



Ranger Walks and Talks

August 20 - 25

NPS/USFS Interpretive Partnership



Campground Programs

- **Bonito Campground, Friday, August 23**
7:30-8:15 pm. **Dragon in the Desert.** NPS ranger Steven Rossi will present his beautiful program about the horned lizard. Amphitheater.
- **Pine Grove Campground, Saturday, August 24**
3:00-3:45 pm. **Nature Walk.** A fun 45-minute nature walk through the Pine Grove campground. No dogs please. Meet at the amphitheater parking lot.
- **Dairy Springs Campground, Saturday, August 24**
7:30-8:15 pm. **Secrets of the Osprey.** A closer look at one of Arizona's specialized fish-eating raptors. Amphitheater.



Arizona Snowbowl



- **Friday, August 23 through Sunday, August 25**
10:00 am-4:00 pm. **Ranger Talks Atop the Scenic Chairlift Ride.** The grandest view in the Southwest at 11,500 feet elevation. 928-779-1951. www.arizonasnowbowl.com

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- **Tuesday, August 20**
9:00-10:30 am. **Ft. Valley Experimental Forest Station Wildflower Walk.** Enjoy this summer's lush wildflowers at the historic US Forest Service Research Station. Easy 1 mile walk with USFS interpretive rangers Lois Hirst, Karen Malis-Clark, and Volney White. Go 1.1 miles past Snowbowl Road turnoff on Hwy 180. Research Station is on the left. 527-8260.
- **Friday, August 23**
7:30-9:30 am. **Bird Walk at Kachina Wetlands.** Join birders USFS ranger Judi Irons and Celia Holm at the Pumphouse Greenway where we can see birds from different types of habitats, especially those water loving species. Bring binoculars. Take I-17 south to the Kachina Blvd. exit. At the bottom of the exit ramp turn right, then immediately turn right again on Tovar Trail. Follow Tovar Trail for 1.4 miles to its end at a metal gate. Just before the gate turn right into a fenced, cindered parking under some ponderosa pines. Park there. Difficulty: easy. 527-8660
- **Sunday, August 25**
8:30-11:30 am. **Babbitt Spring Hike.** Join interpretive rangers Bill and Ellen Wade for a moderate 3-mile hike through ponderosas and along Upper Lake Mary shore to historic Babbitt Spring and remnants of pioneer John Clark's cabin. Meet at the parking lot adjacent to Upper Lake Mary dam (milepost 333.5). 527-8260.



Information? Scroll down to "Features" on the CNF website at www.fs.usda.gov/coconino or call 928-527- 8260

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