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# PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS

## 20 years of Bird Banding at Mugaha Marsh

**Guest Presenter: Ryan Bichon**

President, Mackenzie Nature Observatory



The Mackenzie Nature Observatory has operated a bird banding station at Mugaha Marsh annually for more than 20 years. This presentation will describe how bird banding at Mugaha Marsh fits in with the larger network of banding stations across North America. Operation of the banding station and data collection protocols will be discussed. Some of the species of birds banded at the station will be showcased. A summary of what we have learned about songbirds, population trends and migration routes will be provided.

**Wednesday  
November 30,  
2016**

**7:00pm**

**Mackenzie  
Recreation  
Centre**

**400 Skeena Ave  
Mackenzie, BC**

## Forest management and the Migratory Bird Convention Act in Interior BC\*

**Guest Presenter: Kari Stuart-Smith**

Senior Forest Scientist—Canfor



The federal Migratory Bird Convention Act and the BC Wildlife Act prohibit the harming of migratory birds, their nests, and eggs. How then do we conduct forest management activities like harvesting and brushing? This talk will explore the strategy a group of forest companies in the interior of BC have developed in order to mitigate the risk associated with the acts.

*\*Please note that this talk will be an online presentation*

***All are welcome to attend. No registration required.***

The Natural Resources & Environmental Studies Institute at the University of Northern British Columbia, together with its partners, invite those with interest in learning more about birds in north-central British Columbia to attend these presentations and discussion. These presentations will also be viewable on the internet. Visit [www.unbc.ca/nres-institute/colloquium-series](http://www.unbc.ca/nres-institute/colloquium-series) for information on how to connect.