



# Audubon Society of Portland Summer Camp 2012























































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Grades entering:	1st	2nd - 3rd	4th - 5th	6th - 8th	9th - 12th
<b>June 25-29</b>	<b>Creepy Crawlers</b> 	<b>Jr. Wildlife Vet 101 Session 1</b> 	<b>Stayin' Alive</b> overnight Wed-Fri  	<b>Olympic Peninsula Adventure</b> June 24-29 (Sun-Fri) 	
<b>July 2-6</b> No class Wednesday, July 4th	<b>Frogs &amp; Friends (full day)</b> 	<b>Sketchbook Naturalist</b>  <b>Mountain Myths</b>  	<b>Jr. Wildlife Vet 102 Session 1</b> 	<b>Cycle Wild: Exploring Malheur and Beyond</b> July 1-6 (Sun-Fri) includes July 4th 	
<b>July 9-13</b>	<b>Animal Tracks &amp; Traces</b> 	<b>Jr. Wildlife Vet 101 Session 2</b> 	<b>Learning to Fish and Feast</b> overnight Wed-Fri  <b>Cartooning Audubon Animals</b> 	<b>Big Foot: Searching the Dark Divide</b> July 8-13 (Sun-Fri)  <b>Wild in the City</b> 	<b>Bush Craft</b> July 8-13 (Sun-Fri)  
<b>July 16-20</b>	<b>Mini Art Explorers (full day)</b> 	<b>Herpetology 101</b> 	<b>Birdzilla</b> 	<b>San Juan 1</b>  July 15-20 (Sun-Fri) <b>Jr. Wildlife Vet 103</b> 	
<b>July 23-27</b>	<b>Animal Hospital</b> 	<b>Wild Crafting Creations</b> 	<b>Berry Berry Fun 2</b>  	<b>San Juan 2</b> July 22-27 (Sun-Fri) 	<b>Boys/Girls Backpacker: Olympic National Park</b> July 22-28 (Sun-Sat) 
<b>July 30-August 3</b>	<b>Jr. Audubon Ranger (full day)</b> 	<b>Backyard Birds</b> 	<b>Jr. Wildlife Vet 102 Session 2</b>  <b>Native People, Native Plants</b> 	<b>Rod, Reel &amp; Sea</b> overnight Wed-Fri 	
<b>August 6-10</b>	<b>Slugs &amp; Bugs</b> (open to Kindergarten too) 	<b>Berry Berry Fun 1</b> 	<b>Nature Photography</b>  overnight Wed-Fri <b>Hit the Trail</b> 	<b>All the Way to Monterey</b> August 4-11 (Sat-Sat) 	<b>San Juan 3</b> Aug 5-11 (Sun-Sat) 
<b>August 13-17</b>	<b>Wet &amp; Wild (full day)</b> 	<b>Botany Bonanza</b> 	<b>Jr. Wildlife Vet 102 Session 3</b> 	<b>Secret Trails &amp; Hidden Lakes</b> 	
<b>August 20-24</b>	<b>Survival 101</b> (open to Kindergarten too) 	<b>Animal Tracking</b> 	<b>Forest to Farm</b> overnight Thurs-Fri 	<b>Northwest Canoe Adventure</b> overnight Thurs-Fri 	
<b>August 27-31</b>	<b>Gnome Homes (full day)</b> 	<b>Jr. Wildlife Vet 101 Session 3</b> 	<b>Herpetology 102</b> 	<b>Ways of the Ancients: Bows &amp; Blades</b> August 26-31 (Sun-Fri)  	



= Onsite



= Excursion



= Mobile Adventure



= Marmot Cabin

# Info to Know



## Who?

The Audubon Society of Portland includes truly awesome elements in each of our trips, classes and camps. Each program is science-based and experiential, where problem solving and thought-provoking challenges are presented daily. Our holistic approach allows each camper to express themselves through different mediums like crafts, poetry, skits and music. Every program has a foundation of concept-based learning that incorporates hands-on activities throughout. We recognize that children have different learning styles and we address these by doing, seeing, touching, smelling, hearing and, at times, tasting! Our student-directed approach allows for the organic nature of the informal outdoor setting to build on the student's personal passions and interests in the natural world. We honor the past and present alike by giving children opportunities to rediscover the specific arts, skills and crafts that lead to competent, self-reliant students.

Our camps teach skills and foster awareness that enhances the personal character and growth of each individual. Our program's themes offer a framework for our professional educators to address each camper's individuality as we help them build authentic, meaningful relationships with the natural world. We recognize that within a week-long program, we have a fantastic opportunity to create a culture of respect, for each other and the Earth, through teamwork and big belly laughs. Come learn and play the Audubon Way!

## What?

**Excursions** are weeklong day camps with field trips off site; some have overnights.

**Mobile Adventures** are weeklong overnight camps off site.

**Marmot Cabin:** Audubon's cabin near Sandy, OR on its own 100+ acre Wildlife Sanctuary

## Where?

Programs for K, 1st, 2nd and 3rd graders meet at Audubon Society of Portland, 5151 NW Cornell Road.

**Excursions** and **Mobile Adventures** for all other grades meet at Upper Macleay Park, just a stone's throw from Audubon on Cornell Road (see map on back cover).

## When?

Summer Camp runs for ten weeks from Monday, June 25, through Friday, August 31. Camps run Monday through Friday unless otherwise stated.

To better accommodate parents' busy schedules, our full-day camps will now start at **8:45** and end at **4:15**.

Note: A late fee of \$25 will be charged after 4:30 pm.

**Half-day Programs: 8:45am-1pm**

**Full-day Programs and Excursions: 8:45am-4:15pm**

**Mobile Adventures: Start and end times vary.** Please check individual class listings.

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## **NEW! Invite a Friend Discount**

Invite a new participant to Audubon Camps, someone who has never been to an Audubon Camp before, and get **\$50 off** the tuition cost of one week-long program for both you and your friend. *Excludes programs offered in conjunction with Saturday Academy and Trackers Earth.*

## **How to Register?**

***It's easy... simply call or go online.***

**Online:** Just go to [www.audubonportland.org](http://www.audubonportland.org) then go to the summer camp page and click "Register Now"

**By Phone:** Call 971-222-6120, then mail a registration form with payment to 5151 NW Cornell Rd Portland, OR 97210. Spaces will only be saved for a week.

**Cancellation Policy:** Full refunds minus a \$50 administration fee will be given for camps cancelled 22 or more days before the start of the camp. If a camp is cancelled 21 days or fewer before it starts, no refund will be given.

## **Questions?**

Call Ian Abraham, Camp Director, at 971-222-6120.

**Get ready for fun!** All 1st grade camps run from 8:45am-1pm and take place onsite at the Audubon Society of Portland's Sanctuary and classroom.



