

# AAUW Northland Gathering 2024

Saturday, October 12, 2024

Grand Ely Lodge: 400 N Pioneer Rd Ely, MN 55731

Theme: Neighbor to Neighbor: Bringing Advocacy Home

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## Schedule

9:00	Registration - Breakfast Buffet & Coffee/Tea
10:00	Welcome Comments & Break the Ice Activity
10:30	Panel #1 - Lacey Squier, Manager, Boundary Waters Connect; Lucy Soderstrom, Executive Director, Ely Folk School; Ian Lah, Executive Artistic Director, Northern Lights Artst Association
11:30	Break
11:45	Lunch Buffet
12:45	Panel #2 - Lisa Porthan, Executive Director, Northwoods Partners; Julie Hignell, Executive Director, Ely Community Resource; Lou Wiggins, Executive Director, SAGE Foundation
1:45	Break
2:00	Fundraising/Program Idea Discussion
2:30	Closing Comments
2:30	Facilitated Networking event with panelists for those interested.

### Optional Activities:

**Friday & Saturday:** [International Wolf Center Plan Your Visit | International Wolf Center](#)

[Dorothy Molter Museum Visit Dorothy Molter Museum in Ely, MN \(rootbeerlady.com\)](#)

[North American Bear Center Hours, Admission, & Location - North American Bear Center](#)

Shopping around town or Walk the Trezona Trail

**Saturday:** [Northern Lakes Concert Series - Tribute to Nashville Pier Country | Northern Lakes Arts](#)

[Int'l Wolf Center - "What's for Dinner?" Program, Saturday 7:00pm-8:00pm What's for Dinner? \(ely.org\)](#)

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