

# 2025 Lake Agassiz Envirothon

## Welcome!!

Welcome to the 2nd Annual Lake Agassiz Regional Envirothon (September 24, 2025). We hope that students and teachers enjoy this opportunity to learn about natural resources in the beautiful setting of Icelandic State Park (13571 Highway 5, Cavalier, ND 58220).

## Thank you to our Sponsors and Volunteers!!!!

- North Dakota Envirothon
- Icelandic State Park
- ND Department of Water Resources
- Natural Resource Conservation Service
- ND Dept of Environmental Quality
- Walsh County SCD
- Cavalier County SCD
- Pembina County SCD
- Nelson County SCD

## COMMITTEE:

Rita Sveen, Tina Harding, Emily Laaveg, Josh Anderson, Seth Owens, Andrea Petersen

## COMPETITION DETAILS:

We're excited to host teams from the Northeast corner of North Dakota.. This Envirothon regional competition is a mini version of our state competition. Please see the agenda for a general timeline. A few items to note:

- The morning portion of the event consists of students rotating around the park to 5 hands-on education stations learning about aquatics, forestry, prairie, soils, and wildlife.
- The afternoon portion of the event consists of a trail test. Teams of 5 students rotate around a trail answering questions related to aquatics, forestry/prairie, soils, and wildlife. Questions come from the morning education stations. Advisors act as trail guides for schools they do not represent. No cell phones, smart watches or electronic devices will be allowed during the competition. We recommend advisors and students wear a non-smart watch to keep track of time throughout the competition.
- Dress: We request teams do not wear clothing identifying their school name. The competition is mainly outdoors. Come prepared for all types of weather.
- Scoring and awards: All trail tests will be graded at the competition. We will announce the scores and winners at the end of the day. The top 2 teams will receive a free entrance to the North Dakota State Envirothon Competition May 6-8, 2026.
- Registration: please complete the online team registration form and combined health release and photo release form (print, scan and email to Andrea Petersen [ndenvirothon@gmail.com](mailto:ndenvirothon@gmail.com) by **September 17, 2025**. The registration fee is \$25 per team. Please bring a check to the competition (payable to ND Envirothon) or work with Andrea to get your local Soil Conservation District to pay the registration fee.

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- Teams consist of 5 students each (grades 9-12). Teams may bring 1 alternate as well. Advisors/teachers may bring multiple teams from their school. Schools can bring more than one team to a regional event.
- Teams may compete in 1 or more regional events; however can only place in the 1st competition they compete in.
- Questions: email Andrea Petersen, ND Envirothon Coordinator, [ndenvirothon@gmail.com](mailto:ndenvirothon@gmail.com) <http://www.ndenvirothon.org/home.html>

## General Agenda\*

September 24, 2025

8:30-9:15 - Registration

9:15 - Welcome & Introduction

9:30 - Education station rotations

12:00 - Lunch (bring your own)

12:45-2:00 - trail test

2:00-2:30 - Nonpoint Source Pollution Presentation for students and advisors.

2:30 - Closing Remarks & winner announcement

\*subject to change

For more information please visit our website: <http://www.ndenvirothon.org/>

## North Dakota Envirothon Rules and Regulations

Please review our [rules and regulations](https://bit.ly/3KEp2Sy) <https://bit.ly/3KEp2Sy>