## Creepy Crawlers

**Week 1: June 25-29**

Investigate all the creepy things that can bug you, but aren't bugs! Snakes, worms, centipedes and spiders are just a few of the slithering, crawling creatures you'll encounter this week. Draw, paint and create sculptures of all the critters you find lurking in the sanctuary. Learn what makes the forest floor crawl with life!

**Fee: \$175 members/ \$195 non-members**

## Animal Tracks & Animal Traces

**Week 3: July 9-13**

Polish your awareness and observation skills as you hike, crawl and scramble your way through the forest looking for signs of animals. Observe tracks, pelts, skulls and other animal specimens to launch you into the subtle art of tracking. Learn how to read the stories that tracks and sign reveal. And that's not all- you will even learn how to create a plaster cast of your favorite animal's tracks to start your very own collection!

**Fee: \$175 members/ \$195 non-members**

## Animal Hospital

**Week 5: July 23-27**

Discover how to help wild animals by preventing animal injuries in your neighborhood. Learn what to do if you find a baby bird on the ground. Find out what animals eat in the wild and what types of food we feed them in our own Animal Hospital. Look at real x-rays of injured animals and learn how Portland Audubon's Wildlife Care Center helps treat and release wild animals that have been injured.

**Fee: \$175 member/ \$195 non-member**

## Slugs & Bugs (open to Kindergarten too)

**Week 7: Aug 6-10**

Audubon is a great place to go searching for slugs and bugs! Search in the creek, under logs and in ferns and tree bark for all the coolest ones. Learn what these bugs eat and their important jobs in the ecosystem. We'll catch some of our favorites and hold them safely in an aquarium so that we can draw them before releasing them back into the wild.

**Fee: \$175 member/ \$195 non-member**

## Survival 101 (open to Kindergarten too)

**Week 9: Aug 20-24**

Band together with your fellow campers to learn the "ins and outs" of survival in the wild. Participants will start with the basic order of survival. Can you build a shelter out of the surrounding forest? Where might you find water when needed? We'll focus much of our attention on how to stay found and how to navigate through the forest. These much needed skills will help build confidence and competency for the youngest of Audubon campers.

**Fee: \$175 members/ \$195 non-member**

**Hands-on fun!** Full-day onsite programs explore the Audubon Society of Portland's Wildlife Sanctuary and run from 8:45am-4:15pm.

Grades  
Entering: **1st & 2nd**

## Frogs & Friends

### Week 2: July 2-6 NO CLASS ON WED.

Summertime is when amphibians and reptiles are warm and happy, and moving all around the pond, creek and forest. In this camp, we'll search the pond for tadpoles, newts and frogs and learn about the places they love to hide. We'll also be on the lookout for salamanders as we search Balch Creek for amphibians and the insects that they love to eat. With luck, we may even find the rare Coastal Giant Salamander. It's Huge! Too cool!

**Fee: \$225 member/ \$245 non-member**

## Mini Art Explorers

### Week 4: July 16-20

Explore the Audubon Sanctuary searching high and low for amazing animals and being dazzled by the forms, shapes, colors, textures and patterns of nature that you observe using all of your senses. With your imagination and creativity in high gear, you'll incorporate your experiences with a variety of animals and forest, creek and pond habitats, into wildly wonderful clay sculptures, drawings, paintings, masks and collages.

**Fee: \$275 member/ \$295 non-member**

**Instructor: Susan Leeb**

## Jr. Audubon Ranger

### Week 6: July 30-Aug 3

Do you like fun and adventure? Would you like to explore and discover the amazing secrets of one of the most beautiful forests around? If your answer to these questions is "Yes!"...then spend your week becoming a Jr. Audubon Ranger! Learn to be a quiet presence in the forest. Venture deep into the Audubon Sanctuary to learn the secrets of local plants and animals. Hear the amazing stories about the history of the Audubon forest and become an expert on how to stay safe in the outdoors. You will even help make the sanctuary a better place for the plants and animals that live here by restoring a part of the Sanctuary! If you love playing outside, learning about nature and helping animals, this adventurous camp is for you! Come join the ranks of the Jr. Audubon Rangers!

**Fee: \$275 member/ \$295 non-member**

## Wet & Wild

### Week 8: August 13-17

Turn over rocks in Balch Creek looking for Caddisflies and Crayfish. Search for elusive Rough-skinned Newts and Painted Turtles in the pond. You'll even learn to use a microscope to see the tiny animals that live in water. Use watercolors to create beautiful pictures of the things you find. Bring your water shoes because this camp is going to be wet and wild!

**Fee: \$275 member/ \$295 non-member**



Photos: Ian Abraham

## Gnome Homes

### Week 10: Aug 27- 31

Step into the world of the fabled Gnomes of the Pacific Northwest as we explore the mystery and folklore of these mythical creatures. Prepare yourself to scour the forest searching for the elusive woodland Gnomes, build homes to attract these little creatures, and make your very own Gnome hat. Equipped with magnifying glasses, Gnome Detectors and field guides, campers will search Audubon's Sanctuary for any and all signs of Gnomes and their foes the dreaded weasel clan! Ancient stories and enchanted maps will help students create their very own world of Gnomes. You'll even get to make your very own Gnome to take home.

**Fee: \$275 member/ \$295 non-member**

## Sketchbook Naturalist

**Week 2: July 2-6 NO CLASS ON WED.**

Sketch the amazing shapes, patterns, textures and colors of the wet and wild world of nature that you'll see while hiking in our Sanctuary and visiting the Wildlife Care Center. Use your eyes and ears to polish your observation skills. Develop your ability to "capture" wild animals and plants, and the pond, creek and forest habitats in which they live, in your own sketchbook using colored pencils, graphite, marking pens and oil pastels. Session fee includes art supplies.

**Fee: \$275 members/ \$295 non-members**

**Instructor: Susan Leeb**

## Wild Crafting Creations

**Week 5: July 23-27**

To harvest, to gather, to move through the woods, picking only the plants you know. Being aware of their use, their value and their helpful qualities will be your task. Participants will be given the secrets of the many plants in the Audubon Sanctuary as we spend our days wild crafting. We'll learn all about ethical harvesting practices and look to understand the value of plants picked for their beneficial uses. Participants will spend days wandering the forest with our expert staff, in search of plants that will guide their inspiration for crafted works of art that might include basket making, net and rope making and salve production. Join core Audubon staff as we take a day to work in our plant nursery, replanting, caring for and propagating plants for restoration. You'll even get to repot and take home a native plant to start your own wild crafting corner in your yard. Come learn the ways of a wild crafter!

