Mushers Erin
Altemus & Anna Hennessy 7 p.m. North House
Folk School: Red Building, Grand Marais,
northhouse.org

May 8, Wednesday

Walk and Bike to School Day GES & Cook
County Schools, Grand Marais,
facebook.com/cookcounty

Spring Bonfire 5 p.m. Semer's Park Beach &
Pavilion, Ely, elyfolkschool.org

Lakehead Choral Group Spring Concert: New
Beginnings 7 p.m. St. Agnes Church, Thunder
Bay, facebook.com/lakeheadchoralgroup

May 9, Thursday

Breakfast for Heroes 8 a.m.
American Legion Post 109, Two Harbors,
lakecounty-chamber.com

Author Talk: Mary Seifert 2 p.m.
Two Harbors Public Library,
facebook.com/twoharborspubliclibrary

Fay Gleeson Dance Centre: "66 It's the Remix"
7 p.m. Thunder Bay Community Auditorium,
tbca.com

May 9-11

Friends of the Library Book Sale 10 a.m.
(4 p.m. Thurs.) Lake View Hospital
Community Room, Two Harbors,
facebook.com/twoharborspubliclibrary

Cook County YMCA Dance Recital: Sunny Day
7 p.m. (6 p.m. Thurs.)

Arrowhead Center for the Arts, Grand Marais,
facebook.com/cookcountycommunityymca

May 9-12

What She Said Play Festival 7:30 p.m. (2 p.m.
Sun.) Duluth Playhouse, duluthplayhouse.org

May 9-25

Liars at a Funeral Magnus Theatre,
Thunder Bay, magnustheatre.com

May 10, Friday

Spirit of Thunder Bay 6:30 p.m.
Victoria Inn, Thunder Bay, lakeheadrotary.com

Silver Sound Concert: Caught in the Rhythm
7 p.m. St. Paul's United Church, Thunder Bay,
facebook.com/silver.sound.choir

May 10-11

LitFest Thunder Bay, nowwwwriters.ca

May 11, Saturday

Minnesota Fishing Opener

Premier Home Style Tour 9 a.m. Thunder Bay,
premierhomestyletour.com

Nice Girls of the North Marketplace 10 a.m.
Spirit of the Lake Community Arts, Duluth,
nicegirlsofthenorth.com

Book Release Meet & Greet with Staci Lola
Drouillard: A Family Tree 11 a.m. Drury Lane
Books, Grand Marais, drurylanebooks.com

Zorya Ukrainian Dancers 7 p.m. Thunder Bay
Community Auditorium, tbca.com

CAB: The Brilliance of Baroque Organ
7:30 p.m. St. Paul's United Church,
Thunder Bay, consortiumab.org

Unfortunate Specials: The Sports Balls Show
8 p.m. Zeitgeist Arts, Duluth, zeitgeistarts.com

May 11-12

License-Free Family Fishing in Ontario
Throughout Ontario, ontariofamilyfishing.com

May 12, Sunday

Mother's Day

May 13, Monday

Author Talk: Elin Anna Labba: The Rocks Will
Echo Our Sorrow Noon, Zoom, mycche.org

International Dance Academy Recital 6:30 p.m.
Thunder Bay Community Auditorium,
tbca.com

May 13-16

River Quest Duluth/Superior,
stlouisriverquest.org

May 13-26

Minnesota's Communities in Detail: Isaiah
Okongo Ely's Historic State Theater,
northernlakesarts.org

May 14, Tuesday

Free Tree Planting Workshop 1 p.m.
Sugarloaf Cove Nature Center, Schroeder,
sugarloafnorthshore.org

May 15, Wednesday

History Happy Hour 5 p.m. Boathouse
Lookout Lounge, Ely, rootbeerlady.com

Free Houseplant Swap & Seed Exchange
5 p.m. Ely Folk School, elyfolkschool.org

Dialogue in Action: Author Robert P. Jones
5:30 p.m. First Lutheran Church Sanctuary,
Duluth, bit.ly/dialogueinaction

May 16, Thursday

Artist Talk with Tanya Piatz: Species of Special
Concern 5 p.m. Johnson Heritage Post,
Grand Marais, cookcountyhistory.org

