

This small but diverse remnant prairie came under the management of Marshall County Conservation Board in 2006. Like many of



the recreational areas in our county, Wehrmann Prairie has a rich historical background.

Originally the land was given through the Land Grant Act to the widow of David Sanford who was captain in the U.S. infantry and was killed in the War of 1812. She then sold the land to Henry Wehrmann who came to the area to farmstead.



This area was once the location of the Logan Number 7 Rural School House.

The prairie area was an important part of the Wehrmann family and was maintained over the years. Now if one was to walk through the prairie you would find:



Bird's Foot Violet, Puccoon, Yellow Star Grass, Wild Indigo, Lead Plant, Rattlesnake Master, Turk's Cap Lily, New Jersey Tea, and too many more to mention.



The Logan Number 7 Rural School House, class of 1907

### Features & Activities

- Wildlife and flora viewing
- Hunting

### How to get to Wehrmann Prairie:



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# Wehrmann Prairie

3296 Lafayette Ave, Melbourne







# 35 Wehrmann Prairie Preserve

- Hunting
- Wildlife Observation

3296 Lafayette Ave  
Melbourne, IA 50162

Operating Hours  
5:30 a.m. - 10:30 p.m.

8 Acres

Parking

