

Wings Over Water

WILDLIFE FESTIVAL



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October 15-20 and December 6-8, 2019
Programs in six national wildlife refuges,
Cape Hatteras National Seashore,
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2019 Wings Over Water Festival at a Glance

*Family Friendly (Call 252-216-9464 for details)

Tuesday October 15

Big Day Birding.....	5:30 am-8:30 pm
Pea Island NWR South Pond Birding	7:30-11:00 am
Pea Island NWR North Pond Birding.....	7:30-11:00 am
Nags Head Woods Reptile and Amphibian Hike	9:00-11:00 am
Roanoke Island Night Kayak Paddle	6:00-8:00 pm
Alligator River NWR at Night.....	6:00-8:00 pm

Wednesday October 16

Outer Banks Big Day Birding.....	5:45 am-7:00 pm
Alligator River NWR Photography Tour.....	7:00-9:00 am
Pea Island NWR South Pond Birding.....	7:30-11:00 am
Beginning Birding at Bodie Island with Julie Zickefoose NEW	7:30-11:00 am
Exploring Pine Island Audubon Sanctuary	8:00-11:00 am
Maritime Forest Birding Kayak Tour	9:00-11:00 am
Nags Head Woods Ecological Preserve Exploration.....	9:00-11:00 am
Birding (and More) Through Hattaras Habitats	9:00 am-noon
Mackay Island NWR Birding (Distant Trip).....	11:00 am-3:30 pm
Nags Head Woods Reptile and Amphibian Hike.....	1:00-3:00 pm
Birding 101 (Classroom & Field)	1:00-4:00 pm
Pea Island NWR South Pond Birding.....	1:00-4:30 pm
Maritime Forest Sunset Kayak Tour	5:00-7:00 pm
Owl Prowl.....	5:30-8:30 pm
Pea Island NWR Stargazing NEW*	7:00-8:00 pm

Thursday October 17

Red-cockaded Woodpecker at Palmetto-Peartree Preserve....	6:00-11:00 am
Pea Island NWR Sunrise Kayak Tour.....	6:00-8:00 am
Bear and Wildlife Photography with Mark Buckler.....	7:00-9:00 am
Alligator River NWR Birding and Wildlife	7:30-10:30 am
Pea Island NWR South Pond Birding.....	7:30-11:00 am
Roanoke Island Birding.....	7:30-11:00 am
Birding the Northern Banks - From Corolla to Duck	7:30 am-3:00 pm
Cape Hatteras Birding.....	8:00-11:30 am
eBird Workshop (Birding in the Field & Classroom)	8:00 am-3:00 pm
Ocean-watching at Jennette's Pier for Casual Birders	8:30-11:00 am
Alligator River NWR Tram Tour*.....	9:00 am-noon
Migrating Hawks and Monarchs*.....	9:00 am-noon
Sea Turtles of the Outer Banks*.....	1:00-3:00 pm
Buxton Woods Maritime Forest Hike	1:00-3:00 pm
Introduction to Photography.....	1:00-3:30 pm
Pea Island NWR South Pond Birding.....	1:00-4:30 pm
Bodie Island Marshes Late Afternoon Kayak Tour.....	3:00-5:00 pm

Friday October 18

Red-cockaded Woodpecker at Palmetto-Peartree Preserve....	6:00-11:00 am
Alligator River NWR Photography Tour.....	7:00-9:00 am

Pea Island NWR South Pond Birding for Experienced Birders.....	7:30-11:00 am
Pea Island NWR North Pond Birding.....	7:30-11:00 am
Roanoke Island Birding.....	7:30-11:00 am
Ocean-watching at Jennette's Pier for Casual Birders	8:00-11:00 am
Exploring Pine Island Audubon Sanctuary	8:00-11:00 am
Cape Hatteras Birding.....	8:00-11:30 am
Ocracoke Island Birding (Distant Trip).....	8:00 am-2:00 pm
Mashoes Marshes Kayak Tour.....	9:00-11:30 am
Oregon Inlet Pelican Island Safari- Birding, Butterflies and More.....	9:00 am-noon
How to Listen-An Introduction to Birding by Ear	12:30-2:00 pm
Bodie Island Lighthouse Birding	1:00-4:30 pm
Oregon Inlet Marsh Birding	1:00-5:00 pm
Hummingbird Banding (Buxton-South)*.....	2:00-4:00 pm
Bird Drawing and Watercolor with John Sill	2:15-4:15 pm
Alligator River NWR Sunset Kayak Tour (Experienced Paddlers Only).....	5:00-7:00 pm
Kitty Hawk Bay Sunset Kayak Tour.....	5:00-7:00 pm
Owl Prowl.....	5:30-8:30 pm
Red Wolf Howling*.....	6:00-7:30 pm

