

# Missouri Bluebird Society 2009 Bluebird Conference

## October 3, 2009 Cape Girardeau, Missouri



**Above:** North American Bluebird Society officer, **Greg Beavers**, traveled many hours from Indiana to present a wonderful program on Predator Control. Thank you, Greg!

*Special thanks to all of the conference speakers, to everyone who attended, AND to Scott & Susan Kelly, 2009 conference coordinators, who did a terrific job making it all happen!*



**Left:** MOBS member and Conference co-coordinator **Scott Kelley** gave a unique and insightful presentation on “A History of Bluebirding in Missouri”. What a rich heritage we have!

**Right:** newly elected Vice-president **Janelle Schulte** spoke to the group about the importance of “Record-keeping”...and she made it very entertaining!! (remember “Frog” the bull??)



**Left:** The beautiful Cape Girardeau Conservation Campus Nature Center was the site of our afternoon portion of the Conference.

**Below Left:** Newly elected society President Steve Garr presents Assistant Nature Center Director, Steven Juhlin, and Assistant Naturalist, Scott Kelley, with a copy of the book “*The Bluebird*” by Lawrence Zeleny as a gift from MOBS to the Nature Center. Steven then gave a terrific program to the conference attendees on “Bluebird Habitat”.

**Below:** Conference attendees who remained for the afternoon events were treated to a tour of part of the facility’s bluebird trail and nature walk. The tour allowed several in the group their first opportunity to see “Farkleberry”!

