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Alan and Brigid,

What's up with you guys? Haven't heard from you in a while. Let's do something. Are you going to the Ann Arbor art festival?

I took a trip Monday-Wednesday last week with my 3 sisters and 1 brother. I was in charge of this second "sibling trip" and took them to a couple of my favorite spots, Sawdust Hole on the Manistee River - where we saw 2 bald eagles - and the sleeping bear, on the Sleeping Bear dunes. We also went to Leland for lunch one day (smelt and beer), stopped at Point Betsy, wandered around Manistee, and had ice cream at the House of Flavors in Ludington.

We have about finished our last big yard project. We had a sloped, rock-covered patch that once had 2 overgrown junipers. We moved all the rocks to the river, added some dirt, and planted flowers, and covered the rest with red mulch.

We have no plans for this weekend - Friday thru Monday. I think Carol is ready to try canoeing on a river again.

Steve