Sesame Street Live! Say Hello 6 p.m.
Decc, Duluth, decc.org

Dance Dynamics: The 24th Eras Finale 6:30 p.m.
Thunder Bay Community Auditorium,
tbca.com

North Shore Swing Band 7 p.m.
Up Yonder, Grand Marais,
upyonderon61.com

May 16-19

The Great Benjamins Circus Canadian Lakehead Exhibition, Thunder Bay, benjaminscircus.com

May 17, Friday

Dinosaur World Live! 6:30 p.m. Thunder Bay Community Auditorium, tbca.com

May 18, Saturday

Superior Spring Trail Races Caribou Highlands Lodge, Lutsen, superiorspringtrailrace.com

City-Wide Rummage Sale Ely, ely.org

VendorFest Markets 8 a.m.

CLE Heritage Building, Thunder Bay, visitthunderbay.com

Community Rummage Sale 10 a.m. Cook County Community Center, Grand Marais, visitcookcounty.com/events

The Depot Steam Festival 10 a.m.

St. Louis County Depot, Duluth, experiencethedepot.org

Indigenous Writer Series: Gwen Westerman

& Linda LeGarde Grover 2 p.m. AICHO's Dr. Robert Powless Cultural Center, Duluth, aicho.org

Duluth Dance Center Recital 6 p.m.

Decc, Duluth, decc.org

Grand Marais Ole Opry 7 p.m.

Arrowhead Center for the Arts, Grand Marais, northshoremusicassociation.com

Unfortunate Specials: The Sports Balls Show

8 p.m. Zeitgeist Arts, Duluth, zeitgeistarts.com

May 18-19

Duluth Air & Aviation Expo 9 a.m. Duluth International Airport, duluthairshow.com

May 19, Sunday

218 Dance Project Recital Decc, Duluth, decc.org

Beyond the Reel: VPC Film Fundraiser 3 p.m. Arrowhead Center for the Arts, Grand Marais, violencepreventioncenter.org

The Simon & Garfunkel Story 7:30 p.m.

Thunder Bay Community Auditorium, tbca.com

May 20, Monday

VICTORIA DAY

Fire Fighters Ten Mile Road Race 9 a.m. Thunder Bay, 10mileroadrace.org

May 21, Tuesday

Annual Meeting of North Shore Federal Credit Union 7 p.m. Reunion Hall, Silver Bay, northshorefcu.org

May 21-26

Duluth Dylan Fest Duluth, duluthdylanfest.com

May 22, Wednesday

Lunch & Learn: Understanding & Addressing Vision Loss in Older Adults Noon, CCHE or Zoom, carepartnersofcookcounty.org

Lakehead Music Festival Gala 7 p.m.

Thunder Bay Community Auditorium, tbca.com

May 23, Thursday

Pioneer School Day Little Red Schoolhouse, Larsmont, larsmont.org

Ely Area New Neighbor Hike 1:30 p.m. Boundary Waters Connect, Ely, ely.org

Full Moon Reading 6 p.m.

Drury Lane Books, Grand Marais, drurylanebooks.com

Travis Zimmerman & Sam Zimmerman: How the Birds Got Their Songs 6:30 p.m. Split Rock Lighthouse, Two Harbors, mnhs.org/splitrock

Willie Nelson & Family 7 p.m.

Bayfront Festival Park, Duluth, bayfrontfestivalpark.com

Ely Area Photographic Collaborative

7:30 p.m. Ely Folk School, ely.org

May 24, Friday

Summer Exhibition Opening Reception: Embodying the North Shore 5 p.m.

Studio 21, Grand Marais, grandmaraisartcolony.org

May 24-June 2

Peter and the Star Catcher Duluth Playhouse, duluthplayhouse.org

May 24-June 16

Kim Gordon Exhibition (Reception May 24 at 5 p.m.) Johnson Heritage Post, Grand Marais, cookcountyhistory.org

May 25, Saturday

Le Grand Du Nord Gravel Cycling Classics Grand Marais, heckofthenorth.com

Wizards Demo Day with Cars, Bikes & Coffee 8 a.m. Cook County Home

Center, Grand Marais,

cookcountyhc.com

Cook County Market 10 a.m.

