



Come Join Us on April 21st Saturday 11:00am-2:00pm for our Spring Open House

Entrance is by donation. Field parking is free. The gate will close at 1:30pm to allow you enough time to tour. The Open House will be unguided, so the pace is leisurely and there are more opportunities to take pictures. Our volunteers will be on hand to answer any questions that you have and to share stories about some of our permanent residents. The gift shop will be open. We have a picnic area, so bring a lunch or the country store next door has refreshments. Call (559) 338-2415 or email at crittercreekwildlife@hughes.net for information.

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Membership Categories	Annual Dues
Student	\$ 15
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Sponsor	\$ 100
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Corporate or Life	\$ 1000

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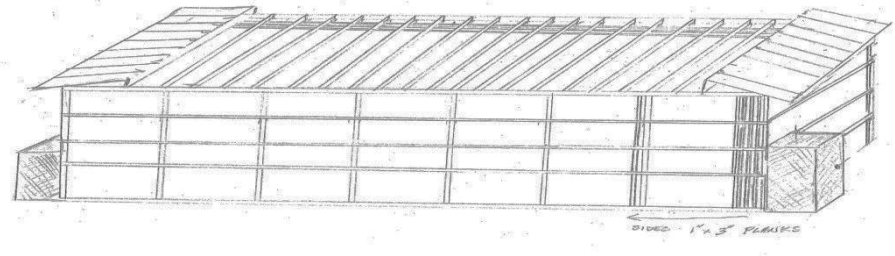
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Squaw Valley, CA 93675

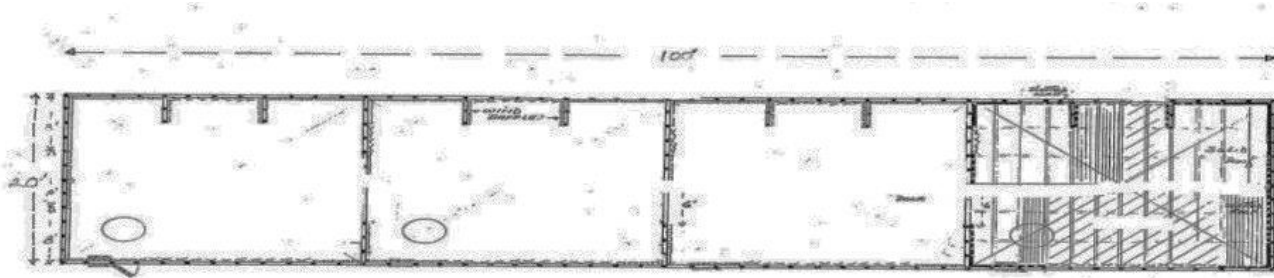


Help Make Falcon Bend Enclosure Happen

We are seeking donations and grants to construct a new flight cage. Our current 100' flight cage has been taken over by both golden and bald eagles. These birds require as much room as possible to keep them conditioned for release. This has left our hawks and falcons to make do with our 60' flight cage. We need better facilities for the falcons, especially the peregrine falcons. Their aerobatics in the sky require room to maneuver.



We have a place picked out and are ready to level the area and bring in the sand that will provide the foundation for the wooden structure. Because these are raptors the entire enclosure needs to be made of wood. The enclosure must also be versatile, ready to house any type of large to medium bird of prey.



Plans are completed. We just need the funding. If you are interested in helping out send your donations to Critter Creek-Falcon Enclosure, 36710 Sand Creek Rd., Squaw Valley, CA 93675. If you know of any funding sources we can contact, give us a call at (559) 338-2415.



Please help us fly freely

Extra Wide Load



Our alligators, Tick Tock and Albert have grown so much they can no longer use the single width of the diving board to get out of their pond. We are looking for a donated diving board in fairly good shape. The picture below shows a diving board that is in such bad shape we are unable to use it. By putting the second diving board up against the one in their enclosure it will double the width and their feet will touch again.



This is Tick-Tock when he was smaller and able to fit on a single wide board.

SPRING IS HERE

- Reminder please put off trimming trees.
- Remember that with the exception of the turkey vulture most birds have little sense of smell, so if you find a baby bird that has fallen from its nest, you can place it back into its nest without causing problems.
- Never relocate an animal during the spring, because you will doom its young to starvation.
- If you own a swimming pool, frequently check your yard for wild, nesting ducks. Baby ducks just don't appear in your pool.

The first babies of spring have arrived

