

Donation Form

I would like to support the Atwood Birds of Prey Program

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Please accept my gift in the amount of:

\$5,000 \$2,500 \$1,000 \$500 \$100 \$50

Other \$ _____ (all gifts are tax-deductible as allowable by law)

If paying by check, please make payable to:

Rockford Park District Foundation

Credit Card # (MasterCard/VISA/Discover Card only)

Exp. Date

Security Code (3-digit # on back of card)

Signature

Date

Please contact me in regard to:

Sponsoring a bird Volunteering

Booking a Birds of Prey Presentation

Please return this card to:

Rockford Park District Foundation
401 S Main St STE 112
Rockford, IL 61101-1321



Adopt a Bird

Help provide quality care, food, veterinary treatment, and shelter by adopting one of our birds, and help the Atwood Environmental Center carry on our mission. \$500 covers these expenses for a year, plus you will receive:

- an 8x10 color photo of your adopted bird
- an adoption certificate
- a fact sheet about your adopted bird

The following birds are available for adoption: American Kestrel, Bald Eagle, Barn Owl, Barred Owl, Great Horned Owl, Red-tailed Hawk, Screech Owl. For more information, call 815-874-7576 (TTY 888-871-6171), or send in your donation form.

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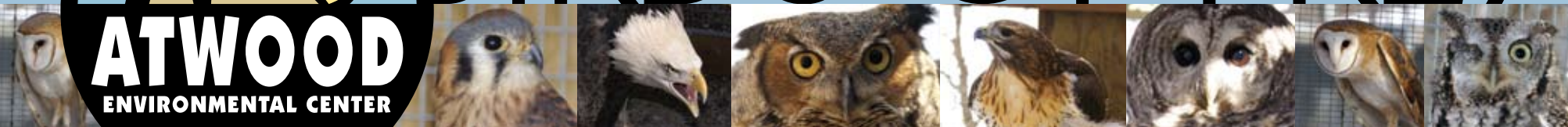
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Current pens behind Atwood Environmental Center

Program Overview

The Atwood Environmental Center has been home to birds of prey since 1988. The birds are used in informative presentations to participants in environmental education and recreation programs, and to community groups, delivering a powerful educational and environmental message to thousands of people of all ages.

Currently, the Center cares for seven birds of prey, including an American Kestrel, a Bald Eagle, a Barn Owl, a Barred Owl, an Eastern Screech Owl, a Great Horned Owl, and a Red-Tailed Hawk. Each bird is unable to survive on its own in the wild because of previous injuries or impairments. They are housed in modest outdoor pens tucked away behind the Center.

Pen Improvements

Improvements to the Center's 12-year old bird pens are long overdue. Each bird has special housing needs. Those that can fly and enjoy interaction with their environment require more space. Those that are more reclusive require a quieter pen. Other improvements needed include an on-site medical station, interior pens where small birds may winter, accessible walkways and decks, program space, and interpretive signage.



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Help the Birds

We are seeking to construct new living quarters for the birds with a more user friendly observing area in 2008 and are asking for your help. Take a look at the projected costs, and consider how you might like to give. Not only will these improvements help us serve thousands of visitors and students, but will also benefit the birds.

PROJECT EXPENSES	
Demolition/New Construction	\$87,100
Special Construction (Bird Pens)	\$37,000
Heating/Ventilation/Plumbing/Electrical	\$24,000
Architectural Estimate at 7%	\$10,360
Total Expenses	\$158,460

REVENUE TO DATE	
Donated labor	\$20,000
Rockford Park District	\$39,000
Donations to date	\$20,000
Total Revenue To Date	\$79,000

FUNDRAISING GOAL	\$79,460
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