Everglades

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Flamingo Ranger-Guided Programs
December 18, 2013 through March 29, 2014

Program Description	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
Canoe the Wilderness – 8:00 a.m., 3.5 hours. Reservations are strongly recommended (up to 7 days in advance). Be prepared to drive to the canoe site. Minimum age to paddle 14 years old. Canoes, paddles, and life vests are provided. For more information and to sign up for a trip, go to the Flamingo Visitor Center or call (239) 695-2945. Not offered 12/19	8am	8am	8am	8am	8am	8am	8am
Early Bird Walk – 8:00 a.m., 2.5 hours. Join us for an easy stroll to observe the birds of the Flamingo area. Meet at the Flamingo Visitor Center and be prepared to drive. Bring binoculars (if you have them).		8am	8am	8am	8am		
Big Day Birding Adventure – 8:00 a.m., 6 hours. Ask at visitor centers for full description, or call (239) 695-3092 or (239) 695-2945. *Offered 12/21, 1/4, 1/18, 2/1, 2/15, 3/1, 3/15, 3/29							8am*
Croc Talk – 1:30 p.m., 30 minutes. Flamingo is America's "Crocodile Capital." Meet in front of the Marina Store to learn about these rare reptiles, and for a possible view of the real thing! ♿			1:30 pm		1:30 pm		1:30 pm
Manatee Talk – 1:30 p.m., 30 minutes. Flamingo is manatee country! Meet at the benches below the Visitor Center for a talk about these marine mammals…and a chance to see one in person. ♿	1:30 pm					1:30 pm	
Python Talk – 1:30 p.m., 30 minutes. Yes, pythons are really here, not that we want them. Get past the hype to learn the real story about pythons in the Everglades. ♿		1:30 pm		1:30 pm			
Discovery Walk – 1:30 p.m., 2.5 hours. Join a ranger to explore the Everglades. May involve walking a mile or more. Check at the Flamingo Visitor Center or call (239) 695-2945 for program details and location. Prepare for mosquitoes.			1:30 pm				1:30 pm
Car Caravan – 1:30 p.m., 2.5 hours. Meet at the Flamingo Visitor Center for this drive to various stops along the road to experience the Everglades. Be prepared to drive your own vehicle.	1:30 pm			1:30 pm			
Tropical Trees Walk – 1:30 p.m., 2 hours. Take an easy stroll to learn about Flamingo's Caribbean plants and trees. Meet at the Flamingo Visitor Center.					1:30 pm		
The Mobile Museum – 1:30 p.m., 2 hours. Stop by the Flamingo Visitor Center any time between 1:30 and 3:30 p.m. to marvel at this diverse collection of natural history paraphernalia.		1:30 pm				1:30 pm	
Naturalist's Knapsack – 3:30 p.m., 30 minutes. Learn about those things which make the Everglades a special place. Check at the Visitor Center for program topics. Meet at the benches below the Flamingo Visitor Center. ♿	3:30 pm	3:30 pm	3:30 pm	3:30 pm		3:30 pm	3:30 pm
Evening Program – 7:00 p.m. (8:00 p.m. starting March 9), 1 hour. Join a ranger to unlock the secrets of Flamingo's natural and cultural history. Check the Visitor Center or campground for program topics and meeting location. ♿	7:00 pm 12/17-3/8 8:00 pm 3/9-3/29		7:00 pm 12/17-3/8 8:00 pm 3/9-3/29		7:00 pm 12/17-3/8 8:00 pm 3/9-3/29	7:00 pm 12/17-3/8 8:00 pm 3/9-3/29	7:00 pm 12/17-3/8 8:00 pm 3/9-3/29

All activities are free of charge, reservations needed only for specified programs; **schedule subject to change**.