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**Friends Fry Fish for Limberlost
Friday, March 4**

Portland, In- Come join The Friends of Limberlost State Historic Site for an all you can eat fish fry at the Lions Civic Center - Co Rd. 307 E. 100 N., Portland, IN. 47371- on Friday, March 4 from 4-8 p.m. The perch feast also includes a serving of coleslaw, baked beans, potato chips, roll, and lemonade. Cost for adults is \$8.00 and \$5.00 for children 10 years old or younger. Pie and soft drinks will be available for an additional fee. Carry out will also be available.

Proceeds from this event will help pay construction costs of the Limberlost State Historic Site Welcome Center. The Friends of the Limberlost have been raising funds to build this 4,000 sq. ft. facility, which will be located adjacent to the historic site in Geneva, IN.

The Fish Fry Fundraiser is sponsored by Bell Aquaculture of Redkey, IN. They are happy to partner with the Limberlost to raise proceeds for the Welcome Center in an effort to increase local educational opportunities and assist with wildlife habitat restoration.

For more information about the Fish Fry, please contact Norman McCowan, President of Bell Aquaculture, at 765-748-3431.

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Limberlost State Historic Site, located in Adams County, and the Loblolly Marsh Wetland Preserve, located in Jay County, are both in northeastern Indiana. Limberlost SHS is part of the Indiana State Museum and Historic Sites, a division of the Indiana Department of Natural Resources; the "Limberlost Cabin", located in Geneva, IN, was the home of author and naturalist Gene Stratton-Porter. The historic site and the nearby Loblolly Marsh Wetland Preserve illustrates Stratton-Porter's story of environmental activism. For more information, call 260.368.7428 or visit indianamuseum.org/limberlost.