

Ranger-Led Programs

September 17th – September 24th

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Sequoia and Kings Canyon
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FOOTHILLS

	Time	Mon 9/17	Tues 9/18	Wed 9/19	Thurs 9/20	Fri 9/21	Sat 9/22	Sun 9/23	Mon 9/24
Jr. Ranger Program	10:00 AM						X		
Critter Chat	10:00 AM	X	X	X	X			X	X
People, Places & the Past	2:00 PM						X		
Investigation Station	2:30 PM	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Evenings at Potwisha	7:30 PM					X	X		

Talks

Critter Chat

Bears, deer, and other wildlife abound in the Oak Woodlands of the Sequoia Foothills. Get to know some of the creatures that live in the most diverse ecosystem in California. Meet at the flagpole at the Foothills Visitor Center for a 20 minute chat.

People, Places, & the Past

Discover Hospital Rock! Take a step back in time and learn more about the people who called this area home. Meet near the bear box in the Hospital Rock Picnic Area. 30 minutes.

Activities

Investigation Station

Have you ever wanted to pet a bear hide, touch a snake skin or feel Sequoia cones? If so, drop by the Foothills Visitor Center between 2:30 and 3:30 pm to investigate the plants and animals of Sequoia.

Jr. Ranger Program

Wildlife is all around us, but often all we see of bears and owls is the scat, tracks, and sign they leave behind. Kids of all ages are welcome to join a ranger and learn what bears eat, owls hunt, or what's been sniffing around your campsite at night. Saturday morning at the Potwisha campfire circle. 1 hour.

Evenings at Potwisha

Meet at the Potwisha campfire circle. 1 hour.

Friday: The Bear Necessities

The American Black Bear is one of Sequoia National Park's most conspicuous creatures. If you've ever wondered what the national parks do to protect bears, join Ranger Dani Cessna to learn about bear habits and the role we play in their protection.

Saturday: Night Lights

Take a tour of the planets, meet the constellations, and celebrate the darkness at Sequoia National Park! Join Park Ranger Tim Lutterman to discover how our universe works and the magic of the night sky through storytelling and a guided tour of the fall stars.