

Saturday Family Activities

FREE FUN FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY!

Featured Performer: Denny Olson as Doc Wild and Professor Guano



DOC WILD'S UNHUGGABLES

Saturday, 9:15 am–10:15 am, OIT Auditorium

This gruff, yet gentle north woods "Doctor of the Wild" has the world's most irreverent view of humans, and the most complete view of animal ecology. His shyness and elusive nature come from a life with the Critters nobody likes, but his outsider's view of humans can give us some surprising insights about us. His interactive skits are fun and enlightening. This guy knows the secrets of the woods... (ages 5–adult).

PROFESSOR GUANO "MIGRATION MAGIC"

Saturday, 3:15–4:15 pm, OIT Auditorium

Professor Guano lends his bird-brain slant to our "snowbird" friends who spend half their year in the tropics. How much food does a tiny kinglet need to stay at 111 degrees in the late fall and the early spring? How many thousands of mosquitoes per day can a nighthawk eat, and how can they make their wings roar during mating? Which birds hibernate every night? How many nests does a male wren make just to get female attention, and why does she then have extra-marital affairs? Why do vultures vomit at their rivals and go potty on their own legs? How do happenings in Brazil and Mexico affect our quality of life here? Find out from the good Professor!

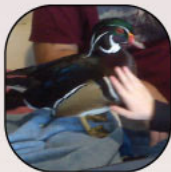


LIVE RAPTORS, OWLS, AND MORE

Saturday, 10:00 am–6 pm

Meet birds from Badger Run Wildlife Rehab. Fun and educational for all ages. **Liz Diver** and other volunteers from this non-profit facility will delight you with up close and personal experiences with some of their Animal Ambassadors.

All of these activities are located in the OIT College Union. Check the signs near the festival registration for times and room locations for all of the free family activities.



LIVE DUCKS AND MORE

Saturday, 10:00 am–3 pm

Be amazed by **Charlie and Deana Thurston** and their tame hand-raised birds. They will bring Wood Ducks and Cinnamon Teal and possibly some other surprises.



HANDS-ON ACTIVITIES

Saturday, 10:00 am–3 pm

Visit the Children's Activity Area upstairs to enjoy a myriad of interactive activities. Don't miss the Migration Challenge, Owl Pellet Dissection, Face Painting and many other fun free events!

