

Newsletter of the Coulee Region Group

JUNE 2015

JUNE GATHERING

Tuesday, June 30

6pm at Rick & Julia Komperud's home: 3703 Brook Lane Onalaska, WI

ALL are welcome

This year's Sierra Club annual summer picnic

will be hosted by Rick and Julia Komperud again. Bring a dish to pass and your own plates, utensils and beverage. They'll have additional items, food, drink if you forget. Sierra Club members and non-members are all invited; bring a new friend!

Their backyard with large deck faces the bluffs; you can view the many bird feeders and bird houses; enjoy hummingbirds, indigo buntings, orioles, squirrels, and other wildlife that is so abundant this year. We will be mostly outdoors, have some wine, share intelligent conversation, etc. Feel free to bring your favorite photographs, stories, or just relax around the table or fire-pit. There is a beautiful kid's playground and sand box for kids. If it rains, there's plenty of room to move indoors.

Directions: The Komperuds are between Onalaska and Holmen, WI.

Take Hwy 53, either from the north or south. Exit on OT, and head EAST (turn RIGHT on OT if coming from La Crosse; LEFT if from Holmen). Turn LEFT onto Sand Lake Road.

Take the 2nd RIGHT onto Hanson Road, then take the first immediate right onto Brook Lane. Look for the 2-story grey home at the end of the cul-de-sac with green metal roof.

Call if you need further directions: (608) 783-7778.



There will be no Sierra Club Coulee Region meetings in July and August.

> Have a great summer!

Summer Highway Cleanup

It's almost that time again—for the second of three annual cleanups of our adopted highway, River Valley Drive in the La Crosse Marsh. The cleanup will be held **Tuesday, July 7 at 6 p.m.** Meet at the city water well building near the intersec-

tion of County Highway B and River Valley Drive on the north side of La Crosse. Wear old clothes and bring work gloves. Orange vests and garbage bags are provided. We'll work for about an hour. After, there's a traditional stop at Rudy's Drive-in after the cleanup. For more information contact Pat or Bobbie, 788-8831.





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