

2020 Ice Age Trail Alliance Annual Conference
Holiday Inn Hotel and Convention Center, Stevens Point
April 23-26, 2020

THURSDAY, APRIL 23

6:30 am	Coffee
7:00 am – 4:30 pm	Registration Open
7:00 – 7:45 am	Breakfast Buffet
8:00 – Noon	Choose Your Adventure Hike: Skunk and Foster Lakes Segment Hike: Schmeackle Reserve, Stevens Points
Noon – 1:00 pm	Buffet Lunch
1:30 – 4:15 pm	<i>Ice Age Trail Alliance hosting Youth Summit for young professionals interested in conservation and outdoor education.</i>
1:30 – 2:45 pm	Presentation: Working with Youth
2:45 – 3:00 pm	Afternoon snack
3:00 – 4:15 pm	Presentation: Integrated Forest Management for the Ice Age Trail
4:30 – 5:30 pm	Social Hour - Cash Bar - Silent Auction
5:30 – 6:45 pm	Buffet Dinner
7:00 – 8:45 pm	Trail Mix Concurrent Sessions <ul style="list-style-type: none">• New Attendee Welcome Reception• Guess the Trail Segment• Digital Hiker Resources• Hiking at a Photographer's Pace• What Makes up the Trail?

FRIDAY, APRIL 24

6:30 am	Coffee available
7:00 am – 4:30 pm	Registration Open
7:00 – 7:45 am	Breakfast Buffet
8:00 – 12:30 pm	Choose Your Adventure Hike: Bohn Lake Segment Field Trip: The Moraines of Eastern Portage County Field Trip: Shop Stevens Point (on your own)
8:30 – 11:30 am	Board of Directors' Meeting
8:30 – 11:30 am	Chapter Leadership Summit
12:00 – 1:15 pm	Buffet Lunch
2:00 – 4:00 pm	Annual Membership Meeting & Elections for Board of Directors
4:15 – 4:45 pm	Annual Board of Directors' Meeting
4:00 – 6:00 pm	Social Hour - Cash Bar - Silent Auction
6:00 – 7:30 pm	Buffet Dinner
7:30 – 8:30 pm	Keynote Presentation: Justin Isherwood, Isherwood Farms, Plover

SATURDAY, APRIL 25

6:30 am Coffee available

7:00 am – 4:30 pm Registration Open

7:00 – 7:45 am Breakfast Buffet

8:00– 12:30 pm **Choose Your Adventure**

**Hike: Hartman Creek Segment – Long Hike and Central Waters
Brewery Tour (boxed lunch at the brewery)**

**Hike: Hartman Creek Segment – Short Hike and Ruby Roasters
Tour (boxed lunch at the roastery)**

“Listening Session” Small-Group hike (Limit 15 people, car-pool)

10:00 am – 4:15 pm **Long-Distance Hiking Seminar**

Session 1: Trip planning, Logistics & Navigation

Session 2: Gear & Packing

Session 3: Leave No Trace, First Aid & Meal Planning

Session 4: Hikers' Forum - Wisdom from the Trail

12:00 – 1:15 pm Buffet Lunch

1:30 – 2:45 pm **Concurrent Sessions**

- Volunteer Grit: Where to Find It and How to Keep It!
- Geology of the Ice Age Trail, West Side of Green Bay Lobe
- The Agency House at the Portage: Geographic Intersection, Cultural Crossroads
- What's on Tap: 2020 Trail Development, Construction and Stewardship Events

2:45 – 3:00 pm Afternoon snack

3:00 – 4:15 pm **Concurrent Sessions**

- Think Outside with the Ice Age Trail Alliance
- Wisconsin's Conservation Legacies: Past, Present and Future
- Artifacts from Ice Age Peoples
- Hikers' Forum - Wisdom from the Trail

4:15 – 5:30 pm Social Hour - Cash Bar - Silent Auction (SA closes at 6:00 pm)

5:30 – 8:30 pm **Awards Banquet & Celebration**

Dinner 5:30 – 6:45 pm

NPS Awards 6:45 – 7:15 pm

Pictures for NPS award winners 7:15 – 7:30 pm

Mammoth Achievement Awards 7:30 – 8:15 pm

Silent Auction results announced 8:15 pm

Pictures for award winners 8:15 – 8:30 pm

SUNDAY, APRIL 26

6:30 am Coffee available

7:00 am Breakfast Buffet

8:00 am **Closing Remarks**

9:15 -Noon **Emmons Creek Segment Photography Field Trip with Cameron Gillie,
The Pinhole Thing and Ice Age Trail Alliance staff (Limit 30, carpool)**