



Photo: Linda Bakker

Western painted turtles are the only native species of pond turtle remaining in British Columbia.

## RED ALERT FOR HOOKED TURTLE

### Rescued Turtle to Help Keep Endangered Population Afloat

By Yolanda Brooks  
Communications Manager

**Being an endangered species is no protection against human folly and in July Wildlife Rescue treated not one but two Western painted turtles (*Chrysemys picta bellii*) that were hooked on fishing lines.**

In south-western BC, only a few thousand painted turtles remain. They are a red-listed species and their long-term future in the province is precarious as their preferred wetland habitats get drained, developed and

surrounded by roads.

The first turtle was spotted by a Wildlife Rescue rehabilitator who was at Burnaby Lake when she saw a turtle trailing fishing line. At first she thought it was entangled in discarded line but it was actually attached to a hook from the rod of a man fishing on the dock. They untangled the line and initially tried to remove the hook from its cheek at the dock, but due to the difficulty of the procedure the turtle was taken to the Care Centre where on-duty staff were able to remove it. Its wound healed quickly and it was released after a few days.

A week later a second turtle was picked up from Lost Lake in Mundy

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## BIRD'S EYE VIEW

# No Time to Hibernate

**What an amazing summer we have had. With the incredibly warm and sunny weather stretching for months, we have logged record admissions from ducklings to bats.**

Our increase over last summer is a whopping 28%! In terms of sheer numbers (3,700 animals admitted to date), we now rank as the busiest wildlife rescue organization in Canada. What a milestone.

This was managed without any increase in staff numbers, so we have a very tired but talented crew starting to enjoy getting home before midnight. Every time I go into the Care Centre, I am deeply moved by the love and care in the faces and hands of our staff and volunteers. No matter how long the shift, they are ready to serve the needs of the animals you bring in for our care.

Wildlife Rescue's Education Department is growing too. The summer day camps were redesigned to make them more inclusive and accessible to children with a variety of needs. We also ran "strike camps" which were packed solid with curious campers. Our education team will continue to revamp our school and community programming throughout the year.

Right now we have a luxurious sort of challenge: chronic growth! We have grown into a large scale organization by circumstance rather than design. Our winter strategies will include learning to think and operate as a



large organization. That includes everything from fundraising to staff training. Meanwhile, we are looking at ways to give our Care Centre some temporary elbow room while we do our final needs assessments for new facilities planning.

Our growth is a result of your caring actions. You are our unsung Wildlife Heroes ... and now it is time to have some fun and crow a little. Don't hibernate ... participate! Check the Newsletter, Facebook, and your inbox for news about ways for everyone to have fun this fall and winter while helping us to grow and plan.

We are excited to be hosting our first annual Purdy's Chocolate Fundraiser which starts in October. As well as being able to order tasty treats and Christmas gifts, our supporters will have the opportunity to win chocolate prizes and celebrate our 35th Anniversary at our Chocolate Pickup Parties.

You are part of a great mission and a very special family of caring people.

Thank You.

**Rose Hamilton** Senior Executive Consultant

**Donor Input** We value our donors for a lot more than cash donations. You are full of ideas, knowledge, expertise, and more! We are inviting our donors to participate in a series of fascinating "World Cafés" this winter. You will have a chance to collaboratively brainstorm with staff about our future and how we can go forward as Canada's leading wildlife rescue organization.



# Welcome to the Bat Cave

Wildlife Rescue is currently the only wildlife rehabilitation centre in the Lower Mainland that cares for bats and on average we see about 20-30 a year. This year however, there has been a dramatic jump in numbers with 50 bats treated in the first nine months of the year.

There are 16 different species of bat in BC and we have seen seven this year. While we treat many severe injuries to the wing bones and webbing, many bats are brought to us simply 'because it was there'. Bats can be found hanging outside from awnings, walls and railings during the day. In most cases, you won't find the bat the next day when it has spent the night hunting and found a new, more secretive place to roost.

Caring for bats is no easy task. They are currently the only known animal that carries rabies in BC (in other parts of Canada, rabies is found in raccoons, skunks, red foxes and arctic foxes). Although the risk is extremely small, bat bites and scratches can transmit the disease so we have to take precautions. All rehabilitation staff receive the rabies vaccine and the bats are kept in an isolation room to protect the many volunteers at the Care Centre from potential exposure.

Bats have small, delicate bodies and



Photo: Paul Steeves

**As well as this little brown bat, other species treated this year include long-legged myotis, yuma myotis and big brown bats.**

small, but sharp teeth. Staff must always wear face shields and long, thick gloves while handling.