**Fee: \$275 members/ \$295 non-members**

Photo: Dylan Schertz



## Backyard Birds

**Week 6: July 30- Aug 3**

Learn how to identify and appreciate the wonderful, colorful birds that visit our backyards and beyond. Use binoculars to scour the Audubon Wildlife Sanctuary for Birds of Prey, Song Birds and even Woodpeckers. Record what you find in your own naturalist journal. You will learn where, when and how to find your favorite feathered friends. You'll even build your own bird feeder to take home to attract birds to your own yard!

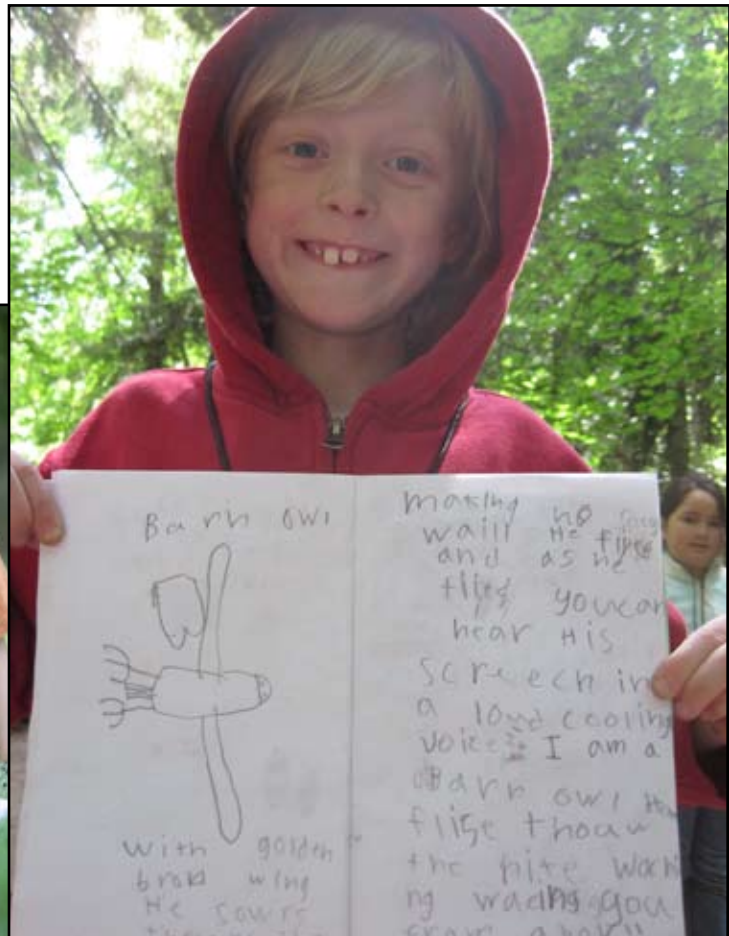
**Fee: \$275 members/ \$295 non-members**

## Botany Bonanza

**Week 8: Aug 13-17**

Do you like plants? Wait... do you LOVE plants? Come join Portland Audubon as we collect plant samples to draw, paint and use to create our very own botanical field guides. You'll each make your very own plant press to take home. We'll search high and low for native plants and learn what it really means to become a "budding" botanist.

**Fee: \$275 members/ \$295 non-members**



## Hop aboard and investigate Some of Oregon's most wild places!

Excursions meet and end at Portland Audubon. Classes begin at 8:45am and adjourn at 4:15pm, Monday through Friday.

Grades  
Entering:

# 2nd & 3rd

## Junior Wildlife Vet 101 session 1

### Week 1: June 25-29

This camp will bring you face to face with the world of wildlife veterinarians. You'll learn how they give medicine to a Red-tailed Hawk and persuade a Spotted Owl to step on a scale to get weighed. You'll get a behind-the-scenes tour of Audubon's own Wildlife Care Center and go on field trips to local animal rehabilitation facilities. Learn what you can do to help the wildlife living in your own neighborhood!

**Fee: \$320 members/ \$340 non-members**

## Mountain Myths

### Week 2: July 2-6 NO CLASS ON WED.

Native American legends, aboriginal stories and myths of the mountains will fill the week with ancient and honorable perspectives of the past. We will visit our very own Marmot Cabin, near Mt. Hood, to create a mythical story of our own. Travel downstream, speak to the salmon, sit beneath tall cedars and listen to the wisdom of the woods and its creatures as you explore special nature areas near Portland.

**Fee: \$235 members/ \$255 non-members**

## Junior Wildlife Vet 101 session 2

### Week 3: July 9-13

See description for Junior Wildlife Vet 101 session 1

**Fee: \$320 members/ \$340 non-members**



Photo: Ian Abraham



## Herpetology 101

### Week 4: July 16-20

Any and all reptiles and amphibians are fair game during this week of discovering these super cool, cold-blooded creatures. Leap into fun times with new friends as we search Balch Creek for amphibians like the Rough-skinned Newt and the elusive Pacific Giant Salamander. Travel to Smith and Bybee Lakes to search for turtles, snakes and tree frogs. Explore local wetlands, keeping your eyes peeled for Red-legged Frogs and Long-toed Salamanders. Create herptile crafts and memories to last forever.

**Fee: \$295 members/ \$315 non-members**

## Berry Berry Fun 1

### Week 7: August 6-10

Visit local farms on Sauvie Island and around the Portland area to see, pick and taste for yourself how beautiful and delicious berries can be. Find out why plants make berries and which animals eat them. Taste wild berries from both of Audubon's own Wildlife Sanctuaries—Marmot Cabin near Mt. Hood and Audubon's Wildlife Sanctuary on Cornell Road. We will identify, collect, taste, paint and even draw with nature's brilliant bounty of beautiful berries. This week is sure to be full of fantastic, fruity fun!

**Fee: \$295 members/ \$315 non-members**

## Animal Tracking

### Week 9: August 20-24

A dim glow emanates from the track below you, still slightly warm to the touch. You move on slowly...A twig breaks in front of you and you freeze. Waiting silently, you feel the wind shift and you catch the musky scent of Elk...You're close now, very close. The ancient art of tracking can still be learned, and this class is just the beginning of the adventures that await you.

**Fee: \$295 members/ \$315 non-members**

## Junior Wildlife Vet 101 session 3

### Week 10: August 27-31

See description for Junior Wildlife Vet 101 session 1

**Fee: \$320 members/ \$340 non-members**



Photo: Dylan Schertz



Photo: Dylan Schertz



Photo: Andrea Constance

## Stayin' Alive

### Week 1: June 25-29 (Overnight Wed-Fri)

Do you know how to build a waterproof shelter out of nothing but sticks and leaves? Can you make a campfire without using any matches? Join us for a week of learning real survival skills! Spend the first day exploring Audubon's Sanctuary, focusing on enhancing your Wilderness Awareness. Tuesday, travel to Oxbow Park to study the art and science of animal tracking on the Sandy River flood plain, where Black Bear, Bobcat, Red Fox, and Mule Deer visit regularly. Then, practice your newfound skills on a two-night overnight trip to our rustic Marmot Cabin. Our goal is to provide campers with a fun "whole systems approach" to various Wilderness Living Skills such as: Animal Tracking, Fire by Friction, Ethnobotany and Debris Hut Construction. Our own Miller Wildlife Sanctuary, which borders the Bull Run Watershed, is the perfect location to foster these skills.

