# THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS OF ENVIROFEST 2023













August 12, 2023 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM

> at Island Park in Downtown Elkhart, IN









### ABOUT THE EVENT ORGANIZER:

Meet the EEC: The Elkhart Environmental Center is the largest public greenspace in the city of Elkhart. It features over 66 acres of picnic areas, a canoe/kayak launch, and trails through prairies, forests, and wetlands. It's the perfect place to spot local wildlife, as it's home to a variety of songbirds, turtles, deer, foxes, turkeys, and so much moreyou never know what you'll find! A newly paved section of the River Greenway Trail runs through part of the property along the Elkhart River, which is a great path for cyclists and pedestrians.

The EEC is a beautiful place to visit, but that's not all it is! The EEC also hosts educational and outreach programs, events, and volunteer opportunities on a regular basis. And have we mentioned the new solar panels and wind turbine? The EEC is the first city department to get renewable energy, and has interactive displays showing the live energy generation and money savings.

So, yeah, it's kind of a big deal. You should totally check it out.

The trails are open from dawn to dusk every day. The EEC Visitor's Cabin is open 8 AM – 5 PM Monday through Friday and provides educational displays, access to an informational resource table, and a kids' Learning Loft. To get involved with the EEC, or for more information, visit <a href="https://www.elkhartindiana.org/eec">www.elkhartindiana.org/eec</a>. You can also reach the EEC at (574) 293-5070 or <a href="mail@coei.org">EECmail@coei.org</a>.









#### **Upcoming Elkhart Environmental Center Programs**

Programs are offered at the EEC every month! To receive our monthly flyer, send an email to <a href="mail@coei.org">EECmail@coei.org</a> or visit the EEC booth at the event entrance to check out our biannual booklet. You can always check out Facebook page for upcoming programs at <a href="mail@coei.org">facebook.com/ElkhartEnvironmentalCenter</a>.

#### THANK YOU!

To all of our vendors and exhibitors for participating in our 2022 EnviroFest!

To all of our volunteers who make this event possible!

To all of our visitors who came to check out the event this year!



We hope you enjoyed our EnviroFest event. Don't forget to fill out a survey online or at our Event Information booth for a chance to win a FREE t-shirt!

# INTERESTED IN BEING A PART OF ENVIROFEST IN THE FUTURE?

We are always looking to grow the event! We would love to hear from you if you are interested in participating as a:

- Event planning committee member
- **◆**Volunteer
- Exhibitor, Vendor, or Sponsor

Check out our event website <u>www.ElkhartEnviroFest.com</u> for more info or call (574) 293-5070 or email <u>EECmail@coei.org</u>.

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## FACE PAINTING & HENNA TATTOOS DETAILS

Pricing and options for face painting and henna tattoos from The Quantum Realm Institute Yoga & Mystery School:

#### Happy Henna and Friendly Faces

#### <u> Henna Tattoos</u>

\$10 - Small Design

\$15 – Medium Design

\$20 - Large Design





#### Face Painting

\$5 - Small Cheek Art, One Eye or One Hand

\$10 – Half Face, Both Eyes or Both Hands

\$15 - Full Face





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#### RECYCLING

EnviroFest thanks **Borden Waste-Away** for their continued support of providing recycling boxes for our event! Recycling boxes can be found throughout the Island, and accept the following items:

Plastic bottles - Newspapers - Aluminum cans - Cardboard boxes - Steel cans free from residue - Glass jars & bottles - Paper towel rolls

The following items **cannot** go in recycle boxes and we ask that you dispose of these using the trash boxes located near each recycle station:

Styrofoam - Food scraps - Items with food residue - Jars & bottles containing liquids - Plastic wraps - Napkins & used paper plates

Thank you for helping us reduce our waste!



#### EVENT FEATURES

Bike Valet across from Bike Elkhart booth

Kids Area activities and games (see page 4)

Live Music by The Ear Mites

Silent Auction (see page 10)

The Local Food Vendors (see page 6)

Local Beer Garden by Simeri's (see page 5)

Kids' Bicycling Clinic (see page 8)

#### INTERACTIVE BOOTHS

**Elkhart-South Bend Aquatic Biology Program**- Live fish from the St. Joseph River

Ten Thousand Villages - Block printing craft

Michiana Master Gardeners - Gardening answers

Bike Elkhart County- Bicycle maintenance tips and tune-ups

Golden Bear Bikes- Test rides for traditional and electric bikes

**EFP LLC**- Games

Solar Energy Systems LLC- Solar display, Q&A

Wild Ones South Bend- Native plant/pollinator matching game

Elkhart Public Works- Stormwater demonstration

South Bend Elkhart Audubon Society- All ages bird activity

**Elkhart River Restoration Association** - (Surprise)

#### VENDER BOOTHS

**Ten Thousand Villages Goshen** - Fair Trade and Artisan made goods from around the world, specifically developing countries

Pressed Flowers by Carol - Art made from home-grown flowers

**Norwex** - Sustainable cleaning products

**Century Chemical Corporation** - Bio-Tab septic system treatment

**Bike Elkhart County** - Bicycling products

**ACRES Land Trust** - Print materials and trail guides

Golden Bear Bikes - Golden Bear shirts, hats, water bottle, camp mugs, etc.

