



MAY 21st Tule Lake Bird Festival Features Free Family Events

Free guided bus tours to local wildlife refuges, canoeing in Discovery Marsh, live bird demonstrations, children's activities and the offerings of wildlife vendors will highlight the May 21st Tule Lake Bird Festival. This year's festival will be held at the Tule Lake Refuge visitor center located 5 miles west of Tulelake, California, at 4009 Hill Road. The Festival will feature events for the entire family throughout the day including bus tours to Lower Klamath and Tule Lake Wildlife Refuges, breakfast and lunch options, free posters and other wildlife related items, children's activities, music and live bird demonstrations. Events will run throughout the day from 9:00 am to 3:30 pm. People interested in the bus tours listed below should contact refuge visitor center at (530) 667-2231 for reservations. Space is limited so call soon.

Events at the May 15th Festival will include:

Guided bus tour to Lower Klamath Refuge including a **rare opportunity to view an active Bald Eagle nest (see photo above)** (9:00 – 11:45). **Bus transportation will be provided and advanced reservations are required.** Call: (530) 667-2231.

Guided bus tour to Tule Lake Refuge and the Petroglyphs section of Lava Beds National Monument(1:15 – 3:00). **Bus transportation will be provided and advanced reservations are required.**

Guided tours to the Historic Tulelake CCC Camp (1:30 and 2:30). **Advanced reservations are required.**

Live Birds demonstrations and bird banding at the Tule Lake Refuge visitor center (9:00 – 11:00).

Morning breakfast bagels, hot drinks and lunch options sold by Tulelake seniors (8:00 – 1:00).

Children's activities for all ages will be provided throughout the day including wildlife art instruction and bird mask making.

Wildlife information stations, wildlife art.....and more. All activities except food services are free and open to the public.