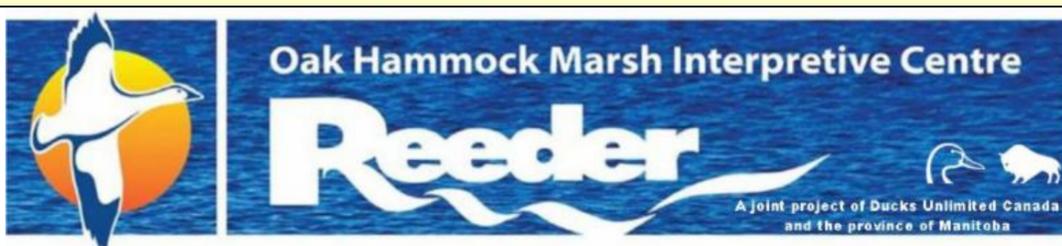


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## Join our list

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**Greetings!**

Welcome to the Oak Hammock Marsh Interpretive Centre Newsletter. Here are some upcoming and noteworthy events happening this month.

**Canada Day**

July 1

Celebrate Canada's birthday at the marsh.

Enjoy a slice of **Canada Day Cake** at **2 p.m.**, have the Canadian flag or favourite animal painted on your cheeks by one of our artistic nature interpreters.



Test your knowledge with our games and quizzes about our great country.

Remember the Log Driver's Waltz? Watch your favourite vignette as well as many other Canadian content films in the comfort of our Theatre.

Explore some lesser-known parts of the marsh from a **horse-drawn wagon** from **12:30 to 3:30 p.m.** Extra fee of \$5 for non-members of the Interpretive Centre and \$3 for members for this half-hour to forty-five minute ride.

Participate in a guided canoe adventure (\$3 for members and \$5 for non-members) or rent your own canoe (\$10 for 45 minutes).

[For more information about this event](#)**Wild Edibles Workshop**

July 10 - 10 a.m.

Discover the culinary potential of some of the common plants of the marsh. Learn how to prepare and taste the delicious results.

This workshop will definitely teach you something unique that you can then use on a regular basis at home to impress your friends and family.



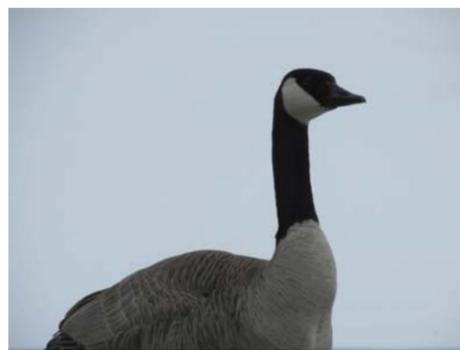
The fee for this workshop is only **\$15 per person plus admission. Pre-registration is required.**

[For more information about this event](#)**Goose on the Loose**

July 16 - 1 p.m.

Bruce the Goose is on the loose!

Help us find the missing goose during a family-oriented scavenger hunt throughout the marsh. Gather clues and participate in fun challenges to solve the mystery and be the first one to find the whereabouts of our Goose on the Loose.



Participants must be on-site **before 1 p.m.** to receive their instructions.

[For more information about this event](#)**Terrestrial Insects Workshop**

July 17, 1 to 3 p.m.

Discover the hidden world of insects.

Learn about the fascinating world of invertebrates and their habitats. This hands-on workshop will teach and demonstrate several sampling techniques and will be followed by a catch-and-release insect sampling walk and a close-up look using our micro-video.



This workshop is available for all ages. **Workshop fee: \$10 plus admission**

[For more information about this workshop](#)**Butterfly Identification Workshop**

July 23 - 1 p.m.

**Oak Hammock Marsh** is home to a natural tall-grass prairie featuring numerous wildflowers. These flowers attract a multitude of beautiful and colourful butterflies.



Join our Resident Naturalist, Paula Grief, during this workshop as she will teach you some basic tricks to help you identify these butterflies.

**Pre-registration is required.**  
Workshop fee is **\$5 plus admission.**

[For more information about this workshop](#)

#### Hazy Lazy Days of Summer

July 30, 31 and August 1

Enjoy the last long weekend of summer at the marsh. Participate in a guided canoe adventure or rent your own canoe to explore the marsh at your own pace.



Catch some bugs from the marsh and observe them under our micro-video.

Participate in our milk carton boat race or challenge your friends to a toe-dipping contest in our artesian spring!

[For more information about this event](#)

#### Camp for Kids

July and August

Camp is a great way to gather precious memories and build special friendships that will last a lifetime! The **Oak Hammock Marsh Interpretive Centre** offers camps for kids of all ages during the summer. We have a variety of age- appropriate camps to choose from throughout July and August:



**Cattail Camp:** ages 5 to 7 - Animal detective, puzzle hunt, crafts, games, and more!

**Blackbird Camp:** ages 8 to 10 - Games, scavenger hunts and a cool craft. Don't miss out!

**Wetland Adventure Camp:** ages 11 to 13 - Compass scavenger hunt, survival skills, canoeing, and geocaching!

[For more information or to register](#)

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