

The Chip Holt Nature Center presents **FREE** family programming

“The Nature of Things” 2014



January 10 Friday 7-8pm	The Seneca Park ZooMobile: “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	Wild Wings will be bringing LIVE birds of prey to the nature center. Learn about hawks and owls , their habits and habitats! See birds up close and personal!
March 6 Thursday 7-8pm	Our Night Sky: See the stars and planets as you have never seen them before! The Astronomy Section, Rochester Academy of Science (ASRAS) will be sharing star gazing tips. View the stars and planets with Telescopes, weather permitting.
April 11 Friday 7-8pm	Bears in our Backyard! 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 Art Kirsch , senior wildlife biologist of the NYSDEC as he shares his extensive knowledge of bears!
May 10 Saturday 9am-12	Youth Fishing Clinic. Join the Nature Center and Avon Anglers 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! No fishing license required!
June 13 Friday 7-8pm	The Conesus Lake Association! The topic of discussion will be determined as the date gets closer. Please check our website for an update www.chipholtnaturecenter.org
July-August M-F 9am-12	Nature Camp: 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	Alaskan Adventure travelogue. Listen to stories and see pictures from an exciting Pack, Paddle, Ski 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!
October 13 Monday * 11am-12	Dinosaurs are coming! Before mammals, dinosaurs ruled the earth for 185 million years. Spend the morning with Ron Walker as he shares animal bones, skulls, teeth, fossils and dinosaur models. Learn about when dinosaurs ruled the Earth! (Columbus Day)
November 14 Friday 7-8pm	Wreath Making: 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 chipholtnaturecenter.org 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.

