

A photograph of a yellow and black bird, possibly a Goldfinch, perched on a tree trunk. The bird is facing left, with its head turned slightly towards the camera. The tree trunk is dark brown with rough, peeling bark. Several thin, light-colored branches are visible in the foreground and background, some with small yellow leaves. The background is a soft, out-of-focus green.

St. Croix River Watershed Virtual Wildlife Safari

St. Croix Virtual Workshop on the Water
June 10, 2020

Greg Seitz, St. Croix 360

St. Croix River country is home to wonderful wildlife.



Getting to know your natural neighbors can deepen your connection to the St. Croix River.



Magnolia warbler

Different species have complex needs to survive.

Habitat



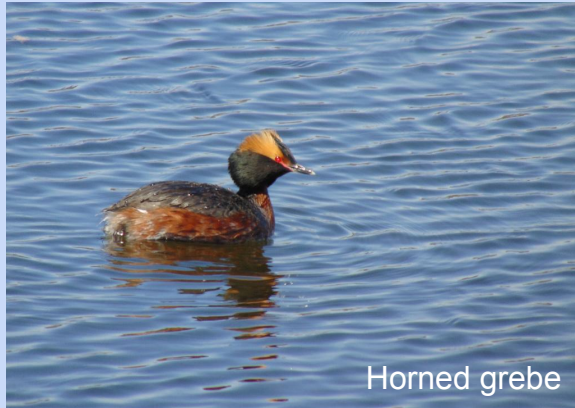
Food



Clean water



Climate conditions



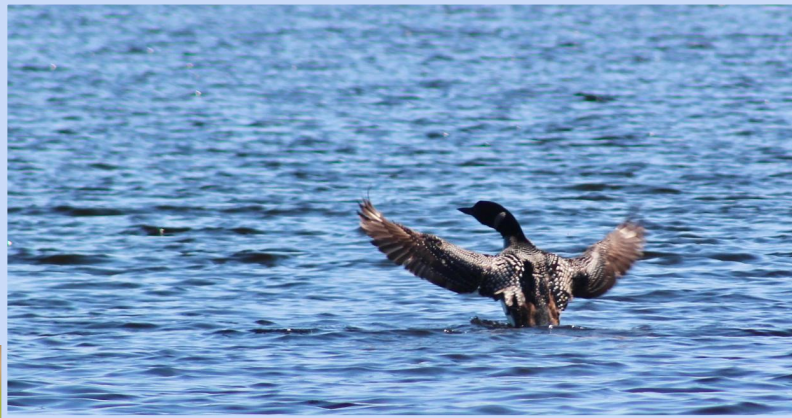
Natural ecosystems



Reproductive relationships



East meets west meets north in the St. Croix watershed.
That means there are many different species here.



Prairie skink



Wood anemone

Plentiful protected places provide habitat and opportunities to observe wildlife.



William O'Brien State Park





Standing Cedars



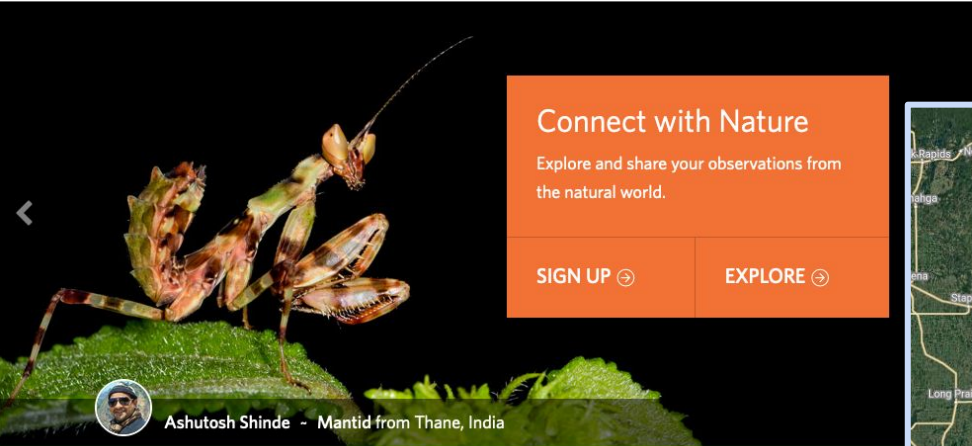
Saint Croix National Scenic Riverway

Explore, learn, and document what you see on a website and app called iNaturalist

 Explore Community More Log In or Sign Up




iNaturalist encourages everyone to take appropriate precautions (both indoors and outdoors) during the COVID-19 pandemic for personal safety and public health. There are still plenty of ways to explore nature from home. [Click here for ideas!](#)





Connect with Nature

Explore and share your observations from the natural world.

