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New Ice Fishing Access Map Available for Lake Sakakawea and Lake Audubon

US Army Corps of Engineers

RIVERDALE, N.D. - The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers-Omaha District, Garrison Project launched a new mapping platform available for the visiting public to make it easier to locate ice fishing access points on Lake Sakakawea and Lake Audubon. The project staff previously released the 2018-19 winter access locations, but this mapping tool takes it one step further allowing users access location status around the lakes while on the go.

"Lake visitors, as well as our Friends of Lake Sakakawea partnering organization, mentioned at our spring shoreline access meeting last year the need for making the locations easier for the visiting public to find. One tool that was brought up was an interactive map," said Nathan Busche, lead natural resources specialist at Garrison. "The message was received loud and clear. Jason Nelson, Garrison natural resource specialist, took the lead on developing this tool."

"I am excited to see this mapping tool available to the public. This will allow us to provide up-to-date information on access closures to better inform our visitors to assist them in being as safe as possible while braving the cold," said Nelson.

The map interface allows the public to quickly identify those areas that are open (green circle) or closed (red diamond) before they head out to the lake. As development continues on the online mapping tool, staff will be able to provide even more information to the public. Future plans include mapping summer shoreline access site for bank fishing opportunities.

The best way to view the map is through a mobile device. Visitors can download the free map viewer app "Explorer for ArcGIS" from the Google Play or iTunes App store, then search for "USACE-Lake Sakakawea Ice Access Map". To view from browser on either a mobile device or laptop/desktop, go to <https://arccg.is/jTe0T>. A link will also be posted to Garrison Project web page at <https://www.nwo.usace.army.mil/Missions/Dam-and-Lake-Projects/Missouri-River-Dams/Garrison/> under "Useful Links". For optimal viewing, please use Google Chrome or Mozilla Firefox.

For additional information contact the Garrison Project Office Natural Resources Staff at (701-654-7411).

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Self-Guided Hike

"Hike Where the Eagles Fly"



The newly formed North Country Trail Association's Central Flyway Chapter and The Garrison Dam National Fish Hatchery are cosponsoring a **"self-guided hike"** from **January 29 through February 7, 2021**, "Hike Where the Eagles Fly"

The hike is approximately 1.65 miles long and follows along the Fish Hatchery's "River Loop Trail". If you are seeking a more extended hike to 3.3 miles you can continue your hike by continuing on and joining the "Hatchery Loop Trail".

The hiking trail will be well marked with signs already existing on the trails about wildlife in the area. The hikers will also see signs about the Lewis and Clark Expedition as the River Loop Trail is part of the Lewis and Clark National Scenic Trail. In addition there will be information about the Bald Eagles, that are often times visible as you hike these trails. The open water, and wooded area is excellent habitat for these majestic birds, and sightings are frequent.

Dependent on snow depth the trail is stroller, and wagon friendly.

There will be an area to register for the hike at the "River Loop Trail" Trailhead. We ask that you please register so we can get an idea of how many people participated in the event. There will be maps for all hikes.

At the trailhead there will be a Scavenger Hunt sheet for those children interested in participating. There will be a drawing for some eagle related prizes.

The trailhead is located just south of the Fish Hatchery's main building. There will be signs directing you. There is parking at the trailhead. At this time we are not sure if there will be restrooms available, so please plan accordingly.

We ask that you please social distance and wear masks when you are in close contact with others not in your family.

There is no cost involved with doing the hike and the address for the fish hatchery is **530 Hatchery Road, Riverdale, ND.**

There is a "selfie station" at an area where a very large Bald Eagle's nest is visible. It is approximately at the 1 mile mark of the trail. If after completing the hike you feel like posting any comments or pictures of your experience with this Self-Guided Hike please join our Facebook group **NCTA Central Flyway Chapter** or post them on the **NCTinND** Facebook page, the **Garrison Dam National Fish Hatchery** page, **@northcountrytrail** instagram page or send a message. to: fly@northcountrytrail.org.



NATIONAL GROUNDHOG DAY

National Groundhog Day on February 2nd each year asks one question. Will he see his shadow? Ok, well maybe it asks another question. Will there be six more weeks of winter?

Groundhog Day is observed on February 2nd each year in the United States and Canada. For a nice welcomed break during the winter, on this day the groundhog awakens from his nap and goes outside to see if he can see his shadow. It is believed by many that if the groundhog sees his shadow that there will then be six more weeks of winter. If this is so, he then retrieves back into his den and goes back to sleep. If he is not able to see his shadow, the groundhog remains outside to play and people celebrate believing that spring is just around the corner.

TRADITION

The tradition of predicting the length of the remaining winter is intertwined with the Christian holiday, Candlemas. Clergy would bless candles symbolizing the 'light of the world' to give to their congregations. Another tradition associated with this day is eating crepes. Germans practiced the art of predicting the winter with a hedgehog. When they arrived in the United States, they settled in the hills of Pennsylvania, and the groundhog became the official predictor.

Punxsutawney, Pennsylvania has been chosen as the site for the annual Groundhog day event. Thousands of people come to the town of Punxsutawney on Groundhog Day for this day of celebration.

Although already a well known day, Groundhog Day received widespread attention as a result of the 1993 film *Groundhog Day*, which was set in Punxsutawney and portrayed Roger Rinninger as the groundhog.

Groundhog Day Word Search

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Spring Turkey Season Set

The North Dakota Game and Fish Department is offering 7,005 wild turkey licenses for the 2021 spring hunting season, 775 more than last year.

