

ST. CROIX  
**riverfest**

July 17-22  
 2018

Party with a Purpose  
**Hudson, Wisconsin**



See RiverFest mascot **SCRAPPY** on display at RiverFest!



**2018 RiverFest in Hudson, WI**  
 Bring your family & friends to RiverFest for these fun activities and more!



**RiverFest Native American Celebration**

**FREE** Saturday, July 21 • 10 a.m. - 4:15 p.m.

Gather by the river for a Native American Cultural Celebration with • Dancing & Singing • Drum by Native Boyz • St. Croix Chippewa Indians of Wisconsin and TRAILS Dance Troupe • Oneida Youth Smoke Dancers • Ojibwe Flutist & Storyteller • Lacrosse Demonstrations • Native American Cultural Informational Booths • Native American Art & Crafts • and more!

Program Sponsored by:



**RiverFest Concerts in the Park**  
**Toonies ENVIRO-FUN Puppet Show**

**FREE** Tuesday, July 17 • 6:30 p.m.  
 at Lakefront Park

Kid friendly show promoting environmental awareness, teamwork and fun.



**St. Croix Valley Community Band**

**FREE** Thursday, July 19 • 7:00 p.m.  
 at Lakefront Park Bandshell

St. Croix Valley Community Band and the Metro Brass with selections that reflect 50 years of celebrating our Wild and Scenic River.

- St. Croix Valley Community Band Concert **FREE**
- Toonies ENVIRO-FUN Puppet Show **FREE**
- Native American Celebration **FREE**
- Carpenter Nature Center's Animals **FREE**
- RiverFest Nature Cruise • Scrapy
- Kids Fishing Derby **FREE** • Prairie Hike **FREE**
- Civil War Encampment **FREE** & Ice Cream Social
- Library Story Time & Echo the Mermaid **FREE**
- Water is Life Mural Painting **FREE**

**RIVER CLEAN-UP: get a team, sign up and protect our national treasure!**



**RiverFest is a community wide effort ~ Thank You to the many RiverFest Partners for their support:**

- Carpenter St. Croix Valley Nature Center
- Hudson Area Public Library
- St. Croix County Historical Society
- National Park Service
- St. Croix County Sportsman's Alliance
- Willow River State Park
- Bernick's Pepsi-Cola
- City of Hudson
- Hudson Area Chamber of Commerce & Tourism Bureau
- St. Croix River Cruises
- St. Croix River Association
- Prescott Guards Volunteer Infantry
- Wisconsin DNR
- Hudson County Market
- Hudson Dairy Queen
- Sustain Hudson
- The Phipps Center for the Arts
- Youth Action Hudson
- Hudson Rod, Gun and Archery Club
- St. Croix Sailing School
- Hudson YMCA
- Hudson Jimmy John's

For details and a complete schedule visit [www.StCroixRiverFest.org](http://www.StCroixRiverFest.org)



# St. Croix RiverFest: Party with a Purpose • Hudson, WI • July 17 - 22, 2018

July 14 & 15 • Aug. 11 & 12

## Just Add Water Art & Science Lab

12 - 2 p.m. at The Phipps Center, 109 Locust Street. An art and science lab with creative hands-on displays exploring water science: the water cycle, water flow, rain, runoff, watershed and point source/non-point source pollution. Supported by *Rain to River... Wise Choices for Cleaner Waters*. Free and open to the public.

July 16 - 19

## Just Add Water: Deluxe River Exploration

10 a.m. - 3 p.m. at The Phipps Center for the Arts. Learn more about this Summer Art Camp program at [www.thephipps.org](http://www.thephipps.org).

Tuesday, July 17

## Hudson & North Hudson River Clean-up

10 - 11:30 a.m. at the Lakefront Park Bandshell. Collect litter along the St. Croix River shore. Complimentary lunch for clean-up crews at Picnic Point.

## Toddler Story Time at the Library

10:15 a.m. at Hudson Area Public Library, 700 1st Street. River themed stories, songs, crafts and activities. (For children talking to age 3)

## Carpenter Nature Center presents Wildlife of the St. Croix Valley

11:30 a.m. at Lakefront Park, Picnic Point. Naturalists will introduce live animal ambassadors who share our ecosystem.

