



# Ranger Guided Program Schedule June 14 – 20, 2015



Location	Program	Sunday 14	Monday 15	Tuesday 16	Wednesday 17	Thursday 18	Friday 19	Saturday 20
Herbert H. Bateman Visitor Center	<b>Take Aim Archery</b> (10- 15 minutes) 							10:00 -12:00 1:00 – 3:00
Herbert H. Bateman Visitor Center	<b>Bird Beak Buffet</b> (15-20 minutes) 		1:00pm	1:00pm				
Herbert H. Bateman Visitor Center	<b>Refuge Safari</b> (15-20 minutes) 				Plovers 11:00am		Fox Squirrel 2:00pm	
Herbert H. Bateman Visitor Center	<b>Build-A-Bird</b> (30 minutes) 					3:00 pm	4:00 pm	
Herbert H. Bateman Visitor Center	<b>Lighthouse Talk</b> (15- 20 minutes) 							11:00am
Herbert H. Bateman Visitor Center	<b>Prints Plants and Paws</b> (30- 40 minutes) 						3:00pm	3:00pm

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**Special Note: Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult for all programs.**



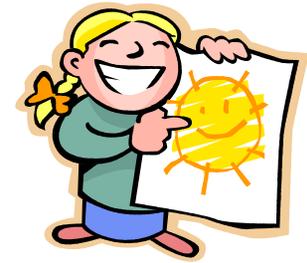
These programs are especially popular with children.



Wheelchair accessible programs

\* Advanced Reservations Required.

## Program Descriptions



**Take Aim Archery** –Let’s go outside and shoot a few arrows. Explore the fun of archery and learn how the Refuge uses hunting to keep the balance in a healthy island ecosystem. **This program is open to anyone ages 7 and older. Equipment is provided.**

**Bird Beak Buffet** – Who has the best beak on the Refuge? Let your little one cast their vote after listening to a story and learning how each bird hunts in its own special way.

**Refuge Safari** – It’s time for a Refuge safari! Come explore the residents of the Refuge. Join our staff in the Bateman Visitor Center auditorium to learn more about one of the many different critters that call the Refuge their home.

**Build-A-Bird** - Puzzled about what makes birds so special? Join a ranger in putting together the pieces in this interactive program. Embark on an eventful migration and see how birds’ adaptations help them survive in the real world!

**Lighthouse talk** – For 148 years its light has been a beacon to those coming from near and far. Join us to learn how the story of the Assateague lighthouse is not just a story of the Atlantic Ocean but also about you and me.

**Plants Prints and paws** – Create your own Refuge treasure in this crafty kids program intended to explore the details of the flowers, tracks, and shells of Assateague Island. Stamp and trace nature in your very own take-home nature book.

**\*Program is limited to 20 participants, to reserve your spot, please call 757-336-6122 ext: 2310 or sign up in person at the Bateman Visitor Center desk.**

*Programs may be cancelled due to weather or staff availability. Contact Chincoteague National Wildlife Refuge for more information: 757- 336-6122. [www.fws.gov/northeast/chinco](http://www.fws.gov/northeast/chinco)*

*The National Park Service assists the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service in interpretation and recreation management, The National Park Service provides many other activities at Tom’s Cove. Contact the National Park Service at 757-336-6577 for details on their program offerings.*