

University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee
Peregrine Falcon 2012 information and webcam

Peregrine Falcons have been present on the UWM campus for several years frequently seen soaring above or perched on several of the high rise buildings on campus. In particular, much activity has been observed on the Engineering & Mathematical Sciences Building. In the fall of 2007, Greg Septon of the Peregrine Falcon Recovery Program, toured the EMS site and encouraged University officials and scientists to build and install a nest box at the site. Plans were drawn up for the box, UWM Physical Plant carpenters and other trades workers constructed and installed the nest box at a site chosen on the roof of the EMS building. Department Biological Sciences faculty and staff provide scientific observation and data reporting. Thomas Hansen from the WATER Institute, Monica Cloutier from UTIS and Thomas Schuck from Biological Sciences helped construct and maintain this web site. Please see the [UWM homepage News Story](#) for additional photos and information.

Animal Care and Use Protocol number 08-09 #34

[2011 Information and photos](#)

[2011 Movie of banding the falcon chicks](#)

[2010 Information and photos](#)

[2009 Information and photos](#)



7-2-2012 - One of the young falcons on the Chemistry building. I saw 4 young flying with an adult around the EMS building this past Saturday afternoon. Could not get a photo.



6-27-2012 - One of the young flying between Lapham and the EMS Building.



UWM Peregrine Falcon Cam 2012-06-20 07:18:54

6-20-2012 - Adult male back in for a quick look around.



6-17-2012 2 chicks and one adult on top of the EMS Building



UWM Peregrine Falcon Cam 2012-06-17 07:27:31

6-17-2012 - Last chick left the nest box this morning.



UWM Pergrine Falcon Cam 2012-06-15 08:15:49

6-15-2012 - Two chicks on the ledge of the nestbox, the wing and tail feathers of a third can be seen on the perch. One chick has left the box.



6-15-2012 - Female feeding one chick while another looks on.



UWM Pergrine Falcon Cam 2012-06-11 07:27:58

6-11-2012 - Stretching her wings getting ready to fly.



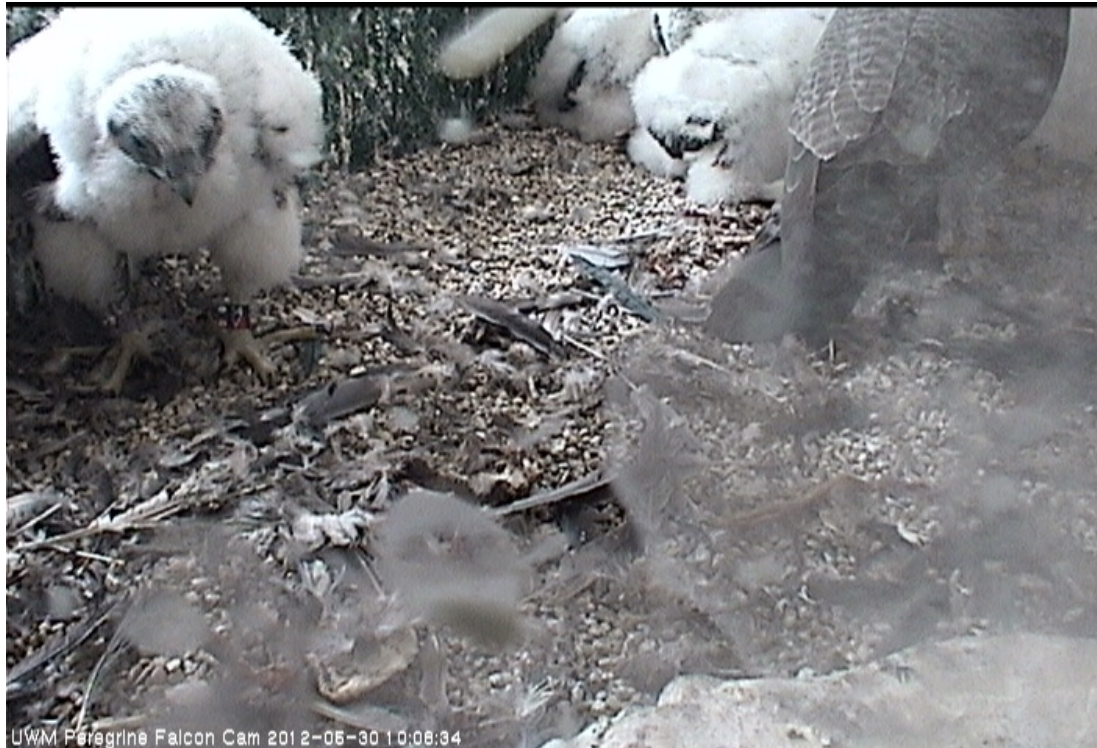
6-10-2012 - Chicks have a good complement of feathers now.



