

# Great Dismal Swamp National Wildlife Refuge

## Calendar of Events

WINTER 2014



### New Year's Owl Prowl

Welcome in the New Year with the forest critters.

**Date:** Saturday, **December 27**, 2014

**Time:** 5:00p- 7:00p

**Where:** Meet at the Jericho Ditch parking area

**Registration:** Suggested

**Cost:** Free

### Christmas Bird Count

Making a list and checking it twice—not presents, birds! Volunteers needed. All skill levels are welcome.

**Date:** Monday, **December 22\***, 2014

\*New Date

**Time:** 6:30a

**Where:** Meet at the Refuge Headquarters

**Registration:** call 757/986-3705

### Great Dismal Swamp Coalition- Friends of the Great Dismal Swamp

Open membership meeting. Join the group of folks that work together to support the mission of the refuge.

**Date:** Saturday, **January 10**, 2015

**Time:** 10:00a

**Where:** Meet at the Refuge Headquarters

**Registration:** Suggested

### Introduction to Target Archery

Learn the basics of youth archery with compound bows.(Weather permitting). Ages 8 and older with parent or guardian. We supply all equipment.

**Date:** Saturday, **January 31**, 2015

**Time:** 11:00a

**Where:** Meet at the Refuge Headquarters

**Registration:** call 757/986-3705

### Mark Your Calenders!

### Great Dismal Swamp Birding Festival

Guided bird walks and bus tours, canoe birding, workshops, beginning birding classes, family activities, and more! Full details and registration begins by March 1, 2015.

**Location:** Refuge grounds

**Dates:** **April 23, 24, 25, 2015**

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