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## A Walk on the Wild Side of the Bronx

**FEATHERS AND FLORA WEEKEND AT WAVE HILL** Some of the Bronx's most interesting residents aren't great conversationalists, but they're well worth meeting. Children can encounter these members of the community — birds and plants — and learn about their interdependence in this public garden's programs on Saturday and Sunday. At Birdy Base Camp, young visitors can investigate nests, eggs, feathers and other objects. They can also work with the visiting artist Virva Hinnemo on a family art project — a collaborative mural with cardboard birds and sculptural branches — as well as meet other artists who are exhibiting in the show "Avifauna: Interplay of Birds and Habitat." Nature walks will include Avian Adventures, a family bird-watching tour, on Sunday. But the most exciting experience may be Meet the Birds, a presentation in which rehabilitators from Volunteers for Wildlife will introduce live species, including owls, a red-tailed hawk (above) and an American kestrel, on Saturday. (A full schedule is on the website.) **LAUREL GRAEBER**

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