

13th Annual Indiana Bat Festival - Saturday, September 21, 2019

Time	Program	Presenter	Location
10:20 AM	Live Bat Encounter Learn all about bats and see a live bat demonstration with fruit bats (1-hour program)	Sharon Peterson (IncredibleBats, Inc.)	Room 214
11:20 AM	Social Transmission of WNS How does being social affect chances of developing white-nose syndrome?	Joy O'Keefe (Indiana State University)	Room 214
11:40 AM	Home on the Range Bats of Arizona and their use of wide, open landscapes	Clarissa Starbuck (Indiana State University)	Room 214
12:00 PM	Live Bat Encounter Learn all about bats and see a live bat demonstration with fruit bats (1-hour program)	Sharon Peterson (IncredibleBats, Inc.)	Room 214
	Live Raptor Demonstration Live raptor demonstrations featuring hawks, falcons, and owls (1-hour program)	Mark Booth (Take Flight! Wildlife Education)	Room 134
1:00 PM	Vampire Bat Sociality Vampire bats and the evolution of friendship	Gerry Carter (The Ohio State University)	Room 214
1:30 PM	Summer Colonies in Indiana Results from monitoring bat roosts across Indiana	Brad Westrich (Indiana DNR)	Room 214
1:50 PM	How do Bats Find New Roosts? What happens when a bat needs to find a new place to call home?	Bridget Brown (The Ohio State University)	Room 214
2:20 PM	Live Bat Encounter Learn all about bats and see a live bat demonstration with fruit bats (1-hour program)	Sharon Peterson (IncredibleBats, Inc.)	Room 214
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3:40 PM	Silent Auction Bidding Closes	Please pick up your items at this time!	Room 215

Educational and Environmental Exhibits:

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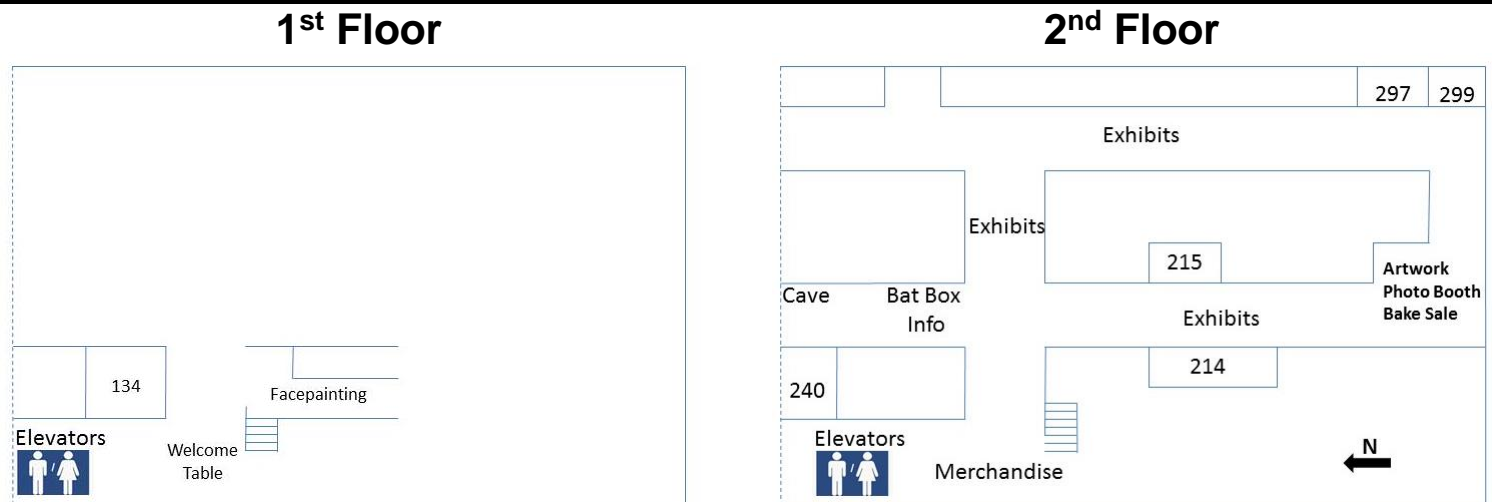
All day activities: Inflatable cave, kids' activity centers (Rooms 297 and 299), "The Lonely Bat" book readings (Room 297), play a game with a bat biologist (Room 299), informational exhibits, bat box information and kits for sale (limited quantity), live bat displays, try on bat wings at the photo booth, Edible Bats Bake Sale in the Chiroptera Café, art contest display, and bat merchandise for sale.

Face Painting Located on the 1st Floor. Get a batty design painted on your cheek or hand (\$2) or a wildlife tattoo (2 for \$1).

Silent Auction: Visit the Silent Auction in Room 215 and place a bid on your favorite items. We have a variety to choose from including pictures and artwork, hand-crafted items, jewelry, gift certificates, and much more! Proceeds allow the Indiana Bat Festival to remain a FREE event. Bidding closes at 3:40pm. Please pick up your items (cash or check) at that time in room 215.

Bat Festival Sponsors and Supporters Include:

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Evening Activities at Dobbs Park from 6–9pm — Free Family Fun!

Featuring: Live Raptor Program (6:30), "The Lonely Bat" Reading (7:30), Bugs after Dark (8:00), Walkabout for Bats (8:30), BatVentures activity course, bat merchandise, face painting, crafts, and more!