



PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT: Community Calendar

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**Synopsis**

Event: Listening to the River Family Hike & Geo-caching Adventure  
Date: February 18, 2007  
Time: 1 – 4 p.m.  
Location: Sabin Pond Trailhead on Cass Rd., Traverse City  
Cost: Free  
Age group: Families, children 8 and up  
(under 16 must be accompanied by an adult)

***Listening to the River Family Hike and Geo-caching Adventure at Sabin Pond***

Calling all Families! If you like the outdoors and want to experience the sights and sounds of the Boardman River watershed join the *Listening to the River* team of naturalists, scientists and technology experts on **Sunday, February 18 from 1 – 4 p.m.** for a family-oriented hike along the Sabin Pond Trail off Cass Road in Traverse City.

In conjunction with the Michigan Department of Natural Resource's *Project Go – Get Outdoors*, the *Listening to the River* project partners are offering a community-wide watershed hike and geo-caching adventure for area families.

This family-oriented hike combines a fun geo-caching activity with learning about the science of watersheds and how to use hand-held GPS units and digital recording devices.

Bring your own equipment (GPS, digital cameras, sound recorders, binoculars, etc.) or borrow equipment from the LTTR team at the event. Dress for the weather and plan to spend one to two hours hiking at your own pace. Recommended for families with children ages 8 and up. All children under age 16 must be accompanied by an adult.

This event is co-sponsored by the Land Information Access Association, Grand Traverse Conservation District, and the Conservation Resource Alliance. Pre-registration is required. For more information or to register, call 231-929-3696 or email [info@listeningtotheriver.org](mailto:info@listeningtotheriver.org) to reserve a spot for your family.

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