Adult bats will not usually self-feed when in care because they are accustomed to hunting insects using their flying and echolocation abilities. They simply don't know what to do with a dish of mealworms so we have to feed them.

There are two particularly memorable cases from the summer. One involved six bats stuck on a sticky trap (see page 4). The other challenging case came in the form of a young little brown bat, that arrived when it was about seven weeks old. He was fully furred and teeth were erupting but he still needed to nurse from his mother.

It was a steep learning curve with

challenges along the way. Fortunately, wildlife rehabilitators are great with sharing information, and we were able to call on the expertise available at BC SPCA Wild ARC, located on Vancouver Island and the BatWorld Sanctuary in Texas.

We were able to teach the bat to fly in our new outdoor flight cage (known informally as the Bat Cave) which was re-modeled from existing facilities by a wonderful team of volunteers. After making sure he was hunting and flying on his own, the bat was released at a little brown bat site suggested by local naturalists. WRA staff worked hard to raise this pup successfully, and we are particularly proud of his release.

*By Linda Bakker Team Leader of Wildlife Rehabilitation*



Photo: Linda Bakker

## Twenty Seven Thousand Reasons to be Cheerful

We would like to express our gratitude to all of our supporters who purchased a care kit during our Summer Survival Campaign that ran in the spring/summer. Thanks to your generosity, the campaign raised more than \$27,000 – exceeding our target of \$20,000.

The summer season has become increasingly hectic at Wildlife Rescue and the availability of extra funds

during our busiest season was essential for the smooth running of the Care Centre which admitted 2,062 animals from the beginning of June until the end of August.

"We have been really moved by the wonderful response we've received from our supporters," says Rose Hamilton, Senior Executive Consultant for Wildlife Rescue. "It has been a long, tough, busy

summer but knowing that there are so many people out there supporting us has been a great boost."

If you would like to support Wildlife Rescue during our winter campaigns, please read about our new fundraising opportunities on page 9.

*By Yolanda Brooks Communications Manager*



Photos: Linda Bakker



**Little brown bats and Yuma myotis were caught in this lethal sticky trap put up in a barn in Abbotsford.**

**Collateral Damage** At the end of August, rehabilitation staff dealt with one of the worst cases of accidental entrapment seen at the Care Centre in many years. A tube-shaped sticky trap, which was set to catch flies at a barn in Abbotsford, instead trapped six bats.

When the bats arrived at Wildlife Rescue, their bodies were smeared in a sticky residue and several had sustained injuries to their joints and wing membranes as they struggled to free themselves from the trap. Staff removed the bats one-by-one, gave them fluids and wiped away the strings and globs of glue which had

coated their wings, bodies, limbs and faces.

One bat which lost its foot while wriggling to escape from the trap, died soon after arrival.

The bats, which were identified as little brown bats (*Myotis lucifugus*) and Yuma myotis (*Myotis yumanensis*), were then given an all-over body wash to remove the remainder of the glue which was soaked into their fur.

They were so soiled that the whole process took four hours in total. Some of the bats required further spot baths to remove the most stubborn residue.

After being kept in an incubator for several hours, the surviving bats were moved to an isolation unit.

A second bat, which had a torn wing had to be humanely euthanized as the injury was too severe to repair. A third bat also died several days later.

Once they had passed their flight tests, the surviving bats were returned to the wild just over a week after being admitted. 🦇

*By Yolanda Brooks Communications Manager*

**Rodent Revival** This female yellow-pine chipmunk (*Neotamias amoenus*) was picked up from the side of the road after being hit by a car in Whistler in late June.

When she arrived at the Care Centre a few hours later, her chances of survival looked slim. While her movement was slow, she was gasping for air and severely stressed. For the first few days, she remained extremely lethargic and had to be hand-fed with soft food.

As her energy levels increased, she started to self-feed and crack her own nuts and seeds. After a week, she was running around, climbing around her enclosure and becoming



Photos: Paul Steeves

increasingly difficult to catch. She was released after three weeks in care. 🦫

*By Yolanda Brooks Communications Manager*

## The Tweet

These are just a few of our success stories. By subscribing to our E-newsletter *The Tweet*, you can keep up-to-date with everything that's going on at Wildlife Rescue. The Tweet is published nine times a year and will be delivered directly to your inbox upon your request. Just send an email to [info@wildliferescue.ca](mailto:info@wildliferescue.ca) to stay in touch.





