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**Heart of Arkansas Welcomes
Jacksonville Wing Ding Festival at Dupree Park**
"Do you know Jack? WDF 09"

Jacksonville, ARK (October 1, 2009) – Jacksonville's annual Wing Ding Festival is expected to bring over 24,000 to the city. The family oriented event will be held on October 3, 2009 at Dupree Park in Jacksonville. The festival offers many different activities for families such as the paddleboat rides, chicken wing cook – off, a children's area and new this year, the Wing Ding Chicken Wing Eating Contest!

The 2009 Wing Ding festival will also feature award winning musicians, Bryan White and Jarrett McAlister. The concert will kick off with Jarrett McAlister, who won 1st place in the Texas Woodstock Songwriters Competition and was named by the Country Music Awards has the CMA music Rising Star Best Original Performance. Following him will be Bryan white at 6p.m. who has been named the Top new male vocalist – Horizon Award and was nominated 3 times as the Male Vocalist of the Year.

The Wing Ding Festival is an all day event made for families! Dupree Park is transformed into a fun land of food, games, interactive activities, inflatable's and great music.

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