

# Outdoor Leaders School

# 2009



WMA Wilderness First Responder

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Canoeing  
Backpacking

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# Wilderness Medical Associates (WMA) Courses



**What is WMA?** Since 1981, WMA has been providing wilderness medical training to medical professionals and outdoor enthusiasts. Training is focused on patient management with limited equipment and extreme conditions.

## WMA courses:

**WMA Wilderness First Responder (WFR)**– This **9-day** (72 hour) course is the industry standard for outdoor professionals. Many organizations require it as part of their job qualifications. The course is recommended for outdoor professionals and recreationalists who lead adventure trips, and those who are in the backcountry for days or weeks and may have to care for a patient for days.

**May 16-24, May 26-June 3**

**WFR 5-day option** – This **5-day** course is designed for those with less time for on-site training and requires significant pre-course work. The goals and outcomes are the same as listed above for the 9-day course.

**March 16-20**

**WMA Open/Recertification Course** - This 3-day (24 hour) course is a recertification course open to graduates of ALL wilderness medical training courses of 64 hours or longer with a current certification. Upon successful completion of this course you will receive **Wilderness Medical Associates WFR, Anaphylaxis and BLS-level CPR certifications**. WMA WEMT graduates with a current EMT-B or Paramedic certificate may also recertify the wilderness portion of their WEMT

**June 4-6**

**WMA Wilderness First Aid Course- Open to Manito-wish staff only.** This 2-day course is a REQUIREMENT for all COUNSELORS AND TRIPPING ASSISTANTS. **It is no longer offered within the staff training week, but rather the two days prior.**

The course is only open to Manito-wish staff, and the cost is covered by Camp. Note: course includes CPR

**June 9-10, July 10-11**

## Camp Manito-wish YMCA courses:

**Wilderness Water Safety** – This is a 20-hour course designed for individuals leading trips or life-guarding on lakefronts. This course will be taught in the lake. Three-year certification recognized by the American Camp Association as a life-guarding equivalent. Does not include first aid and/or CPR.

**June 5-6, June 7-8, July 8-9**

**TRAIL LEADER COURSES:** All trips are suited for both novice and experienced participants. Leaders learn and refine trail skills and techniques for teaching and leading trips in the wilderness.

**All trips are held May 29-June 3.**

**Porcupine Mountain Backpacking Trip:** Participants will spend five days/four nights hiking on the Southern Shore of Lake Superior.

**Northern Wisconsin Canoe Trip:** Participants will spend five days/four nights paddling a selected route in Northern Wisconsin.

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## General Information:

**Accommodations:** During your stay you'll reside in one of our rustic cabins. Cabins for winter/early spring are fully winterized. There is no linen service, so you'll need to provide your own linens.

**Meals:** Hearty and nutritious meals are served family style. Meal times vary. Please note on your registration form if you have any dietary restrictions.

**Arrival Times:** Unless otherwise stated all courses will start immediately after breakfast on the start date listed. You are welcome to arrive after 6 p.m. the night prior to your course.

**Community Standards:**

- Camp Manito-wish YMCA is a drug and tobacco free environment.
- Alcohol is not allowed on site during the course.
- We are unable to accommodate participant pets or overnight visitors.

**Air Travel:** Northwest airlines flies into Rhinelander, WI airport. Contact us for pick-up arrangements.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail for Camp communication: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (Home) \_\_\_\_\_ (Cell) \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any diet restrictions/allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE CLEARLY CHECK WHICH COURSES YOU PLAN TO ATTEND and if you will be staying with us.**

**Wilderness Water Safety –**

- REGULAR COURSE FEE INCLUDES LUNCH **\$190**       MANITO-WISH STAFF FEE (includes fee & lodging/meals) **\$165**
- ADD LODGING, BREAKFAST & DINNER **\$ 60**
- Regular Fee & Lodging/Meals **\$250**

YOU MUST INCLUDE A **DEPOSIT OF \$150** WITH REGISTRATION FORM  
 June 5-6       June 7-8       July 8-9

**WMA Wilderness First Responder (WFR)–**

- REGULAR COURSE FEE INCLUDES LUNCH **\$490**       MANITO-WISH STAFF FEE (includes fee & lodging/meals) **\$380**
- ADD LODGING, BREAKFAST & DINNER **\$280**       OUTPOST STAFF FEE (includes fee & lodging/meals) **\$250**
- Regular Fee & Lodging/Meals **\$770**

