



# BIODIVERSITY PROTECTION ON THE DOOR PENINSULA:

JUNE 2010

## Upcoming Opportunities

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*June 1st, 15th, 22nd, 29th* • Tuesdays in June at **Peninsula State Park** from 1 PM - 2 PM. Call Invasive species Coordinator Paula Olig at (920) 854-5976 for more information.

*June 4th, 5th, & 6th* • Friday, Saturday, & Sunday at **The Rushes** on Logerquist Road in Jacksonport. Tackling barberry. Call Marne Kaeske for more information [marne@ridgessanctuary.org](mailto:marne@ridgessanctuary.org) or (920) 839-2802.

**Project RED!** Learn to identify 15 aquatic invasive species while doing what you love-paddling! Grab your friends and paddles. On **June 15th**, Laura MacFarland of the River alliance of Wisconsin will present on opportunistic monitoring for exotic species of concern while enjoying your local waters. The classroom portion will take place at the Forestville Town Hall at 9am, and after lunch (provided) we will head out for some application on the Ahnapee River. To register, contact Marne Kaeske at 920-839-2802, or [marne@ridgessanctuary.org](mailto:marne@ridgessanctuary.org). Cost is \$5. Participants need to provide their own canoes/kayaks, paddles, and PFD's, but contact The Ridges for nearby rentals!

## Reminders & Notes

**Log your Hours!** Whether at home or out with a crew, your volunteer time controlling invasives is EXTREMELY valuable. Please try to send these signed hard copies in to The Ridges each month. The Ridges Sanctuary • PO Box 152 • Baileys Harbor WI 54202.

**Landowner Visits!** DCIST is developing this new project to create a vision for landowners and their property. Give us a call to schedule a time for staff and volunteers to come and visit your property. We will provide you with natural assessment through a brief survey and suggestions of options for noxious weed control. Call to schedule a visit: [marne@ridgessanctuary.org](mailto:marne@ridgessanctuary.org) or 920-839-2802.

**Contractor Meet & Greet!** Put faces to the names of the contractors available for invasive species control. Find out who will work best for your exotic removal needs. Enjoy some snacks and a brief presentation on permitting procedure. **July 15th**, at Crossroads at Big Creek, 1:15pm.

**Let's do this together!** Please let us know about interest in invasive education development, growing threats and work parties in you neighborhood!