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### **Free Open House at Tri-State Bird Rescue & Research**

*Public invited to tour wildlife rehabilitation facility*

NEWARK, Del. – On Sunday, May 3, 2015 (11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., rain or shine), Tri-State Bird Rescue & Research invites the community to its annual Open House, located at 170 Possum Hollow Road, Newark, Del.. Self-guided tours of Tri-State’s Wild Bird Clinic and newly completed Wildlife Response Annex will be featured during a family-friendly day of exhibits and activities.

This year’s event will feature a guest appearance by Beasley Reece, lead sports anchor for CBS3 & The CW Philly, and the chance to view birds of prey up close with Animal Behavior and Conservation Connections. Other local non-profit organizations will be on hand to raise attendees’ awareness and appreciation of our natural world. Food, beverages, baked goods and merchandise will be available for purchase.

Thanks to the support of sponsors, admission is free. Cash donations and donations of paper towels and single-ply white toilet paper, which are used to make nests for baby birds, will be gratefully accepted. For more information about Tri-State and updates on the schedule of events for the Open House, please visit [www.tristatebird.org](http://www.tristatebird.org). To inquire about sponsorship opportunities, please call (302) 737-9543 x 108.

#### **Tri-State Bird Rescue & Research, Inc.**

The mission of Tri-State Bird Rescue & Research, Inc. is to achieve excellence in the rehabilitation of injured, orphaned, and oiled native wild birds, with the goal of returning healthy

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birds to their natural environment. We do this through compassionate care, humane research, and education.

With over 38 years of experience, Tri-State is an internationally recognized leader in oil spill response management and training relating to affected wildlife. The organization responds to wildlife affected by oil spills and incidents regionally, across the United States, and around the world. The non-profit also treats nearly 3,000 native wild birds annually in the Frink Center for Wildlife in Newark, DE.

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