



# Effie Yeaw Nature Center Adventures - September 2014



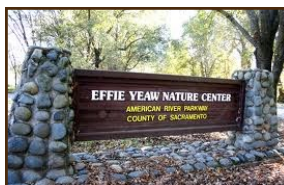
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6 <b>Walk on the Wild Side</b> 10:30am
7 <b>Coyote Tales</b> 1:30pm	8	 <p><b>Deer Facts... Did you know?</b></p> <p>The word "deer" comes from the Old English word "der" which meant a wild animal of any kind. This was opposed to "cattle" which referred to any kind of domestic livestock.</p> <p>Deer are indigenous to all continents except Australia and Antarctica. Their habitats range from tundra to tropical rainforest.</p> <p>The tufted deer (pictured to the right), found mainly in China, has tusks! In male tufted deer, these fang-like canine teeth can grow to about 1 inch long.</p> <p>The oldest deer fossil came from the Oligocene time period dating from between 33.9 million to 23 million years ago. Scientists believe that these ancient deer may have resembled modern muntjacs and tufted deer. (pictured to the right)</p>				13 <b>Plants with Purpose</b> 10:30am
14 <b>Raptors: Fantastic Fliers</b> 1:30pm	15					20 <b>Birding for Families</b> 10:30am
21 <b>Under the Oaks</b> 1:30pm	22	23	24	25  <b>Nature Center Fundraiser at Mountain Mike's</b> 4141 Manzanita Ave Carmichael	26	27 <b>Galls for Fall!</b> 10:30am
28 <b>Sun Seekers</b> 1:30pm	29	30	<p><i>Descriptions and details about each program can be found on the reverse side</i></p>			



**Entrance to the Nature Center is always by donation.**

Your generosity keeps our doors open and programs running! Thank you for your support!

## Visiting Us



### Nature Center Hours:

Tuesday through Sunday  
9am to 5pm

(916) 489-4918/711 TDD/TTY

2850 San Lorenzo Way ♦ Carmichael, CA 95608

Inside Ancil Hoffman County Park, at California Avenue and Tarshes Drive

Park entrance fee is \$5.00 per car (FREE to members)

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## We're Nuts on Weekends!

Join us every Saturday & Sunday for hikes and talks.

Donations welcomed!

Space is limited – sign-ups are taken the day of.

*We recommend arriving 30 minutes prior to start time.*

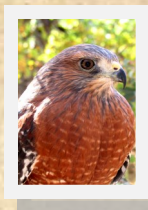


Saturdays – 10:30am	Sundays – 1:30pm
<b>September 6 – Walk on the Wild Side</b> Tiptoe like coyote through the trails in hopes of sneaking a peek at deer, turkey, woodpeckers and other wild neighbors on this outdoor adventure.	<b>September 7 – Coyote Tales</b> Join us for a Native American story about Coyote and then get a close-up look at a coyote pelt, skull and mounted specimen.
<b>September 13 – Plants with Purpose</b> Discover how the first Californians used only what the land provided for everyday life. Learn uses of many plants such as tule, willow and other native plants that provided food, medicines, baskets and other supplies.	<b>September 14 – Raptors: Fantastic Fliers</b> Meet a live raptor and discover why they are such skilled hunters and fantastic fliers.
<b>September 20 – Birding for Families</b> Bring the family out for a birding and nature walk led by a Naturalist and our special guest guides from the Sacramento Audubon Society. Birdwatchers of all levels welcomed. Make sure to bring your binoculars, or we can loan you a pair.	<b>September 21 – Under the Oaks</b> Our mighty oaks provide food and shelter for many animals and insects. Learn how to identify the three species of oak trees found in the Nature Preserve and who may be living in them.
<b>September 27– Galls for Fall!</b> Join a naturalist for a walk in the nature preserve to explore those inventive insects who build their homes in plants.	<b>September 28 – Sun Seekers</b> Some have scaly skin, some have slimy skin, some have legs, some don't. Can you guess what they are? Join and meet one of these cold-blooded critters up close!

# Nature Fest 2014

Sunday, October 5 ♦ 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

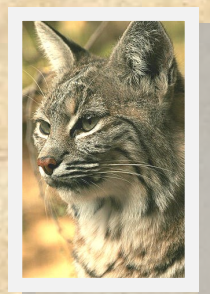
**Mark your calendar—you won't want to miss this event!**



**Kids Activities**  
**Live Animal Shows**  
**Birds of Prey**  
**Guided Nature Hikes**  
**Demonstrations & Exhibits**



**ADMISSION**  
**Adults - \$5 each**  
**Kids 12 and under - FREE!**  
**Free parking - a \$5 value!**



More info at [www.SacNatureCenter.net](http://www.SacNatureCenter.net) or 916.489.4918

## Consider becoming an ARNHA member!

Receive free parking each time you visit, discounts on kids camps, events and purchases at the Discovery Store and much more! See details at [www.arnha.org](http://www.arnha.org) or inquire at the Visitor Center.



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