

## Oatland Island Wildlife Center Closed to the Public Monday, January 11, 2021



### **NOTE TO REPORTERS, EDITORS AND PRODUCERS:**

Please find with this message information from the Savannah-Chatham County Public School System.

### **SCCPSS ADVISORY:**

Oatland Island Wildlife Center will be closed to the public on Monday, January 11, 2021 while staff works to cut down and remove a large, dead tree on the property. That work would have created an issue with pedestrian traffic in the area. Oatland Island Wildlife Center is expected to reopen for normal business hours on Tuesday, January 12, 2021.

Oatland Island Wildlife Center is a unit of the Savannah-Chatham County Public School System and is open to the public although it primarily serves as a science field study site for students throughout the region. It features the 2-mile long "Native Animal Nature Trail" that winds through maritime forest, freshwater wetlands and salt marsh habitats and links many native animal exhibits such as wolves, alligator and cougar. Oatland is located 5 miles east of Savannah off Islands Expressway and is open daily to the public for self-guided tours from 10:00-4:00, except Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Eve Day, Christmas Day and New Year's Day.