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Raptor Flight Show and White Mountain Nature Center

Email Newsletter ~ October 23, 2022

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Raptor Show news for this week:

- Astro is out for audiences to see!
- Lots of Funky Experiences lately
- www.wmnature.org Events calendar will indicate if we are Open/Closed each day. We are closed for sure Oct 23, 24 & 25.
- Now we get a porta-potty? Better late than never!

If you want to donate, <u>Click here</u> and then click the Raptor Show Donation button - <u>we need your help</u> to feed and care for our show ambassadors and to build their new enclosures and viewing area.

Thank you so much!

Astro is Out for Audiences to Enjoy!!

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Astro is putting on quite a show every day when he comes out.

Amazing speed and agility, plus beautiful colors and markings make for a spectacular exhibition! He is doing extraordinarily well on his



training, coming quickly when cued, and anticipating where the next cue will be. As a special treat he gets a quail wing when he returns home. We started tossing it up in the air so he can catch it upside down!



Lots of young people have come out to experience a Eurasian Eagle Owl on their arm! A bit heavy? Funky is gaining weight for winter; 5 lbs now!



Having a staring contest with an owl is not a good idea. There's no way to win since they have a third, totally transparent, eyelid they can blink!

Training Exhibitions Depending On Weather Conditions

Schedule Until Spring - Weather will determine public open days.

Check the calendar at: www.wmnature.org

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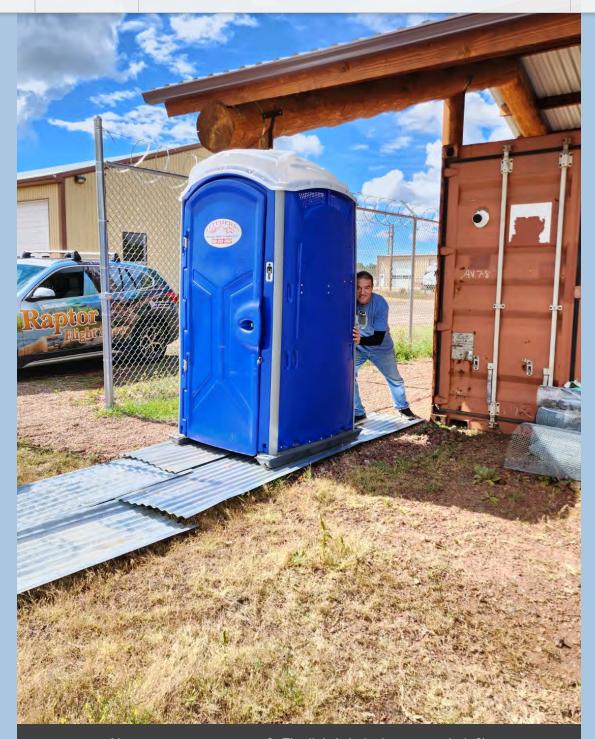


FREE Training Shows ~ 3:00 to 4:30 PM Weather Permitting.

Come see our amazing birds fly and perform natural behaviors on cue. Ask questions about modern "animal choice" training.

Use the driveway just South of the Nature Center to park next to the Rehab Bldg.

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Now we get a porta-potty? Finally! (who's the mover dude?)



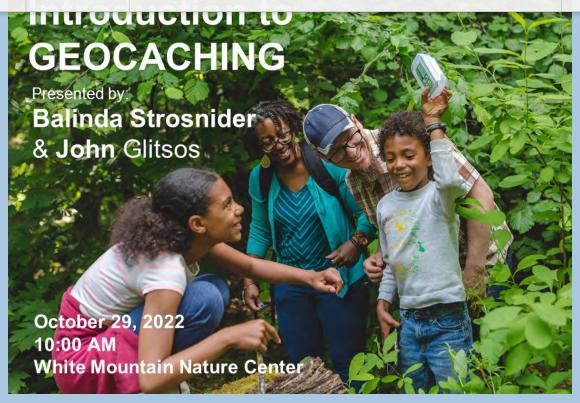
Finance/Accounting ~ The Nature Center needs you!

A vacancy in the Treasurer position will occur at the end of this year QuickBooks knowledge required. Must attend monthly Board Meetings. Email: president@wmnature.org with your qualifications



An intrepid group of hikers led by Rick Gagnon prepares to hit the trail on October 22nd. Wait! Some of us are studying the nearby pre-hike flora! A great time was had by all...

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Ever wondered about Geocaching? Noticed weird people searching your lawn or the park across the street? Wanted something fun to do when Grandchildren show up?

Geocaching may just be the ticket! It is a treasure-hunt game played by millions of people around the world that gets people outdoors, is equally fun for all ages, and inspires a new way to look at the world around us. You can play on vacation, at home, or even with friends – anywhere and anytime.

Longtime enthusiasts Balinda Strosnider, John Glitsos and Jeanne Harris will introduce you to the game at the Nature Center at 10 AM with a quick video presentation. You should **bring your smartphone** to load the Geocaching App on it during the intro (it is FREE). You will need a nick-name for yourself – John's is GreekEagle and Balinda's is PurplePaws. Think of something fun, that kinda points to you (if someone knows you well).

After the presentation we will go out and Find a Geocache! Bring a pencil, tweezers, gloves, and other small tools you might find useful. We will find at least one, and if you want to get in your car and drive a few blocks, at least one more.

This event is FREE.

