

Fungus Fest 2023
September 29 to October 1 2023

Fungus Fest is open to the public this year. Upon arrival, please go to the registration area in the Conference Event Center to pick up your name tag and a copy of the Fungus Fest events calendar. There will be a phone number to call if you don't see your name tag.

Event plans:

Friday:

- 1:00 pm -Vendor setup. Conference Hall table setup. We need volunteers to help with setup.
- 1:00 pm Member registration and Check in. Pick up name tags and event calendar at the River Hawk Conference Center.
- 2:00pm - Hunt. Led by Lenny. Meet at the Dining hall outside deck Staging area
- 2:00 pm - Hunt. Led by Scott. Meet at the Dining hall outside deck Staging area
- 3:15 pm -. Overnight stay rooms are able to be accessed.
- 5:00 pm - Dinner. Pizza and salad to be provided to all members who registered for FF and have a name tag.
- 6:30 pm – Evening Event: Making of Mushroom kits with Kirk outside the Conference Event Center.
- 8:00 pm – Evening Speaker: Diane Pruden
- 10:00 pm Conference hall locked for the evening.

Saturday:

- 9:00 am - Registration and handout of Fungus Fest schedule.
- 9:30 am - Hunt. Beginner Hunt talk and hunt afterwards with Phil Tedeschi. Meet inside the Display tables conference center.
- 9:30 am – Hunt. Led by Lenny. Meet at the Dining hall outside deck Staging area.
- 10:00 am - Hunt. Led by Heather Johnson. Slow walker hunt. Meet at the Dining hall outside deck Staging area
- 12:00 noon - Lunch. Sub sandwiches to be provided to all members who registered for FF or have a name tag.
- 1:00 pm Cooking With Kirk Coppernoll
- 1:30 pm - Hunt. Led by Antoine Delaforterie. Meet at the Dining hall outside deck Staging area
- 1:30 pm Hunt by Scott and Karen . Meet at the Dining hall outside deck Staging area
- 4:00 pm - Walk around the mushroom exhibit tables with Walt Sturgeon.
- 5:00 pm – Auction at the Dining Hall.
- 6:00 pm - Pot Luck dinner to be provided to all members who registered for FF or have a name tag.
- 8:00 pm – Presentation led by Walt Sturgeon
- 10:00 pm - Conference hall locked for the evening.

Sunday:

- 9:00 am Walk around tables in the Conference Hall
- Finish collection list

Fungus Fest 2023 Registration Form

September 29, 30 and October 1st
PROUD LAKE STATE RECREATION AREA
3466 WIXOM RD., MILFORD, MI

Registration fee includes: Friday evening pizza/salad, Friday evening program and walks, Saturday sub sandwich lunch, Saturday evening potluck dinner (bring a dish to share with ingredients labeled).

PRE-REGISTRATION WITH PAYMENT IS REQUIRED AND DUE BY SEPTEMBER 19th.

Names for which you are registering and paying – names as given below will be on name tags:

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
Email address: _____ Phone _____

Registration for Members: \$30 for each person _____ X \$30 = _____
(Children under 8 years of age attend FREE but we need the number for meal counts)
Children _____

Registration for Non-members: \$45 = _____

Rooms: \$25.00 per night (includes Continental Breakfast on Saturday and Sunday mornings).
Bring your own linens, blankets, pillows, etc. Bathrooms with showers are down the hall.
Those who use the rooms are required to broom clean and to remove all trash (including from kitchen) before leaving on Sunday.

For how many rooms? _____ X For how many nights? _____ X \$25 = _____

TOTAL DUE: _____

Make checks payable to MMHC and mail form and check. If you wish to pay by credit card, you may do so at PayPal.com even if you do not have an account.

Make payment to: mimushroomhuntersclub@yahoo.com.

You must also send the completed registration form.

MAIL TO: Diane Pruden, Treasurer 1455 Edgewood Ln, Milford, MI 48381

Email: dianepruden@gmail.com

MEAL PLANNING INFORMATION

Will you attend the pizza/salad meal on Friday evening? _____ Yes _____ No

Will you attend the submarine sandwich lunch on Saturday? _____ Yes _____ No

Will you attend the potluck dinner on Saturday evening? _____ Yes _____ No

For special dietary needs, please complete the following:

Vegetarian (vegan) meals: _____ Friday _____ Saturday

Gluten free meals: _____ Friday _____ Saturday

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SIGN MMHC STANDARD WAIVER ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE

Liability Waiver

I hereby acknowledge and accept that there are inherent risks involved in the collection, identification and ingestion of wild mushrooms. I realize that mushroom forays are held in public woodlands where natural hazards do occur, immediate medical attention may not be available and the foray leader may not be trained in emergency treatment. I further understand that people can have known or unknown food allergies and people can experience gastric disturbances from ingesting wild mushrooms. In consideration of this acknowledgement, and my voluntary participation in activities relating to the Michigan Mushroom Hunters Club (MMHC), having read this waiver and understanding the risks involved in participating in the MMHC events, and of the agreement by the MMHC to allow me to participate in its activities. I hereby release, on behalf of myself, my successors, heirs, assigns, executors, and administrators, the MMHC, its officers, directors, members and volunteers from any claims of liability or demand whatsoever, including, but not limited to bodily injury, sickness, disease, death, property loss or damage, or any other loss or damage of any kind which may arise out of or in connection to my participation in MMHC events, whether resulting from negligence or from some other cause. I have read and understand the forgoing Waiver of Liability and, by signing below, I indicate my agreement. It is my intent to be legally restrained from asserting any claim connected herewith and I understand this agreement is unconditional and may not be waived by any person for any reason whatsoever. For electronic signature, type your name between slashes; i.e. /John Doe/ and email to dianepruden@gmail.com OR sign with pen and mail form via USPS.

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