

## Prairie du Chien Bald Eagle Appreciation Days Feb 24-25, 2017

### Free Programs Friday, Feb. 24 Programs open to the Public

6 pm: History of Clamming on the Upper Mississippi  
By Robert Vavra, *Former commercial clammer*  
Held at Americinn Lodge & Suites, 130 S Main St.

7 pm: Eagles, Falcons & Ospreys  
By Pat Schlarbaum, *Iowa DNR Representative*  
Held at Country Inn & Suites, Hwy 35 N

### **Other Weekend Activities**

(\*\* Denotes admission charged on activities listed)

**Friday-Saturday, Feb 24-25:**

**Villa Louis Eagle Appreciation Weekend**

Tours of the Villa Louis - 10:30 am-4 pm \*\*

**Saturday, Feb. 25: Fort Crawford Museum**

Self-guided Tours of the museum 9 am-4 pm \*\*

**Saturday, Feb. 25: Youth Art Exhibit Show**

The Planted Tree, DOWNTOWN PDC, 11 am-2 pm

**Saturday, Feb. 25: Loon Magic**

By Nature Photographer Ty Smedes

Held at Country Inn & Suites, Hwy 35 N, 6 pm

**Sat-Mon, Feb. 24-27 Effigy Mounds Film Festival**

Movies/displays, free admission,

(Call for details 563-873-3491 ext. 202)

**Sunday, Feb. 26:**

**Country Inn & Suites - Bald Eagle Coloring**

Contest (Call for details 608-326-5700)

**Educational  
Family Event  
for  
All Ages!!**



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**608-326-8555 ext. 12**

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### Free Programs at Hoffman Hall

1600 S Wacouta Ave, Prairie du Chien

### **Saturday, Feb. 25**

**9-9:30 am: Viewing Local Eagles Today**

By Dennis Kirschbaum, *Effigy Mounds volunteer*

**9:30-10 am: Eagles, Falcons & Ospreys**

By Pat Schlarbaum, *Iowa DNR Representative*

**10-11 am: Live Raptors - Featuring 5 Birds**

By Schiltz Audubon Nature Center, Bayside, WI

**10:30-11:30 am: Bald Eagle Status & Monitoring**

By Dan Goltz, *Wisconsin DNR Wildlife Biologist*

**11 am-Noon: Live Bald Eagle program**

By Schiltz Audubon Nature Center, Bayside, WI

**Noon: Lunch available at Hoffman Hall & local eateries**

**12:30-1:30 pm: Live Raptors- Featuring 5 Birds**

By Schiltz Audubon Nature Center

**1:30-2:30 pm: Tracking the Decorah Eagles**

By Brett Mandernack, *Eagle Valley Biologist*

**2-3 pm: Live Bald Eagle program**

By Schiltz Audubon Nature Center

**2:30-3:30 pm: The Return of Iowa's Bald Eagles**

By Nature Photographer Ty Smedes

### **Saturday Evening**

**7:00 pm: The Bald Eagle: Our National Bird**

By Nature Photographer Ty Smedes -

Held at Country Inn & Suites, Hwy 35 N

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#### **Educational Exhibits, Displays & More**

- Iowa DNR - Life-sized Bald Eagle Nest
- WI DNR - Furs/Skulls/Scats of WI Mammals
- Clayton County Osborne Nature Center -  
Live Reptiles & Amphibians
- Driftless Wetlands Centre Exhibit
- Lead Poisoning Display
- Allamakee County Conservation Exhibit
- Cabela's - Optics Display
- Nelson True Value Birding Display-make & take
- Nature Photography Displays
- Nature activities/crafts for kids
- Bald Eagle Endangered Resources  
License Plate Display
- Villa Louis history display
- Viewing spots for outdoor eagle viewing
- Viewing spots & Mounted Eagles -  
Tourism Information Center

#### *Event Sponsored By:*

**Prairie du Chien Tourism Council &  
Effigy Mounds National Monument**

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