

Okefenokeology:	2017 FALL SEMESTER - Instructors: Don Berryhill, Kathi Murray and Leslie Ranew			
Check In & Registration	Swamp Park Gift Shop 5:30 - 5:50			
Class # 1	1st Block- (6pm - 6:50pm) at OSP	10 min break	2nd Block- (7pm - 7:50pm) in Park	Wrap up
Tuesday Sept. 5th	Welcome & Introductions Nature Center Classroom		Methane gas collection at boat dock - D. Berryhill	
	Overview of Class, Geology - Don Berryhill		Assisted by Melvin Thigpen	
	Okefenokee Swamp, Refuge & Entrances - Don		Full Moon Facts , Acts & Nocturnal Creatures	
	Effects of drought & fires		Note: 97% Full Moon on 9/5/17 at 7:35, sunset at 7:44	
	Native Americans, Place Names w/ map - L. Ranew		The Class is invited to linger on the tower to watch the moon	
			rise above the tree canopy and take photos	
Class # 2	1st Block- (6pm - 6:50pm) in Park	10 min break	2nd Block- (7pm - 7:50pm) in Pavilion	Wrap up
Tuesday Sept. 12th	Explore the Okefenokee by Boat -D. Berryhill		Plants of the Swamp- K. Murray & D. Berryhill	
	A Twilight Guided Boat Excursion Adventure		Including Carnivorous plants	
	Hydrology at the Headwaters			
	Boat Guides: Melvin Thigpen & Shane Saylor			
Class # 3	1st Block- (6pm - 6:50pm) in Park	10 min break	2nd Block- (7pm - 7:50pm) in Park	Wrap up
Tuesday Sept. 19th	Explore the Low Boardwalk to tower - D. Berryhill		Crocodylians 101	
	Flora & Fauna ID along the way		Alligators and a whole lot more- Berryhill & Murray	
	Lookout at the Okefenokee horizon from 90' high		Facts, Feeding, Habitats & famous gator residents	
Class # 4	1st Block- (6pm - 6:50pm) in Park	10 min break	2nd Block- (7pm - 7:50pm) in Nature Ct.	Wrap up
Tuesday Sept. 26th	Explore the Nature Center Critters- K. Murray		A Historical look back...	
	Snake & bird ID		Making a Living in the Okefenokee- L. Ranew	
	Behind the scenes look- A Beary Fun Time			
Class # 5	1st Block- (6pm - 6:50pm) in Annex	10 min break	2nd Block- (7pm - 7:50pm) in Annex	Wrap up
Tuesday Oct. 3rd	Pioneer Island - L. Ranew & K. Murray		Okefenokeeology Wrap Up with D. Berryhill	
	History, buildings & people		Protect, Preserve & Get Involved - PALS	
	Blacksmith demo by Dave Fry		Annual Pioneer Island Days & Light Show	
	Soap demo- (How to make)		Class E-vals and Diplomas	
	Cast iron cooking			
Rain Plans	In case of rain, the class will meet in the Cypress Cove Building			