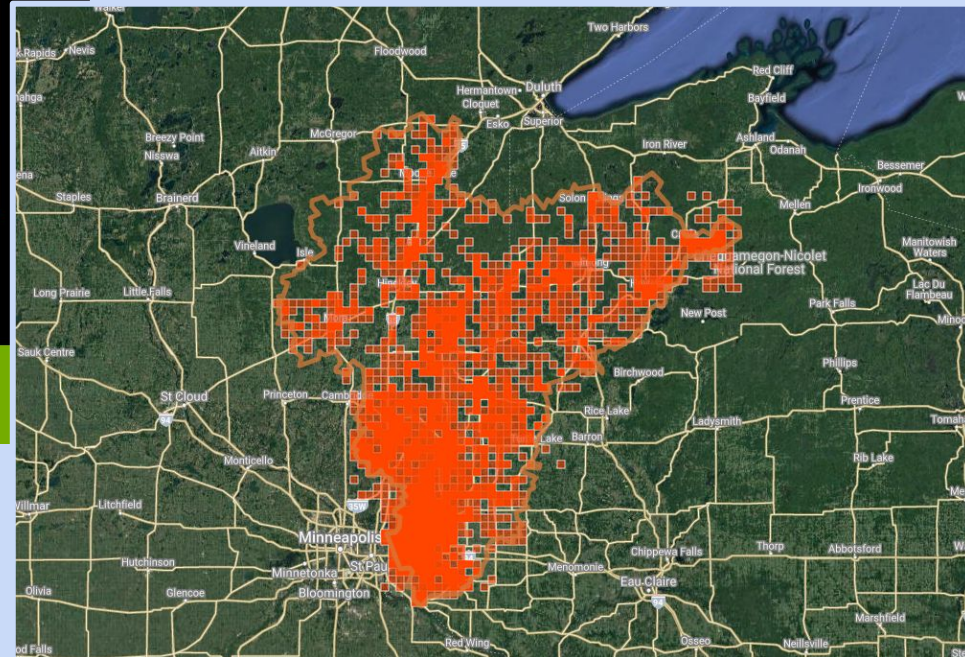
SIGN UP → EXPLORE →

 Ashutosh Shinde - Mantid from Thane, India

 CALIFORNIA ACADEMY OF SCIENCES

 NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC

iNaturalist is a joint initiative of the California Academy of Sciences and the National Geographic Society.



iNaturalist

+ Add - Remove ✂ Combine 📄 Duplicate ☒ Select All

Editing 1 observation:

