

ALLIGATOR RIVER AND PEA ISLAND NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGES PROGRAMS AND EVENTS CALENDAR MAY 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Apr 28	Apr 29	Apr 30	1	2	3 Pea Island Bird Walk 8-9:30 AM	4 Alligator River Tram Tour (\$) 9-11 AM
5	6	7	8	9	10 Pea Island Bird Walk 8-9:30 AM	11
12	13	14	15	16	17 Pea Island Bird Walk 8-9:30 AM	18
19	20	21 Beach Clean-up 10am-12pm	22	23	24 Pea Island Bird Walk 8-9:30 AM	25
26	27	28	29	30	31 Pea Island Bird Walk 8-9:30 AM	Jun 1

(\$) = Fee charged, reservation required. Call 252-216-9464 to make a reservation. Registration closes at 2 pm the day before the trip. If you must cancel, please do so no later than 2 pm the day before trip or you will be charged for the tour.

For more information about the refuges, please visit:

fws.gov/peaisland or fws.gov/alligatorriver

Or call 252-473-1131

Pea Island Visitor National Wildlife Refuge Visitor Center 14500 NC Highway 12

Rodanthe, NC Open Mon – Sun, 9 AM – 4 PM Coastal North Carolina Refuges Gateway Visitor Center 100 Conservation Way Manteo, NC Open Mon - Sat 9 AM - 4 PM, Sun 12 PM - 4 PM



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Program	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Meeting Location
Alligator River Tram Tour					1 st Sat	Alligator River NWR
·					9-11 AM	Creef Cut Wildlife Trail Parking Lot
						Pea Island NWR Visitor Center
Pea Island Bird Walk				8-9:30 AM		14500 NC Highway 12
						Rodanthe, NC
	May 21					Pea Island NWR Visitor Center
Beach Clean-up	10am-					14500 NC Highway 12
	12pm					Rodanthe, NC

Alligator River Tram Tour

\$10 per adult. Children 12 and under free with one or more paying adults. <u>Reservation required</u>. Tram seating is limited. Join us for a trip around the refuge and learn about the wild lands and wildlife. Bring your binoculars and camera! Drinking water and insect repellent are also recommended. The program will occur except with lightning, heavy wind or rain, or impassable road conditions. Dress for the weather! Meet at Creef Cut Wildlife Trail parking lot, Hwy 64 and Milltail Road, app. 6 miles west of Manns Harbor. Call 252-216-9464 for reservations.

Pea Island Bird Walk

FREE. Pea Island is for the birds - actually! Pea Island National Wildlife Refuge has close to 400 species of birds that live here or pass through. Whether you're a beginner or an expert, you'll enjoy this casual stroll beside North Pond. Field guides, binoculars, sunscreen, and insect repellent are recommended. Some field guides and binoculars will be available for loan. Pea Island Bird Walks are held year-round except during the Wings Over Water Wildlife Festival in October and December. Meet at the Pea Island National Wildlife Refuge Visitor Center, located on NC Highway 12 approximately 4 miles south of Oregon Inlet and 9 miles north of Rodanthe.

Beach Clean-up

FREE. Join Refuge staff to help keep our beaches clean! Meet at the Pea Island National Wildlife Refuge Visitors Center, 14500 Highway 12. Wear comfortable clothes, sturdy shoes, and work gloves; if you have them, bring a 5 gallon bucket and/or grabber. We'll go over a quick safety talk and then head out onto the beaches to pick up trash wherever it's needed most. Wind or rain will cancel.