The family of five wood ducks get ready for release.

**Ready for Take Off** One of the great successes of a busy summer was the release of a blended family of wood ducks (*Aix sponsa*) that spent seven weeks being raised in the Care Centre.

Like many waterfowl, wood ducks are extremely stressed in captivity and staff must take extra measures to provide a more relaxed environment. Very young wood ducks are

particularly vulnerable, so when a family of six orphaned ducklings arrived in early June, staff knew they had a challenge on their hands.

The ducklings, which were found in Ladner, were just two or three days old and two died soon after arrival. The following day, a single orphaned wood duck of a similar age was picked up in Burnaby and they became a family of five.

Wood ducks are precocial, meaning they are able to self-feed soon after hatching. However, to provide extra support during this critical time, these young patients were tube-fed for the first few days.

During the early days in care, they lived in an indoor brooder under a heat lamp. As they continued to thrive, they were moved to an outdoor brooder with a splash pool. They spent their final weeks together in an outdoor pool.

The family was released at the end of July at an ecological reserve in Pitt Meadows just before they were able to fly. This ensured that they stayed together for their first few days in the wild, exploring the surrounding habitat and getting used to foraging in the wild before they were able to fly and go their separate ways. 🐼

By Yolanda Brooks Communications Manager



The red-tailed hawk regains its bearings after being found hanging upside down.

**High-rise Rescue** The Wildlife Rescue Association, the Burnaby branch of the BC SPCA and a local team of tree surgeons teamed up to save the life of a red-tailed hawk (*Buteo jamaicensis*) seen dangling from a tree

in Froggers Creek Ravine Park in Burnaby.

The raptor was spotted by a hiker in early September who heard repeated bird cries overhead. Looking up, he spotted the hawk hang-

ing upside down approximately 50 feet up in a tree with its left leg wedged in a branch. The hiker called the SPCA who contacted ABC Tree Men of Burnaby and Wildlife Rescue.

ABC dispatched an arborist crew and when they arrived on the scene one member climbed the tree and rigged a rappel system and a co-worker gave directions from the base. The rescuer was able to put a blanket over the bird, extract its leg from the tree, bring it to the ground and hand it over to a Wildlife Rescue transport volunteer.

Rehabilitation staff treated its bruised and swollen leg and abrasions on its left wing. They also removed a pellet which had been lodged in its wing for some time. The hawk responded well to treatment and was released after a few days in care. 🐼

By Yolanda Brooks Communications Manager



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- Produce: Apples, potatoes, yam, corn-on-the-cob, carrots, romaine lettuce, grapes, fresh and frozen berries.

*The latest updated list of items is available online at: [wildliferescue.ca/donate/wra-wish-list](http://wildliferescue.ca/donate/wra-wish-list)*



**ENDLESS SUMMER** The summer of 2014 has proven to be a record breaking year for Wildlife Rescue Summer Camps. Camps ran four-days-a week in July and August and attendance increased from 92 percent in 2013 to over 97 percent in 2014. Kids truly love our activities, location, inclusiveness and themes.

During the summer season, we were very excited to welcome two new staff members to the Education Department: Sarah Carncross and Emma Wells. Sarah, who previously volunteered in the Care Centre, was hired as the Day Camp Leader. Emma worked full-time with our summer camps to support and develop a new inclusion policy.

By making small changes to our facilities, developing an inclusion policy and accepting support from CKNW funding, we were able to make camps more accessible to children with special needs and children from low-income families.

In order to allow children with walkers to attend camp with a comfortable level of independence, we rented a wheel-chair accessible portable toilet, installed stability handlebars on the indoor toilet and laid Fibar, an engineered wood fibre. The Fibar provided a smooth surface and allowed for a soft landing in the event of a fall. To help us better serve



children with other forms of special needs, Emma developed an inclusion form for parents to fill out that allowed camp leaders to know a little more about how their child communicates. This form was available to all parents however, to give everyone the opportunity to tell us a bit about their child ahead of time. Having this form gave camp leaders proper preparation to work with children with autism, Asperger syndrome, learning disabilities and non-violent behavioural disabilities.

We were grateful that both Sarah and Emma were able to stay on for the first three weeks of



Photos: Paul Steeves

**Wildlife Rescue hosted 11 weeks of camps in 2014 incorporating the regular summer season and three weeks of "strike camps" held for families affected by the BC schools dispute.**

September to run the four-day-week strike camps. The camps, which were full for three weeks, were greatly appreciated by parents and enjoyed by the returning campers.