Details

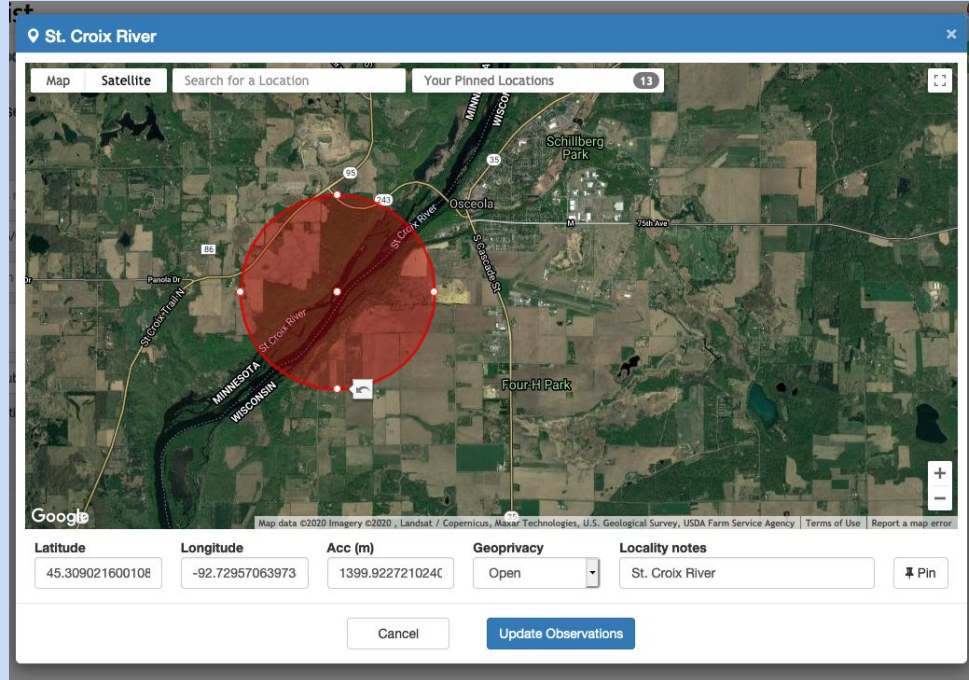
☐ Captive / Cultivated

We're pretty sure this is in the genus:


	Protonotaria <small>Genus</small>	View
--	---	----------------------

Here are our top species suggestions:

	Prothonotary Warbler <i>Protonotaria citrea</i> Visually Similar / Seen Nearby	View
	Hooded Warbler <i>Setophaga citrina</i> Visually Similar / Seen Nearby	View
	Hermit Warbler <i>Setophaga occidentalis</i> Visually Similar	View
	Golden Whistler <i>Pachycephala pectoralis</i> Visually Similar	View
	Blue-winged Warbler <i>Vermivora cyanoptera</i> Visually Similar / Seen Nearby	View








Add your own observations of plants and animals.



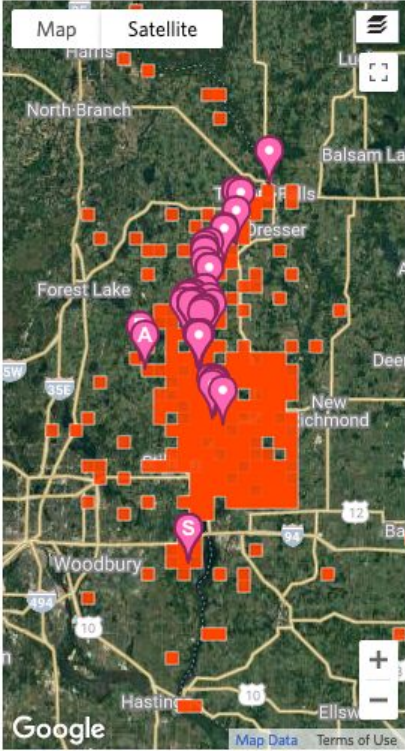
Your Observations

[Home](#) [Observations](#) [Calendar](#) [Favorites](#) [Lists](#) [Journal](#) [IDs](#) [Projects](#) [Profile](#)

[Add Observations](#) [Batch edit](#) [Search](#)

Photos / Sounds	Species / Taxon Name	Date observed	Place	Date Added	
 2 photos »	Brewer's Blackbird <i>Euphagus cyanocephalus</i>	June 9, 2020 10:47 AM CDT	Kelley Cattle Ranch (Google, OSM)	June 09, 2020 01:56 PM CDT	1 ID Research Grade Edit View »
	Great Blue Heron <i>Ardea herodias</i>	June 9, 2020 10:41 AM CDT	Kelly Cattle Ranch (Google, OSM)	June 09, 2020 01:56 PM CDT	1 ID Research Grade Edit View »
	Philadelphia Fleabane <i>Erigeron philadelphicus</i>	June 9, 2020 10:19 AM CDT	William O'Brien State Park (Google, OSM)	June 09, 2020 01:56 PM CDT	Needs ID Edit View »
	Meadow Anemone <i>Anemonastrum canadense</i>	June 9, 2020 10:19 AM CDT	William O'Brien State Park (Google, OSM)	June 09, 2020 01:56 PM CDT	1 ID Research Grade Edit View »
	Northern Blue Flag <i>Iris versicolor</i>	June 9, 2020 10:11 AM CDT	William O'Brien State Park (Google, OSM)	June 09, 2020 01:55 PM CDT	1 ID Research Grade Edit View »

Map Satellite




Google

[Map Data](#) [Terms of Use](#)

[Redo search in map area](#)


Explore observations made by other people in the watershed.

iNaturalist  Explore Community **More** Log In or Sign Up



Places > North America (Continent) > United States (Country) >

Find a place **Search**

St. Croix River Watershed, US *Drainage*



Species Observations Projects People About St. Croix River Watershed Embed place widget

