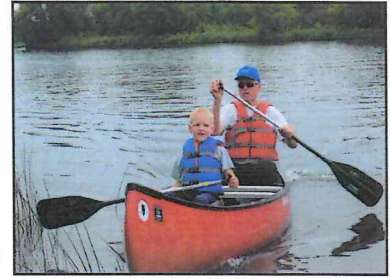


Take a Day OFF* on the Mississippi River

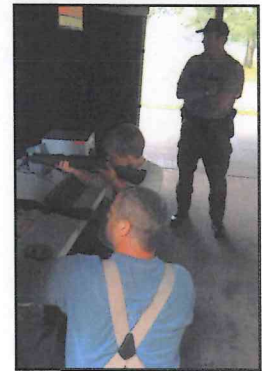


There's a world of fun and adventure awaiting you and your family on the Mississippi River. You don't need to drive far, spend a lot of money, or be an expert outdoorsman.

On Saturday, August 14, the Stearns County Soil & Water Conservation District will team up with the Minnesota DNR, Stearns County Parks, St. Cloud State University, Benton County, local sportsman's clubs, businesses and others to host a **day of family fun**, where folks can get **hands-on instructions in a variety of outdoor activities**:

- ◆ Learn to paddle a canoe and go on a float down the Mississippi
- ◆ Experience a high-tech treasure hunt using GPS units
- ◆ Watch DNR demonstrate electrofishing and netting techniques
- ◆ See live fish and learn how to catch them from shore
- ◆ Test your aim at the laser shooting range
- ◆ Try your hand at archery
- ◆ Hike with a naturalist and learn about local plants and animals
- ◆ Build a bird house to take home
- ◆ Take a bus ride to Bend in the River Park just across the river

*Outdoor Family Fun



SATURDAY, AUGUST 14, 2010
9 A.M. - 4 P.M.
STEARNS COUNTY MISSISSIPPI RIVER PARK

(7 miles north of Sartell on Cty. Rd.1)

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