

**Official Rules: Herp Guide Giveaway**  
**Aug. 6-Sept. 1, 2020**

**NO PURCHASE NECESSARY TO ENTER OR WIN**

**THE PRIZE:** 1 of 10 sets of NHC guidebooks to amphibians, snakes and turtles and lizards. The prize is non-transferable, non-redeemable for cash and may not be substituted by the winner. Any and all prize related expenses, including without limitation any and all federal, state, and/or local taxes shall be the sole responsibility of each winner.

**HOW TO ENTER:** You may enter this giveaway by clicking on the appropriate link in a Aug. 6 Govdelivery message or going to the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources Endangered Resources main web page (<http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/endangeredresources/> to access the online giveaway entry form. Complete the optional quiz and enter your name, telephone number and email address between Aug. 6 and Sept. 1, 2020, for your chance to win 1 of 10 sets of guidebooks. You may alternatively enter the giveaway by mail by mailing a card with the following information:

- Your full name
- Valid email address (if you do not have an email address, print "no email address")
- Valid telephone number
- The words "Herp Guide Giveaway Entry"

Mail entry to:

Lisa Gaumnitz  
Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources  
101 S. Webster St. NH/6  
Madison, WI 53703

Only one entry will be accepted per person.

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

**1. By submitting an entry, you fully and unconditionally agree to and accept these Official Rules.**

**2. Entry Period.** The entry period for this giveaway begins at 12:00 P.M. on Thursday, Aug. 6, 2020 and ends at 11:59 P.M. on Tuesday, Sept. 1, 2020.

**3. Eligibility.** Entrants must be at least 18 years of age. State of Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources employees and their immediate family members are ineligible. No purchase or online entry is required. Completing the online quiz, your results in the online quiz, your chosen means of entry, making a purchase or making a donation does not enhance chances of winning.

**4. Effective Date of Entry.** An entry made online will be deemed effective at the date and time the entry is received. An Entry submitted by mail will be deemed effective on the date the State of Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources receives and processes the entry. All entries become the exclusive property of the State of Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources and will not be acknowledged or returned. You are responsible for your costs of entering, including online access charges and postage.

**5. Dispute of Online Entry.** In the event of a dispute regarding who submitted an online entry, the entry will be deemed submitted by the authorized account holder of the email account.

**6. Selection of Winners.** 10 winners will be chosen by random drawing on Sept. 7, 2020, from all entries submitted during the entry period, as determined by the effective date of the entries.

**7. Notification of Winners.** The winner will be notified by email by Sept. 15, 2020, and if no email is provided in their entry, by telephone. In the unlikely event Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources

is unable to contact any one of the 10 winners, a winner does not accept their prize, or a prize is returned as undeliverable, a new winner will be randomly chosen and contacted. Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources is not responsible for errors, problems or difficulties with printing, U.S. mail, internet (including e-mail) or telephone.

8. **Odds of Winning.** Odds of winning are determined by the number of entries.

9. **Claiming of Prize.** Notified winners will have 1 month to respond to the notification of prize from the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources and to provide or verify their mailing address. The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources will mail winners the prize to the address provided by the winner by Oct. 15, 2020.

10. **Discontinuation or Alteration.** The State of Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources reserves the right to discontinue this giveaway or change the rules at any time without notice.

11. **Use of Entrant/Winner Information.** Personal information collected through giveaway entry will be used solely for drawing registration and relevant correspondence. However, under Wisconsin's Open Records Law [ss.19.31-19.39, Wis. Stats] provided information may be disclosed in the event of a qualifying request. Upon completion of the contest, the names of the winners will be available upon written request to State of Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources.

12. **No Liability.** The State of Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, employees, boards, commissions, agencies, officers, and representatives are not responsible for and will not be liable for (I) late, lost, damaged, misdirected, incomplete, unintelligible or postage due entries; (II) telephone, electronic, hardware or software program, network, Internet or computer malfunctions, failures or difficulties of any kind; (III) failed, incomplete, garbled or delayed computer transmissions; (IV) any condition caused by events beyond the control of the State of Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources that may cause the giveaway to be disrupted or corrupted; (V) any injuries losses or damages of any kind arising in connection with or as a result of the giveaway, or from participation in the giveaway; or (VI) any printing or typographical error in any material associated with the giveaway.

13. **Indemnification.** You agree to release and hold the State of Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, employees, boards, commissions, agencies, officers, and representatives harmless from any and all losses, damages, rights, claims and actions of any kind in connection with this giveaway, including but not limited to entry and acceptance or use of any prizes.

14. **Other Information.** The value of each prize is \$11.

15. **Copy of Rules.** A copy of these rules is available upon request from Lisa Gaumnitz, [Lisa.Gaumnitz@Wisconsin.gov](mailto:Lisa.Gaumnitz@Wisconsin.gov) or 608-266-8736.

16. **Void Where Prohibited.**



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