

Registration Form

(Please Register by June 17th!!)

Name _____
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No. of People Attending _____

Please Call, Email, or Return
Registration To:

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Paul & Sherrill Schottler Conservation Easement Celebration

Wednesday, June 24, 2009
4:30 pm Farm Tours
6:00 pm Easement Dedication and
Educational Program

458 Rice Lake Road
Somerset, WI 54025



A Project of the



Star Prairie Land
Preservation Trust
Starprairielandtrust.org

Thanks to the foresight of the
Schottler Family, and in keeping with
the thoughts below, the lake is
preserved as a natural area and the
farm is preserved for agricultural use.

*Treat the earth well.
It was not given to you
by your parents.
It was loaned to you
by your children.*



An Evening of Celebration, Education, and Leadership

Please join us to celebrate the conservation easement donation the Schottler's have given to future generations.

Over the past decade, there have been numerous efforts by Pierce, Polk, and St. Croix County individuals and agencies to provide information and education to landowners and public officials about the need to protect working lands and open space. This event is intended to capture the momentum of these efforts by providing an opportunity to learn valuable insight from local landowners and to share your thoughts and ideas with fellow citizens.

Protecting working lands will require a grass roots effort. This event is intended to foster a renewed vision for working land protection in Western Wisconsin by enhancing communication, building a support base, determining what is possible, developing necessary action, and finding the resources to make it all happen.

Sponsored by:

Star Prairie Land Preservation Trust

Western Wisconsin Working Lands Committee

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The land, this farm, tells us what we must do and when we must do it. We see the land as our home, not a place we live upon but a place we live with. Our land home is not a thing to be used to our advantage but a place on earth where our body finds use and our soul and spirit find peace...Paul and Sherrill Schottler

Schedule of Events

4:30 Farm Tours & Fresh Strawberry Shortcake

- Farm tours hosted by the Schottler family. Enjoy fresh strawberry shortcake and conversation afterward. (hint: bring a camera, the views are beautiful)

6:00 Schottler Easement Dedication

- Star Prairie Land Preservation Trust—Beth Wood, President
- Paul and Sherrill Schottler

6:30 Protecting Working Lands and Open Space in Western Wisconsin

- Tools and Techniques For Protecting Working Lands and Open Space-Vicki Elkin, Gathering Waters
- Protecting Working Lands in Western Wisconsin. Join local stakeholders for a facilitated discussion to develop a vision for working lands protection in Western Wisconsin. How will capacity to implement programs be built? What support is there at the local, state and federal levels? Can we develop a pilot project? Where we are, where we want to go and how we can get there? -Greg Zwald and Dan Pearson, St. Croix County Dairy Farmers

