River Otters of South Florida





Education ProgrammingOtter Lecture Content

The otter lecture is about the natural history of the North American river otter (*Lontra canadensis*) in Florida, particularly south Florida and also includes information on all 13 otter species in the world and the relatives of the otter. The lecture is scheduled for 50 minutes plus a 10 minute break. There will be 15 minutes at the end of the lecture to ask questions.

Otter Arrival to the New World
Geographical Range
Otter Habitat
Otter Diet
Predators and Risk Factors
Physical Characteristics
Life Span

Reproduction
Development of Young
Otter Behavior
Catching Prey
Social Groups
Otter Territories
Otter Communication

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