**Fee: \$325 members/ \$345 non-members**

**Instructors: Andrea Constance and Severin Piper**

## Junior Wildlife Vet 102 session 1

### Week 2: July 2-6 NO CLASS ON WED.

Explore the role that wildlife veterinarians play in helping injured native and/or endangered species. You will visit local rehabilitation centers and tour Audubon's own Wildlife Care Center to learn how we treat and care for animals that are sick or hurt. We'll travel to Wolf Haven International to learn about the work experts are doing to help protect wild Wolves. If you love learning about animals and how we can all help to care for them, you'll love this camp!

**Fee: \$255 members/ \$275 non-members**

## Learning to Fish and Feast

### Week 3: July 9-13 (Overnight Wed-Fri)

You cast your bait into the cold waters of the mountain lake. As you patiently wait, you look up and witness an Osprey fly overhead, hover in the air and bullet towards the water, talons outstretched. After a moment of struggle it flies off with a trout, leaving you thankful for this good omen. Shortly after, you feel a bite on your line and your focus is directed to the challenge that has started. It will hopefully end with you holding a beautiful fish in your hands.

The first two days of camp, we will visit local lakes to learn the basics of angling; everything from tying knots to casting, which lures to use and how to identify different types of fish. On Wednesday, we will depart for the lakes of Mt. Hood for a two night overnigher, camping, fishing and exploring the lakes of Oregon's tallest peak. Some of the fish we catch we will keep, teaching you how to clean the fish and turn them into part of a delicious dinner! Most importantly, by the end of the week you will learn how to be a responsible angler, using your new set of skills in a way that will help keep the waterways healthy and the fish populations stable for future generations of people and fish alike.

**Fee: \$325 members/ \$345 non-members**

**Instructor: Tim Donner**

**Investigate some of Oregon's most wild places!** Excursions and Mobile Adventures meet and end at Upper Macleay Park, just a stone's throw from Portland Audubon on Cornell Road. Classes begin at 8:45am and adjourn at 4:15pm, Monday through Friday. Transportation, food and lodging are all provided for overnight camps.

Grades

Entering:

**4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>**

## Cartooning Audubon Animals

### Week 3: July 9-13

Develop your own imaginative cartoon characters of some of the amazing animals you'll see in the Audubon Sanctuary and feature them in single frame cartoons and multi-frame comic strips. Your observations of forest, creek, and pond habitats will provide inspiration for the backgrounds of your cartoon drawings and clay sculptures. Our focus will be on creative development of animal characters, expressions, visual story-telling and sequential movement.

**Fee: \$275 members/ \$295 non-members**

**Instructor: Susan Leeb**

## Birdzilla

### Week 4: July 16-20

Spend the week traveling to local birding hot spots like Ridgefield National Wildlife Refuge and Sauvie Island. Use binoculars and field guides to become Junior Ornithologists, learning the techniques of bird identification while seeing these amazing winged creatures in the wild. You'll keep a bird Species List and learn all kinds of cool facts about the birds that call the Pacific Northwest home. We will even spend a day rafting the Sandy River, spying on the Great Blue Heron in its watery habitat.

**Fee: \$320 members/ \$340 non-members**

## Berry Berry Fun 2

### Week 5: July 23-27

Visit local farms on Sauvie Island and in the Portland area to see, pick and taste for yourself how beautiful and delicious berries can be. Find out why plants make berries and which animals eat them. Taste wild berries from both of Audubon's own Wildlife Sanctuaries—Marmot Cabin and the Joe Miller Wildlife Sanctuary near Mt. Hood and the Pittock Sanctuary on Cornell Road. We will identify, collect, taste, paint and even draw with nature's brilliant bounty of beautiful berries. This week is sure to be full of fantastic, fruity, fun!

**Fee: \$295 members/ \$315 non-members**

Photo: Dylan Schertz



## Junior Wildlife Vet 102 session 2

### Week 6: July 30- August 3

See description for Junior Wildlife Vet 102 session 1

**Fee: \$320 members/ \$340 non-members**

## Native Plants Native People

### Week 6: July 30- August 3

Unlock the secrets of many of the Pacific Northwest's most helpful plants. With journals in hand, we will build our very own plant presses and scour the Audubon Wildlife Sanctuary in search of the trees and plants that give us good medicine and sustenance. We'll create stories to help us remember which plants are our friends and which plants are our foes. We'll pull on the ancient knowledge of the Balch Creek watershed to discover the native plants and native people of this area.

**Fee: \$295 members/ \$315 non-members**



## Nature Photography

### Week 7: August 6-10 (Overnight Wed-Fri)

Visit the most scenic spots in and around Portland to photograph animals, waterfalls, flowers and whatever else catches your eye. Learn basic techniques of composition, framing and lighting while getting lots of practice in a variety of environments. We will travel to Portland Audubon's Marmot Cabin for a two night overnigher chasing and photographing the wildflowers as they begin to show their blooms. At the end of the week, you can show off your best work to your family when we make a slideshow of our week's work. Bring your own digital camera: we promise you'll put it to good use.  
**Fee: \$325 members/ \$345 non-members**

## Hit the Trail

### Week 7: August 6-10

Explore the hidden trails of Portland's Forest Park and the Audubon Sanctuary. We'll hike up to the Pittock Mansion, down to Lower Macleay Park and, one day, help the forest by participating in a restoration project. Along the way, we'll look for and learn about the animals and plants that call Forest Park home. Bring your hiking shoes and water bottle and get ready to Hit the Trail.  
**Fee: \$275 members/ \$295 non-members**

## Junior Wildlife Vet 102 session 3

### Week 8: August 13-17

See description for Junior Wildlife Vet 102 session 1  
**Fee: \$320 members/ \$340 non-members**

## Forest to Farm

### Week 9: August 20-24 (overnight Thur-Fri)

Ever wondered how you would feed yourself if there were no supermarkets? Curious about how people mimic the intricate patterns of the forest to grow crops without chemicals? Hop on board as we explore the connections between farming and the wilderness. Make butter from milk and dyes from native plants. We'll visit local natural areas and farms to learn how people are acting as stewards of the land while growing healthy foods for their communities. On Thursday, we'll head up to Audubon's Marmot Cabin, located in the foothills of Mt. Hood, to spend the night and explore a forest filled with wildlife and many safe, edible delights.  
**Fee: \$320 members/ \$340 non-members**



Photo: Katie Stoner

## Herpetology 102

### Week 10: August 27-31

Do Pacific Giant Salamanders really bark when they're upset? Do Pacific Chorus Frogs actually hang out in trees? These questions and more will all be answered as we search the favorite hideouts of the reptiles and amphibians living in the Pacific NW. Plunge your hands into the cool waters of Oneonta Gorge, grasping for a Coastal Giant Salamander. Overturn rocks at Catherine Creek in hopes of coaxing a Northern Alligator Lizard from its hiding spot. Learn how to identify Red-legged Frogs right here in the Audubon Sanctuary and hike the trails in search of the Rough-skinned Newt. Become an expert on these fascinating creatures as we search high and low for all things scaly and smooth.

