

University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee
Peregrine Falcon 2014 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.

Animal Care and Use Protocol number 11-12 #29

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6-29-2014 - The last chick has left the nest box.



6-27-2014 - One chick remains in the box.



6-23-2014 - The 2 remaining chicks in the nest box are pretty much full feathered now.



6-21-2014 - Female keeping watch over the nest box and young.



6-21-2014 - Male encouraging the young to fly.



6-21-2014 - 2 of the chicks can be seen below the nest box on the column cap of the building. One can be seen watching from the nest box, the head of the 4th chick is just visible below the nest box ledge.



6-20-2014 - Getting ready to fly. One chick has left the nest box.



6-16-2014 - Female (left) feeding 4 chicks. - They are as big as she is!



6-16-2014 - 3 chicks up on the ledge of the nest box.



6-16-2014 - Still a little down on this chick's head.



6-13-2014 - Chicks are more active now flapping their wings and trying to feed themselves off scraps of food left in the nest box. Primary feathers are increasing in size.



6-12-2014 - First chick up on the ledge of the nest box. Female feeding chicks.



6-10-2014 - (b/r) 84/R Male's (Lightning) leg bands.



6-10-2014 - Male watching from edge of nest box while female is feeding 4 chicks.



6-10-2014 - Female feeding 4 chicks.



6-6-2014 - Chick with new leg bands.



6-5-2014 - All 4 chicks back in the nest box.



6-5-2014 - Female dive bombing us as the chicks are returned to the nest box.



6-5-2014 - A small amount of blood is drawn form the chicks for DNA analysis.



6-5-2014 - The chicks received their leg identification bands today. Greg Septon applies band while Tom Schuck assists.



6-5-2014 - Female looks on as the chicks are removed from the nest box.



6-4-2014 Three fat and happy chicks.



6-3-2014 - Sleeping chick closeup.



6-1-2014 - Chicks asleep in the shade.



6-1-2014 - Wing (remiges) and tail (retrices) flight feathers are starting to grow.



5-28-2014 - Mom watching over the chicks.



5-27-2014 - The chicks have started walking around the nest box.



5-25-2014 - Everyone taking a nap while moms away.



5-22-2014 - Hey guys, over here!



5-22-2014 - Getting a little crowded under here.



5-22-2014 - Female feeding 4 chicks.



5-21-2014 - Four chicks in a ball.



5-18-2014 - 4 well feed chicks.



5-18-2014 - Female feeding 4 chicks.



5-18-2014 - Female with chicks.



5-18-2014 - Chick closeup.



5-17-2014 Female watching the camera while sitting on chicks.



5-17-2014 Female feeding the 4 chicks.



5-15-2014 4 chicks have hatched.



5-14-2014 Female feeding the 3 chicks an evening snack.



5-14-2014 Three of the eggs have hatched.



5-13-2014 First egg hatched, photo of shell.



4-13-2014 Mom and dad (sitting on eggs) riding out the storm. She kicked him out shortly after this shot was taken.



4-12-2014 Female incubating the eggs.



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4-12-2014 Male sitting on eggs



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4-12-2014 4th egg was laid about 12:30AM this morning.



4-9-2014 3rd egg was laid today at 4:30PM.



4-7-2014 The second egg was laid 9:40AM this morning.



4-7-2014 Female incubating.



4-5-2014 Male in for a look.



4-5-2014 The first egg of the season was laid this morning about 4:30AM.

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