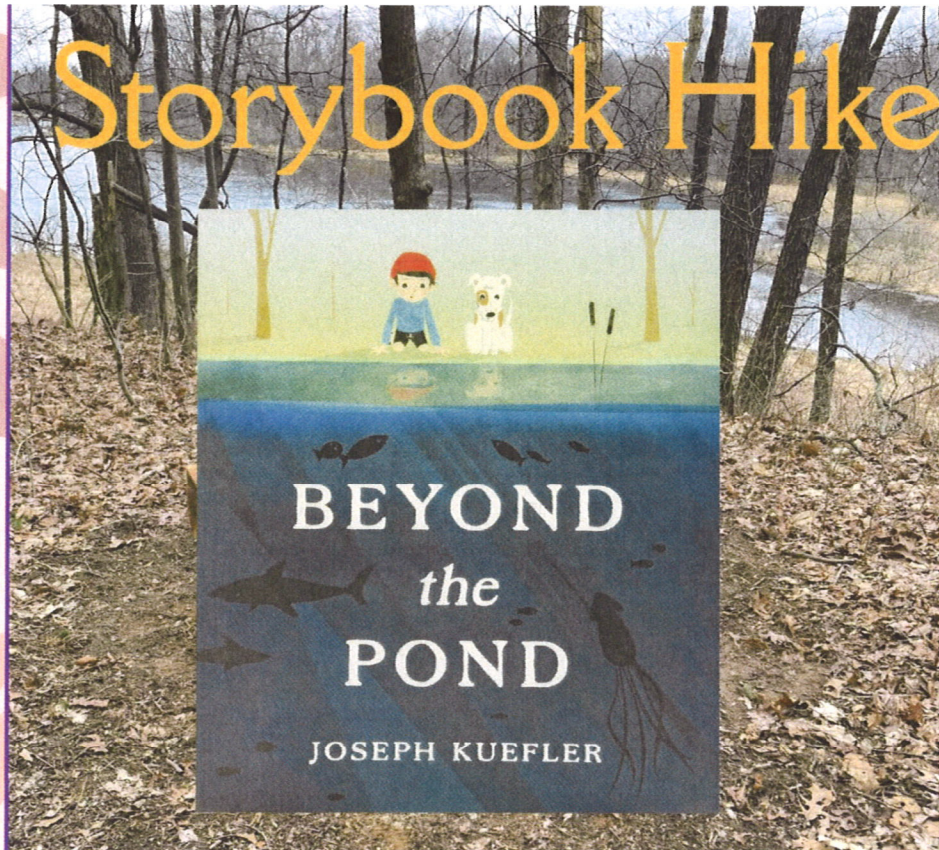
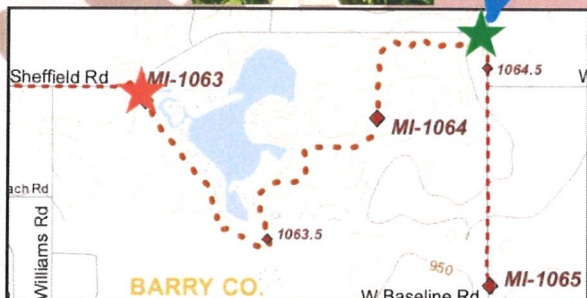


June 15-23, 2024

Enjoy this story while hiking this magical section of the North Country Trail



Start Here!!



Self-Guided Hike Featuring the Story Book: “Beyond the Pond” by Joseph Kuefler

Available for hiking on your own from Dawn to Dusk

* Natural Surface, * No Restroom, * No Guides

LOCATION: Sheffield & Noonan Rds intersection
(On west side of Noonan, just south of Sheffield)

PLEASE SIGN the LOG BOOK at the trail segment entrance.

This hike includes a private pond with some beaver activity and so much more to observe & explore! The path features a natural terrain with some elevation changes (not flat).

Make sure you follow the BLUE blazes (paint marks on trees)!

This is an "out & back" section, meaning that you would follow the story all the way out to turn around, continuing the story, on the return to your vehicle.

A total of ~3 miles round trip.

NOTE: If you have the Avenza map app (*not required*), this hike is from MI-1063 to MI-1064.5.

*This Hike is sponsored by **Chief Noonday Chapter of the North Country National Scenic Trail** in collaboration with **Pierce Cedar Creek Institute**, Hastings, MI who has graciously supplied this very appropriate outdoor-focused story book.*

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