Grid   Map

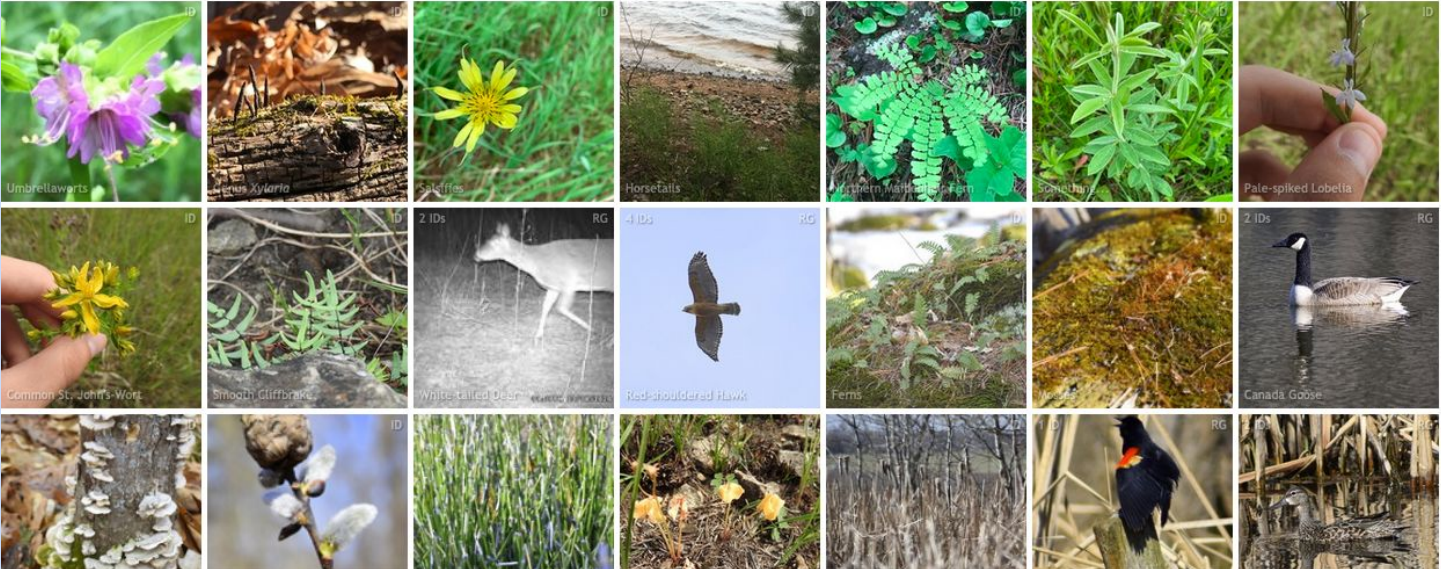












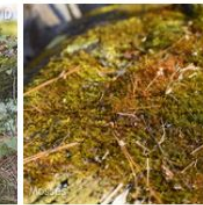








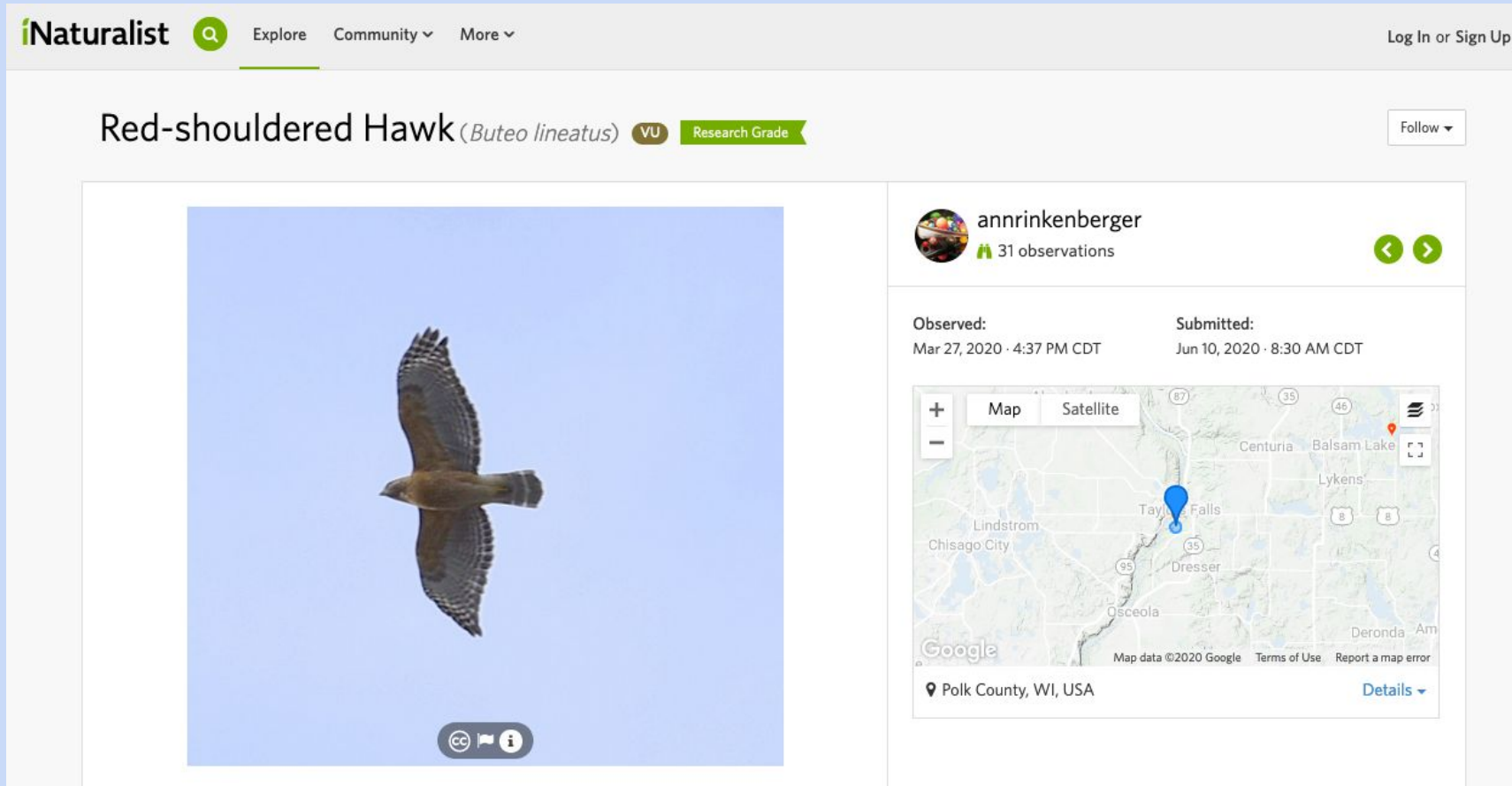


Image	Species	IDs
	Umbrellaworts	1 ID
	Venus Flytrap	1 ID
	Yellow Starflower	1 ID
	Horsetails	1 ID
	Northern Maidenhair Fern	1 ID
	Smooth Umbrella	1 ID
	Pale-spiked Lobelia	1 ID
	Common St. John's Wort	1 ID
	Smooth Cliffbrake	2 IDs
	White-tailed Deer	1 ID, 1 RG
	Red-shouldered Hawk	1 ID, 1 RG
	Ferns	1 ID
	Mosses	1 ID
	Canada Goose	2 IDs, 1 RG
	Lichens	1 ID
	Willow catkins	1 ID
	Reeds	1 ID
	Yellow Starflowers	1 ID
	Bare trees	1 ID
	Black-crowned Night Heron	1 ID, 1 RG
	Duck	1 ID

<https://www.inaturalist.org/places/st-croix-river-watershed>

Explore observations made by other people in the watershed.



Virtual Wildlife Safari: Interesting iNaturalist observations



St. Croix Snaketail

Virtual Wildlife Safari: Interesting iNaturalist observations



Wilson's Snipe

Virtual Wildlife Safari: Interesting iNaturalist observations



Kittentails

Virtual Wildlife Safari: Interesting iNaturalist observations



Brittle Prickly-Pear Cactus

Virtual Wildlife Safari:

Interesting iNaturalist observations