**Fee: \$295 members/ \$315 non-members**

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Grades  
Entering:

**6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup>**

## Wild in the City

### Week 3: July 9-13

Drawing from the pages of the book *Wild in the City: Exploring the Intertwine*, we'll explore unique and surprising places in one of the nation's most livable and wildlife-friendly cities. Campers will use Portland's TriMet transportation to navigate the city in search of urban greenspaces and wildlife. We are sure to find tracks and sign of many of the critters that call Portland home in some of the most unlikely places. Campers will work together and study maps to find each day's destination. One day might take us to Crystal Springs and Oaks Bottom while another might find us exploring the unexpected details of Pioneer Courthouse Square. This camper-directed week is sure to amaze and impress even the savviest of urban naturalist travelers as you go home with your very own signed copy of *Wild in the City* so you can lead your next family outing! Tri-met bus pass provided.

**Fee: \$230 members/ \$250 non-members**

## Junior Wildlife Vet 103

### Week 4: July 16-20

Do you want to know more about what it's like to be a wildlife veterinarian or rehabilitator? In this camp you will get to see how the American Wildlife Foundation, Wolf Haven International, and other local groups are each doing their part to help protect wildlife. You'll also talk with wildlife veterinarians at Audubon's own Wildlife Care Center and see how we are caring for and treating injured animals that live right in our own community. You'll learn about the anatomy of animals, how wildlife vets evaluate and treat their patients, and even how you might help an injured animal in the wild.

**Fee: \$320 members/ \$340 non-members**

## Rod, Reel & Sea

### Week 6: July 30-August 3 (Overnight Wed-Fri)

You feel a quick tug on the line...your eyes flit from the Great Blue Heron you've been watching to your rod. The tug turns into a pull and you know you are in a struggle with a creature from the water world: a fish is on your line! The struggle turns into something more of a dance as you draw the animal closer to you. You reach down, gently grasp the fish and unhook it, then release it with a smile on your face after your close encounter with a truly wild animal.

Our week will be filled with animal encounters as we learn aquatic ecology and how to fish responsibly. Come with Audubon as we explore the lakes and waterways around Portland and learn basic skills of fishing. On Wednesday, we depart for the coast to try our hand at deep sea fishing and crabbing on a chartered fishing boat, bringing our bounty back to the campfire for a fresh-cooked dinner! Join us as we strengthen our connection to the land and water by learning to balance the capturing of fish to eat with ensuring that the environment remains healthy for future generations of fish and people.

Bring your own fishing rod and tackle. We'll be sure to provide gear if you don't have it. Charter boat provides deep sea fishing gear.

**Fee: \$395 members/ \$415 non-members**

## Secret Trails & Hidden Lakes

### Week 8: August 13-17

Have you ever wondered what's just around the bend on the trail? Have you ever looked on a map and thought to follow your instincts to a secluded lake? If you have, this is sure to be a week for you to remember. We will go in search of the most secret, secluded, spectacular trails and lakes around. We will use our newly found orienteering ability to read maps with compass for a true understanding that will allow you a few secrets of your own!

**Fee: \$295 members/ \$315 non-members**

## The Art of Canoeing

### Week 9: August 20-24 (Overnight Thur-Fri)

Take to the lakes and waterways around Portland and SW Washington on this epic canoe adventure! Learn the language, rhythm and history of canoeing as we spend the week honing our skills, reading the water, spotting wildlife and playing games on local mountain lakes, meandering rivers and silent wetlands. Monday through Wednesday, we will embark on day trips to learn the basics of paddle strokes and to cool off in some of the area's most pristine local waterways. The week will culminate with an exciting two day, one night canoe camping trip where we will put our newly learned skills to use and sleep under the stars! Come and join us for this fun-filled week on the water!

Fee includes Canoe rentals and safety equipment.

**Fee: \$365 members/  
\$385 non-members**

**Instructor:**

**Andrea Constance**

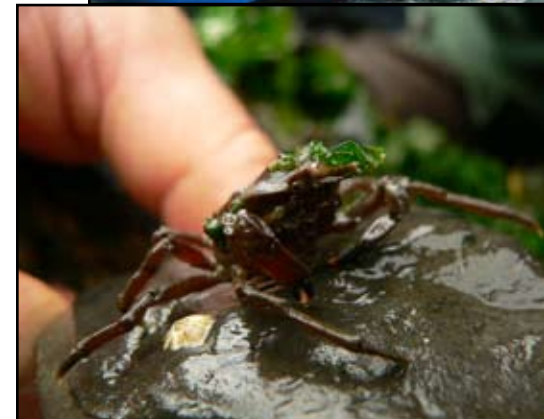


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## **Cycle Wild: Exploring Malheur and Beyond**

**Week 2: July 1st-6th**

**(Overnight Sun-Fri, July 4th included)**

Journey to a land where 10,000 foot peaks of the Steens Mountains are our backdrop, Malheur National Wildlife Refuge is our playground and the alkali flats of the Alvord Desert provide miles of enchanting terrain for us to explore. For this camp, we will visit a magical land very few people ever have the chance to see... all by using one of the best ways to experience nature- by bike! We will travel by bus down to the southern end of the Malheur NWR where we will set up camp, learn about riding in a group and how to safely bicycle along roads. We will also cover basic bike repair like how to fix flat tires and how to do quick tune ups. The Central Patrol Road of Malheur is a great place to practice these skills and provides an opportunity to quietly pedal along the water's edge to search for views of American White Pelicans, coyotes hunting the meadows and Great Horned Owls roosting in nearby trees.

Explore the Steens Mountains and the glacially carved Kiger Gorge, where we will scan the cliffs for Bighorn Sheep and the skies for raptors. Before turning around to coast back to camp, stand near the edge of the Steens for a grand view of the Alvord Desert, 6000 ft. below your feet!

After improving our skills at biking on roads, have an opportunity to go off-road on the 84 square mile mud-cracked Alvord Desert for an experience like no other and end the day by soaking your feet in a natural hot spring.

Saddle up and join me on this special camp that's dedicated to the joys of seeing nature by bicycle!

