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# News Release

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## Sweetheart Snowshoe at Necedah National Wildlife Refuge

Grab your sweetheart, your snowshoes, and your warm clothes and join staff of Necedah National Wildlife Refuge as we celebrate a romantic evening in the woods for a Sweetheart Snowshoe adventure on Saturday, February 11, 2012 beginning at 7:00 pm. Visitor Services Specialist Daniel Peterson will share literary quotes, love poems, and scientific information on the nature of love in wild animals while on a nighttime excursion on snowshoes.

The hike will travel at an easy pace. No prior experience is necessary. There are a limited number of snowshoes available for loan by the refuge and preregistration is appreciated. Please call 608-565-2551 for additional information and / or to preregister. Visitors are encouraged to bring their own snowshoes. If snow is not good for snowshoeing, the programs will become a hike. The free event is open to all ages. Children must be accompanied by an adult. The program may end around 9:00pm.

Necedah National Wildlife Refuge is open sunrise to sunset. The Visitor Center is open Monday through Saturday 7:30am to 4pm, and closed Sundays, and is located two miles north on Headquarters Road off of Highway 21 four miles west of the Village of Necedah or 18 miles east of Tomah. Visit <http://www.fws.gov/midwest/necedah> for more information about your National Wildlife Refuge, or find us on [Facebook](#).

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