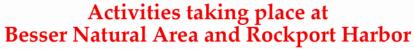
ROCKPORT RECREATION

DAY Saturday, June 20, 2015

Rockport State Recreation Area



6:30 am- Kayak tour of the shipwreck Portland with Erin Riopelle- Besser Natural Area

8:30 am Participants will paddle to the shipwreck, learn about it and paddle back. Bring bug spray

and sunscreen. Cost: \$25/person. RSVP's required by contacting Adventureland Sports at

adventurelandsports@gmail.com or 989-255-7796

8:30 am- Birding-Besser Natural Area

10:00 am Learn how to identify birds using field guides and other resources. Take a walk through

Besser Natural Area to test your skills. Bring binoculars and field guides if you have them.

10:30 am- Mountain Bike Safari to the Sinkholes-Rockport Harbor

12:00 pm Provide your own mountain bike. Helmet and water is suggested. Starting at the parking lot

near the Big Tent, bikers will head out to Overburden Lookout, then loop back through the

quarry and out to the sinkholes.

10:00 am- Rockport Harbor - Activities that are fun for everyone!

3:00 pm Fishing: Learn all you need to know. Try your luck! Poles and bait provided.

Geocaching: Check in at the Big Tent. Learn how to use a GPS to discover hidden treasures.

Kayaking: Kayaks, paddles, PFDs and instructions are provided.

At the Big Tent you will find a variety of displays showcasing the historical, geological and marine features of Rockport and Besser Natural Area. Food and beverages available.

VISIT The Coast Guard Auxiliary Alpena Flotilla's boating and water safety booth and receive FREE VESSEL SAFETY CHECKS.

Directions: Besser Natural Area is located in Presque Isle, 5 miles from US-23 on Grand Lake Rd. Continue east on Grand Lake Rd. at the Rayburn Hwy. intersection.

BNA is on right before Bell Bay Rd.

Rockport Harbor – 10750 Rockport Rd, Alpena MI 49707.

US-23 to Rockport Rd.

At the end of Rockport Rd - 2.3 miles.

A Recreation Passport is required for park entrance. Self registration is available at Rockport Harbor.

If you have any questions, please call P.H. Hoeft State Park at 989-734-2543

