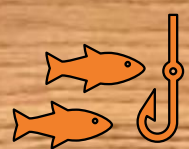




OWLS



**Outdoor Weekend Learning Seminars
 (For Families)**



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Overview

General Information

EYCC will be offering two OWLS for families with children in 3rd – 12th grade per year. The programs start on Friday evening and end on Sunday afternoon. Food and lodging are included in the program cost. EYCC can host up to 10 families per seminar. Each family is assigned to one of our air-conditioned bunk house style cabins.

Families must register online first by the registration deadline for each OWLS. Participants will be selected based on a lottery system and notified no later than the Wednesday after online registration ends. Selected families will complete the registration forms in this packet to complete the registration process.

Register online here: <http://www.fyccn.org/owls>

Fall 2022 – Spring 2023 Program Offerings



Camping Weekend: November 4th – 6th

Families of all camping experience levels are welcome! This seminar includes hands on instruction in camping skills, wildlife viewing, and leave no trace principals. The experience culminates in a one-night camping trip in EYCC's beautiful hardwood hammock. Online registration ends at 11:59 p.m. on 10/14/2022. Names will be drawn and those selected will be contacted after 10/14/2022. If you are not notified by 10/19/2022, you were not selected for this event.



Fishing Weekend: March 24th – 26th

This seminar is intended for beginner level anglers, but families with all experience levels are welcome. This seminar is designed to provide families with all the skills they need to know to go freshwater fishing. Our hands on sessions include instruction in equipment, laws and regulations, fishing skills, sustainable practices, and fishing opportunities in EYCC's ponds. Online registration ends at 11:59 p.m. on 03/03/2023. Names will be drawn and those selected will be contacted after 03/03/2023. If you are not notified by 03/08/2023, you were not selected for this event.

Seminar Costs and Schedule

Dates

Program	Date	Payment Deadline	Cost of Program
Camping Weekend	November 4 th – 6 th (register online by Oct. 14 th)	October 28 th	\$100 per adult \$75 per child 12-18 years old
Fishing Weekend	March 24 th – 26 th (register online by March 3 rd)	March 17 th	\$50 per child 7-11 years old

Tentative Schedule

Friday (Dinner is not provided Friday Evening)

6:00pm – 7:30pm Arrival/Registration/Settle into tents and cabins
 7:30 pm Welcome/Introduction/Presentation
 9:30 pm Free Time/Off to Bed

Saturday

8:30 am Breakfast
 9:30 am Activity Rotation
 12:30 pm Lunch/Free Time
 2:00 pm Activity Rotation
 5:30 pm Free Time
 6:30 pm Dinner
 7:30 pm Evening Program

Sunday

8:30 am Breakfast
 9:30 am Activity Rotation
 12:30 pm Lunch and Closing Ceremony
 2:00 pm Departure

Note: the program may be canceled if we do not meet the minimum requirement of 15 participants by the registration deadline. Invite a friend!

O.W.L.S Registration

Step 1: register online at <http://www.fyccn.org/owls>

Step 2: Family Information

Adult Name			
Adult Name			
Child Name		Age:	M F
Child Name		Age:	M F
Child Name		Age:	M F
Family Address			
Contact Phone Number			
Email Address			

Program	Payment Deadline	# of adults x\$100	# of children (12-18 years old) x\$75	# of children (7-11 years old) x\$50	Sub-Total
Camping Weekend November 4 th – 6 th (Register online by Oct. 14 th)	October 28 th				
Fishing Weekend March 24 th – 26 th (Register online by March 3 rd)	March 17 th				
Please make check payable to the Fish and Wildlife Foundation of Florida				Grand Total:	4

O.W.L.S Registration

Step 3: Assumption of Risk (complete one for each participant)

Participant Name:		
Circle One:	Adult	Child
In Case of Emergency Please Notify:		
Emergency Contact Phone		
Emergency Contact Address, City, State, ZIP		

ASSUMPTION OF RISK

I certify that I am in good health and capable of full participation in the activities at the Everglades Youth Conservation Camp. I am aware that during planned activities and/or instruction courses, that I am participating in under the arrangements made by my rental use group or organization at the Everglades Youth Conservation Camp, certain dangers may occur, including but not limited to physical exertion and contact with water, plants, insects and animal life associated with out-of-doors activities, and any type of labor or practices associated with volunteer work.

In consideration of, and as part payment for, my participation in such trips or other services and activities arranged for me at the Everglades Youth Conservation Camp, I will and do hereby assume all of the above mentioned risks, and will hold the Everglades Youth Conservation Camp, Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, Florida Wildlife Foundation, the State of Florida and its employees, agents, officers, and volunteers harmless from and against any and all liability, actions, causes of actions, debts and claims and demands of every nature whatsoever which may arise from or in connection with my participation in these activities.

Signature (parental signature required if participant is under 18)

Date: _____

O.W.L.S Registration

Step 4: Photo Release

Kindly fill out one photo release form per child participating in the program.

Photo Release Form for Minors

Camper's Name: _____

Florida Youth Conservation Centers Network/Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission wishes to use photographs, videos or voice recordings of minor children. I am the parent or legal guardian of the minor child named below.

I, the undersigned, consent and agree that Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, including its employees, agents and representatives, through the Florida Youth Conservation Centers Network may photograph my minor child with a television camera, video camera or digital camera.

I **hereby consent** to the use, publication or display by or on behalf of Florida Youth Conservation Centers Network, any photographs and any reproduction thereof or any video or voice recordings in which my minor child may be portrayed or identified. It is understood that Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission may use, publish and display such photos, photo reproductions and video or voice recordings thereof, in whole or in part, for any promotional or commercial purpose (e.g., website, slide shows, brochures, newspapers/magazine articles or other news releases). I waive all claims for any compensation for such use and waive any and all claims for damages of any kind arising directly or indirectly out of this activity.

I **do not consent** to my child being interviewed, photographed or filmed by news media representatives by Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission staff or volunteers. (We will not take any photos of your child eliminating the use of WALDO.)

Parent/Guardian of Minor Child

Date

**Email the OWLS registration forms to : Devyn.Hamann@MyFWC.com
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Don't forget!

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