



SOUTH SLOUGH CALENDAR

JANUARY 2020



JANUARY 4, 2020

BIRDING AT MILLICOMA MARSH 10 AM TO NOON

Come enjoy great views of the bay and one of the best birding spots in Coos County. Interpreter, binoculars and spotting scopes provided. Dress for the weather. Meet in the parking lot directly behind Millicoma Middle School on 4th Ave. [Max - 15 participants] FREE

JANUARY 11, 2020

CRABBING AROUND 10 AM TO NOON

Come learn about the amazing life cycle of crabs, their importance to the local economy and experience the various techniques for capturing this delectable Crustacean. Dress for the weather and meet at the Charleston Visitors Center. (FREE but registration is required)

JANUARY 18, 2020

GOLDEN AND SILVER FALLS HIKE 10 AM TO 3 PM

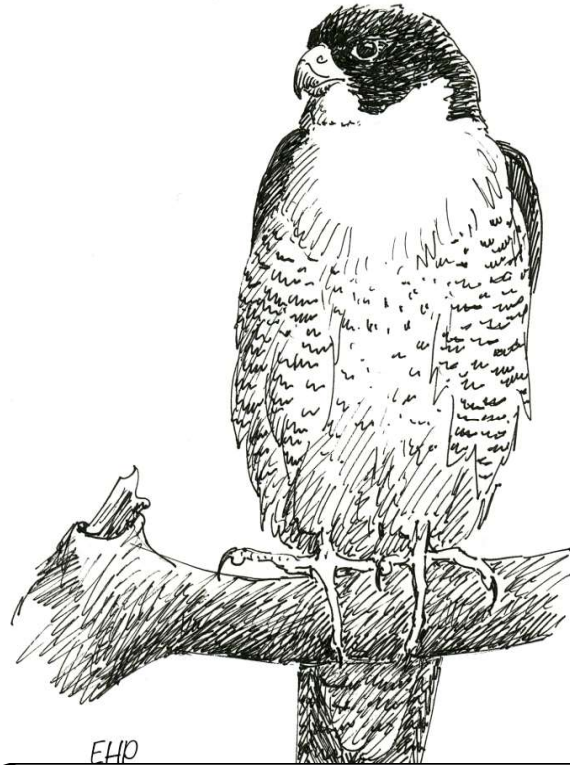
Hidden gems in the dense emerald forests of southwest Oregon, Golden and Silver Falls are transformed by the winter rains into raging giants. During the 3 mile, moderately-strenuous, hike we will explore the falls and rich natural and cultural history of this special place. Things to bring: rain gear, sturdy hiking boots, camera, water bottle, lunch and snacks. We will provide transportation from Coos Bay. [Max. 10] (Free but registration is required)

JANUARY 25, 2020

NATURE FILM: MARCH OF THE PENGUINS

1 PM TO 3 PM

Narrated by Morgan Freeman, this is an amazing, awe-inspiring, true-life tale. Breathtaking photography captures the transcendent beauty and almost unsurmountable hardships of this polar world. We'll provide the big screen, awesome sound system and fresh popcorn (FREE)



Unless otherwise noted, all programs begin at the South Slough Reserve Interpretive Center, located 4 miles south of Charleston on Seven Devils Road.

Reservations are required for all programs.

For more information or to register, please visit
southsloughestuary.org

Programs may be cancelled due to low enrollment or hazardous weather. Activity fees and donations cover materials and are used by the Friends of South Slough Reserve, Inc. in support of the Reserve.

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Questions or concerns? Please contact
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FEBRUARY 2020



FEBRUARY 1, 2020

TIDE OF THE TODDLERS

10 AM TO 11 AM

Bring your wee ones, ages 1 to 5. Sing a song, read a story, make a craft and discover the natural world.

[Max-20] (\$2/child)

FEBRUARY 8, 2020

SECOND SATURDAY STEWARDS

10 AM TO NOON

Join South Slough's Stewardship Coordinator, Alice Yeates, to launch the Second Saturday Stewards Program! New themes and activities on the second Saturday of each month throughout 2020. During the first event you will learn about the role of disturbance in invasive species establishment and will plant native shrubs to help prevent invasion at a disturbed site. Attend as many events as you like, however, attend three or more events during the year and become an official Second Saturday Steward! (FREE)

FEBRUARY 15, 2020

PBS OREGON FIELD GUIDE SPECIAL DOCUMENTARY: UNPREPARED

1 PM TO 2:30 PM

This must see film examines the ways Oregon is – and isn't – prepared for what experts expect will be one of the greatest natural disasters ever to strike North America. Come along as a team of Oregon geologists, engineers and state officials find surprising lessons from Japan's 2011 Tohoku earthquake – lessons that Oregon can build on to become better prepared. Discussion to follow. (FREE)

FEBRUARY 22, 2020

BUILD A BIRDHOUSE WORKSHOP

11 AM TO 12:30 PM

Create wildlife habitat for your backyard. Before the swallows and wrens begin to nest, come build a birdhouse to encourage them to live in your backyard! We'll provide the supplies and tools. Work on your own or bring a partner. [Min - 5 Max-15 participants] (\$8 / birdhouse, limit one birdhouse / participant)

FEBRUARY 29, 2020

CRABBING AROUND

10 AM TO NOON

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