The Friends of Crystal River National Wildlife Refuge Complex, Inc.

Present

"There are no silver bullets in restoration!"

Nature Coast Lecture Series

Crystal River Coastal Region Library
8610 West Crystal Street, Crystal River, FL
Tuesday, April 17, 2018, 5:30-6:45 p.m

The Friends of Crystal River National Wildlife Refuge announce the April 17, 2018 presentation of the Nature Coast Lecture Series. The Lecture Series is held once a month on the third Tuesday of each month. All presentations are free and open to the public.

Our featured speaker is Carter Henne Carter will share his expertise and experience with us about the "how-to's" of restoring river grasses in disturbed areas, including work recently for the Kings Bay Restoration Project and in Hunter Springs. Carter is responsible for the acquisition, management, and success of Sea & Shoreline's habitat restoration projects. He is a native Floridian with a passion for creating self-sustaining natural aquatic habitats through education and scientifically-proven restoration methods.

Carter holds a degree in Biology from the University of South Florida (USF) and has held positions with the Florida Fish and Wildlife Research Institute (FWRI) and Seagrass Recovery, Inc. where he was Chief Biologist and Project Manager for some of the largest and most successful Florida seagrass projects to date. He particularly enjoys restoring habitat within urban corridors.

Carter Henne, Habitat Restoration

An underwater look at aquatic vegetation

What can WE do to protect and restore on critically important habitats?

The degradation of natural systems typically does not occur by isolated impacts, but a series of compounding influences. It is important that restoration of critically important habitats such as submerged aquatic vegetation, that the project scope encompasses solutions to multiple parameters.

Next in our Nature Coast Lecture Series: May 22, 2018. "Florida's Native Orchids and their Air Plant Friends".

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