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### **“Flavors of Fall” Cheese Tasting and Stew Sampling**

Milwaukee, WI (November 14, 2013) A Wisconsin-cheese tasting, harvest-stew sampling, and holiday silent auction make up the new “Flavors of Fall,” Saturday, Nov. 16, from 5-8:30 p.m. at Wehr Nature Center, 9301 W. College Ave. in Franklin

The fundraiser kicks off with the cheese tasting in the Fireplace Room. Visitors will be welcomed by the glow of logs burning in the fireplace and the glow of the rising Frost Moon just outside the room’s large windows. Artisanal cheeses from some of Wisconsin’s fine cheesemakers will be available for sampling. One complimentary beer, wine, or non-alcoholic beverage is included with the cheese tasting.

From 6-8 p.m., the stew sampling will commence. Featured are three stews –two gluten-free options (one with beef, the other, vegetarian) and one with bison and Guinness. All the stews are made with locally-grown produce. In addition, the menu includes salad, breads, homemade apple pie, and coffee, soda, or water. Beer and wine are also available for an additional token.

Throughout the evening, visitors may bid on items in the holiday silent auction. A framed, signed and numbered duck print by Sharon Manka, framed wildlife art, Tiffany stemware, a wine basket, items from Penzeys Spices, and homemade, ready-to-bake pies are among the donations. Bid winners will be announced at the end of the evening.

Funds raised will go toward the purchase of replacement windows in the Nature Center.

Admission is \$17 per person. Wine or beer tokens can be purchased for \$5 each.

For more information, contact Wehr Nature Center at (414) 425-8550.

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