Sand fameflower

Virtual Wildlife Safari: Interesting iNaturalist observations



Cecropia Moth

Happening now: Virtual BioBlitz in Bayport

The screenshot shows the iNaturalist website interface. At the top is the iNaturalist logo and a search bar. Navigation links include 'Explore', 'Your Observations', 'Community', and 'More'. User icons show 0 notifications and 0 messages. The main banner features the text 'EVENT IN PROGRESS MINNESOTA SCIENTIFIC AND NATURAL AREAS Summer Self-Guided BioBlitz Series!' and 'St. Croix Savanna SNA Self-guided Bioblitz ...' with dates 'JUN 10, 2020 - JUN 24, 2020'. A green sidebar on the right contains an 'About' section with a 'Join' button (14 members) and a 'Read More >' link, and a 'Project Journal' button. At the bottom, a progress bar shows 'Overview' as the active tab, followed by 'OBSERVATIONS' (0), 'SPECIES' (0), 'IDENTIFIERS' (0), and 'OBSERVERS' (0), with a 'Stats' button on the right.

iNaturalist

Search

Explore Your Observations Community More

0 0

EVENT IN PROGRESS

MINNESOTA SCIENTIFIC AND NATURAL AREAS

Natural places worth knowing

m DNR

Summer Self-Guided BioBlitz Series!

