

Space Coast Birding and Wildlife Festival 2024 Calendar

Color Codes

Field Trip (Land) - Green

Presentation - Pink

Outdoor Photography Class - Lime

ID Workshop - Red

Field Trip (Boat) - Light Blue

Keynote Speaker - Yellow

Indoor Photography Class Orange

Date	Time	Title	Type
Wed, Jan 24	5:00 AM - 4:00 PM	<u>Lake Apopka Northshore</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	6:15 AM - 11:30 AM	<u>Tosohatchee Wildlife Management Area</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	7:30 AM - 5:00 PM	<u>Offshore Birding and Wildlife Adventure**</u>	Field Trip (Boat)
	7:30 AM - 1:00 PM	<u>Sebastian Inlet State Park and Pelican Island NWR</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	8:00 AM - 11:30 AM	<u>Beginning Birding Field Trip at MINWR</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	8:30 AM - 3:00 PM	<u>Gulling Adventure for Landlubbers</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	<u>Flora & Fauna of Merritt Island National Wildlife Refuge</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	10:00 AM - 11:30 AM	<u>Airboat Birding Along the St Johns River</u>	Field Trip (Boat)
	12:00 PM - 1:30 PM	<u>Airboat Birding Along the St Johns River</u>	Field Trip (Boat)
	1:15 PM - 2:15 PM	<u>Digiscoping Birds & Wildlife Made Easy</u>	Presentation
	1:15 PM - 2:15 PM	<u>Steve Ingraham's 7-Fold Path to Better Birding</u>	Presentation
	1:15 PM - 2:15 PM	<u>Taking a Peek at Bird Beaks</u>	Presentation
	2:00 PM - 3:30 PM	<u>Airboat Birding Along the St Johns River</u>	Field Trip (Boat)
	2:00 PM - 4:00 PM	<u>Blue Dolphin Ultimate Boat Birding and Wildlife Journey</u>	Field Trip (Boat)

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	2:30 PM – 3:30 PM	<u>Call of The Wild: The Amazing Sounds of Florida’s Wildlife</u>	Presentation
	2:30 PM – 3:30 PM	<u>Conservation & Wildlife of the Western Caribbean, Bocas del Toro, Panama</u>	Presentation
	4:00 PM	<u>Sharon Stiteler, The Bird Chick, "Today's Office"</u>	Keynote Speaker
	4:15 PM -7:00 PM	<u>Black Rails at the St. Johns NWR</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	6:30 PM - 8:00 PM	<u>Nocturnal Nature Hike Enchanted Forest Sanctuary</u>	Field Trip (Land)
Thurs, Jan 25	5:00 AM - 4:00 PM	<u>Lake Apopka Northshore</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	5:00 AM - 4:00 PM	<u>South Counties Specialties</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	6:15 AM - 11:00 AM	<u>Shiloh’s Sharptails, Marshbirds and More</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	6:45 AM - 11:30 AM	<u>Salt Lake Wildlife Management Area Trailer Tour</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	6:45 AM - 9:00 AM	<u>10 Key Principles to Nature Photography - Orlando Wetlands Park</u>	Outdoor Photography Class
	6:45 AM - 9:00 AM	<u>Introduction to Bird Photography - Jetty Park</u>	Outdoor Photography Class
	6:45 AM - 9:00 AM	<u>Photographing Birds in Flight - Sebastian Inlet</u>	Outdoor Photography Class
	7:00 AM - 9:00 AM	<u>Golden Hour Photo Walk</u>	Outdoor Photography Class
	7:30 AM - 10:30 AM	<u>Gulls and Other Waterbirds at Jetty Park</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	8:00 AM - 11:30 AM	<u>Beginning Birding Field Trip at MINWR</u>	Field Trip (Land)

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	8:30 AM - 10:30 AM	<u>Enchanted Forest Sanctuary Day Hike</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	8:30 AM - 10:30 AM	<u>Florida Scrub Jay Hike at Cruickshank Sanctuary</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	9:30 AM - 7:30 PM	<u>Barrier Island Education Center and Pelican Island Boat Trip</u>	Field Trip (Boat)
	10:00 AM - 11:30 AM	<u>Airboat Birding Along the St Johns River</u>	Field Trip (Boat)
	10:00 AM - 7:00 PM	<u>Gull Fly-In & Marine Science Center</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	11:00 AM - 12:30 PM	<u>Light . . .Shadow . . .Background (Part 1)</u>	Indoor Photography Class
	12:00 PM - 1:30 PM	<u>Airboat Birding Along the St Johns River</u>	Field Trip (Boat)
	1:00 PM - 2:30 PM	<u>Texas: Big State with Big Diversity Exploring the Natural Beauty of Texas Through the Lens</u>	Indoor Photography Class
	1:15 PM – 2:15 PM	<u>Battles of Midway Atoll – Restoring paradise for seabirds and birdwatchers</u>	Presentation
	1:15 PM – 2:15 PM	<u>Seabirds: Helping Save the Oceans? Emerging Science Suggests It's Possible</u>	Presentation
	1:15 PM – 2:15 PM	<u>Mixing Birding and Photography – yes, you can!</u>	Presentation
	2:00 PM - 3:30 PM	<u>Eastern Warbler Workshop with Kevin T. Karlson</u>	ID Workshop
	2:00 PM - 3:30 PM	<u>Airboat Birding Along the St Johns River</u>	Field Trip (Boat)
	2:00 PM - 6:00 PM	<u>Blue Dolphin Ultimate Boat Birding and Wildlife Journey</u>	Field Trip (Boat)
	2:30 PM – 3:30 PM	<u>Bird Migration in Iberia (Portugal & Spain)</u>	Presentation
	2:30 PM – 3:30 PM	<u>Tourism and Birdwatching in Uganda</u>	Presentation
	2:30 PM – 3:30 PM	<u>What Unique Bird Beauties We Have in Florida!</u>	Presentation

