

2023 State Envirothon Trip

Dear Superintendent Tammi and members of the ISD 363 school board,

Northome's Senior Envirothon Team has qualified for the Minnesota State Envirothon. The competition will be held at the Prairie Wetlands Learning Center in Fergus Falls, MN on May 15, 2023. The competition starts 8:20 am and lasts until 1:30 pm.

Due to the early start time and the distance away, we are requesting permission to stay overnight on May 14 in Fergus Falls. The team consists of four girls and one boy. This means we will need to have 3 rooms for the overnight stay.

Currently, the hotel rates in Fergus Falls see, to be between \$110 - 125 per room from what I could see online. We would also need a vehicle to travel down and back. I would need a sub for one day.

Itinerary:

May 14

Leave Northome School	2:30 pm
Arrive in Fergus Falls	6:00 pm
Check into Hotel	
Find Dinner somewhere in town	

May 15

Breakfast at hotel	7:30 am
Envirothon Competition	8:20 am- 1:30 pm
Leave for home	1:40 pm
Return to Northome	5:10 pm

Costs:

3 Hotel Rooms	\$330 - 375
Sub for 1 day	
Transportation to and from event	

The soil and water district has donated \$800 to the science club to help cover the expenses for this trip. We are asking that the district cover any expenses beyond the \$800 if there are any.

Thank you for your consideration of our trip.

Sincerely,

Jim Schneider
Envirothon Advisor