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## An Evening at the Hook features Horseshoe Crabs - Things You Might Just Find Interesting

The lecture series, "An Evening at the Hook", continues its 10th anniversary celebration with "Horseshoe Crabs - Things You Might Just Find Interesting" on Thursday, May 9, 2013, at 7:00 PM. Hosted by Glenn Gauvry, Executive Director of Ecological Research \& Development Group, this presentation will allow you to discover Delaware’s State Marine Animal - the HORSESHOE CRAB. Featuring hands-on material and information about the life history and ecological importance of the horseshoe crab to the Delaware Estuary, this presentation will give new meaning to your next walk along Delaware's beaches. Join us before the lecture at 6:30 p.m. for light refreshments.

Celebrating its $10^{\text {th }}$ anniversary, "An Evening at the Hook" is a lecture series that highlights this nation's abundant and diverse natural resources, particularly close to home at Prime Hook National Wildlife Refuge. Featured on the second Thursday of every month at $7: 00 \mathrm{pm}$ in the Refuge Auditorium, these hour-long programs provide an exciting opportunity to learn intriguing facts about our plants, animals, environment, and cultural history. The lectures are free, open to the public, and fun for the entire family. Seating is limited on a first-come, first-serve basis. Please call the Refuge at (302) 684-8419 for more information.

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