

Great Dismal Swamp National Wildlife Refuge



Calendar of Events

Spring 2016

New Volunteer Orientation

Refuge volunteers help us in many ways: bird banding station, wildlife surveys, native plant gardens, special events, and trail maintenance just to name a few. Are you interested in being a part of this great team? Must be age 16 or older, with parent or guardian, or age 18 or older. Orientation will include introduction to refuge programs and volunteer opportunities as well as a guided tour.

Date: Saturday, February 27, 2016

Time: 10:30a-12:00p

Where: Meet at the Headquarters, 3100 Desert Road, Suffolk, VA

Registration: Call 757/986-3705

Spring Break Week -Staff lead tours

Guided Nature Walk Washington Ditch Boardwalk

Date: Tuesday, March 29, 2016

Time: 1:00p-2:00p

Where: Meet at the Washington Ditch parking area. Enter at 3076 White Marsh Rd, Suffolk, VA

Registration: Call 757/986-3705

Guided Bus Tour to Lake Drummond

Date: Thursday, March 31, 2016

Time: 1:00p-3:00p

Where: Meet at the Refuge Headquarters, 3100 Desert Rd, Suffolk, VA

Registration: call 757/986-3705

Great Dismal Swamp Birding Festival

Guided bird walks and bus tours, canoe birding, boat tours, workshops, family activities, and more! Full details and registration begins March 1, 2016.

Dates: April 21, 22, 23, 2016

Where: Refuge grounds

Registration: call 757/986-3705

Suffolk Tourism Guided Bus and Walking Tours

Guided bus tours and nature walks lead by local naturalist. Many dates to choose from. Small fee. Bus loads in downtown Suffolk.

Call 757/514-4130 for more details.