Fifteen of the 22 hunting units have more spring licenses than last year and six remain the same. Unit 21 (Hettinger and Adams counties) is again closed due to lack of turkeys in the unit.

One noteworthy change from last year is muzzleloading rifles are no longer a legal firearm. Only shotguns, including muzzleloading shotguns, no larger than 10 gauge are legal.

Spring turkey applicants can [apply online](#) at the Game and Fish Department website, gf.nd.gov. Applications can also be submitted by calling 800-406-6409.

The deadline for applying is Feb. 10.

Successful spring turkey applicants must purchase a 2021-22 hunting license. In addition to the spring turkey license, hunters must have a general game and habitat license. Also, hunters ages 16 and older must possess a small game license, or combination license. These required licenses must be purchased in advance of the successful applicant receiving the turkey license.

First-time spring turkey hunters ages 15 or younger are eligible to receive one spring license valid for any open unit. To be eligible, the youth hunter must be 15 or younger on opening day of spring turkey season and have never received a spring turkey license in North Dakota.

Spring turkey licenses are available only to North Dakota residents. Per legislation, an additional four spring wild turkey licenses are made available to the Outdoor Adventure Foundation and three to the National Wild Turkey Federation.

The spring turkey season opens April 10 and continues through May 16.

Earth Day Patch Contest

The state Game and Fish Department's annual Earth Day awareness campaign is accepting entries for design of a 2021 Earth Day patch. North Dakota students ages 6-18 are eligible to participate. The deadline for submitting entries is March 15.

The Game and Fish Department will announce a winner in three age categories – 6-9, 10-13 and 14-18. Each winner will receive a pair of binoculars. The final patch design will be chosen from the three winners.

The winning design will be used on a patch given to members of Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, 4-H clubs and any school participating in Earth Day cleanup projects on state-owned or managed lands in North Dakota in April and May.

The patch should incorporate some aspect of Earth Day – celebrated April 22 – or keeping North Dakota clean. It must be round and three inches in diameter. There is a limit of five colors on the patch, and lettering must be printed. Name, address, age and phone number of the contestant must be clearly printed on the entry form. Only one entry per person is allowed.

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Soup of the Day

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Breaded Shrimp
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NATIONAL PUZZLE DAY – January 29th

Each year on January 29th National Puzzle Day recognizes how exercising our brains with puzzles is just one of its many benefits. Whether it's a crossword, jigsaw, [trivia](#), word searches, brain teasers or Sudoku, puzzles put our minds to work. Studies have found that when we work on a jigsaw puzzle, we use both sides of the brain. And spending time daily working on puzzles improves memory, cognitive function, and problem-solving skills.

Word searches and crossword puzzles have the obvious benefit of increasing vocabulary and language skills. Sudoku, a puzzle sequencing a set of numbers on a grid, exercises the brain as well. By testing memory and logical thinking, this puzzle stimulates the brain and can improve number skills.

Puzzles also offer social benefits. When we work on these brain teasers with someone, we improve our social interactions. Whether we join a group or play with our children, those interactions keep us socially active and teach our children social skills, too. Even working them quietly together provides an opportunity to focus the mind in a meditative way that isn't forced.

The bottom line is, puzzles stimulate the brain, keeping it active, and practicing its skills.

HISTORY

In 2002, Jodi Jill created National Puzzle Day as a way to share her enjoyment of puzzles. As a syndicated newspaper puzzle maker and professional quiz maker, Jodi Jill developed classroom lesson plans especially for the observance and the popularity has grown year after year.

WHY WE LOVE NATIONAL PUZZLE DAY

Happiness

Recent studies have shown that people who participate in collaborative games, such as puzzles have higher levels of happiness, and in some cases relaxation, as a result of their good ol' fashion fun. A challenging jigsaw puzzle undoubtedly brings out that sense of joy.

Puzzles serve as a sense of accomplishment

Not just in a personal sense, but in a group sense. That feeling of completing the final few pieces of the puzzle with your best friends = priceless.

It's a way of stimulating the mind.

Puzzles stimulate the brain, improving number and problem solving kills while keeping it active.

NATIONAL PUZZLE DAY TIMELINE

2300 BC

Early Puzzles

Before modern puzzles, labyrinth drawing puzzles were popular in Ancient Egypt.

1767

The First Jigsaw Puzzle

Mapmaker John Spilsbury creates the first jigsaw puzzle.

1908

Puzzle Mania

Puzzles become a full-blown craze in the United States.



1933

Peak Popularity


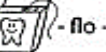

During the Great Depression, puzzles sales soared at 10 million per week.

National Puzzle Day Rebus - Harder


January 29th is National Puzzle Day. Try decoding these rebuses to celebrate! First decide what word each picture is showing, and then add and subtract the letters given. Once you've solved the word "equations", the remaining letters will spell out a word relating to puzzles! Can you decode them all?

1. j +  - p +  = _____

2.  - d + g +  = _____

3.  - wn +  - flo +  - m + d = _____

4.  +  - e = _____

5.  - ri +  - ow +  - h = _____

6. s +  - m +  - co + u = _____

7. j +  - th +  - fi = _____

8.  - n +  - n +  - boo +  = _____



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Riverdale Community Church

8:30 am (Riverdale, ND)

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St. Catherine's Catholic Church

Saturday 5:00 pm

St. Edwin Catholic Church

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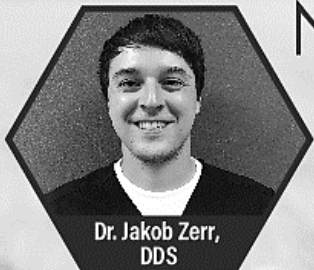
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