

Nature Center August Adventures

Sunday	ı	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	/	Saturday
	Descriptions about each μ		s and details program are erse side		1	2		3 *Saturday Safari* 10:30am
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Reptile Rapture 1:30pm		Carefree Summer Days at the Nature Center Take advantage of what's left of the summer by visiting the Nature Center on a weekday! We open at 9am daily (closed Mondays).						
4.4	12	Have a picnic under our shady oak trees or come inside the Visitor Center						4.7
11 *5	12							¹ / *Those Wacky
Eureka! 1:30pm		Our weeken	ring In-Depth Weeke Programs* d programs are expa	nding! These				Woodpeckers* 10:30am
18 *Bugs & Beyond* 1:30pm	19	family-friendly opportunities offer more in-depth information on a variety of topics and crafts. Cost is just \$5/adult & \$3/children 12 & under. Member prices: \$4/adult & \$2/children 12 & under. Paid programs denoted with a * symbol.			Friends of the River Speaker Series 7pm—8:30pm	23 Friends of the River Field Study Session 1 9am—3pm		*Let the River Run Clean* 10:30am
25 *Owl Be Seeing You* 1:30pm	Rive	iends of the er Field Study Session 2 iam—3pm	27	28	29	30		31



Visiting Us



Nature Center Hours: Tuesday through Sunday 9am to 5pm

(916) 489-4918/711 TDD/TTY

2850 San Lorenzo Way ◆ Carmichael, CA 95608 Inside Ancil Hoffman County Park, at California Avenue and Tarshes Drive

Park entrance fee is \$5.00 per car (FREE to members)





What's UP on Weekends

Join us every Saturday & Sunday for hikes and talks. All ages welcomed!

Space is limited – sign-ups are taken the day of the event.

We recommend you arrive 30 minutes prior to start time.

\$5 General / \$3 12+Under. Members \$4 /\$2 12+Under



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Sundays - 1:30pm

August 3 — *Saturday Safari*: Grab your binoculars to catch a closer glimpse of the animals and plants that make up the unique habitat along the American River!

August 4 – *Reptile Rapture*: Can a turtle climb out of its shell? Do snakes blink? Can you really tell the age of a rattle-snake by the number of buttons on its rattle? Discover all this and more in this program.

August 10 – *Deer Toes & Coyote Paws*: Learn to read the tracks of rabbit, deer, coyote, turkey and the clues that animals leave behind!

August 11 – *Eureka!* Grab a pan and catch gold fever! Learn about some of the local Gold Rush history and get your hands dirty as you learn how to pan for gold in hopes of striking it rich.

August 17 – *Those Wacky Woodpeckers*: Woodpeckers are instantly recognizable by their unique behavior of pecking vertically on trees and poles, but how much do you really know about these outstanding birds? We will clue you in.

August 18 – *Bugs & Beyond!* Explore the amazing world of invertebrates! Learn how to find, handle, sketch and identify various hoppers, crawlers, fliers, swimmers and slimers of the Preserve.

August 24 – *Let the River Run Clean*: Take a hike to the river and learn some ways we can help take care of it and the salmon, egrets, beavers and other wildlife that depend on its clean water. As we learn, we'll put on some gloves and help clean the river by collecting trash along the banks.

August 25 – *Owl Be Seeing You*: When are owls most active? Can they turn their heads all the way around? Discover how you can find out exactly what they have eaten. Meet a resident owl of the Nature Center and learn the answers to these questions and more.

Do you enjoy the Nature Center?

For as little as \$8 a month, YOU can help ensure our programs continue and our resident animals receive care.



Why a monthly recurring gift?

- Your support helps keep our doors open all year!
- A small monthly amount is easy on the budget.
- Automatic charges mean not having to remember to pay a bill.
- Knowing your money is supporting a worthy, local organization.
- Your pledge DOES make a difference!

Make your \$8 (or greater) monthly pledge at: http://weblink.donorperfect.com/EYNCdonation

Mark Your Calendar Now!

You won't want to miss...



Sunday, September 22 10am - 3pm

Hands-on activities, live animals, demonstrations, food and the kids NatureFest logo contest!

Details on our website soon.