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	4:00 PM	<u>Kevin Loughlin and John C. Kricher, Co-Authors, "Galapagos Islands, A Journey of Wonder"</u>	Keynote Speaker
	4:00 PM - 6:00 PM	<u>Golden Hour Photo Walk</u>	Outdoor Photography Class
	4:15 PM -7:00 PM	<u>Black Rails at the St. Johns NWR</u>	Field Trip (Land)
Fri, Jan 26	5:00 AM - 4:00 PM	<u>Central Florida Specialties</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	6:15 AM - 11:30 AM	<u>Tosohatchee Wildlife Management Area</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	6:30 AM - 2:00 PM	<u>Manatees of Blue Spring and St. Johns River Cruise</u>	Field Trip (Boat)
	6:45 AM - 9:00 AM	<u>Introduction to Bird Photography - Orlando Wetlands Park</u>	Outdoor Photography Class
	6:45 AM - 9:00 AM	<u>Creative Photography Using Creative In-Camera Techniques - Parrish Park Boat Ramp</u>	Outdoor Photography Class
	6:45 AM - 11:30 AM	<u>Salt Lake Wildlife Management Area Trailer Tour</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	7:00 AM - 9:00 AM	<u>Easy Bird & Wildlife Photography with the OM System OM-1 - Orlando Wetlands Park</u>	Outdoor Photography Class
	7:30 AM - 12:00 PM	<u>Orlando Wetlands Park Trailer Tour</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	8:00 AM - 11:30 AM	<u>Beginning Birding Field Trip at MINWR</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	8:00 AM - 12:00 PM	<u>Farewell Celebrity Walk with Kevin Karlson</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	8:30 AM - 11 AM	<u>Winter Waders, Warblers and Waterfowl at Sams House</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	9:00 AM - 2:00 PM	<u>Shorebirds of the Carr Refuge</u>	Field Trip (Land)

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	10:00 AM - 11:30 AM	<u>Airboat Birding Along the St Johns River</u>	Field Trip (Boat)
	11:00 AM - 12:30 PM	<u>Light . . .Shadow . . .Background (Part 2)</u>	Indoor Photography Class
	12:00 PM - 1:30 PM	<u>Airboat Birding Along the St Johns River</u>	Field Trip (Boat)
	12:00 PM – 1:00 PM	<u>Sparrow Identification</u>	Presentation
	1:00 PM - 2:30 PM	<u>Photographing Birds in Flight</u>	Indoor Photography Class
	1:15 PM – 2:15 PM	<u>Beginning Tips for Photographing Birds</u>	Presentation
	1:15 PM – 2:15 PM	<u>Demystifying Birding in Colombia – One Bird at a Time</u>	Presentation
	1:15 PM – 2:15 PM	<u>Smartphone Birding</u>	Presentation
	2:00 PM - 3:30 PM	<u>Airboat Birding Along the St Johns River</u>	Field Trip (Boat)
	2:00 PM - 4:00 PM	<u>Blue Dolphin Ultimate Boat Birding and Wildlife Journey</u>	Field Trip (Boat)
	2:30 PM – 3:30 PM	<u>Conservation Culture of the Kennedy Administration</u>	Presentation
	2:30 PM – 3:30 PM	<u>Secrets of the Sandhills: Life History of Florida Sandhill Cranes</u>	Presentation
	2:30 PM – 3:30 PM	<u>Tracking Birds for Conservation Studies</u>	Presentation
	3:00 PM - 4:30 PM	<u>Birds of Nome</u>	Indoor Photography Class
	4:00 PM	<u>Laurilee Thompson, The Story of Rock Shrimp, Calico Scallops and Preserving the Oculina Coral Ban</u>	Keynote Speaker
	4:00 PM-6:00 PM	<u>Photographing Birds in Flight - Sebastian Inlet</u>	Outdoor Photography Class

