

what's new around the Aviary



Visitors like the new Pennsylvania Backyard exhibit almost as much as the native birds!

Birds and Exhibits

The Pennsylvania Backyard exhibit has a whole new look the birds love. Popular Aviary birds Killer and Benito are back in a new exhibit right outside the Gift Shop. Be sure to stop and say "Hello!" And go see the Aviary's newest birds, a pair of stately Steller's Sea Eagles, in the renovated exhibit next to the Bald Eagles.

Dippin' Dots® and more

This summer, you can enjoy ice cream in a fun form that kids really go for! You can also treat yourself to hot dogs, cotton candy and chips.

Interns

We're fortunate to have nine interns working at the Aviary this summer in

Animal Programs. Look for them in ash gray Aviary t-shirts. Three interns are helping with the summer's special events in the Marketing Department.

Website

If you haven't seen www.aviary.org lately, be sure to take a look. You can check out upcoming events on the home page and

in detail on the Events Calendar and Featured Events. New: *Bird Calls* is now available in pdf form, beginning with 2006 issues, with in-depth stories and photos not possible in the print version. There's also a new interactive map coming this summer that will give you a virtual tour of the National Aviary.

Outside the Aviary

Have you seen the large metal eagle on the right gatepost as you come into the Aviary? And check out the new signage featuring the Aviary's logo, and let your spirit soar at the National Aviary this summer! To welcome you as you approach the entrance, look for a brand new duck pond and waterfall coming this summer, installed with a grant from the Dominion Foundation.

Ivory-Billed Woodpecker's REDISCOVERY

Hear Ron Rohrbaugh, Director of the Ivory-billed Woodpecker Research Project at the Cornell Lab of Ornithology.

This special program is open to the public at no charge.

Wednesday, July 5th at 7PM

University of Pittsburgh, Graduate School of Public Health Auditorium

Sponsored by
Three Rivers Birding Club.

See www.aviary.org for information.



PHOENIX SOCIETY
the Legacy Society of the National Aviary

Please consider leaving a legacy to the National Aviary by becoming a member of the Phoenix Society.

Contact Patricia Rambasek, CFRE,
Director of Development and
Communications, at 412-323-7235,
ext. 214 for more information.



It's a special lunch with a bird's eye view!

Lunch on the Fly

- Enjoy a delicious box lunch with the Aviary's bird trainers
- Explore what makes a bird a bird, while meeting some of our special education program birds
- Take a guided tour and enjoy the diverse birdlife at the Aviary
- Program lasts 2 hours, including lunch and tour; menu available upon request
- Available year-round for groups of 10 to 40 adults and teens; and now available for individual registration!

Call Aimee J. Plotz at 412-323-7235, ext. 249

