

Science Outreach – Athabasca presents...

"Dinosaurs and the Evolution of Birds"



Speaker: Dr. Philip Currie

Date: September 19, 2013

Place: Athabasca University Governing Council Chambers

Time: 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM

Refreshments will be available after this presentation. Admission is free.

Door Prizes!

Dinosaurs are a source of endless fascination. Theories about their origin and extinction are constantly changing. Now there may be some

evidence supporting a popular theory linking those prehistoric creatures to modern day birds. This talk will open up the world of dinosaurs to both children and adults.

Dr. Philip J. Currie is a former Curator of Dinosaurs at the Royal Tyrrell Museum of Paleontology, professor at the University of Alberta in the Department of Biological Sciences, Canada Research Chair and Adjunct Professor University of Calgary. He has published more than 160 scientific articles, 140 popular articles and 20 books, focusing on the growth and variation of extinct reptiles, the anatomy and relationships of carnivorous dinosaurs, and the origin of birds.

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