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## **WILDLIFE-THEMED PROJECT PACKETS COMING TO LIBRARY THIS WINTER**

The National Elk Refuge is partnering with the Teton County Library, Jackson branch to offer wildlife-themed project packets for families this winter. The first packet will be available during National Wildlife Refuge Week, **October 11-17, 2020**. Library patrons can pick-up the free project packets during regular curbside pickup hours at the Jackson branch, October 11-17, 2020. The free packets will be available first-come first-serve, until supplies run out.

Celebrate National Wildlife Refuge Week 2020 with Make Your Own Wildlife Mask, Animalympics Activity Booklet, and a virtual wildlife themed story-time hosted by Teton County Library!

National Wildlife Refuge Week celebrates the great network of lands and waters that conserve and protect Americans' precious wildlife heritage. Did you know that there are 568 National Wildlife Refuges in the United States? Jackson, Wyoming is home to one of those wildlife refuges: the National Elk Refuge! The National Elk Refuge provides, preserves, restores, and manages winter habitat for the nationally significant Jackson Elk herd as well as habitat for endangered species, birds, fish, and other mammals.

Look for additional wildlife-themed project packets at the Teton County Library beginning the second Sunday of each month, November-March. Packets will be available first-come first-serve, until supplies run out. See below for a tentative schedule of projects (subject to change):

- October 11: Make Your Own Wildlife Mask & Animalympics
- November 8: Refuge Scavenger Hunt & Wildlife Coloring Book
- December 13: Trumpeter Swan Activity Booklet & DIY Bead Snowflakes
- January 10: Animal Tracks Activity
- February 14: Wildlife-themed Valentine's Day Watercolor Postcards
- March 14: DIY Birdhouses & Backyard Bird Identification Booklet