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Sat, Jan 27	5:00 AM - 4:00 PM	<u>South Counties Specialties</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	6:15 AM - 11:00 AM	<u>Shiloh's Sharptails, Marshbirds and More</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	6:45 AM - 9:00 AM	<u>10 Key Principles to Nature Photography – Merritt Island NWR</u>	Outdoor Photography Class
	6:45 AM - 9:00 AM	<u>Photographing Birds in Flight Orlando Wetlands Park</u>	Outdoor Photography Class
	7:00 AM - 9:00 AM	<u>Easy Bird & Wildlife Photography with the OM System OM-1 - Orlando Wetlands Park</u>	Outdoor Photography Class
	7:00 AM - 9:00 AM	<u>Golden Hour Photo Walk - Orlando Wetlands Park</u>	Outdoor Photography Class
	7:00 AM - 10:30 AM	<u>Blue Heron Wetlands Self-Driving Tour</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	7:30 AM - 12:00 PM	<u>Orlando Wetlands Park Trailer Tour</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	8:00 AM - 11:30 AM	<u>Smyrna Dunes Park</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	8:30 AM - 3:00 PM	<u>Gulling Adventure for Landlubbers</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	9:00 AM - 11:30 AM	<u>Horseshoe Crabs Titusville Causeway – More than Just Shorebirds...</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	10:00 AM - 11:30 AM	<u>Airboat Birding Along the St Johns River</u>	Field Trip (Boat)
	11:00 AM - 12:30 PM	<u>Peru is for the Birds</u>	Indoor Photography Class
	12:00 PM - 1:30 PM	<u>Airboat Birding Along the St Johns River</u>	Field Trip (Boat)
	12:00 PM – 1:00 PM	<u>Beach Birds Identification</u>	Presentation

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	1:00 PM - 2:30 PM	<u>Body Position, Light, & Angle: Tips for Photographing Wildlife</u>	Indoor Photography Class
	1:15 PM – 2:15 PM	<u>Introduction to Florida Spiders</u>	Presentation
	1:15 PM – 2:15 PM	<u>Seabird Horizons: The Edges of Discovery in Marine Bird Biology and Conservation</u>	Presentation
	1:15 PM – 2:15 PM	<u>Name That Bird: Creating New Names for North American Birds</u>	Presentation
	2:00 PM - 3:30 PM	<u>Airboat Birding Along the St Johns River</u>	Field Trip (Boat)
	2:00 PM - 4:00 PM	<u>American Birding Association Young Birders Space Coast Adventure</u>	Field Trip (Boat)
	2:30 PM – 3:30 PM	<u>A Digiscoping Big Year. A quest to photograph over 1,000 bird species through a spotting scope!</u>	Presentation
	2:30 PM – 3:30 PM	<u>Antarctica: Seven ways to visit the 7th Continent</u>	Presentation
	2:30 PM – 3:30 PM	<u>Conservation at Brevard Zoo</u>	Presentation
	3:00 PM - 4:30 PM	<u>Winter Wildlife Photography in Japan: Exploring the Abundance and Beauty of Japanese Wildlife</u>	Indoor Photography Class
	3:30 PM - 6:00 PM	<u>Low Angle Bird Photography Jetty Park</u>	Outdoor Photography Class
	4:00 PM	<u>Kevin Karlson, Wildlife Photographer, Guide and Author, “Reflections of a Grateful Birder”</u>	Keynote Speaker
	4:00 PM - 6:00 PM	<u>Golden Hour Photo Walk - Orlando Wetlands Park</u>	Outdoor Photography Class
	4:00 PM - 8:00 PM	<u>Owls and Rails of Merritt Island NWR</u>	Field Trip (Land)

Date	Time	Title	Type
Sun, Jan 28	5:00 AM - 4:00 PM	<u>Central Florida Specialties</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	5:30 AM - 3:00 PM	<u>T. M. Goodwin Wildlife Management Area</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	7:00 AM - 10:30 AM	<u>Blue Heron Wetlands Self-Driving Tour</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	8:00 AM - 11:30 AM	<u>Smyrna Dunes Park</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	8:30 AM - 12:30 PM	<u>Black Point Wildlife Drive & Cruickshank Trail</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	<u>Betty Salter Trail at The Great Outdoors</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	9:00 AM - 11:00 AM	<u>Dicerandra Scrub Preserve</u>	Field Trip (Land)
	10:00 AM - 11:30 AM	<u>Airboat Birding Along the St Johns River</u>	Field Trip (Boat)
	12:00 PM - 1:30 PM	<u>Airboat Birding Along the St Johns River</u>	Field Trip (Boat)
	12:00 PM - 4:00 PM	<u>Beach Birds Boat Trip on the Halifax River</u>	Field Trip (Boat)
	2:00 PM - 3:30 PM	<u>Airboat Birding Along the St Johns River</u>	Field Trip (Boat)