Saturday October 19

Beginning Bird Photography in the Field	7:30-10:00 am
Pea Island NWR South Pond and Beach Birding.....	7:30-11:00 am
Bodie Island Lighthouse & Beach Birding.....	7:30-11:00 am
Oregon Inlet Old Coast Guard Station Birding.....	7:30-11:30 am
Oregon Inlet Marsh Birding.....	7:30-11:30 am
Pamlico Sound Birding Kayak Tour	8:00-11:00 am
Cape Hatteras Birding.....	8:00-11:30 am
Birding Portsmouth Island (Distant Trip)	8:00 am-1:00 pm
Mattamuskeet NWR Tram Tour Birding & Wildlife with Julie Zickefoose (Distant Trip)	9:00 am-noon
Oregon Inlet Pelican Island Safari Birding, Butterflies and More	9:00 am-noon
Birding 101 (Classroom & Field)	1:00-4:00 pm
Shorebirds and Waders	1:00-4:30 pm
Pea Island NWR South Pond Birding.....	1:00-4:30 pm
Bird Drawing and Watercolor with John Sill.....	2:00-4:00 pm
Hummingbird Banding (Roanoke Island-North)*	2:00-4:00 pm
Keynote Reception & Dinner with Julie Zickefoose NEW	6:00-9:00 pm

Sunday October 20

Alligator River NWR Birding and Wildlife	7:30-10:30 am
Pea Island NWR North Pond Birding.....	7:30-11:00 am



Keynote Speaker Julie Zickefoose

Writer/artist Julie Zickefoose, author of, *Letters from Eden* and *The Bluebird Effect*, is a Contributing Editor to *Bird Watcher's Digest*. Because she believes birds to be the most vibrant vessels for the life force, painting baby birds as they grow has been her favorite project to date. Her latest book is, *Baby Birds: An Artist Looks Into the*

Nest (2016). *Saving Jemima*, about a blue jay she raised and released in 2017, is due out from Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, September 10, 2019.

Julie loves to encourage people to watch birds more closely and carefully. She speaks and leads trips at a number of nature festivals around the country. And, she now leads natural history excursions to Latin America and Africa with Holbrook Travel. Julie lives on an 80-acre wildlife sanctuary in Appalachian Ohio.

The keynote talk will be about blue jays! It will be the book talk for Julie's latest book, *Saving Jemima: Life and Love With a Hard-luck Jay*. Saving a sick, orphaned nestling blue jay opened the door to their world for the author of *Saving Jemima: Life and Love With a Hard-luck Jay*. You'll never look at these boisterous, clever birds the same way after meeting Jemima in this hour-long talk. You may want to study them yourself!

WOW Encore-December 6-8

Friday December 6

Alligator River NWR Birding8:00-11:30 am
Pea Island NWR North Pond Birding8:00-11:30 am
Mattamuskeet NWR & Swan Quarter NWR Birding
(Distant Trip)8:00 am-noon
Mattamuskeet NWR Birding (Distant Trip)1:00-4:00 pm
Pea Island NWR South Pond & Beach Birding1:00-4:00 pm

Saturday December 7

Pea Island NWR South Pond & Beach Birding8:00-11:30 am
Oregon Inlet Old Coast Guard Station Birding8:00-11:30 am
Pea Island NWR & Oregon Inlet Birding8:00 am-3:00 pm
Pocosin Lakes NWR Birding10:00 am-6:00 pm
Alligator River NWR Birding1:00-4:00 pm

Sunday December 8

Alligator River NWR Birding8:00-11:30 am
Pea Island NWR North Pond Birding8:00-11:30 am

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