

Rathrevor Beach - July 2015 Programs & Events Schedule

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
2:30pm – Jerry Rangers (JR): at the NATURE HOUSE -Jerry's rangers are short (30min-1hr) programs for kids (5-12yrs) that help them to appreciate the nature of the park, to take care of the planet and to be healthy, active park-using kids! Earn a certificate, stickers and other goodies and become an official Jerry's Ranger!!! <i>Parents please accompany your child.</i> 7:30pm- Evening Programs: at the AMPHITHEATRE - Join us at 7:30 for these entertaining and informative programs for all ages. NOTE: Programs are weather permitting and are subject to change. Check with us at the Nature House: (250) 248-3198 to confirm daily programs.					26 2:30pm - JR: History Hound 7:30pm – The Rath of Science	27 2:30pm - JR: Nature Nut 7:30pm – Fee Fi Foe Friend BINGO
28 2:30pm - JR Leave no Trace 7:30pm – Charlotte's Web	29 2:30pm - JR: Happy Hiker 7:30pm – Supplies from the Sea	30 2:30pm - JR: Recycler 7:30pm – How not to die in the Woods	1 2:30pm - JR: Safety Sense 7:30pm – Guest Speaker: Live Owl Talk!	2 2:30pm - JR: People Pleaser 7:30pm – You Dung me Wrong	3 2:30pm - JR: Climate Champion 7:30pm – Bear Country 101 & 9pm – MOVIE NIGHT	4 2:30pm - JR: Careful Camper 7:30pm – Feisty Flora
5 2:30pm - JR: Let it be 7:30pm –Wildlife Tree Hotel	6 2:30pm - JR: Bear Aware 7:30pm – Let's get dirty, we're going underground	7 2:30pm - JR: Protecting Places 7:30pm – The Rath of Science	8 2:30pm – JR: History Hound 7:30pm – Guest Speaker: Live Owl Talk!	9 2:30pm - JR: Nature Nut 7:30pm – Getting down to "Beesness"	10 2:30pm - JR: Leave no Trace 7:30pm – You can't tune a Bird	11 2:30pm - JR: Happy Hiker 7:30pm – How not to die in the Woods
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Program Descriptions Etc:

Bear Country 101 - Learn about the wondrous world of bears in our own backyard. Welcome to Bear Country

Charlotte's Web – Learn just how amazing our local spiders are; jumping, hunting and hugging their way through our forests! Warning cute content.

Fee Fi Foe Friend BINGO – Who doesn't love a game of Bingo!

Feisty Flora – Deadly poisons, acid-tipped barbs, self-sealing walls – are these 007's newest spy tools? Nope, they're some of the incredible protective defense mechanisms of local plants! It's a tough world out there for a plant, come see how these *Feisty Flora* are fighting back.

Getting down to "Bees"ness – No matter which job, the life of a bee is all business. Find out which one you're most like!

How NOT to Die in the Woods - The forest is a wonderful place to visit, and overall, a pretty safe place to be. However, not respecting the woods can be a recipe for disaster! Learn about the hidden threats lurking in nature, and how to avoid these dangers so your outdoor adventures remain death-free.

Let's get dirty, we're going underground - The soil beneath our feet is more alive than you could possibly imagine! Learn about the creatures that live, graze, hunt, and prosper, all under the ground we walk on, and the soil itself, which sustains and nourishes the world we live in.

Predator and Prey - Ever wonder how you would survive in the wildly viscous world of predator and prey? Come and find out at tonight's thrilling program.

Octopus VS Squids - Go 12 rounds with these two competitors to find out who is smarter and stronger. Ding ding!

Rathrevor's Got Talent – We turn the stage over to our talented campers. It is your night to shine!

Supplies from the Sea - What extracts from the oceans are hiding in our food, products, and medicines, and why are sea products so important?

Marvelous to Murderous - Learn about the fascinating way mushrooms reproduce and about tasty vs. toxic local species.

The Rath of Science – Crazy chemical reactions! Startling displays of physics! See the power of science on display, and learn a bit about how the world works through demonstrations of the laws of nature.

Wildlife Tree Hotel - You will never look at the forest the same way again after attending the key party for the Wildlife Tree resort (WTR). A real estate specialist will share highlights of the W.T.R. from its industry leading green construction to its special features and high occupancy rates! Don't forget: Dead trees are real trees too!

You Can't Tune a Bird – How many different bird songs can you hear? Have you ever wondered who's making those? Learn some of the most common songbirds on VI by sight and sound.

You Dung me Wrong - Dung beetles: their intentions are good, but they're oh so misunderstood! Come and discover why you should learn to love the dung beetle and its passion for poop!

***MOVIE NIGHT** – Movie in the park; amphitheatre style! **Snacks and drinks by donation** – all proceeds go to the Nature House & Programs.

***GUEST SPEAKERS** – Community members and groups presenting guest programs incl: Royal Astronomical Society of Canada, North Island Wildlife Recovery Association (**Live Owl!** – Come visit with our feathered friend from the North Island Wildlife Recovery Centre)

***Parks Day – Special Event** – Join us as we celebrate all parks. Events include a campground parade, BBQ & Cake by Donation! Schedule TBA

***Tour de Rathrevor – Special Events-** Join us for a number of different events throughout the week as we fundraise in support of Tour de Rock. We believe all kids should get to go camping and we love that Tour de Rock helps kids with cancer have a camping experience. Please bring your bike and helmets. Schedules TBA