**Fee: \$395 members/ \$415 non-members**

**Depart: 8:00 am Return: 6:30 pm**

**Instructor: Tim Donner**

## **Big Foot: Searching the Dark Divide**

**Week 3: July 8-13 (Overnight Sun-Fri)**

Bigfoot... Myth or monster... animal or man? The name alone conjures up images both mysterious and savage. Since the release of the now famous **Patterson film** made in Northern California in the late 60's, we have entered a new era of scientific study, amateur research and outright hoaxing. Separating fact from fiction is more difficult now than ever before, but this will be the task we embark on during this week of authentic investigation.

We will make camp at a primitive site in the region between Mt. St. Helens and Mt. Adams known as the **Dark Divide**. From our base camp deep in the forest, we will spend the week searching riverbeds and the forest floor for tracks; we'll project alleged Sasquatch calls into the night, standing ready to record any response; and we'll utilize infra-red cameras, sound amplifying equipment and other modern technologies on our quest to find evidence of the existence of Bigfoot.

Join Education Director Steve Robertson as YOU become the Researcher in this week-long adventure into the unknown. Meet and work with his team of experienced Bigfoot Experts, and hear first-hand stories from people who swear to have come face-to-face with this massive creature. No one can say what the odds are of our own encounter, but they are as high as one could hope, as we will be searching in the very heart of the region where more alleged Bigfoot sightings have occurred than any other place in the world!

**Fee: \$395 members/ \$415 non-members**

**Instructors: Steve Robertson, Education Director and local experts**

**Get going!** Transportation, food and lodging are all provided for overnight camps. Start times vary; please note the start time for each camp.

Grades  
Entering:

**6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup>**

## All the Way to Monterey!

### Week 7: August 4-11 (Saturday-Saturday)

Join us on this trip of a lifetime, exploring California's spectacular coastline and the marine biology of Monterey Bay! We will fly as a group to San Jose, then travel down the coast to Monterey. Once in Monterey, we will tour the deservedly world-famous Monterey Bay Aquarium, visiting long enough to appreciate its many one-of-a-kind exhibits. Monterey Bay is one of the most diverse coastal ecosystems in North America, and the Aquarium has done an excellent job of showcasing this rich biome. This amazing facility is literally perched right on the edge where land meets sea, overlooking an impressive array of tidepools teeming with life. The Aquarium's display of Jellies is said to be the largest in the world, and its Sunfish (my favorite) is simply gargantuan! The walk-through Aviary of shorebirds is incredible, and of course, we'll meet the Aquarium's star celebrity, the Great White Shark, the only individual of this species on display in the entire world.

We will also extend our oceanic studies as we venture into the bay onboard a research vessel where we will have the opportunity to observe Sea Otters in their natural habitat, test the quality of the bay's seawater, and search for invertebrates from samples we collect in our plankton tow. You'll even get to try your hand at sailing when you take a turn at the helm!

New experiences will abound as we explore out of the way nooks and crannies of California's awesome shore. You will marvel at the sheer mass of trees as we camp and hike in forests of Coast



Redwoods. Our trip will be a mix of academia and fun: on a given day we may go tidepooling in the morning, hiking after lunch, then end the day with some quality beach time!

We'll even spend a day in San Francisco, where we'll visit Fisherman's Wharf to sample some of the more delectable species the sea has to offer. This trip is guaranteed to be non-stop, super-fun, so jump on board!

All transportation & food provided

**Fee: \$695 members/ \$715 non-members**

**Instructor: Steve Robertson, Education Director**

**Ian Abraham, Camp Director**

**Andrea Constance, Naturalist Educator**

## Ways of the Ancient: Bows & Blades

### Week: 10 August 26-31 (Overnight Sun-Fri) *Taught in Partnership with Trackers Earth*

Bow or blade? That is the question you answer during this unforgettable week of wilderness ways and skills. Come join us and select which of the two tools you craft, from start to finish. Choose the path of the archer and learn how to carve an ancient tool that launches an arrow by steady arm and keen aim. Or choose the ancient art of blacksmithing as you forge your knife with fire, hammer and anvil. Learn tapers, splits, twists and even how to punch holes in hot metal.

Beyond bow or blade, we will spend the week delving into an ancient world of wisdom and knowledge through hands-on activities in wilderness survival and awareness. Become skilled in the core

routines of camouflage and stealth, how to create warm shelter and make fires even in the damp forests of the Pacific Northwest. Learn what plants are edible and what plants can be turned into medicine. Welcome to the camp where we explore all these fantastic feats and more.

Whichever route you choose, you will learn how to safely make and use a tool that will last you a lifetime. Leave with a new set of skills that you can utilize in any environment!

**Depart: 8:45 am Return: 4:15 pm**

**Fee: \$465**

**Instructor: Tim Donner**



## San Juan Island Adventure Experience the awesome beauty of the islands!

Travel by ferry into the Puget Sound and straight into some of the most incredible, awe-inspiring scenery in the entire United States! Spend an entire week exploring the islands' unique natural history and rich biodiversity as you search for species large and small. We'll keep a lookout for the pods of **Orca Whales** that hunt for salmon in the Salish Sea. We'll seek out the elusive **River Otters** that have adapted to a marine life, and we'll bird to our heart's content, keeping an ever-vigilant eye for the **Bald Eagles** that inhabit the islands.

During this action-packed week, you'll learn how to **sea kayak** as you explore tidal areas in these unique watercraft. You'll also get to visit the **Whale Museum** in Friday Harbor and head out to sea on a **whale-watching cruise** to learn even more about the fascinating Orca Whale.

We'll hike the beautiful forests of **Orcas Island** and swim in its pristine mountain lakes. Spend three nights in the lush forests of **Moran State Park** and the rest of the week at a campsite on **San Juan Island** that overlooks the Sound, and is the only campground in the lower 48 states where you can see whales without even having to get out of your tent.

All transportation and meals are provided. Participants supply their own camping gear.

**Locations:** Moran State Park, Orcas Island and San Juan County Park, San Juan Island.

**Depart:** 7:30am **Return:** 5:00pm

Grades entering **6th-8th**

### San Juan Island Adventure 1

**July 15-20 (Sun-Fri)**

Fee: \$495

Trip Leader: Andrea Constance,  
Audubon Naturalist

Grades entering **6th-8th**

### San Juan Island Adventure 2

**July 22-27 (Sun-Fri)**

Fee: \$495

Trip Leader: Ian Abraham,  
Summer Camp Director

Grades entering **9th-12th**

### San Juan Island Adventure 3

**August 5-11 (Sun-Fri)**

Fee: \$515

Trip Leader: Tim Donner,  
Audubon Naturalist

#### HOW TO REGISTER FOR THESE TRIPS

Go to [www.saturdayacademy.org](http://www.saturdayacademy.org), fill out and send in a registration form to Saturday Academy.

