



# KETTLE MORAINE LAND TRUST

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Kettle Moraine Land Trust is the proud recipient of a grant from the Elkhorn Community Fund, a component of the Community Foundation of Southern Wisconsin, Inc. The grant will support one of our field day programs, “Day in the Woods”. This day long environmental education experience was created especially for Elkhorn high school students to foster leadership in land conservation and stewardship.

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Through this premier education program, science students are immersed in hands on learning at Island Woods Preserve where they discover many aspects and challenges of managing natural resources. Students learn how to sample water quality, access the health of woodlands, identify invasive species and repair trails. Throughout the day, students learn while doing in a way that makes a long lasting and positive impression on the students. The Trust has been providing the “Day in the Woods” program for several years and is pleased to have the Community Foundation join them in sponsoring this program, held annually in April.

Program Manager

*Maggie Zoellner*

Founded in 2007, the Elkhorn Community Fund is a resource for area nonprofit organizations whose programs and services are working for the betterment of the local community. Grants from the Elkhorn Community Fund have supported the arts, education, environment, health and human services, and historic preservation.



Receiving the Elkhorn Fund’s grant check at the November KMLT board meeting is Maggie Zoellner, Program Manager; Gerry Petersen, Elkhorn Fund Director and the President of Kettle Moraine Land Trust, Jerry Petersen.

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