



# Ranger Program Schedule

**Bryce Canyon National Park  
June 30 – July 13, 2013**

	Sunday June 30	Monday July 1	Tuesday July 2	Wednesday July 3	Thursday July 4	Friday July 5	Saturday July 6
<b>Geology Talk</b> (**Sunset Point)	11:30 am & 2 pm	11:30 am & 2 pm	11:30 am & 2 pm	11:30 am & 2 pm	11:30 am & 2 pm	11:30 am & 2 pm	11:30 am & 2 pm
<b>Geologievortrag</b> (**Sunset Point)	3 pm			3 pm			
<b>Canyon Hike</b>						9 am - Queens Meet @ General Store	
<b>Kids Program</b>	10:30 am Fossils	10:30 am Carbon Diet	10:30 am (all ages) Map & Compass	10:30 am Carbon Diet			
<b>Rim Walk</b> (**Sunset Point)	5 pm	5 pm	5 pm	5 pm	5 pm	5 pm	5 pm
<b>Evening Program</b> (Lodge)	9 pm Wilderness	9 pm Bryce Rocks		9 pm Condors		9 pm Amazing Trees	
<b>Astronomy</b> (Lodge)			9 pm Lives of Stars		9 pm Dark Wars		9 pm First Star People
<b>Astronomy</b> (N. Campgrnd Theater)			9 pm Violence in the Void		9 pm Strange Universe		9 pm Astronomy Thru Ages
	Sunday July 7	Monday July 8	Tuesday July 9	Wednesday July 10	Thursday July 11	Friday July 12	Saturday July 13
<b>Geology Talk</b> (**Sunset Point)	11:30 am & 2 pm	11:30 am & 2 pm	11:30 am & 2 pm	11:30 am & 2 pm	11:30 am & 2 pm	11:30 am & 2 pm	11:30 am & 2 pm
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<b>Rim Walk</b> (**Sunset Point)	5 pm	5 pm	5 pm	5 pm	5 pm	5 pm	5 pm
<b>Evening Program</b> (Lodge)	9 pm Wilderness	9 pm In Search of Grand Circle		9 pm Condors		9 pm Wilderness	
<b>Astronomy</b> (Lodge)			9 pm Stargazing Thru Time		9 pm Reaching Way Out		9 pm First Star People
<b>Astronomy</b> (N. Campgrnd Theater)			9 pm First Star People		9 pm Journey to Virgo		9 pm Astronomy Thru Ages

- **ASTRONOMY EVENING PROGRAMS ARE AT THE BRYCE CANYON LODGE OR NORTH CAMPGROUND OUTDOOR AMPHITHEATER. EVENING PROGRAMS ARE AT THE BRYCE CANYON LODGE AUDITORIUM.**
- **STARGAZING WITH TELESCOPES (weather permitting) IS AT THE VISITOR CENTER FOLLOWING ASTRONOMY TALKS.**
- **SEE OTHER SIDE FOR PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS.**

**\*\* For Geology Talks & Rim Walks follow the path from the Sunset Point shuttle stop to the viewpoint - look for "Geology Talk/Rim Walk" sign to your right just before you reach the viewpoint.**

Program schedules are subject to change - inquire at the Visitor Center for the latest program information.



# Program Descriptions

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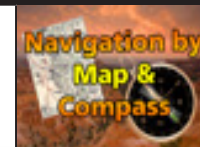
### WALKS & TALKS



**Geology Talk** -- 30 mins Learn all about Bryce Canyon's amazing geology. *Meet at the benches near Sunset Point - follow the path toward the viewpoint from the shuttle stop.*



**Kid's Programs** -- 60 min. Ranger led activities for kids ages 5-11. *Inquire at Visitor Center. Space July be limited, ages restricted, an adult must accompany their children, and registration is required!*



**Navigation by Map & Compass** -- Get out and move while having fun, and learning some cool stuff. Join Ranger Donald Williams on a 1-mile walk utilizing map and compass. No GPS, no problem. *Meet at the General Store.*



**Queen's Garden Hike** 2 hrs, 2 mile round trip. Scenic hike among hoodoos on the Queens Garden Trail. Meet at the General Store (near Sunrise Point parking lot). *Bring water; wear hiking boots or shoes!*



**Rim Walk** -- 90 min. Join a Ranger for a short walk (1 mile) along the Rim Trail. *Meet at the benches near Sunset Point - follow the path toward the viewpoint from the shuttle stop.*

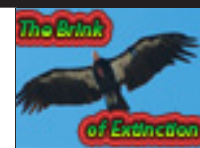
### EVENING PROGRAMS & ASTRONOMY EVENING PROGRAMS



**"Amazing World of Trees"** Join Ranger Cheryl Scenic for a look at the oldest, tallest and biggest trees in North America. It's only a tree but it amazes me how it can serve all life on Earth with such diversity.



**"Astronomy Through the Ages"** Join Kevin Doxstater for a journey through 30,000 years of awe and wonder as humans have pondered our place in the Universe. *Stargazing follows at Visitor Center!*



**"The Brink of Extinction"** The California Condor is the most endangered bird in North America. Learn about this species largest flying bird on the continent with Bryce Canyon volunteer Maureen.



**"Bryce Canyon Rocks!"** Park Ranger Geoff Goins brings you the story of the geology that's underfoot and in front of your eyes at Bryce Canyon National Park.



**"Dark Wars"** Join Dark Ranger Kevin Poe for a tour of the battlefield between artificial light and natural darkness - a where the fate of astronomy, nocturnal animals, and even human health hangs in the balance. *Stargazing follows at Visitor Center!*



**"First Star People"** Join Dark Ranger Sean Duffy for American Indian astronomy and stories. *Stargazing follows at Visitor Center!*



**"In Search of the Grand Circle"** Ranger Kim Hyatt explores the fascinating story of how much railroad service influenced the way we experience Bryce Canyon and other parks of the Grand Circle.



**"A Journey to the Virgo Cluster (and back if you choose)"** Join Dark Ranger Donald Williams for a trip highlighting some of the celestial objects visible from Bryce Canyon's magnificent dark sky. *Stargazing follows at Visitor Center!*



**"The Lives of Stars"** What would life be like as a bazillion ton ball of nuclear fusion? Join Dark Ranger Joel Allen for an amusing celebration of our universe and the stars that make it ALL possible! *Stargazing follows at Visitor Center!*



**"Reaching WAY Out!"** Join NASA Solar System Ambassador Patrick Wiggins the latest in astronomy and space exploration, with humorous distinctions between science fiction and science fact. *Stargazing follows at Visitor Center!*



**"Stargazing Through Time"** Dark Ranger Ben Benson takes you on a historical journey as humans have learned about their connections with the stars. *Stargazing follows at Visitor Center!*



**"The Strange Universe: Relativity, Spagettification and You"** If you thought Bryce Canyon's hoodoos were beautiful and bizarre, wait until you explore the universe overhead with Dark Ranger Geoff Goins. *Stargazing follows at Visitor Center!*



**"Violence from the Void"** Join Dark Ranger William Goins as he takes you through meteor impacts and more on an epic show of astronomic destruction. *Stargazing follows at Visitor Center!*



**"Wilderness is for Everyone"** To celebrate the Designated Wilderness Act, join Ranger Cheryl Evans to discuss why "Wilderness is for everyone, not just the people who use it!"