Bald Eagles

2007

the year the United States removed the Bald Eagle from the List of Endangered and Threatened Wildlife. The Bald Eagle had been close to vanishing from North America around the middle of the 20th century. This was one of the most notable wildlife rehabilitation efforts in American history.

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the number of times better an eagle's eyesight is than a human's.

6-7 feet

the average wingspan of an adult bald eagle.

4,409 pounds

the weight of the heaviest bald eagle nest ever recorded, measuring 9 feet 6 inches wide and 20 feet tall.

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the number of eggs a female bald eagle typically lays between early March and early April.

Eagle Festival Friends & Sponsors Where to EAT/ STAY/ SHOP

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The Poynt Newburyport

31 Water St., Newburyport 978-358-8501

Agave Mexican Bistro

50 State St., Newburyport 978-499-0428

Angie's Food and Diner

7 Pleasant St., Newburyport 978-462-7959 Audubon Shop at Joppa Flats Education Center

1 Plum Island Turnpike, Newburyport 978-462-9998

Essex Street Inn

7 Essex Street, Newburyport 978-465-3148

Loretta

15 Pleasant St., Newburyport 978-463-0000

Olive's Coffee & Bakehouse

341 High St., Newburyport 978-961-7411

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Saturday, February 17

Presented by Mass Audubon's Joppa Flats Education Center & Parker River Wildlife Refuge



Family Fun

Joppa Flats Education Center 10:00-3:00 FREE

- Raptor themed activities
- Tabletop science
- Live Hawk and Live Owl presentations at 11:00, 12:30 and 2:00*
 - *raptor availability subject to change

Parker River National Wildlife Refuge **Visitor Center** 10:00-3:00 FREE

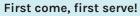
Fun family activities including:

- Raptor-themed crafts
- Owl pellet dissection

Newburyport City Hall 9:00-2:00 FREE

- SGAR Rodenticide use outreach information table
- · Live Owl and Hawk presentations at 10:00-11:00 and 12:00-1:00*
- *raptor availability subject to change

We also have several group outdoor programs for both families and adults only! Register by visiting our Special Events page at Joppa Flats' 2024 Merrimack River Eagle Festival (massaudubon.org)







Eagle Festival **Information Centers**



Parker River National Wildlife **Refuge Visitor Center** 6 Plum Island Tpke, Newburyport

Newburyport City Hall 60 Pleasant St, Newburyport



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Locations

9:00-4:00

Naturalist guides will be onsite all day along the Merrimack River. Parking available. FREE



Lowell's Boat Shop 459 Main St, Amesbury



Andrews Boat Shop 489 Main St, Amesbury



374 Merrimac St, Newburyport



Cashman Park Sally Snyder Way, Newburyport



The Newburyport Boat Basin 346 Merrimac St. Newburyport



Joppa Flats Education Center 1 Plum Island Tpke, Newburyport

Help Rescue our Raptors

Eagles, owls, hawks, and other predators balance our ecosystems. But hundreds of these majestic animals die every year after eating rodents poisoned with second-generation anticoagulant rodenticides (SGARs). Mass Aububon is supporting local initiatives in towns and cities across Massachusetts to reduce and regulate the use of these dangerous rodent

Parker River

National Wildlife

Refuge Headquarters

poisons. Interested in protecting wildlife from poisoning in your community? To sign up and learn more, go to massaudubon.org/rescueraptors.



Island

Parker River

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PLUM ISLAND TURNPIKE