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Experience “Friday Night Frights” at Camp Tomo Chi-Chi Knolls

GENEVA, IL — Venture by car into the deep, dark woods of Camp Tomo Chi-Chi Knolls on Friday, Oct. 28, for an evening of nocturnal nature at its spookiest.

Only the brave (and pre-registered) will be admitted to “Friday Night Frights,” a Forest Preserve District of Kane County nature program. Two sessions are offered: 5:30 - 7:00 p.m. and 7:30 - 9 p.m.

Slowly drive the long, winding road, past mysterious animals and gnarled oaks, toward the Tomo Lodge. Inside the lodge, bats, snakes, and spiders await you! There will be stations with live (and un-live) animals, activities and crafts for all ages, and guided, nighttime hikes through the woods.

“Friday Night Frights” addresses the myths about animals such as bats, snakes and spiders, and what makes them seem scary. We’ll also talk about why these animals are so important to our ecosystem.

To register for this evening of family fun, call 847-741-8350 or e-mail programs@kaneforest.com. Registration is \$5 per person or \$20 for a family of four or more. Advance registration is required.

“Don’t miss this opportunity to find out what lurks in the evening shadows! Plenty of ‘scary’ creatures will be there, and you’ll learn the beastly truth about animals in nature,” said Forest Preserve Nature Programs Manager Valerie Blaine. “Just maybe, you’ll end up a little less frightful by the end of the night!”

Camp Tomo Chi-Chi Knolls is located at 40W095 Freeman Rd., Gilberts. For more information or to see a full roster of District nature programs visit www.kaneforest.com

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