YOU MUST INCLUDE A **DEPOSIT OF \$415** WITH REGISTRATION FORM  
 May 16-24       May 26 – June 3

**WFR 5-DAY OPTION:**

- REGULAR COURSE FEE INCLUDES LUNCH **\$490**       MANITO-WISH STAFF (includes fee & lodging/meals) **\$380**
- ADD LODGING, BREAKFAST & DINNER **\$180**       OUTPOST STAFF (includes fee & lodging/meals) **\$250**
- FULL FEE **\$670**

YOU MUST INCLUDE A **DEPOSIT OF \$415** WITH REGISTRATION FORM  
 March 16-20

**WMA Open/Recertification Course –**

- REGULAR COURSE FEE INCLUDES LUNCH **\$270**       MANITO-WISH STAFF (includes fee & lodging/meals) **\$200**
- ADD LODGING, BREAKFAST & DINNER **\$ 80**
- FULL FEE **\$350**

YOU MUST INCLUDE A **DEPOSIT OF \$150** WITH REGISTRATION FORM  
 June 4-6

**WMA Wilderness First Aid Course- Open to Manito-wish staff only.**

June 9-10       July 10-11      NO FEE

**Trail Leader Courses:**

**All trips are held May 29-June 3.** (arrive at Camp on the night of May 28)

REGULAR FEE: **\$200**       MANTIO-WISH STAFF FEE: **\$50**

----- **Porcupine Mountain Backpacking Trip:** Participants will spend five days/four nights hiking on the Southern Shore of Lake Superior.

----- **Northern Wisconsin Canoe Trip:** Participants will spend five days/four nights padding a selected route in Northern Wisconsin.

**Registration form will not be accepted without proper deposit and signature.**



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Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Manito-wish Staff:** Please check appropriate boxes.

I will be working in the following programs in 2009:

\_\_\_\_ Summer Camp

\_\_\_\_ Outpost

\_\_\_\_ Leadership

Total fees due: \_\_\_\_\_

- Required deposit(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Balance due by start of course: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ Check enclosed (payable to Camp Manito-wish YMCA)

check amount \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_

Please bill my : \_\_\_\_ VISA \_\_\_\_ MasterCard Amount: \_\_\_\_\_ Deposit or \_\_\_\_\_ Entire Fee

Credit Card #: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ CSV (3 digits on back of card) \_\_\_\_

Cardholder Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Card billing address: \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Card holder daytime phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

### Payment Information & Cancellation Policy

Your deposit secures a space in the selected course. The remainder of payment must be completed on the first day of class. Deposits are fully refundable if you cancel up to six weeks before the course start date or if Camp Manito-wish YMCA cancels the course. If you cancel less than six weeks before the course start date your entire deposit will be forfeited.

### Waiver Information:

I understand that although Camp Manito-wish YMCA has taken reasonable steps to provide me/my child with appropriate training, equipment and skilled staff for this camp experience, I acknowledge that some inherent risks cannot be eliminated without destroying the unique character of these activities. Such risks include but are not limited to those associated with canoeing, portaging, backpacking, sea kayaking, waterfront activities, wildlife, vehicle transportation and other components of wilderness travel.

Aware of the risks and willing to assume them, I hereby waive, release and agree to hold harmless the Camp Manito-wish YMCA, their representatives and successors for all claims or liabilities of any kind arising out of my/my child's participation in this camp experience. I have read the descriptions of the session, understand the requirements for participation. I assume and accept full responsibility for my/his/her participation.

I hereby give permission to use any video, photographs, or written statements from my/or my child's experience in public relations materials including the internet without compensation.

**IN CASE OF SURGICAL EMERGENCY**, I hereby give my permission to the physician selected by the Camp Director to hospitalize, secure proper treatment for, and order injection, anesthesia or surgery for me/my child. I accept responsibility for medical/surgical treatment charges which may be incurred on my/my child's behalf.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*to be signed by Parent/Guardian if participant is under the age of 18

*Please return by mail to:*

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**or**

**fax (BOTH SIDES of application) to 715-385-2461**

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