**BUTTERFLIES OF CHEROKEE MARSH**

**Saturday, June 14, 2025**

**10:00 a.m. to Noon**

On this midsummer morning walk we’ll observe and learn about butterflies, those exquisitely beautiful creatures that dance around us in summer.  **Tod Highsmith and Skye???** will lead this 2 hour walk at Cherokee Marsh on the northeast side of Madison. We will observe a variety of butterflies as they take nectar from wildflowers and learn about their identification, behaviors, and lifestyles. Bring binoculars, if you have them, and water. Wear sturdy shoes, long pants and a hat for protection from the sun. There are likely to be mosquitoes accompanying us on this walk.

 To be contacted in case of cancellation or other changes, please register your intent to attend with Pam Skaar (hyndla53704@yahoo.com) after May 10th. Registration will be limited to 35 participants. If you have other questions about the trip email Tod Highsmith at  todhighsmith@me.com.

**ACCESSIBILITY:** Paths are flat boardwalks, grass and gravel. The trails would be difficult for wheelchairs and scooters.

**DIRECTIONS:**On the north side of Madison take Northport Drive (Highway 113) then turn north on Sherman Ave.  Meet in the Cherokee Marsh parking lot at the north end of Sherman Ave.  (6098 N Sherman Ave, Madison, WI.)

**RAIN DATE:** None