Solar Energy Systems - Solar items

The Quantum Realm Institute Yoga & Mystery School - Sage wands, incense

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Wild Ones South Bend - T-shirts and stickers

**Apex Pottery Works** - Pottery, mugs, coasters, bowls, vases

### EXHIBITORS & VENDORS

Be sure to stop by and check out our many wonderful exhibitors and vendors, located throughout the Island:

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1.	Event Info	27.	Foxwood Raptor & Wildlife
2.	Elkhart Environmental Center		Rehabilitation Center
3.	Recycling Works, Inc.	28.	The Institute for Quality
4.	City of South Bend Office of		Education
	Sustainability	29.	Elkhart County Soil & Water
5.	MACOG		Conservation District and
6.	Interurban Trolley		Indiana Master Naturalists
7.	AmeriCorps	30.	St. Joseph County Soil &
8.	Solar United Neighbors		Water Conservation District
9.	Solar Energy Systems	31.	Willowbrook Farms
10.	Michiana Master Gardeners'	32.	Woodlawn Nature Center
	Association	33.	Parks and Recreation
11.	Wild Ones, South Bend	34.	St. Joseph County Parks
12.	South Bend Elkhart Audubon	35.	Elkhart County Parks
	Society	36.	City of Elkhart Aquatic Biology
13.	Indiana Native Plant Society	37.	Public Works and Utilities
14.	Norwex	38.	Elkhart River Restoration
15.	Bike Elkhart County		Association
16.	Golden Bear Bikes	39.	Wellfield Botanic Gardens
17.	Elkhart County Health	40.	Shirley Heinze Land Trust
	Department -	41.	ACRES Land Trust
	Health Education	42.	Engineered Foam Packaging
18.	Hoosier Environmental	43.	Renewal by Andersen
	Council	44.	Elkhart County Drug-Free
19.	Apex Pottery Works		Partnership/Positively Elkhart
20.	Pressed Flowers by Carol		County
21.	Michiana VegFest	45.	Elkhart County Voter
22.	Seed to Feed, Program of		Registration
	Church Community Services	46.	The League of Women Voters
23.	Ten Thousand Villages		of Elkhart County
24.	Century Chemical Corporation	47.	Citizens' Climate Lobby
25.	NE Soil Health Trailer	48.	Climate Reality
26.	The Quantum Realm Institute	49.	WVPE
	Yoga & Mystery School		

#### LOCAL BEEK GARDEN



Brought to you by Simeri's

EnviroFest's beer garden is provided by Elkhart's very own Simeri's!

You must be aged 21 years or older and show ID in order to purchase alcohol/receive a wristband. You may walk around the event with your alcohol, but no alcohol may leave the Island.

### LOCAL FOOD VENDORS





Dem Spencer Boyz Sweet
Lemonade

**Tropicana Ice Cream Shop That Guys Gourmet Ribs** 



#### MUSIC

Enjoy live music throughout the event by **The Ear Mites**. Sound provided by **Wicked Opossum Records**.

#### ENTERTAINMENT

Check out live animals and learn fun facts from Indiana Wild!

4:30 PM - 5:00 PM

Kids Area

5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

On the Main Stage

6:30 PM - 7:00 PM

Kids Area

#### VIDS AREA ACTIVITIES & BOOTHS

Games and activities with the Elkhart Environmental Center

- Native Seed Planting
- Butterfly Life Cycle Craft
- Pollinators & Plants Matching Game
- Cross-Pollination Race
- Recycled Bee Craft
- FACE PAINTING at The Quantum Realm Institute Yoga & Mystery
  School
- GOATS at Willowbrook Farms
- LIVE animals at Foxwood Raptor and Wildlife Rehabilitation

  The Institute for Quality Education- Surprise
- Nature-based hands-on activity with Woodlawn Nature Center
- LIVE animals at Elkhart County Parks
- "Life is Better with BATS!" activity at St. Joseph County Parks
- NATER SLIDE near the Volunteer Station

#### SILENT AUCTION

Stop by the Silent Auction tent to enter for a chance to win any of our exciting items and/or packages, including:

- Gift baskets from local organizations
- A variety of house & yard plants, flowers, and seeds
- Unique handcrafted art pieces
- Tasty treats

...and MORE!

### Come check out all the items donated by businesses and organizations from Michiana!

Proceeds from our Silent Auction directly support EnviroFest and educational efforts at the EEC.

Thank you to all the business and organizations that support this event!



#### **Map Key**



**Exhibitors** 



Raffle/ Silent Auction



**EEC Booth** 



Restrooms



Event Information



**ADA** Restrooms



Waste/Recycling **Stations** 



Volunteer Station



Check out all the booths for activities, games, and animals!



**Kids Bicycling Clinic** 3:30 PM - 5:30 PM Check in at 3:15 PM

Booths I - 23





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Local Beer Garden

by Simeri's



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**Kids Activities** 

Booths 26 - 35 T

**Kids Entertainment:** Indiana Wild 4:30 PM and 6:30 PM



#### **Food Vendors**



TICKET

That Guy's Gourmet Ribs Ribs, pulled pork, chicken, sausage, etc.



The Dutch Kernel Gourmet popcorn, cotton candy



Tropicana Ice Cream Shop Ice cream, mangonadas, fruit cups



HotDogEddy's Gourmet hot dogs, vegetarian options



Ben's Pretzels Jumbo pretzels with dipping sauce



Dem Spencer Boyz Sweet Lemonade

Homemade lemonades, slushie pineapples



A Bite With Mee

Vegan nachos, tacos, k-noodles, drinks



