



## POCOSIN LAKES NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE PROGRAMS AND EVENTS CALENDAR JULY 2024



VISITOR CENTER IS OPEN TUESDAY – SUNDAY 10 AM – 4 PM UNLESS OTHERWISE POSTED

RED WOLF CENTER IS OPEN WEDNESDAY – FRIDAY 10 AM – 3:30 PM & SATURDAYS 10 AM – 1:30 PM UNLESS OTHERWISE POSTED

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3 Red Wolf Programs 10 AM, 1 PM & 3 PM	4 <b>Visitor Center Closed</b> <b>Red Wolf Center Closed</b>	5 <b>No Preschool Program</b> Red Wolf Programs 10 AM, 1 PM & 3 PM	6 Bear Tour 7 AM – 8:30 AM Red Wolf Programs 10 AM & 1 PM
7	8	9	10 Red Wolf Programs 10 AM, 1 PM & 3 PM	11 Red Wolf Programs 10 AM, 1 PM & 3 PM	12 Preschool Program 10 AM – 11 AM Red Wolf Programs 10 AM, 1 PM & 3 PM Bear Tour 6 PM – 7:30 PM	13 Bear Tour 7 AM – 8:30 AM Red Wolf Programs 10 AM & 1 PM
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For more details on red wolf programs and bear tours, contact Katerina Ramos, Red Wolf Education and Outreach Coordinator at [katerina@ncwf.org](mailto:katerina@ncwf.org)

For more details on preschool programs and ecoEXPLORE, contact Laura Frazier, Refuge Conservation Coordinator at [laura@ncwf.org](mailto:laura@ncwf.org)

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## SUMMER 2024 INTERPRETIVE PROGRAMS SCHEDULE



Program	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Meeting Location
Red Wolf Program	10-11 AM; 1-2PM; 3-4PM	10-11AM; 1-2PM; 3-4PM	10-11AM; 1-2PM; 3-4PM	10-11AM; 1-2PM;	Red Wolf Center 1221 Hwy 94S Columbia, NC
Bear Tour			6-7:30PM	7-8:30 AM	North Lake Road on Pungo Unit Maps available at kiosk located at 600 Refuge Rd Pantego, NC
Preschool Program			10-11AM		Pocosin Lakes NWR; Indoor Classroom 205 S Ludington Dr Columbia, NC
ecoEXPLORE				See calendar	Tyrrell County Library 414 Main St, Columbia, NC 27925

**Red Wolf Program:** Join refuge staff in learning about the history and biology of red wolves. Programs include a talk about the red wolves and the ability to visit the live red wolves at the red wolf center. Programs are only offered at the times listed.

**\*\*\*There is no guarantee that you will be able to see the exhibit red wolves as they are a shy and elusive species\*\*\***

**Bear Tour:** Starting June 14<sup>th</sup>, join refuge staff in learning the history and biology of black bears while having the opportunity to view black bears in their natural habitat through this guided walking tour.

**\*\*\*Bear tours will not be provided during inclement weather as road conditions on the Pungo Unit can become hazardous in wet conditions\*\*\***

**Preschool Program:** Starting June 14<sup>th</sup>, join refuge staff for weekly preschool aged nature time with engaging wildlife and nature themed activities. Weather permitting, youth participants and their guardians will go outside to explore the natural world along the Scuppernong River. Please RSVP to Laura Frazier at [laura@ncwf.org](mailto:laura@ncwf.org) so we know how many children and guardians to expect.

**ecoEXPLORE:** In partnership with the Tyrrell County Library, join refuge and library staff for monthly ecoEXPLORE programs at Tyrrell County Library. Developed by The North Carolina Arboretum, ecoEXPLORE is an innovative program that combines science exploration with kid-friendly technology to foster a fun learning environment for children while encouraging them to explore the outdoors and participate in community science. To learn more, visit [ecoexplore.net](http://ecoexplore.net).

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