

# Plover and Friends Day

Join us as Morton National Wildlife Refuge as we celebrate the world of plovers and their beach friends.

Saturday, July 25<sup>th</sup>, 2009  
1pm-4pm

A FREE family fun event for all ages!

## Schedule:

### 1:00-1:30 "Shorebirds Anchor for Summer" Puppet Show

Come meet our shorebird friends who call Morton their home during the summer in this entertaining and educational puppet show. Meet at the Visitor Contact Station.

### 1:30-2:00 Bird Hike

Learn the basics about birds and how to spot them with Binoculars as we hike the wilds of Morton. Meet at the Visitor Contact Station.

### 2:00-2:30 Plover Nest Demonstration

Catch a rare glimpse of Plover habitat and learn about this beautiful bird and management techniques. Meet at the beach platform.

### 2:30-3:15 Beach FUN!

Hey kids, love the beach? Join us for fun, interactive activities as we learn what plovers and terns eat while exploring their beach habitat. Meet at the beach platform.

### 3:15-4:00 Crafts and Games

Take Plover and Friends Day home with you - build a nest, make a fish print, play games, and more! Meet at the Visitor Contact Station.

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**Piping Plover**



**Least Tern**

**Directions:** From Sunrise Hwy. (27E), Left/North onto North Sea Rd. (CR38) for North Sea. Right onto Noyack Rd. for 5 miles. Entrance is on left.

