



Kenai National Wildlife Refuge

Summer 2014 Activities

at the Refuge Headquarters in Soldotna

All Refuge activities are FREE

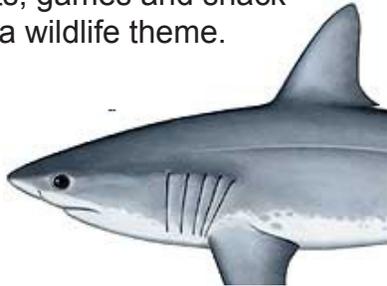
Little PEEPS Preschool Programs

at the Environmental Education Center



**Two sessions every third Thursday
at 9am and 10:30am**

Children up to the age of 5 and their parents join Refuge staff for an hour of stories, hands-on crafts, games and snack based on a wildlife theme.



- May 15 - Sheeps & Goats
- June 19 - Bees & Pollinators
- July 17 - Mosquitos
- August 21 - Salmon shark



Fitness Hikes

on the Keen-Eye and Centennial Trails

**Mondays at 2pm
June 23rd - August 4th**

Enjoy the Headquarters trail system with a Ranger to guide you.

Participants should be in good health, able to walk up to 3 miles at a moderate pace.

History Talks

at Andrew Berg's Cabin

**Thursdays at 2pm
June 19th - August 7th**

Travel back in time and explore life on the Kenai 100 years ago. Hands-on activities in the historic cabin will bring the era of the massive Kenai Moose alive.

suitable for all ages

Family Explorer Programs

Nature fun for all ages and abilities

Join Refuge staff for hands-on adventures and exploration into nature topics like tracks and traces, Alaskan animals, digital photography, and more.

**Every Saturday at 2pm
June 21st - August 9th**

Meet the Ranger in the Refuge Visitor Center lobby.



Call the Refuge at 907-262-7021 for more information on any of these events or if you need alternative formats or services because of a disability.



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Guided Hikes

in the Skilak Wildlife Recreation Area

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Discovery Hikes

for older children and adults*

Every Saturday at 2pm starting June 21st

These Ranger-led easy to moderate hikes offer a look into seasonal changes on three of the most popular Refuge trails.

Perfect for families with capable walkers or toddlers in arms/packs, solo hikers looking for company and anyone interested in learning more about Refuge ecology in the beautiful Skilak Wildlife Recreation Area.

* Dogs allowed on leash only

SCHEDULE

June 21 - Hideout Trail

June 28 - Vista Trail
(Upper Skilak Campground)

July 5 - Burney's Trail
(Hidden Lake Campground)

July 12 - Vista Trail

July 19 - Hideout Trail

July 26 - Burney's Trail

Wilderness 50th Special Event



WILDERNESS HIKES INTO THE REFUGE BACKCOUNTRY

Two unique guided hikes with Refuge Staff

Fuller Lakes - Saturday, August 9

Cottonwood Creek - Saturday, August 16

These events require pre-registration. Call Michelle at 907-260-2839 for details.

Visitor Center Wildlife Movie Schedule

Shown daily at Noon, 1, 2, 3, & 4 PM

Noon, 2 PM & 4 PM Kenai National Wildlife Refuge: Where Wildlife Comes First (repeats every 10 min.)

1 PM Bears of the Last Frontier - (55 min.)
Discover the amazing lives of truly wild brown bears with ecologist and film maker, Chris Morgan.

3 PM Magic of the Snowy Owl - (55 mins)
Follow the lives of a Snowy Owl pair on the Alaskan tundra as they raise their family of little owlets.

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