

# The Chip Holt Nature Center presents FREE family programming

## "The Nature of Things" 2014



January 10 Friday 7-8pm	<b>The Seneca Park ZooMobile:</b> "Going, Going, SAVED!" Learn how species become endangered and how we can help prevent it. Meet animals from the zoo!
February 17 Monday 7-8pm	<b>Wild Wings</b> will be bringing <b>LIVE</b> birds of prey to the nature center. Learn about <b>hawks</b> and <b>owls</b> , their habits and habitats! See birds up close and personal!
March 6 Thursday 7-8pm	<b>Our Night Sky:</b> See the stars and planets as you have never seen them before! The Astronomy Section, Rochester Academy of Science ( <b>ASRAS</b> ) will be sharing star gazing tips. View the stars and planets with Telescopes, weather permitting.
April 11 Friday 7-8pm	<b>Bears in our Backyard!</b> Where are the black bears and what are they eating?? Find out more about our elusive black bears and efforts to monitor their behavior. Join <b>Art Kirsch</b> , senior wildlife biologist of the NYSDEC as he shares his extensive knowledge of bears!
May 10 <b>Saturday</b> <b>9am-12</b>	<b>Youth Fishing Clinic.</b> Join the Nature Center and <b>Avon Anglers</b> in a free fishing clinic. Learn fishing techniques for Conesus Lake. What fish live there? What do they eat? When are they in season? Try your hand at baiting a hook and casting. You might be surprised by what you catch! <b>No fishing license required!</b>
June 13 Friday 7-8pm	<b>The Conesus Lake Association!</b> The topic of discussion will be determined as the date gets closer. Please check our website for an update <a href="http://www.chipholtnaturecenter.org">www.chipholtnaturecenter.org</a>
July-August M-F 9am-12	<b>Nature Camp:</b> a daily program is offered for kids to experience nature and science experimentation. No registration required! Drop in any day! (adult must accompany child)
September 16 Tuesday 7-8pm	<b>Alaskan Adventure</b> travelogue. Listen to stories and see pictures from an exciting <b>Pack, Paddle, Ski</b> trip to the northern most parts of Alaska! Hear about how travelers packed in boats to paddle a river near the Arctic Ocean and hiked the tundra, all while avoiding wolves and Grizzlies!
<b>October 24</b> <b>Friday</b> <b>7-8pm</b>	<b>Dinosaurs are coming!</b> Before mammals, dinosaurs ruled the earth for 185 million years. Spend the morning with <b>Ron Walker</b> as he shares animal bones, skulls, teeth, fossils and dinosaur models. Learn about when dinosaurs ruled the Earth! <b>New Date and Time!</b>
November 14 Friday 7-8pm	<b>Wreath Making:</b> A holiday tradition at the Nature Center continues. Join us to make your own holiday wreath with local natural materials. A beautiful wreath to keep or give as a gift! Registration and \$5 fee to cover cost of materials is required. Go to <a href="http://chipholtnaturecenter.org">chipholtnaturecenter.org</a> for more information

All programs (except November) are FREE and open to the public! The Nature Center has a maximum occupancy of 50 people. The Chip Holt Nature Center is a non-profit community based organization. Donations are accepted. **Sponsorship opportunities are available.**

Check our website to see how you can support the Nature Center.

