

SPECIAL EVENTS

Fall Festival 5K Run/Walk

Don't forget to register for the annual Fall Festival 5K Run/Walk. As usual, this event will be held the Saturday morning of Fall Festival weekend. There will be prizes and refreshments! A t-shirt is guaranteed to all who register by Friday, August 28. Cost is \$15 for those who register by August 28 and \$18 for those who register after September 5.
 When: Saturday, September 12, 2008 8:30 AM
 Where: Lions Park



Fall Bike Tour

Enjoy the fall weather and scenery with this event Saturday, September 19. You will have your choice to participate in a 10, 30 or 62 mile ride. There will be refreshments the day of the event! Be sure not to miss this years bike tour. Cost is \$20. A t-shirt is guaranteed to all who register by September 12. Any registrations after September 12 will be \$25.
 WHEN: Saturday, September 19, 2008 7:00 AM
 WHERE: Lions Park

Brat and Barbeque Fest

Sunday, July 12, 2008 5:00 PM
 Join us for brats and barbeque during our Music In The Park featuring the great sounds of Bluegrass Express. If you missed them last year, you won't want to again this year!

Corn and Brat Fest

Saturday, August 8, 2008 5:00 PM
 Come out for farm fresh corn and grilled brats while you enjoy the music of Sunshine (Country & Rock hits from the late 50's, 60's, 70's and 80's). The delicious food and outstanding music is guaranteed to make this a night you do not want to miss!



VS



**CHICAGO
CUBS**

Chicago Cubs VS Milwaukee Brewers

Calling all baseball fans! You don't want to miss the Chicago Cubs take on their division rivals, the Milwaukee Brewers at Wrigley Field. Game time is 1:20pm. Cost is \$69 and includes round-trip transportation and your game ticket. Last year this trip sold out fast, so be sure to make your reservation early!

WHEN: Friday, July 3, 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM
 WHERE: Depart from Splash Land Water Park
 (Park by Lion's Park Shelter House)

PEC RIVER FEST 2009

The Lena Community Park District and Friends of the Pecatonica River Foundation in cooperation with The Rafter's Restaurant and Catering will be hosting the Second Annual "Pec" River Fest on Saturday, June 13, 2009.

Events Include:

- Catered Pontoon Rides
- The Peddle-Paddle
- Live Entertainment
- Ultra-light and Model Aircraft Demonstrations
- Dunk tank
- Inflatables
- Food and Refreshments

Proceeds from this event will be used for site improvements on the Pecatonica River.

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Peddle/Paddle

Join us for the annual Jane Addams Trail and Pecatonica River Peddle/Paddle. Bring your bicycle and canoe/kayak. (We will have a limited number of canoes/kayaks available.) Start the day on the Jane Addams Trail at Wes Block Trail Access (WBTA on Highway 20 - Bypass) for an invigorating 5.25 mile journey up Northwest Illinois most scenic recreational Trail to McNeil's Damascus Landing. Then join your fellow canoeists in a 8.35 mile flotilla down the Pecatonica River. A temporary dock will be provided at Wes Block Trail Access. A great day of nature, exercise and fellowship! You will be given a ticket for a free lunch at the Pec River Fest held at The Rafters. Canoe/kayak & bike transportation, sag wagon and sag pontoon and lunch are included. A limited number of canoes and kayaks are available for those that do not have their own. This event is held in conjunction with the Pec River Fest fundraiser. T-shirts are available for an additional \$10.

WHEN: Saturday, June 13, 2009 10:30 am
WHERE Begins & ends at Wes Block Trail Access
FEE: \$20/person if you have your own canoe/kayak
\$30/person if you need a canoe/kayak



IPC/ACA Canoe/Kayak Races

Sunday July 19, 2009
9:00 A.M.

McConnell Bobtown Landing
Hosted by The Lena Community Park District,
The Illinois Paddling Council, and sanctioned by
The American Canoe Association.

Pecatonica River Trail Summer Flotilla

Enjoy scenic serenity that only Northwest Illinois can deliver! Start the morning with a leisurely canoe or kayak paddle down the natural water trail of the Pecatonica River. Wildlife and the best of "Mother Natures" creative palette greet you at every twist and turn. Experienced paddlers will be on hand to assist the less experienced. Tour begins at the McConnell Bobtown Landing and ends at McNeil's Damascus Landing on Cedarville Road. Water Trail length is 7.9 miles. Estimated time for journey is 2 1/2 hours. Sag pontoon, lunch and shuttle transportation included. A limited number of canoes and kayaks are available for rent for those that do not have their own. T-shirts are available for an additional \$10.

WHEN: Saturday, June 27, 2009 9:00 am
WHERE: McConnell, IL to Damascus, IL
FEE: \$20/person if you have your own canoe/kayak
\$30/person if you need a canoe/kayak

Pecatonica River Trail Fall Flotilla

Enjoy the Fall colors and a leisurely canoe or kayak paddle down the natural water trail of the Pecatonica River. You will paddle from McConnell Bobtown Landing to McNeil's Damascus Landing, which is a 7.9 mile trip and takes about 2 1/2 hours. Sag pontoon, lunch, and shuttle transportation are included. A limited number of canoes and kayaks are available for those that do not have their own. Experienced paddlers will be on hand to assist the less experienced. T-shirts are available for an additional \$10.

WHEN: Saturday, October 10, 2009 9:00 am
WHERE: McConnell, Il to Damascus, Il
FEE: \$20/person if you have your own canoe/kayak
\$30/person if you need a canoe/kayak

DID YOU KNOW?

There are nearly 500 canoes and kayaks registered in Stephenson County.

Get out and enjoy the Pecatonica River today!