

NAMEKAGON BARRENS WILDLIFE AREA (NBWA)

The NBWA is part of the Northwest Sands Area of northwest Wisconsin, containing mainly pine barrens community habitat. This community type is globally rare and includes rich and diverse prairie flora and fauna.

Unlike much of northern Wisconsin, it isn't covered in forests of pine and oak and maple, but it is true to way things used to be. The Wisconsin pine barrens are rapidly disappearing, and NBWA is an important example of these rare landscapes.

Whether it's the Rough blazing star and Big bluestem, or the Karner blue butterflies and sharp-tailed grouse, there are native species that need the barrens.



Wood Lily &
Aphrodite Fritillary

WHAT TO BRING:

- Your camera(s) and all equipment (lenses, filters, etc.) you wish to learn with, preferably contained in one bag (backpack, shoulder bag, etc.) and manual
- Weather-appropriate outdoor gear
- Lunch & water
- Donations gladly accepted to defray event expenses

LODGING:

Rosenthal's Resort

30925 Namekagon Road
Danbury WI 54830
Phone: (715) 259-3363
<http://rosenthalsresort.com/>

St. Croix Hotel

30222 State Road 35 / 77
Danbury, Wisconsin 54830
Phone: (715) 656-3444
stcroixcasino.com

Webb Lake Motel

3065 Lake 26 Road
Webb Lake, Wisconsin 54830
Phone: (715) 259-3567

FRIENDS OF NBWA

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NATURE PHOTOGRAPHY WORKSHOP

With Dale Bohlke

Dale has been an active nature photographer for the last 17 years. Over that time interests have included photography of wildflowers, virgin prairie landscapes, and birds of the upper Midwest. Educational programs are given throughout the year to photo clubs, community education programs, and



South Unit of the Namekagon Barrens

he organizes and presents at the annual Crex Meadows photo weekend. Dale's work has been published in the Minnesota Weather Guide, church bulletins, and as fine art nature prints that have received awards at juried regional art shows. Examples of Dale's work can be found at: dbphotog.zenfolio.com

TEL : (7 6 3) 3 2 3 - 3 9 1 3

PROGRAM SCHEDULE & REGISTRATION

SATURDAY, JUNE 23, 2012

- 9:00–9:15 am:** Welcome, Details of the day
- 9:15–10:00 am:** Properties of light
- 10:00–11:00 am:** Getting the most from your camera
- 11:00 am–Noon:** Composition in close up photography
- Noon–1:00 pm:** Lunch (bring your own lunch)
- 1:00–2:00 pm:** Namekagon History and Current Management
- 2:00–3:00 pm:** Macro photo techniques
- 3:00–5:00 pm:** Exploring the Barrens

NAMEKAGON BARRENS NATURE PHOTOGRAPHY REGISTRATION

Name:

Address:

City:

Telephone:

Reservation Deadline is June 2, 2012

Please visit our website for more class information, directions, and lodging: www.fnbwa.org/home

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The day begins with a 3 hour indoor class session, followed by lunch, 2 additional hours of indoor class, and then a 2–3 hour in-field presentation. The workshop will provide participants a good introduction to the Namekagon Barrens and allow them to use new photographic techniques discussed during the class session. The program is tailored to DSLR users with an emphasis on wildflower and landscape photography.

We welcome your exploration of the Namekagon Barrens!

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