

Flamingo Ranger Programs

Everglades National Park, Florida
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View the park calendar to learn about programs and events not listed below.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
8:30 Birding Bonanza	8:30 Birding Bonanza	8:30 Birding Bonanza	8:30 Birding Bonanza	8:30 Birding Bonanza	8:30 Birding Bonanza	8:30 Birding Bonanza
8:30 Paddling in Paradise	8:30 Paddling in Paradise	8:30 Paddling in Paradise	8:30 Paddling in Paradise	10:00 Curious About Critters?	8:30 Paddling in Paradise	8:30 Paddling in Paradise
11:00 Everglades Forever	11:00 Everglades Forever	11:00 Everglades Forever	11:00 Everglades Forever	11:00 Everglades Forever	11:00 Everglades Forever	11:00 Everglades Forever
12:00 Florida Bay Boat Tour	12:00 Florida Bay Boat Tour	12:00 Florida Bay Boat Tour	12:00 Florida Bay Boat Tour	12:00 Florida Bay Boat Tour	12:00 Florida Bay Boat Tour	12:00 Florida Bay Boat Tour
2:00 Curious About Critters?	2:00 Curious About Critters?	2:00 Curious About Critters?	2:00 Curious About Critters?	2:00 Curious About Critters?	2:00 Curious About Critters?	2:00 Curious About Critters?
3:00 Ranger's Choice!	3:00 Ranger's Choice!	3:00 Ranger's Choice!	3:00 Ranger's Choice!	3:00 Ranger's Choice!	3:00 Ranger's Choice!	3:00 Ranger's Choice!
Times Vary: Evening Program	Times Vary: Evening Program	Times Vary: Evening Program	Times Vary: Evening Program	Times Vary: Evening Program	Times Vary: Special Programs Evening Program Crocs & the Cosmos	Times Vary: Special Programs Evening Program Crocs & the Cosmos

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PROGRAM TITLE	DESCRIPTION
<p>BIRDING BONANZA</p>	<p>8:30 am daily. 1 hour. Free. Meet at Guy Bradley Visitor Center. Grab your binoculars and discover the incredible birds of Flamingo. From wading shorebirds to colorful songbirds, learn to identify and appreciate the park’s feathered residents. Beginner birders welcome! Cameras, binoculars, and insect protection are encouraged.</p>
<p>PADDLING IN PARADISE</p>	<p>9 am Friday-Wednesday. 3 hours. Free. Reservations required. Explore Florida Bay (very strenuous, ages 16+) or Nine-Mile Pond (moderately strenuous, ages 12+) by kayak or canoe! This strenuous trip will glide through the waters of Flamingo and experience the beauty of this iconic ecosystem. All paddling equipment is provided. Visit our calendar at nps.gov/ever to reserve.</p>
<p>EVERGLADES FOREVER</p>	<p>11 am daily. 1 hour. Free. Meet at Guy Bradley Visitor Center. Everglades Forever takes you on a journey through the wonders and challenges of this unique ecosystem. Explore its wildlife, history, habitats, and conservation efforts through programs that connect Flamingo to the larger Everglades.</p>
<p>FLORIDA BAY BOAT TOUR</p>	<p>12 pm daily. 90 min. \$ Tickets required. Meet at Flamingo Marina. Join us for a guided boat tour on Florida Bay to explore the Marjory Stoneman Douglas Wilderness. Learn about the fascinating history, including Guy Bradley’s legacy, while searching for a variety of bird species, crocodiles, and other wildlife. Tickets can be purchased at the Activities Booth (small green building) in the Flamingo Marina, online at flamingoeverglades.com, or over the phone at 855-708-2207. More naturalist-guided boat tours are available throughout the day, but do not include a park ranger.</p>
<p>CURIOUS ABOUT CRITTERS?</p>	<p>2 pm daily and 10 am on Thursdays. Free. Find a Ranger in the Flamingo Marina. Learn about the fantastic fauna of Flamingo! Rangers will be in the Marina to point out any wild animals that appear. Rangers may even have a mobile museum!</p>
<p>RANGER’S CHOICE!</p>	<p>3 pm daily. 1 hour. Free. Meet at Guy Bradley Visitor Center. Every day brings a new adventure with Ranger’s Choice. Join us for an engaging program where our rangers share their favorite stories, wildlife, or hidden gems of the Everglades. Ask a park ranger about today’s topics.</p>
<p>EVENING PROGRAM</p>	<p>Daily. 1 hour. Free. Location, time, and topic vary. Experience the Everglades after dark with stories, wildlife, and natural history to discover a new side of Flamingo. Insect protection is strongly encouraged. Ask a park ranger for more details or check our calendar online at nps.gov/ever or in the NPS app.</p>
<p>CROCS & THE COSMOS</p>	<p>Fridays and Saturdays. 1 hour. Free. Location and time vary. Gaze into the Everglades night sky and discover the stories written in the stars. Join us to learn about nocturnal species and the wonders of the cosmos above Flamingo. Ask a park ranger for more details or check our calendar online at nps.gov/ever or in the NPS app.</p>
<p>SPECIAL PROGRAMS</p>	<p>Throughout the season, we’ll host special events and programs that aren’t advertised above. Ask a ranger at the Guy Bradley Visitor Center, call (239) 695-2945, or check our calendar on nps.gov/ever or in the NPS app.</p>