St. Croix Savanna SNA Self-guided Bioblitz ...

JUN 10, 2020 - JUN 24, 2020

#SNABioBlitz2020

About

Join 14

Join the first Minnesota Scientific and Natural Area summer self-guided Bioblitz at St. Croix Savanna Scientific and Natural Area! Between June 10th-24th, head over to St. Croix Savanna SNA in Bayport, MN, anytime that works for you and make some

Read More >

Project Journal

Overview

0 OBSERVATIONS

0 SPECIES

0 IDENTIFIERS

0 OBSERVERS

Stats

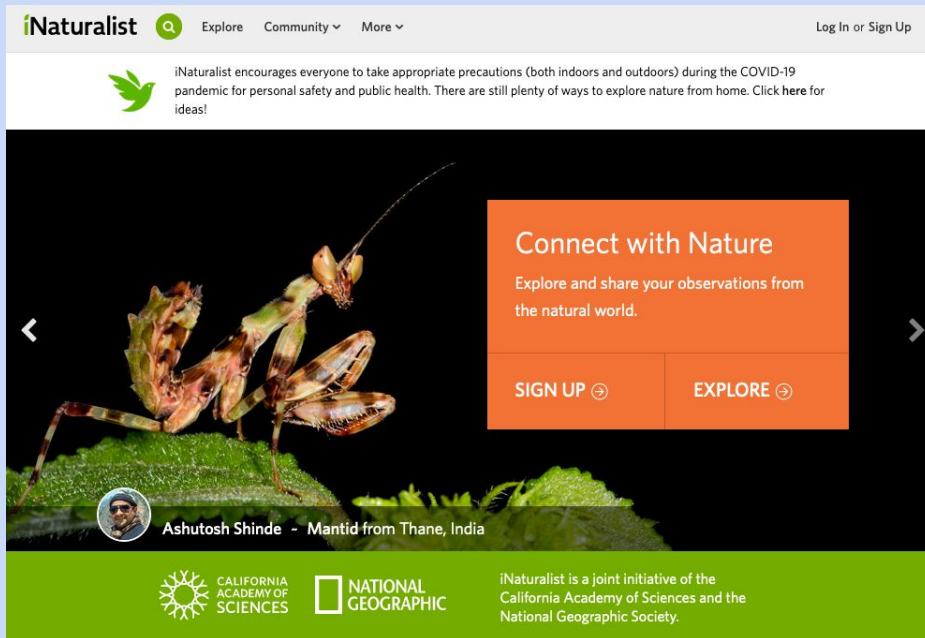
<https://www.inaturalist.org/projects/st-croix-savanna-sna-self-guided-bioblitz-2020>

Questions?



More information

www.inaturalist.org



The screenshot shows the iNaturalist website. At the top, there's a navigation bar with the iNaturalist logo, a search icon, and links for 'Explore', 'Community', and 'More'. On the right, there's a 'Log In or Sign Up' link. Below the navigation bar, a green banner contains a message about COVID-19 precautions. The main content area features a large image of a mantid on a mossy rock. To the right of the image is an orange box with the text 'Connect with Nature' and 'Explore and share your observations from the natural world.' Below this box are two buttons: 'SIGN UP' and 'EXPLORE'. At the bottom left, there's a small circular profile picture of Ashutosh Shinde and the text 'Ashutosh Shinde - Mantid from Thane, India'. The footer includes logos for the California Academy of Sciences and National Geographic, along with a statement that iNaturalist is a joint initiative of these two organizations.

iNaturalist encourages everyone to take appropriate precautions (both indoors and outdoors) during the COVID-19 pandemic for personal safety and public health. There are still plenty of ways to explore nature from home. Click [here](#) for ideas!

Connect with Nature
Explore and share your observations from the natural world.