Going forward, Emma will continue to be a valuable partner and advisor to us while she works as a Special Education Assistant with the Vancouver School Board. Sarah (pictured above) has become a permanent member of the Education Department delivering educational programs as the Education Program Leader.

*By Johanna Thompson Education Officer*



Photo: Paul Steeves

## Volunteer Update

**We celebrated our volunteers this year by hosting a relaxing barbeque and a scavenger hunt; full of fun, frenzy, finesse, fabulous prizes and figuring out the high-falutin' clues.**

**We would like to give a very appreciative hug to all of our volunteers who collectively donated thousands of hours over the summer. Please pat yourselves on the back! We thank you, the patients thank you and the public thanks you!**

**The season of giving thanks will continue into the fall with a series of in-house courses and training sessions led by the Care Centre rehabilitation staff. Look out for details of upcoming sessions during your next shift.**

*By Maureen E. McKay Director, Volunteer Resources*

# Donor Thanks

**Thanks to a story in The Province newspaper and a report on CBC Radio, we received a bumper crop of donations this summer for which we are extremely grateful.**

## BC Ambulance Station

**246:** Blankets

## Greater Vancouver

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Backyard Birds Centre

Rose Hamilton



**Our donors remember those who have had special meaning in their lives with a special tribute.**

**Ralph Hood**

**Len Seburn**

## Faithful Friends

**Our donors say a fond farewell to the companion animals that have had a special place in their hearts.**

**Tazzie (from Vancouver)**

**Tazzie (from Burnaby)**



## Sweet Deal

You can indulge your chocolate cravings and raise money for wildlife when you sign up for our mouth watering winter fundraiser with local chocolate factory, Purdys.

If you are planning to buy treats for friends, family and co-workers over the festive season, then this is the fundraiser for you.

Instead of fighting for elbow room in a mall outlet, you can peruse the 2014 Christmas collection at your own convenience online or pick up a brochure with booking form from the WRA's administration office. The more you buy, the more money you raise as \*25-30% of sales will go directly to Wildlife Rescue.

Items in the collection range from keepsake selection tins and gift baskets to seasonal treats such as peppermint bark and chocolate Santas. Purdys cocoa is now sourced sustainably and many of the



ingredients come from local suppliers and growers so you will be doing good in more ways than one.

To join our chocolate fundraiser, call our administration line on 604 526 2747 or email [info@wildliferescue.ca](mailto:info@wildliferescue.ca). We will provide you with a password and you will be twinned with a coordinator who will ensure that you receive your chocolates in time for Christmas.

Once you have your password, you will be able to log in to the Wildlife

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Rescue online fundraiser account at [www.purdysgpp.com](http://www.purdysgpp.com) where you can place your order and pay by credit card.

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You will be able to pick up your order at one of our Chocolate Pick-up Parties on the weekend of December 13 and 14 at a location in Burnaby to be determined.

With your chocolate purchasing power, you can help Wildlife Rescue earn thousands of dollars to support the animals in its care.

\*WRA will receive 25% of the retail value of all sales. For final collective orders above \$5,000, it rises to 27.5% and 30% for orders that exceed \$10,000.

*By Yolanda Brooks Communications Manager*



## DONOR PROFILE

When Sophie Michaud of south Surrey decided to raise money for a school project she went online to find a worthy recipient for her efforts and discovered the Wildlife Rescue website. "I chose Wildlife Rescue because it doesn't get

any money from the Government and I wanted to do a fundraiser for animals," she said.

With her mother Michelle, behind the wheel, Sophie spent three hours during the longest day of the year (June 21), driving around the seaside town of White Rock collecting thousands of bottles, cartons and cans for recycling.

Back home, she took over the family garage and sorted and bagged the bounty before taking it to a recycling centre for the refund.

In total, Sophie's efforts raised a magnificent \$375 for Wildlife Rescue. Thank you Sophie!

## MONTHLY GIVING

Making a difference for wildlife is what Wildlife Rescue's donors, volunteers and staff are about. I'm happy to share with you that we are launching a new convenient way for our supporters to make an even greater difference by providing a monthly donation option through our new Donors Circle monthly giving program.

Developed in response to requests from donors for a more convenient way to give, this new initiative, which allows you to donate via pre-authorized bank payments, is an important part of Wildlife Rescue's focus on ensuring we are financially sustainable for years to come. By donating as little as \$10 per month, your support adds up over the year so you can provide even more support while keeping your cash flow healthy. Members who choose monthly giving can also use credit cards for the donations.

