Events & Education Committee Annual Report from Andy Holman

We're having a fantastic year full of programming and enthusiastic participation!

Here's a synopsis of the E and E events we've held in 2023:

- · Our Annual Winter Walk in February with Jim Reinartz.
- A winter tree ID class in March with Danielle Bell.
- A woodcocks and frogs walk in April with Jim Reinartz.
- · A Spring Stroll in the Bog in April with Jeff Bahls.
- A wildflower walk in May with Danielle Bell.
- A birding walk in May with John O'Donnell.
- A birding by canoe outing in May with John O'Donnell.
- · A butterfly and dragonfly walk in July with Kate Redmond.
- A birding walk for the BIPOC Birding Club in July with John O'Donnell.
- Summer in the Bog in July with Jim Reinartz.
- Ethnobotany in August with Lee Olson.

Here's a synopsis of what E and E events are coming for the remainder of the year:

- Primitive Tool Making with in September with Bill Neihaus.
- Our Annual Meeting and picnic in October.
- Stargazing in October with Scott Nehring.
- A field trip to Horicon Marsh in October with Liz Herzmann.
- An owl prowl with Jim O'Donnell in November.

Other important items:

The Ozaukee Washington Birding Coalition continues to provide expanded programming through partnerships with Friends of the Cedarburg Bog and others. FOCB will continue to participate in the consortium and host one indoor and one outdoor program each year. We're looking forward to celebrating Gretchen Meyer's and Cindy Boettcher's contributions to the FOCB board at our annual meeting in October.