6-10-2012 - Male with a bit of food for the chicks.



6-8-2012 - Female feeding the growing chicks.



5-30-2012 - Camera is now pretty soiled by the chicks.



5-29-2012 - Back in the nest box after being banded.



5-29-2012 - Female scolding us while the chicks are returned to the nestbox.



5-29-2012 - Chicks received there leg bands today.



5-23-2012 - Chick are getting quite large now and are actively exploring the nestbox.



5-22-2012 - All in a row.



5-21-2012 - Big feet = Big bird.



5-20-2012 - A good stretch.



5-18-2012 - Starting to explore the nestbox.



5-18-2012 - They still all fit...



5-18-2012 - Pin feathers are starting to grow in.



5-18-2012 - Chick head shot.



5-18-2012 - Nap time



5-17-2012 - An early morning snack.



5-16-2012 - Not their most photogenic period....



5-15-2012 A chick continuum



UWM Peregrine Falcon Cam 2012-05-15 08:08:09
5-15-2012 - Breakfast is on its way.



5-15-2012 - A good stretch...



5-14-2012 - Chicks are getting big.



5/12/2012 - Male to the left, female feeding chicks.



5-11-2012 - Male feeding the 4 chicks.



5-10-2012 - Ball of 4 chicks



5-9-2012 - 4 chicks being feed by mom.



5-8-2012 - 4th chick, seen as the not so fluffy ball at left, hatched early this morning.



5-7-2012 - Male with food offering to female.



5-7-2012 - Male with 3 chicks.



5-7-2012 - Female feeding 3 chicks.



5-7-2012 - 3 chick have hatched.



5-6-2012 - We now have 2 chicks hatched. Female feeding.



5-6-2012 - The first chick hatched this morning. Female with chick lower photo, male with chick upper photo.



4-24-2012 - Both the male (left) and female (right) have been pulling incubation duty. Anticipated hatch date May 5-7.



4-10-2012 - Male sitting while the female waits.



2 photos of the female using her wings for support.



4-8-2012 Male on left, female right. The male was just sitting on the eggs.



4-5-2012 - 4th egg arrived today about 5:30am.



4-3-2012 - 2 photos of the male in to incubate the 3 eggs.



4-1-2012 - 3rd egg arrived about 8:20PM last night.



3-31-2012 - 2nd egg was laid about 3:00PM today.



3-30-2012 - Male in to inspect the egg.



First egg.

3-30-2012



3-30-2012 - First egg was laid today at about 9:30AM. Female covering the egg.



3-7-2012 - Male in the box.



3-12-2012 - A new scrape has been dug. All of the gravel was replaced at the end of last season so it is clean and very soft.



3-8-2012 - Looks like our pair is back from last year, Hoffman and a un-banded female.



2-28-2012 - Indy Froona was back at Port Washington site.



2-16-2012 - Indy Froona and Hoffman at UWM.





12-23-2011 - Indy Froona, female, born 2009, in Market Tower, Indianapolis, Marion county, IN. spent most of the mild winter in the nest box again this year. There did not seem to be the territorial fight this year that evicted Indy Froona from the UWM site last year.