Grades  
Entering:

# 9<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup>

**Get going! Transportation, food and lodging are all provided for overnight camps. Start times vary; please note the start time for each camp.**



Photo: Aly Robinson

**Also For Grades 6th–8th:**

## The Olympic Peninsula Adventure

**Week 1: June 24-June 29  
(Overnight Sun-Fri)**

Travel into a land of rugged coastlines and mysterious forests, and discover a world seemingly forgotten by time. You'll explore tidepools teeming with life and walk on beaches few feet have ever trodden. You'll go in search of the remains of an ancient village of Native Americans who lived off the Sea, and learn the techniques these brave people used to hunt the largest of all prey, the mighty whale. We'll hike to the very tip of Cape Flattery, the most Northwestern point in the continental United States, and look across the straight of Juan de Fuca to Canada. We'll even visit the lonely town of Forks, made famous in the *Twilight* movies, and check for any of those completely mythical, but still scary, vampires!

We'll be camping in our own private site on the coast, and we'll experience several of the Olympic National Park's very finest hiking trails and beaches. You'll make a map of the region in your own journal so you can lead the way on your next family adventure. Between our studies of Marine Biology, the massive trees of the old-growth forest, and the ways of the Makah Tribe, we'll find plenty of time to play on the beach, dig in the sand, and sing around the campfire.

Depart: 10:00am on Sunday; Return 4:30pm on Friday

**Fee: \$475**

**Instructor: Steve Robertson, Education Director**

### QUESTIONS:

**Call Saturday Academy at 503-200-5858**



## Counselor in Training Program June 18-21 (overnight Tues-Thur at Portland Audubon's Marmot Cabin)

Would you love to become a Camp Counselor and help us teach kids about nature? Are you between the ages of 15 and 18? If so, you have an incredible opportunity to join our Education Team and become a Counselor this summer!

Learn valuable leadership skills and begin a career in the field of Environmental Education. After this four-day training, you will be able to sign up as a Counselor for a minimum of 4 weeks this summer. Get an introduction to the art of tracking, birding and wilderness awareness. Learn the tricks of the Environmental Education trade including storytelling, camp songs and fun outdoor games. Our training will begin with two nights at Marmot Cabin to develop your wilderness and kid skills. By the end of the program, you will have the tools you need to become an excellent and effective Camp Counselor. Cost for this training includes transportation, food, lodging and professional instruction. Program is selective, based on experience. We love to have former campers back as counselors! Current Adult and Child CPR certification is required for participation. Please call 971-222-6120 for an application form. Application deadline is May 3, 2011.

### Fee for weeklong training:

**First Year CITs: \$175 members/\$195 non-members**

**Second Year CITs: \$100 members/\$120 non-members**

**Third Year CITs: Free (will be paid a \$50 stipend per week worked)**

As a participant in the C.I.T. program, you get a special discount of \$100 off Bush Craft, July 8-13.

**Get going!** Transportation, food and lodging are all provided for overnight camps. Start times vary; please note the start time for each camp.



Photo: Gavrila Piper

## **Girls-Only Backpacker: Olympic National Park**

### **Week 5: July 22-July 28 (Sunday-Saturday)**

Join Audubon's experienced female staff for this amazing once-in-a-lifetime experience! This empowering all-girls expedition will begin as we caravan with the boys team to majestic Olympic National Park. Laugh harder than you have in years as you build your strength, confidence and wilderness skills while hiking along the banks of the glacier-fed Quinault River. Venture into the awe-inspiring Enchanted Valley, where you can visit a historic backcountry ranger station, catch glimpses of hanging glaciers and search for animal tracks and sign and edible plants. With the towering peaks and verdant valleys of the Olympics as our classroom, we will work together to learn the secrets behind successful backcountry travel skills such as Orienteering, Leave No Trace principles, Basic First Aid, Survival Skills, and Backcountry Cooking. After a week of building lasting connections with the land and each other in some of the most pristine wilderness the Pacific Northwest has to offer, the girls will rendezvous with the all-boys group off the trail to share stories and celebrate the week's achievements before returning home.

**Depart: 8:00 am Return: 5:00 pm**

**Fee: \$445 members/ \$465 non-members**

**Instructor: Andrea Constance and staff**

## **Bush Craft**

### **Week 3: July 8-13**

#### **(Overnight: Sunday-Friday)**

Learn primitive skills for wilderness living. Participants will find themselves using tools created from stone & bone, sitting around fires started without matches and cooking food on top of hot rocks. The group will work together to create a communal comfort where we relax around a fire after learning to soften buckskin. We will rise later and test our awareness well after dark. Learn the art of fire making as various structures, techniques and materials are explored throughout the week. Fires will be used as a heat source and as a tool to create bowls and fire pottery at the end of the week.

Join Severin Piper and other expert Audubon Staff as we immerse you in the art and science of wilderness living skills. After spending five months immersed in the practice of survival, Sevrin is excited to share these many secrets to help participants find themselves truly learned in the ways of ancient technologies. This program will help you understand the energy put into everything around you, to have an absolute appreciation for your clothes, your food... everything. Participants need only a creative spirit and positive attitude to accept this of the ultimate challenges.

**Depart: 8:45 Return: 4:15**

**Fee: \$380 members/ \$400 non-members,**

**\$280 for participants in Counselor in Training Program**

**Instructor: Severin Piper**

## **No Girls Allowed Backpacker: Olympic National Park**

### **Week 5: July 22-July 28 (Sunday-Saturday)**

Join the men of Audubon on this action packed wilderness adventure! This expedition will take you deep into the mountains and valleys of the majestic Olympic National Park. Hike along the Queets River and learn the art of off-trail navigation as you search for the illusive Smith Place, a historic homestead hidden in the lush forest. With the pristine wilderness as your classroom, learn a wide variety of wilderness travel and camping skills including Orienteering, Survival Skills, Leave No Trace principles, Basic First Aid, Backcountry Cooking and much more! After a week of being boys in the wilderness and forming connections with the land and each other, the boys group will rendezvous with the girls group off the trail to share stories, arm wrestle, and celebrate the week's achievements before returning home.

**Depart: 8:00 am Return: 5:00 pm**

**Fee: \$445 members/ \$465 non-members**

**Instructors: Tim Donner and Severin Piper**

## To reserve your spot...

Send completed registration form to:

Audubon Society of Portland

5151 NW Cornell Rd.

Portland, OR. 97210

or fax to:

(503) 292-1021

Confirmation e-mails will be sent within 2 weeks of receiving registration form and payment. You will be called if space is not available or we need to cancel a class. In either case, a full refund is given.

Cancellation policy: You must cancel your registration 22 working days prior to the beginning of class to receive a refund (-\$50 processing fee).

