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LITTLE CHUTE HOSTS WISCONSIN HISTORICAL SOCIETY NORTHEASTERN REGIONAL CONVENTION

Presentations and tours bring local history alive.

LITTLE CHUTE, WI (July 22, 2006) – The Village of Little Chute will host this year's Northeastern Regional Convention of the Wisconsin Historical Society at the Little Chute Village Hall.

Festivities for the day include a presentation introducing attendees to the Wisconsin Historical Society, a presentation on The Little Chute Windmill Project given by Little Chute Windmill, Inc. board president and former village president Don De Groot, board member Mark Harris and executive director Robin Dekker and a talk on the history of the Dutch in the Fox River region given by distinguished local historian Mary Jane Herber. Two tours are also planned for the day including a walking tour of downtown Little Chute including St. John Nepomucene Church and Cemetery and the locks system and a guided tour of the farmhouse of local collector Leroy Van Asten, who has collected a wide variety of Dutch artifacts and memorabilia. Breakfast and lunch are included.

The Northeastern Regional Convention of the Wisconsin Historical Society will be held on Saturday, July 22 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. in The Little Chute Village Hall at 108 West Main Street.

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Media coverage of the event is invited.