



## Program Schedule: April 28 - May 4, 2024

Location	Program	Sun 28	Mon 29	Tues 30	Wed 1	Thurs 2	Fri 3	Sat 4
Toms Cove Visitor Center	<b>Birding with a Ranger</b> (1 hour window)							12:30 pm
Toms Cove Visitor Center	<b>Aquarium Talk</b> (30 minutes)	10:30 am						10:30 am
Toms Cove Visitor Center	<b>Free as a Bird</b> (1.5 hours, 1/2 mile)	9:00 am						
Toms Cove Visitor Center	<b>History's Mysteries</b> (15 minutes)		10:30 am				1:00 pm	
Toms Cove Visitor Center	<b>Story by the Sea</b> (30 minutes)						3:00 pm	
Toms Cove Visitor Center	<b>Plant Rant</b> (15 minutes)	2:00 pm	1:00 pm					
Toms Cove Visitor Center	<b>Creature Feature</b> (15 minutes)	12:30 pm	2:30 pm				10:30 am	3:00 pm

### Special Note: Children Under 12 must be accompanied by an adult on all programs.

- Advanced registration required. Register at the Toms Cove Visitor Center
- These programs are especially popular with children.
- Wheelchair accessible programs.

### Program Descriptions

#### Sun screen, drinking water & bug spray are recommended when outdoors.

**Birding With a Ranger** - See what birds the ranger is viewing off the Toms Cove Visitor Center deck. Come and go as you please anytime during the 1 hour window. Some binoculars and field guides will be available.

**Aquarium Talk** - Horseshoe crabs, hermit crabs, fish and more! Get a peek at who is swimming around out there with you by joining a ranger who will let you in on the secret lives of these diverse creatures.

**Free as a Bird** - (Advance registration required, limit of 25). Discover some of Assateague's most colorful fall residents on this walk designed for beginning birders. A limited number of binoculars and bird guides are available.

**History's Mysteries** - What's that building on the horizon? Why is the lighthouse so far inland? Come learn about the cultural history, Park's legends, lore, local tales and more!

**Story by the Sea** - You're never too old for a story by the sea. Come learn about an animal that calls Assateague home. An activity or craft related to the story will follow.

**Plant Rant** - "Lettuce" dig up the dirt on plants to unearth their roots and blossoming potential!

**Creature Feature** - Gather 'round the ranger and today's mystery "guest." Learn the life and lore of a special Assateague resident during this informal discussion.



