River City Grand Rapids Area

2024 EVENTS Connecting people and native plants for a healthy planet.

Programs open to all—free of charge!

Always check our website, RiverCityWildOnes.org for updated information.

FEBRUARY 19 • 6:30 pm

Take a Cue from Nature: Things to See All Year Around and How It Can Help You Design your Garden Presented by Alysia Babcock, The Garden Guru Kzoo. Location: Marywood Chapel, 111 Lakeside Dr NE, Grand Rapids, MI, 49503

MARCH 11 • 6:30 pm

Invasive Species Spotlight: Jumping Worms Speaker information to come. (Zoom Webinar • Link TBA)

APRIL 15 • 6:30 pm

Rain Gardens Presented by Rachel Leonard, Seasonal Rain Garden and Outreach Assistant, Washtenaw County, Michigan. (Zoom Webinar • Link TBA)

MAY 20 • 6:30 pm

An Introduction to Moth Appreciation Presented by Brian Scholtens, Ph.D., College of Charleston, South Carolina. (Zoom Webinar • Link TBA)

JUNE 14, AUGUST 16, & SEPTEMBER 20 8 am-2 pm

Farmers Market Days Native Plant Sales Featuring local native plant growers. Fulton Street Farmers Market 1145 Fulton St E, Grand Rapids, MI 49503



JUNE 17 • 6:30 pm

Restoring Urban Landscapes: Lessons from The Highlands Field trip with Justin Heslinga, Land Conservancy of West Michigan. Location: The Highlands, 2715 Leonard St NW, Grand Rapids, MI 49504

JULY 17 • 5-7 pm

Annual Native Plant Sale/Fundraiser (Pickup and Browse & Buy) Pre-order on website June 29–July 12 Members get early access June 24–28. Fulton Street Farmers Market 1145 Fulton St E, Grand Rapids, MI 49503



AUGUST 19 • 6:30 pm

Flat Iron Lake Nature Preserve Hike Led by a Calvin University employee. Location: Flat Iron Lake Nature Preserve, 11570 Hart St NE, Greenville, MI 48838

SEPTEMBER 16 • 6:30 pm

Human Ecology Presented by William Kirst, Founder, Ann Arbor Adapt Community Supported Ecology. Location: Marywood Chapel, 111 Lakeside Dr NE, Grand Rapids, MI, 49503

OCTOBER 21 • 6:30 pm

Gardening For Bluebirds and Other Wildlife Presented by John Harville, Berrien County Coordinator, Michigan Bluebird Society. Location: Marywood Chapel, 111 Lakeside Dr NE, Grand Rapids, MI, 49503

NOVEMBER 18 • 6:30 pm

WORC Annual Meeting/Seed Swap Location: Marywood Chapel, 111 Lakeside Dr NE, Grand Rapids, MI, 49503



For more information Email: 2024programs@rivercitywildones.org Visit: RiverCityWildOnes.org

Wild Ones is a not-for-profit environmental education and advocacy organization that promotes environmentally sound landscaping practices to preserve biodiversity through the preservation, restoration, and establishment of native plant communities.



