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Dworshak announces Visitor Center holiday schedule

Orofino, Idaho – The Dworshak Dam Visitor Center will be open weekdays from noon - 4:30 p.m., except for Nov. 25 (Thanksgiving Day) and the week of Dec. 24-30. Starting on Jan. 3, 2005 the Visitor Center will be open weekdays from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

The staff invites visitors to bring out-of-town holiday guests to see the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' tallest, straight-axis, concrete, gravity dam. Several movies about Dworshak Dam and Lewis and Clark are available for viewing in the visitor center. The facility also offers interpretive displays about the local logging history and wildlife.

Fishing enthusiasts will find the boat ramps at Big Eddy and Bruce's Eddy are open for use during the holiday schedule. The tailrace area below the dam is also open to the fishing public.

As always, safety is the Corps' greatest concern – boaters should wear lifejackets and avoid drinking alcohol while boating. The road to and from the visitor center can be challenging during inclement weather, so drive safely. For more information, regarding facilities and current conditions, call (208) 476-1261 during business hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. or (208) 476-1277.

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