As a member of our Donors Circle, you won't receive our semi-annual requests for support, which ultimately saves us money that we can use for helping injured, orphaned and pollution-damaged wildlife. We are now the busiest wildlife rehabilitation centre in Canada, and with more than 4500 animals expected to be received this year, our needs are great. Please visit our website – [www.wildliferescue.ca](http://www.wildliferescue.ca) – or call us at 604 526 2747 for more information on how to start your monthly donations.

*Gordon White Operations & Development Director*

## Hooked turtles

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Park, Coquitlam, by local residents.

Care Centre rehabilitators examined the turtle and found a corroded fishing hook embedded below its left eye. The support structure surrounding the eye was damaged by the un-barbed hook but the eye itself was unscathed. The puncture wound healed well. However, instead of being released back to Lost Lake, the turtle began a new life as a potential saviour of the species.

All listed species that are treated by Wildlife Rescue must be reported to the Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations (MFLNRO). A MFLNRO biologist was able to identify the turtle as it had been tagged as part of an ongoing conservation monitoring program in September, 2012. Instead of being



Photo: Linda Bakker

**The turtle was fortunate to avoid serious damage to its left eye.**

released, the six-year-old female turtle was transferred to a captive breeding program run in partnership with Wildlife Preservation Canada, Greater Vancouver Zoo, and overseen by the MFLNRO.

Once she has performed her species saving duties, she will be released back to the wild to live a future hopefully free from fish hooks and human interference. 🐢

## The Rescuers

Are you one of our rescuers? Have you brought an animal to us or helped us to rescue one? If so, we will be inviting you to join with other wildlife rescuers this winter in a series of fun workshops just for you.

We will email you an invitation about interactive activities, tips for helping wild animals, and some insider info about the Wildlife Rescue Association from the staff.

You will also have a chance to trade tales with other rescuers! Do we have your email? If not, call us at 604 526 2747 or send an email to [info@wildliferescue.ca](mailto:info@wildliferescue.ca) and we will add you to the invitation list.

*Rose Hamilton Senior Executive Consultant*

# Foster Me: Common Merganser



Photos: Paul Steeves

When common mergansers (*Mergus merganser*) are one or two days old, their mother leads them from the nest, which is often in a tree cavity, to a nearby water source.

Unfortunately, this merganser got lost along the way and was found swimming in a gutter in Stanley Park.

After several calls to the Wildlife Helpline, the bird arrived at the Care Centre on July 7, just two days old

and weighing just 44g. It spent its first few days in an indoor brooder before being moved to successively larger enclosures with access to water.

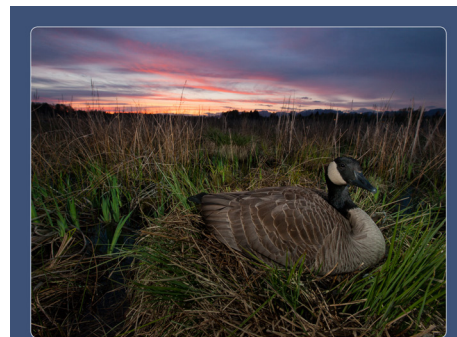
During the summer, it spent a lot of time in the company of mallard ducklings and young wood ducks. The rate of development for mallards and wood ducks is much faster and by mid-August, all of the 2014 orphaned waterfowl had been released.

**What a difference a month makes. The merganser photographed at three and eight weeks old.**

The merganser now weighs almost 900g and has passed most of its developmental milestones. Once its flight feathers have completely grown in, it will be released back to Stanley Park. 🐾

*By Yolanda Brooks Communications Manager*





# Wildlife on the Wall

Check out the new 2015 Wildlife Rescue wall calendar. The 13-month calendar has been revamped and given a whole new look by professional graphic designer and volunteer Norisa Anderson. Several photographers donated their images, including award-winning wildlife photographer Connor Stefanison, long-time volunteer Paul Steeves, staff member Linda Bakker, and professional photographer and former

Wildlife Rescue staff member Tracy Riddell.

The calendar features the best images of animals in care, plus animals caught in their natural setting in local wildlife hotspots.

The 2015 calendar costs \$12 and is available from the administration building. Please call our administration line on 604 526 2747 for details on mailing costs and multiple copies.



The Wildlife Rescue 2015 wall calendar features images from Tracy Riddell (left), Paul Steeves (centre), Connor Stefanison (above) and Linda Bakker.

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