

Friends of the Pecatonica River Foundation **THE CURRENT**

December 2016



We wish you the happiest Christmas and a bountiful new year. FPRF is happy with our accomplishments for this year. We will be busy planning for 2017. Santa is obviously a paddler.
Joe Ginger, president

MEETINGS & EVENTS

Everyone is invited. Bring your ideas!

Dec. 22	Monthly Meeting Rafters
Jan. 19	Next meeting Rafters
Jun. 18 Jul. 16 Aug. 20 Sep. 17	FPRF Family Floatillas McConnell to Damascus scheduled for 2017
Jul. 30 Aug. 6	River Clean-up Canoe Race 2017
Feb. 11 Mar. 11 Apr. 11	Applebee's Fund Raiser Spring Thaw - Rafter's Culver's Fund Raiser
Sept. 15	FPRF - 2017 Fish Fry
Feb. 2017	One Book One Freeport

Other Events & Activities

Freeport/Stephenson County
Convention & Visitors Bureau
4596 U.S. 20 East
Freeport, IL 61032
1-815-233-1357 / 1-800-369-2955
www.celebratefreeport.com



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"Illinois' Friendliest Paddle"
<http://bit.ly/paddlethepec>

Freeport Park District
1122 S. Burchard Ave.
Freeport, IL 61032
1-815-235-6114

www.freeportparkdistrict.org

Lena Community Park District
609 N. Schuler St.
Lena, IL 61048
1-815-369-5351

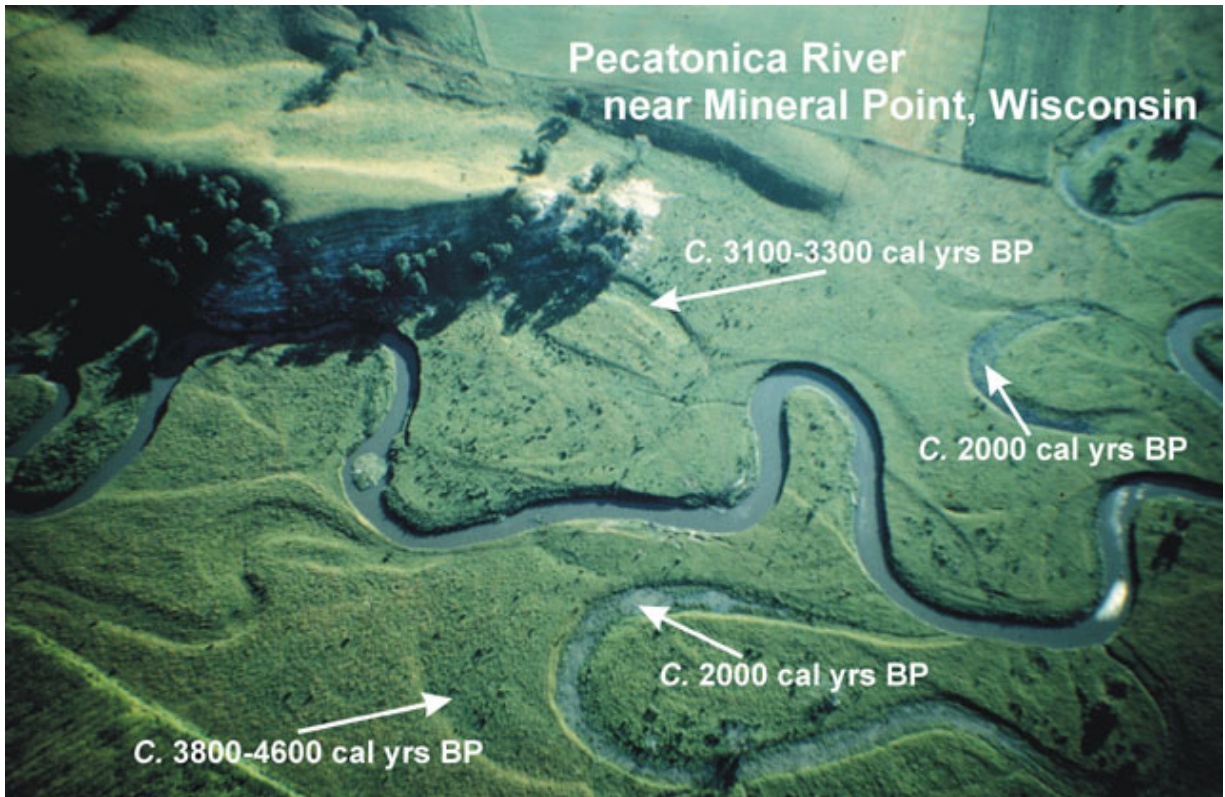
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Roger Schamberger has mentioned the Pecatonica River is older than the Mississippi River. Here is some proof on the age of the Pecatonica River. The picture was taken in 1966 by Louis J. Maher, jr, as part of "Geology by Lightplane," and published in Quaternary Science Review 19, 439-475. The picture shows abandoned meander loops of the Pecatonica River north of Highway 151, and midway between Mineral Point and Belmont, WI.

Individuals and organizations interested in improving river stewardship, paddling, organizing river events, the history of the river and communities along the river, check our website and contact us.

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