# **MARCH 2017 EFRC ENEWS**

# THE EXOTIC FELINE RESCUE CENTER



Giving Big Cats a Second Chance



# **EXOTIC FELINE RESCUE CENTER MISSION**

We provide permanent homes for exotic felines that have been abused, abandoned or for some reason have nowhere to live out their lives, while educating the public about these beautiful cats.

- $\cdot\,$  We do not buy, sell or breed cats
- We give big cats a home for life
- · We provide stable social groups
- $\cdot\,$  We provide enhanced environments
- $\cdot\,$  We provide the best veterinary care

Visit the EFRC Website

# EVENTS AT THE EFRC

# **Spring Fling**

Please join us on April 22 for the Spring Fling. Enjoy a spring day with the BIG CATS. Along with the typical public tour, you will have the opportunity to see cats that are not on the public tour. Refreshments will also be available. Reservations are required and will shut off 48 hours before the event. Cost is \$10 for children 12 and under and \$20 for adults.

Spring Fling Details

## Run Through The Jungle 5K

Please join us on May 20, 2017 for our Run Through the Jungle 5K. Join other BIG CAT supporters while running or walking through the Exotic Feline Rescue Center. Check-in begins at 9:00 with the race starting at 10:30. Not many folks can say they have run with lions and tigers.

Age group awards will be available for





walking and running. Dress for the weather because this event will take place rain or shine. You will also receive an Exotic Feline Rescue Center pass to use the day of the race or in the future.

Run Through The Jungle 5K Details

# **Volunteer Orientation**

Please join us on March 18 at 1:00 pm for volunteer orientation. If you have ever thought you would like to be more involved with the rescue center, this is the perfect opportunity. Working in the merchandise building, leading tours and greeting guests are just a few of the positions we need to fill. Be sure to sign up through our website and come dressed for the weather. A tour of our facility is part of the orientation, rain or shine.

#### Volunteer Orientation Details

## Camp Roar 2017

CAMP ROAR 2017 registration is now open. We are excited to announce we will have three sessions for 8-11 year old children and one session for 12-15 year old children. June 28, July 6 and July 12 are for 8-11 year olds and July 19 will be for 12-15 year olds. Please note that July 6 is a Thursday. All other dates are a Wednesday. Campers will enjoy learning about our lions, tigers, leopards, pumas, servals and bobcats while taking part in educational activities that will include BIG CAT and endangered species facts, a simulated rescue of BIG CATS, rescue stories of our resident felines, and the day-to-day running of the rescue center. Cost is \$75.00 per child.

## Camp Roar 2017 Details





# **Public Tour Cats**

**Sophie**, female tiger, is the first tiger you meet on your tour. Sophie came to us several years ago from a breeding facility in southern Indiana. Sohpie greets every visitor and every staff member with a hello chuff but she also can be an excellent stalker. If you turn your back on Sophie, she is more than likely to pounce. She also enjoys being "Queen of the Hill." Many visitors can report they have seen Sophie sitting on top of her tunnel. We think she is just wanting to make sure the center is running as it should.



# **Field Cats**

**Paco**, female black leopard, arrived from a facility in Flat Rock, Indiana. She is in her late teens and is located in the field area. She is known for her whiny personality but she is also very friendly with the keepers. She lives by herself and is quite happy with this arrangement.



# Merchandise

Our lion patch is for anyone who wants to wear their love for the Exotic Feline Rescue Center. Many Boy Scouts, Girl Scout and motorcycle clubs purchase our lion patch. The patch is \$6.00 when ordered online and \$5.00 when purchased at the merchandise building.



Merchandise Details

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