

Media Release
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**Do You Give a Hoot?
Longwoods' Moonlight Winter Family Hike**



Owls are the focus of the Moonlight Winter Family Hike event at Longwoods Road Conservation Area, Saturday, February 22. **Pre-registration is mandatory.** Admission is: adults \$12.00, youth 4-17 \$6.00, plus HST, and under 4 free.

Outdoors - Enjoy a half hour guided moonlit hike through the woods in search of owls. Hikes are at 6:15, 7:00, 7:45, and 8:30 p.m. **To pre-register call Agnes at 519-264-2420** Monday-Friday between 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. A bonfire will be blazing for a warm-up, with hot dogs roasting for the kids. Dress for the weather! No dogs and/or cross-country skis please.

Indoors - Come before your hike or stay after to enjoy activities inside the Resource Centre: ●At 6:30, 7:30 and 8:30, Lynn Eves will present from Bluewater Centre for Raptor Rehabilitation ●Master Carver Wayne Kristoff will display wonderful creations and demonstrate wildlife woodcarving. ●Have a bowl of chili and a hot drink (Bring bowls, mugs, spoons). ●Take part in kids' owl crafts. ●Watch an owl dvd . ●View displays. ●Check-out an owl pellet.

The event is weather dependent. For last minute event updates check our LTVCA Facebook page or call our answering machine at 519-264-2420. Please check local weather conditions before you head out to the event. **Weather Watches** alert you about weather conditions that are favourable for a storm or severe weather, which could cause safety concerns and the event *may* be cancelled. A **Weather Warning** is an urgent message that severe weather is either occurring or will occur and the event *will be* cancelled.

Longwoods is located at 8348 Longwoods Road (Middlesex Rd. 2) - 6.5 km west of Delaware or 10 km east of Melbourne. Hosted by **Lower Thames Valley Conservation Foundation** in partnership with the **Lower Thames Valley Conservation Authority**.

To Pre-register and for further information call:

Agnes Vriends – Clerk

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