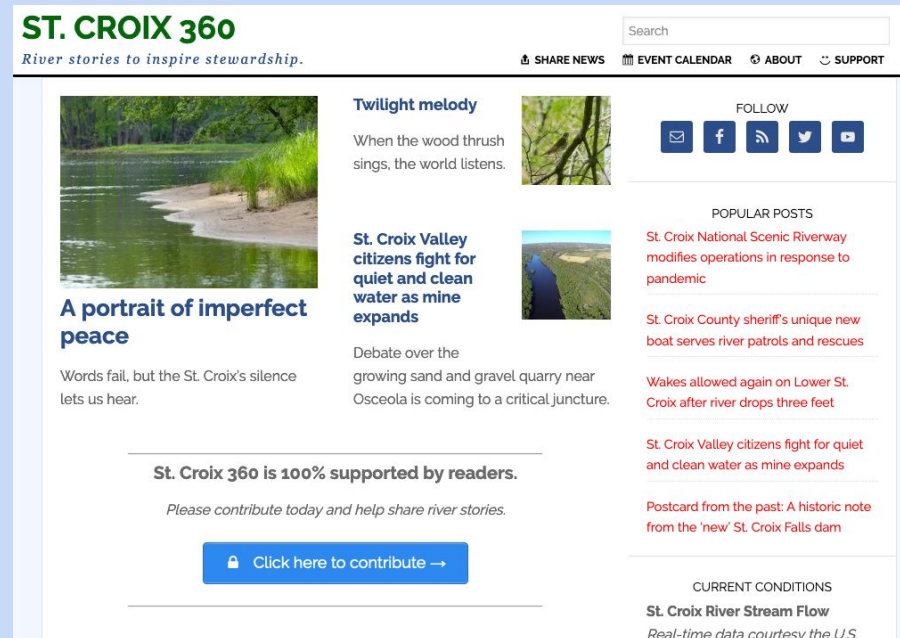
[SIGN UP](#) [EXPLORE](#)

Ashutosh Shinde - Mantid from Thane, India

CALIFORNIA ACADEMY OF SCIENCES NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC

iNaturalist is a joint initiative of the California Academy of Sciences and the National Geographic Society.

www.stcroix360.com



The screenshot shows the ST. CROIX 360 website. At the top, there's a navigation bar with the 'ST. CROIX 360' logo, the tagline 'River stories to inspire stewardship.', and links for 'SHARE NEWS', 'EVENT CALENDAR', 'ABOUT', and 'SUPPORT'. On the right, there's a search bar. The main content area features a large image of a river scene. To the right of the image is a section titled 'Twilight melody' with the text 'When the wood thrush sings, the world listens.' Below this is another section titled 'A portrait of imperfect peace' with the text 'Words fail, but the St. Croix's silence lets us hear.' To the right of the main content area is a sidebar with a 'FOLLOW' section containing social media icons, a 'POPULAR POSTS' section with three article teasers, and a 'CURRENT CONDITIONS' section with the text 'St. Croix River Stream Flow' and 'Real-time data courtesy the U.S.' At the bottom, there's a blue button that says 'Click here to contribute' with a right-pointing arrow.

ST. CROIX 360
River stories to inspire stewardship.

[SHARE NEWS](#) [EVENT CALENDAR](#) [ABOUT](#) [SUPPORT](#)

Search

Twilight melody
When the wood thrush sings, the world listens.

St. Croix Valley citizens fight for quiet and clean water as mine expands
Debate over the growing sand and gravel quarry near Osceola is coming to a critical juncture.

A portrait of imperfect peace
Words fail, but the St. Croix's silence lets us hear.

St. Croix 360 is 100% supported by readers.
Please contribute today and help share river stories.

[Click here to contribute →](#)

FOLLOW
[Email](#) [Facebook](#) [RSS](#) [Twitter](#) [YouTube](#)

POPULAR POSTS
[St. Croix National Scenic Riverway modifies operations in response to pandemic](#)
[St. Croix County sheriff's unique new boat serves river patrols and rescues](#)
[Wakes allowed again on Lower St. Croix after river drops three feet](#)
[St. Croix Valley citizens fight for quiet and clean water as mine expands](#)
[Postcard from the past: A historic note from the 'new' St. Croix Falls dam](#)

CURRENT CONDITIONS
St. Croix River Stream Flow
Real-time data courtesy the U.S.

Greg Seitz | greg@stcroix360.com