



Bald Eagle Watching Day a Big Hit

Our 2011 Bald Eagle Watching Day was very successful. The river just above town opened up just enough to attract several eagles to that area both in the trees and on the ice next to the open water. We had approximately 275 attendees from all over the tri-state area registered at the Community Center. The event featured such activities as presentations from the Minnesota Raptor Center, Chloris Lowe (Ho-Chunk Native American speaker), and U.S. Fish and Wildlife. There were also booths sponsored by Mississippi Valley Conservancy, Friends of Pool 9, Larry Knutson Photography, and Ferryville Vision and Promotion. De Soto Middle School along with St. Charles School and area Home School Children presented eagle projects. Top projects were awarded by trophies medals and ribbons. A children project area was also added this year where younger children were able to put together eagle puppets or eagles balloon heads. Many children participated in this event. Coffee, hot chocolate, apple cider and lots of sweet goodies were provided. Highlight of the goodies were specially made eagle cookies. They were a huge conversation piece along with being tasty. The event was free admission but accepted donations.

Who Is Involved

Jeanne Rutter - President
 Sherry Quamme - Treasurer
 Deb Lomas -Secretary- Vacation Home
 Kristy Fisher - Ferryville Cheese
 Kay Campbell - Kays Potiques
 Anja Miller - Vacation Home
 Aimee Wichlet - Vacation Home

Our Website

www.VisitFerryville.com

Includes information about dining, tourism, lodging other businesses, & more.

Other info at:

www.driftlesswisconsin.com
www.wigreatriverroad.org

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For All Seasons"*

Visit us on Facebook

Check for *Ferryville Tourism* on Facebook. Postings are done weekly about events in the Ferryville Area
"We Welcome new Fans"

Where We've Advertised

- PDC Region Tourist Brochure
- Ferryville Tourism Rack Cards (Placed in multiple locations)
- Member PDC Area Chamber of Commerce
- Big River Magazine

Huge Thank-You to:

All volunteers for the 2011 Eagle Watch Day and also anyone who donated money. A special Thank-you to the Friends of Pool 9

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Calendar of Events 2011

- ★ **May 14 - Oct 29**
"Market in the Park"
Saturdays at Sugar Creek Park
- ★ **May 15** Brat Stand
- ★ **July 17** Brat Stand
- ★ **July 23** Antique Tractor Pull, River Bluff Daze Celebration, Fireworks
- ★ **Sept. 18** Mega Market in the Park
- ★ **Sept. 25** Brat Stand
(All brat stands will be at Ferryville Cheese)

Featured Business

Wooden Nickel

- Handcrafted burgers along with a full sandwich menu
- Tues night - Bar Bingo
- Wed night - Korbel Klub
- May 21st Spring Poker Run and Pig Roast
- Gift Certificates available
608-734-3999

Christmas Ornaments Update

Ferryville Vision and Promotion Board has ordered 9 additional snowflake ornaments to adorn our quaint village. Fund-raising and donations will be used to buy these decorations. Anyone wishing to donate to this project could do so by sending to:

Ferryville Vision & Promotion Board
 PO Box 236
 Ferryville, WI 54628

All donations very much appreciated!!!