

Yes, I would like to become a member of the group, Friends of Council Grounds State Park Inc.

DATE \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_

STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

*Please check preferred contact method*

\_\_\_\_ HOME # \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ CELL # \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

MEMBERSHIP DUES *(Please check one)*

\_\_\_\_ \$10 Individual

\_\_\_\_ \$25 Family

\_\_\_\_ \$100 Individual Life

\_\_\_\_ \$ Donation without Membership *(non-voting)*

*Please make check payable to:*

Friends of Council Grounds State Park

*Mailing address:*

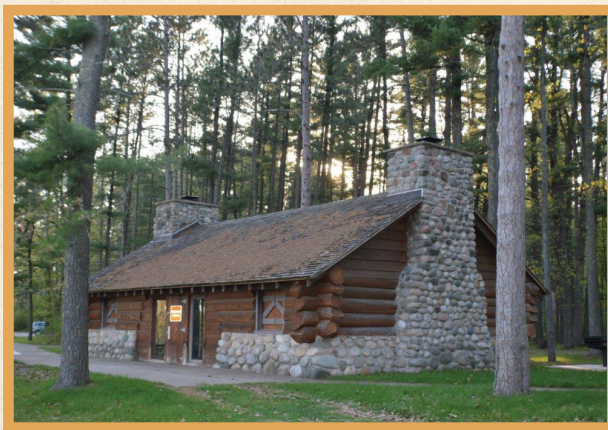
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Merrill, WI 54452

*May also drop off in registration slot at Park Office*

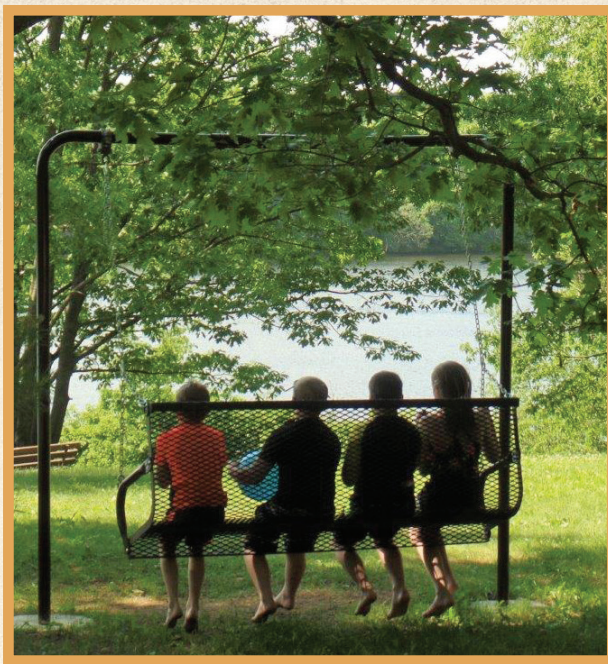
**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT**

**WHERE  
FRIENDS & NATURE  
MEET**



*“Conservation is a state of harmony  
between men and land.”*

- Aldo Leopold



*An Invitation to Join*  
**FRIENDS OF COUNCIL GROUNDS  
STATE PARK INC**



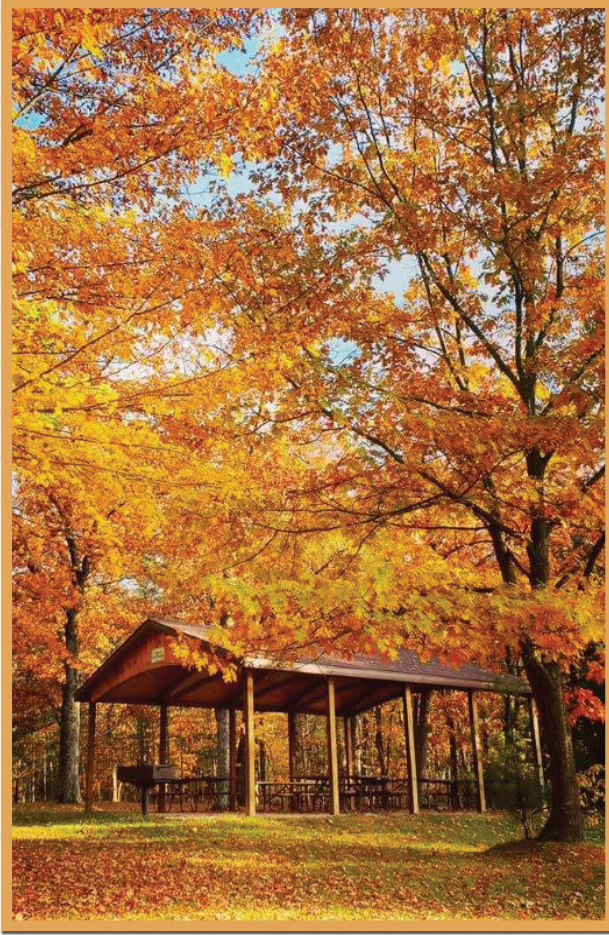
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**cgfriendsinfo@gmail.com**

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**Friends of Council Grounds  
State Park**

## We are volunteers who:

- Formed a charitable organization in 2009.
- Help Park staff promote facilities and programs for visitor enjoyment.
- Enhance Park stewardship of natural resources.
- Treasure this Northwoods gem along the Wisconsin River.



**Beach Picnic Shelter**  
*A Friends group building project*



## Projects are funded through:

- Annual Memberships
- Grants
- Donations
- Canoe, Kayak & Paddleboard rentals
- Firewood Sales
- Merchandise Sales (Hats, shirts, cards, water bottles, souvenirs etc.)



*There are many opportunities for members to be involved as much or as little as you would like. Please check any areas you may be interested in:*

## FRIENDS GROUP ACTIVITIES

- Candlelight hikes
- Wood cutting & splitting
- Annual photo contest
- Stock woodshed
- Manage watercraft

## PARK IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS

- Spring or Fall cleanup
- Hiking trail grooming

## INVASIVE SPECIES CONTROL

- Help with removal or eradication

## INTERPRETIVE PROGRAMMING

- Develop interpretive/educational programs
- Lead interpretive hikes/programs

## MERCHANDISE SALES

- Maintain & purchase inventory

## FUNDRAISING

- Seek donations
- Grant application work

## ADMINISTRATION

- Serving on a board or committee
- Web development
- Attend monthly board meetings
- Membership recruitment

*A more detailed interest survey will be supplied to you in a membership packet.*