

Requirements

- WordPress
- Large photos
- Easy to navigate
- Large clean typography
- Minimulistic color scheme
- Static homepage (no blog linked)
- Responsive

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Pike Lake Festival of Birds

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May 16-19, 2018.

Welcome to the 21st annual Pike Lakes Festival of Birds! Whether you're a beginner or experienced birder, or somewhere in between, the Festival of Birds has something for you!

The festival features events for bird enthusiasts of all ages. Join us for fieldtrips, films, lectures, photo safari, and bird bingo.

Pike Lakes is in a transition zone of tallgrass prairie, hardwood and conifer forests and a landscape peppered with lakes and wetlands — a migration hotspot with more than 250 species of birds!

Our goal is to provide you with a quality birding experience. Each field trip includes a naturalist and experienced birding leader to help you get the best looks. We'll take new looks at favorite field trip locations as well as first time visits to sites!

[Events]

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The festival features activities for birding enthusiasts of all ages!

Wednesday, May 16

Film Screening: For the Birds

Historic Holms Theatre

7pm

Thursday, May 17

Guided Birding Fieldtrips
Pike Lake Welcome Center

10am | 1pm | 3pm | 6pm

\$25

You'll be treated to two national wildlife refuges on this tour and view a variety of habitat! Hamden Slough National Wildlife Refuge boasts restored tallgrass prairies and wetlands that attract a plethora of species. Our first stop at Hamden Slough will be at the Greater Prairie Chicken booming grounds. Additional stops will feature prairie sparrows, shorebirds and other waterfowl.

Friday–Sunday, May 18–20

Self-Guided Tours

Pike Lake Nature Center

Dusk thru Dawn

Birding guides and maps are available at Pike Lakes Nature Center.

Saturday, May 19

Bird Bingo

Ages 6–15

Pike Lake Nature Center

10am | 2pm

A great opportunity for kids to learn native MN bird species.

Sunday, May 20

Birding After Brunch: Carrol Henderson

Gilbert's Alehouse and Grill

11am

Carrol Henderson summarizing his 45 years of conservation in the DNR.

[Location]

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Pike Lake area is a welcoming small community north of the Twin Cities. Visitors will find upscale lodging, dining, and an extensive park system.

Whether you're an outdoor enthusiast, a food-lover — or someone who just wants to relax and enjoy the beautiful scenery, Pike Lake has an activity to fit your interests and budget.

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If you have questions regarding the event, please fill out the form below. Please allow 36 hours for a reply.

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[Birds Species]

Pike Lake is home to over 250 species of birds! Expect to encounter eagles, falcons, sand grouse, hummingbirds, marsh wrens, blue herons, and jays. You might even see the illusive great horned owl if you venture out at dusk.

Before you hit the trail, download the Northern Minnesota Birding list.

For more information about bird watching in MN, visit <http://mn.audubon.org/>

Before you hit the trail, download the [Pike Lake Species List](#). {link PDF:birdlist}

Enjoy photos from the 2017 Pike Lake Festival of Birds!

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