The Hub Parking Lot, Grand Marais, facebook.com/ccfarmandcraft

Two Harbors Farmers Market

10 a.m. 320 7th Ave., Two Harbors, facebook.com/twoharborsfarmersmarket

Smelt Fry 11 a.m. The Green Door, Beaver Bay, facebook.com/baptismriverbbq

Author Joe Friedrichs: Last Entry Point

1 p.m. Split Rock Lighthouse, Two Harbors, mnhs.org/splitrock

Blues Blast 2024 3:30 p.m.

DaVinci Centre, Thunder Bay, thunderbaybluessociety.ca

Author Talk with Dianna Hunter: Clouded Waters 6 p.m. Drury Lane Books,

Grand Marais, drurylanebooks.com

Roy Orbison Ultimate Tribute By David K & Band 7 p.m. Greysolon Ballroom,

Duluth, visitduluth.com/events

May 26, Sunday

Hike for Hospice 9 a.m.

St. Ignatius High School, Thunder Bay, hospicenorthwest.ca

Music of the Night: The Concert

Tour 2 p.m. Thunder Bay Community Auditorium, tbca.com

Run Smelt Run Parade & Party

3:30 p.m. Duluth, magicmelt.com

May 27, Monday

MEMORIAL DAY

Legacy Dance Studio: In My Legacy Era 7 p.m. Thunder Bay Community Auditorium, tbca.com

May 30, Thursday

Trivia with Cook County Historical Society

6 p.m. Up Yonder, Grand Marais, facebook.com/cookcountyhistoricalsociety

May 31, Friday

A Road Trip Around Minnesota: Barn Quilt Trails with Jay Grammond 1 p.m.

Two Harbors Public Library, facebook.com/twoharborspubliclibrary

Bachelors for Hope Charity Gala Auction 6 p.m. Valhalla Inn, Thunder Bay, facebook.com/healthsciencesfoundation

May 31-June 2

Northern Landscapes Festival North House Folk School, Grand Marais, northhouse.org

June 1, Saturday

Ruck Life 11 a.m. Mont Du Lac Resort, Superior, 23rdveteran.org

WEEKLY EVENTS

Tuesdays

Locals Night with Live Music 4:30 p.m. North Shore Winery, Lutsen, northshorewinery.us

Wednesdays

Weekly Game Day for Adults 1 p.m. Two Harbors Public Library, facebook.com/communitypartnersth

Thunder Bay Country Market

3:30 p.m. CLE Dove Building, Thunder Bay, tbc.ca

Thunder City Speedway Racing (Starts May 22) 6:30 p.m. Thunder Bay Speedway, thundercityspeedway.ca

Colvill Dance Practice & Lessons 7 p.m. Colvill Town Hall: 2963 Hwy 61

Thursdays

Thursday Night Art 4 p.m. Joy & Company, Grand Marais, facebook.com/joyandcompanymn

Creative Movement with Kayla (not on May 16) 5:30 p.m. Two Harbors Public Library, facebook.com/twoharborspubliclibrary

Date Night with Live Music 6 p.m. North Shore Winery, Lutsen, northshorewinery.us

Fridays

Renegade Late Night Improv 10 p.m. Zeitgeist Arts, Duluth, zeitgeistarts.com

Saturdays

Thunder Bay Country Market 8 a.m. CLE Dove Building, Thunder Bay, tbc.ca

Thunder Bay Farmers' Market 10 a.m. North End Recreation Centre, Thunder Bay, facebook.com/t.bay.farmersmarket

Sundays

Female Boarder Collective Sunday Skates 10 a.m. Cinema 5 Skatepark, Thunder Bay, femaleboardercollective.ca



SAVE THE DATE!



JULY 18TH-21ST

Join us for another amazing weekend of Music, Art and Community on the North Shore!

Overlooking Lake Superior and just up Ski Hill Road from Lutsen, comes the 3rd annual Lutsong Music Festival!

Rain or shine. Kids under 12 free. Dog friendly, or other leashed creature. Food and Drinks will be available for purchase.

Stay tuned for line up!
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