

2014 FREE SUMMER PROGRAMS

HIAWATHA NATIONAL FOREST

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Date	Time	Program	Location
Fridays: June 27 th - August 29 th	1pm	Interpretive Ranger Program -Many people that travel to Grand Island are interested in the black bears that call the island home. Learn about the island's largest mammal and how to enjoy a wonderful camping trip in its forest home. Keep an eye out for them while hiking on the trails and you may be lucky enough to see one. Just be sure not to feed them.	Visitor Contact Station on Grand Island. Access to Grand Island is by Ferry.
Saturdays: June 28 th - August 30 th	1pm	Interpretive Ranger Program -Take a brief look into Grand Island's Prehistory through the science of archaeological investigation. What do the artifacts found on the island have to say about the way people thrived on the island up to 5,000 years ago? Stories passed down through many generations are a good start but using modern scientific strategies we can start to piece together these stories and see what kinds of events may have shaped the stories that were told.	Stone Quarry Cabin on Grand Island (Approximately 1.5 Miles Northeast of the Visitor Contact station along the East Rim Trail) Access to Grand Island is by Ferry.
JULY			
Saturday July 5	7pm	Interpretive Ranger Program- The Amazing Monarch Migration. The Hiawatha National forest is proud to be a stop on the Monarch Migration. Join us as we follow the complex Monarch migration and find out some of the challenges along the way for this unique butterfly.	Bay Furnace Campground in Christmas off M-28
Friday July 11	7pm	Delta County Geocaching Club will have GPS units available and caches hidden in the campground so audience members can try to find treasures.	Camp 7 Lake Campground off CR 442
Friday July 11	7pm	Interpretive Ranger Program- A Blast from the Past. Come back in time at Bay Furnace Campground and learn the history of the blast furnace and the local area.	Bay Furnace Campground in Christmas off M-28
Saturday July 12	7pm	Delta County Geocaching Club will have GPS units available and caches hidden in the campground so audience members can try to find treasures.	Bay Furnace Campground in Christmas off M-28
Friday July 18	7pm	Interpretive Ranger Program- The Amazing Monarch Migration. The Hiawatha National forest is proud to be a stop on the Monarch Migration. Join us as we follow the complex Monarch migration and find out some of the challenges along the way for this unique butterfly.	Bay Furnace Campground in Christmas off M-28
Saturday July 19	7pm	Interpretive Ranger Program- The Amazing Monarch Migration. The Hiawatha National forest is proud to be a stop on the Monarch Migration. Join us as we follow the complex Monarch migration and find out some of the challenges along the way for this unique butterfly.	Camp 7 Lake Campground off CR 442
Friday July 25	7pm	Interpretive Ranger Program - A Blast from the Past. Come back in time at Bay Furnace Campground and learn the history of the blast furnace and the local area.	Bay Furnace Campground in Christmas off M-28
Friday July 25	7pm	Joe Rogers Wildlife Rehabilitation Center. This is a wonderful opportunity to view some impressive birds close-up and learn about how they survive in the wild.	Camp 7 Lake Campground off CR 442
Saturday July 26	7pm	Randy Bruntjens and the U.P. Raptor Rehab Center Presentation. This is a wonderful opportunity to view some impressive birds close-up and learn about how they survive in the wild.	Bay Furnace Campground in Christmas off M-28
Saturday July 26	7pm	Interpretive Ranger Program - Gone Batty! Learn about the life of a Michigan bat and how White-nose syndrome has recently been identified in our area.	Camp 7 Lake Campground off CR 442
August			
Friday August 1	7pm	Interpretive Ranger Program- The Amazing Monarch Migration. The Hiawatha National forest is proud to be a stop on the Monarch Migration. Join us as we follow the complex Monarch migration and find out some of the challenges along the way for this unique butterfly.	Bay Furnace Campground in Christmas off M-28
Friday August 1	7pm	Interpretive Kids Program- Aquatic Adaptations. Discover some of the locals living in the streams, ponds and lakes of the U.P. and learn about the many adaptations that help aquatic insects, fish and amphibians to survive. Learn about some of the threats from invasive aquatic plants and animals.	Pete's Lake Campground Day Use Area off H-13
Saturday August 2	7pm	Interpretive Ranger Program- The Amazing Monarch Migration. The Hiawatha National forest is proud to be a stop on the Monarch Migration. Join us as we follow the complex Monarch migration and find out some of the challenges along the way for this unique butterfly.	Camp 7 Lake Campground off CR 442
Friday August 8	7pm	Interpretive Ranger Program- Gone Batty! Learn about the life of a Michigan bat and how White-nose syndrome has recently been identified in our area.	Camp 7 Lake Campground off CR 442
Saturday August 9	7pm	Interpretive Ranger Program - A Blast from the Past. Come back in time at Bay Furnace Campground and learn the history of the blast furnace and the local area.	Bay Furnace Campground in Christmas off M-28
Thursday August 14	Noon – 6 PM	UP State Fairgrounds Pocket Park! Forest Service employees from Rapid River and Manistique staff the pocket park, where kids can fish, shoot at the pellet range or at the archery range.	At the UP State Fairgrounds in Escanaba.
Friday August 15	7pm	Reg Pettibone Native American Dancers. With traditional background and upbringing, Reg and wife Marca, from the Paiute Nation, provide you with a better understanding of true Native American culture through dance, song, narration, and an artifacts display with a strong environmental emphasis.	Camp 7 Lake Campground off CR 442
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Friday August 22	7pm	Interpretive Ranger Program- Gone Batty! Learn about the life of a Michigan bat and how White-nose syndrome has recently been identified in our area.	Camp 7 Lake Campground off CR 442
Saturday August 23	7pm	Interpretive Ranger Program - Gone Batty! Learn about the life of a Michigan bat and how White-nose syndrome has recently been identified in our area.	Petes Lake Campground of H-13