Pere Marquette SP Bald Eagle



Have you ever seen our national bird, the bald eagle? Soaring on a 6 to 7.5 foot wing span, these birds are magnificent!

It is not necessary to travel all the way

to Canada to see these fabulous creatures. Pere Marquette State Park is fortunate to play host to these seasonal visitors. Eagles may be spotted in the tree tops along the Illinois River in the months of December, January, February and March.



FREE! Guided Programs

Pere Marquette State Park will be presenting informative programs about bald eagles this winter! Visitors will learn to distinguish between immature and mature bald eagles, what eagles eat, why they spend winter months in the area, and much more.

All programs will begin at the park's visitor center at 8:30 A.M. There will be a video presentation and program followed by an observational drive to view the overwintering bald eagles. Tours usually conclude around 4pm at the Visitor Center

WHAT TO BRING

- Dress for weather
- water-proof boots are highly recommended
- FULL tank of gas
- Binoculars
- Snacks/coffee

Check out this vídeo about Bald Eagles and Pere Marquette



Meet at 8am at the

Pere Marquette State Park 13112 Visitor Center Lane Grafton, IL 62037 For Further Information...

Pere Marquette State Park (618) 786-3323 ext. 1

Visit Pere Marquette State Park, and other Illinois State Parks online at:

http://dnr.illinois.gov

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The Pere Marquette Lodge (618) 786-2331

Schedule

RESERVATIONS REQUIRED

Reservations begin November 15th

*All programs begin at 8:30A.M.

- Monday, December 27
- Tuesday, December 28
- Friday, January 7
- Friday, January 14
- Friday, January 21
- Tuesday, January 25
- Thursday, January 27
- Friday, January 28
- Saturday, January 29
- Wednesday, February 2
- Thursday, February 3
- Friday, February 4
- Friday, February 25
- Saturday, February 26
- Thursday, March 3

To make reservations call (618) 786-3323

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