Rotary Adventures - 2025

Tentative, likely to change in the next few months

Monday September 8th

*Times and order may vary

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- 9:00 Arrival
- 9:00-9:30 Welcome/Introductions/Ice Breaker/Goals and Outcomes Form
- 9:30-10:00 Gill Net Preparation
- 10:00-10:30 Theory : Fish Ecology
- 10:30-12:00 Fish Sampling Techniques (Set Gill Nets by Boat, Seining)
- 12:00-13:00 Lunch & Staff Talk
- 13:00-16:00 Collect, Identify and Measure Fish
- 16:00 Pickup at River Institute

Tuesday September 9th

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Turtles and Aquatic Invertebrates

- 9:00-9:15 Arrival/Schedule for the day
- 9:20-9:45 Theory : Turtles
- 9:50-12:00 Turtle Surveying
- 12:00-13:00 Lunch & Staff Talk
- 13:00-13:30 Theory : Aquatic Invertebrates
- 13:30-16:00 Sampling and Identification in the Lab
- 16:00 Pickup at River Institute

Wednesday September 10th

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Biodiversity and Bats

- 7:00-9:00 Breakfast with the Rotary Club of Cornwall Sunrise
- 9:00-9:30 Travel to Cooper Marsh or Guidon Park or the Bird Sanctuary
- 9:30-11:30 Marsh Walk (Practice Species ID: birds, plants, frogs, etc.)
- 11:30-12:00 Return to RI
- 12:00-13:00 Lunch & Staff Talk
- 13:00-13:30 Theory : Bats with Dr. Brian Hickey
- 13:30-14:00 Break and Preparation for the night
- 14:00-17:30 Travel to Bat Location
- 17:30-TBD Bat night
- TBD Return to River Institute, Pickup

Thursday September 11th

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Geology and Water Quality

- 9:00 Welcome/Schedule for the day
- 9:15-10:00 Theory : Geology or Water Quality
- 10:00-12:00 Rocks, Minerals and Soils or Water Testing
- 12:00-13:00 Lunch & Staff Talk
- 13:00-15:00 TBC Guest speaker
- 15:00-15:30 Open (Revisit topics of interest)
- 15:30-16:00 Wrap up and Feedback
- 16:00 End of Rotary Adventures, Pick up at River Institute