## The Toonies ENVIRO-FUN Puppet Show

6:30 - 7:30 p.m. at Lakefront Park Bandshell. Environmental awareness, teamwork and fun. Learn about the many ways to rethink, reuse & recycle!

Wednesday, July 18

## Naturalist at the Library

10:30 a.m. at Hudson Area Public Library, 700 1st Street. Learn about animals with naturalist. (For children 0-5)

## Evening Prairie Hike

7 - 8 p.m. at Carpenter Nature Center's Wisconsin Campus Trail. Join Naturalists for an evening hike on the prairie. Free, but reservations required at 651-437-4359.

Thursday, July 19

## St. Croix Sailing School Open House

2 - 4 p.m. at Lakefront Park, Picnic Point.

## RiverFest Partner Display Booths

6 - 8:15 p.m. at the Lakefront Park Bandshell. Learn how community organizations contribute to the area.

## St. Croix Valley Community Band Concert

7 - 8:15 p.m. at the Lakefront Park Bandshell. Featuring the St. Croix Valley Community Band along with the Metro Brass. Directed by Kris Tjornehoj and Christopher Tank with selections that reflect 50 years of celebrating our *Wild and Scenic River*.

Concert attendees will be invited to visit the *Water is Life* booth and help create a painted mural.

Friday, July 20

## RiverFest Nature Boat Cruise

6:30 - 8:45 p.m., boarding at 6, departs at 6:30 SHARP! Lakefront Park Grand Duchess boat. Learn about the natural history of the area and meet live animal ambassadors from Carpenter St. Croix Valley Nature Center. Cost: \$18 (or \$37.95 with dinner). Reservations: [StCroixRiverCruises.com](http://StCroixRiverCruises.com) or 651-436-8883

Saturday, July 21

## Kids Fishing Derby

8 - 10 a.m. on the southwest bay of Lake Mallalieu. For children ages 6-12. Mentors, bait and some fishing poles will be provided. With prizes for all!

## Echo the Mermaid at the Library

10:30 a.m. at Hudson Area Public Library, 700 1st Street. Echo tells of life along the St. Croix River between Prescott and Hudson. (For children of all ages)

## Native American Celebration

10 - 4:15 p.m. at the Lakefront Park Bandshell. Presented in partnership with Native American Tourism of Wisconsin, St. Croix Chippewa Indians of Wisconsin and St. Croix Casino. Program Schedule:

10 a.m. • Lacrosse & Other Native American Traditional Games presented by Dan and Susan Ninham  
12:00 p.m. • Jeff Chapman, Ojibwe Flutist & Storyteller  
12:30 p.m. • Oneida Youth Smoke Dancers, Oneida, WI  
1:00 p.m. • Water is Life by James Knutson-Kolodzne  
1:15 p.m. • Oneida Youth Smoke Dancers, Oneida, WI  
1:45 p.m. • Jeff Chapman, Ojibwe Flutist & Storyteller  
2:15 - 4:15 p.m. • Native American Dancing & Singing  
Featuring: Men's Traditional, Fancy and Grass and Women's Traditional, Fancy and Jingle Dances.  
• Head Dancers: Jackie Mallory & Brandon Geshick  
• Drum by Native Boyz with Rodney Mallory as MC & Steve Mallory as head drummer, St. Croix Chippewa Indians of Wisconsin • Youth Drum & Dancers by St. Croix Chippewa Indians of Wisconsin & TRAILS Dance Troupe with Mark Soulier.

## Cultural Informational Booths

10 - 4:15 p.m. at the Lakefront Park Bandshell.  
• Native American Tourism of Wisconsin  
• American Indian Center at St. Cloud State University  
• Forts Folle Avoine Historical Park  
• Hudson Area Public Library  
• St. Croix County Historical Society  
• RiverFest Informational Booth

## Native American Art & Crafts

10 - 4:15 p.m. at the Lakefront Park Bandshell. Featuring handmade arts and crafts by regional Native American vendors • Yvonne Schmidt/Akeeng Gifts • Guadalupe Castillo • Miscobinayshii & Steve Fowler and more.

Sunday, July 22

## Civil War Encampment & Ice Cream Social

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. at Octagon House Museum, 1004 3rd St. Local Civil War re-enactors will stage an encampment on the lawn of the Octagon House Museum. Enjoy an old-fashioned Ice Cream Social fundraiser with baked goods, sundaes and floats.

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