Don't forget you can register online: go to

[www.audubonportland.org/trips-classes-camps/camps](http://www.audubonportland.org/trips-classes-camps/camps)

Partial scholarships are available. Please call for a scholarship application.

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_ Gender \_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

2nd Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

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I wish to pay by:

Check (Audubon Society of Portland) *Checks preferred*

Credit card *a 3% charge is added to credit card payments*

Card Number \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_

Friends of Audubon Society of Portland Membership Registration: (Please write a separate check)

\$25 Introductory  \$35 Individual  \$45 Family  \$60 Wren  \$100 Goldfinch

## NEW! Invite a Friend

Invite a new participant, someone who has never been to an Audubon Camp before, and get **\$50 off** the tuition cost of one week-long program for both you and your friend.

*Excludes programs offered in conjunction with Saturday Academy and Trackers Earth.*

## Health Form

Are there any health or dietary concerns we should consider when planning your child's class? (Casts, Asthma, Allergies, etc...) List medications, when taken, and purpose: Attach separate page if necessary.

Describe any behavior concerns that should be considered for group learning (ADD, Hyperactive, etc.)

Emergency Contact (if parents can't be reached):

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

I give my permission for Audubon Society of Portland staff to provide first aid for the child named above and to take the appropriate measures including contacting the Emergency Medical System and arranging for transportation to Good Samaritan Hospital or the nearest medical facility. I agree to indemnify and hold Audubon Society of Portland, its officers and employees, harmless from claims of losses for any bodily injury or property damage which occurs or is alleged to have occurred as a result of negligence of participant.

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Health Insurance Company \_\_\_\_\_ Policy # \_\_\_\_\_

## Photo/Video Release

I give the Audubon Society of Portland the right and unrestricted permission to copyright and/or use and/or publish (1) the image or likeness on videotape, and (2) photographic pictures of the individual named on this form, including but not limited to, the promotion of the Audubon Society of Portland and its programs.

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

# Meet the Instructors

Experienced instructors make  
our classes different.



**Ian Abraham, Summer Camp Director**, has been teaching within the Portland Metropolitan area since 1999, and a Naturalist –Educator with Audubon since 2006. Born and raised in Chicago, Il., he set out to work, teach, and educate in the informal outdoor setting provided by the riches of the Pacific Northwest. With an extended stop in Alaska and backcountry leadership work with the National Outdoor Leadership School (NOLS) in 1998 he moved to Portland. Ian holds a Master of Arts in Environment and Community through Antioch University and has taught for many outdoor education programs including, Multnomah County's Outdoor School, Cascadia Wild, Wolftree Inc., Tryon Creek and the Oregon Zoo. Ian's focus is within the science and art of animal tracking as well as wilderness living skills and this will be his 11th summer working with Audubon participants.

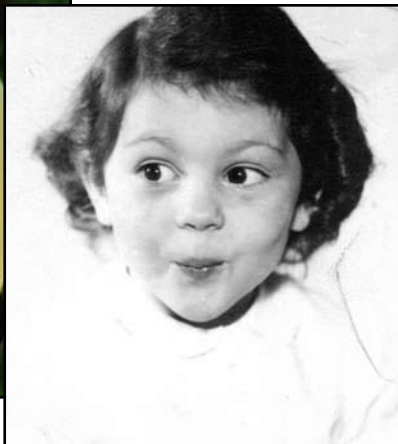


**Steve Robertson, Education Director**, holds a Master's Degree in Science and Teaching, and a Bachelor's Degree in Wildlife Science. A native Portlander, his first experience teaching students about nature was in 1974, when he was a Junior Counselor for the Outdoor School Program. After college, he worked for Outdoor School for five years as an Animals Field Instructor. In 1987, Steve began his decade of work at OMSI, first as a Marine Biology Instructor, then as the Manager of OMSI Outreach and finally as the Manager of OMSI's Education Programs. Steve came to Audubon in 1998 and has loved every minute of it! Steve also loves to explore and search for rare and elusive species. Steve's



personal quests have taken him deep into the Amazon to find Pink River Dolphins, to Madagascar to seek out its many species of lemurs, Uganda for Mountain Gorillas, and to Tasmania to lead three expeditions for the Tasmanian Tiger. He has also led natural history tours on six continents for Portland Audubon, but Summer Camp is still his favorite! Steve hopes that every student attending our programs is able to enhance their personal connection to the natural world, and have a ton of fun while doing it!

Steve Robertson with his son, and bestest buddy, Duncan.



Artist **Susan Leeb** has two Masters degrees in art and has taught art classes for young people for over 25 years. She enjoys sharing her enthusiasm for making art, exploring the forest and using it as a classroom, listening to the sound of the wind blowing through ancient trees, and discovering animals big and small with the kids of all ages who take her art classes. This is Susan's 23rd year with Audubon. Searching for pileated woodpeckers high in the ancient forest and finding crayfish dancing in the creek will be a special challenge for Susan and her Audubon campers.

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**Tim Donner** spent two years volunteering at Audubon's Wildlife Care Center before joining the staff as a full-time Naturalist-Educator. This will be Tim's fifth summer leading camps for Portland Audubon. He received his Bachelor's in Environmental Studies at the University of Texas and spent five winters studying bison around Yellowstone National Park. He has also surveyed Marbled Murrelets in the Coast Range of Oregon, banded Burrowing Owls in NE Wyoming and taught animal tracking on Mt. Hood's snowy slopes as part of a carnivore monitoring project. Summer camp is Tim's favorite part of the year and is excited to combine his passion for the natural world with his desire to strengthen the bonds between kids and nature.



**Andrea Constance** began her career as an outdoor and environmental educator in 1999 when she started leading wilderness trips in the great outdoors of Michigan. Since obtaining a Bachelor's Degree in Water Science and Biology at the University of Colorado, she has travelled across the country and around the globe both as a guide and independent traveler. She has taught science aboard a schooner in the Great Lakes, across the mountains and beaches of California and in the Rocky Mountains of Colorado before joining Portland Audubon as a Naturalist-Educator in 2009. Andrea loves sharing her love of the natural world with young people and is looking forward to her fourth summer of leading outdoor adventures with the youth of Portland Audubon!



**Severin Piper** first attended an Audubon's summer camp when entering first grade. It was not until the seventh grade that he took his first camp based on wilderness living skills. Since starting a friction fire at that camp, he has pursued these skills by studying, volunteering and teaching at as many different schools as possible, his quests into nature have taken him from the U.S. Virgin Islands the desert southwest and, most recently doing a five month immersion program ending in a stone age living project in Idaho's Sawtooth Recreation Area. Regardless of where the next adventure may be, Severin has come back to work with the Audubon every summer since starting as a counsellor in High School. He is now studying Adventure Education at Prescott College in Arizona.





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