

News Release

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January, February and March Weekend Wildlife Films at DeSoto National Wildlife Refuge

Missouri Valley, Iowa - - The visitor center at DeSoto National Wildlife Refuge continues to host weekend wildlife films. The films are shown each Saturday and Sunday at 1:30 p.m. Upcoming film titles are:

- Jan 3 & 4 – Magic of the Snowy Owl – DVD** – The Arctic life is difficult. Snowy owls are built for the challenge. Their every sense and skill honed to take on their frozen world. 60 minutes
- Jan 10 & 11 – Raccoon Nation – DVD** – See how cities around the world are coping in the raccoon’s hidden world. They are more elusive and wily than most people ever imagined. 60 minutes
- Jan 17 & 18 – Land of Dreams – DVD** – take a journey through 30 states and 123 years of homesteading history. 25 minutes
- Jan 24 & 25 – Backyard Barn Owls – DVD** – From Hatching through flight school – *Backyard Barn Owls* is a fun video. 27 minutes
- Jan 31 & Feb 1 – Wolverine: Chasing the Phantom – DVD** – Look into the secretive world of the largest and least known member of the weasel family. See who this dynamic little devil truly is. 60 minutes
- Feb 7 & 8 – My Life as a Turkey – DVD** – Based on a true story, this charming, funny, sad, thought-provoking film explores man and animal. 60 minutes
- Feb 14 & 15 - Pale Male – DVD** – Meet the wild bird who became a New York Fifth Avenue celebrity. 60 minutes
- Feb 21 & 22 – Bluebirds – DVD** – This guide will show you all about opening and managing your own bluebird house or trail. 60 minutes
- Feb 28 & Mar 1 – American Eagle - DVD** – an intimate portrait of these majestic raptor’s lives in the wild. 60 minutes
- Mar 7 & 8 – Raptor Force - DVD** – Fly with nature’s elite aerial killing machines. 60 minutes
- Mar 14 & 15 – DUCKumentary – DVD** – They waddle, glide, dive and dabble. Watch wood ducks raise a family. Learn why Goldeneyes head north in the winter. 60 minutes
- Mar 21 & 22 – Coots, Coots Everywhere** — The film shows the coots everyday life on a pond along other wildlife babies. 20 minutes
- Mar 28 & 29 – 150th Anniversary of the Steamboat *Bertrand*** – watch for special programs

DeSoto & Boyer Chute National Wildlife Refuges are located north of Omaha, Nebraska along on U.S. Highway 30 between Missouri Valley, Iowa and Blair, Nebraska and along U.S. Highway 75 near Ft. Calhoun, Nebraska. For more information contact 712/388-4800 or email the refuge at desoto@fws.gov. Check our websites, www.fws.gov/refuge/desoto/ or www.fws.gov/refuge/boyer_chute/, for refuge updates. Like us on Facebook - search for DeSoto and Boyer Chute National Wildlife Refuges.

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