



YOLO BASIN FOUNDATION

Year Founded: 1990
Website: www.yolobasin.org

Financial information
2018-19 Revenue: \$349,562
2018-19 Expenses: \$482,222
Assets: \$180,873

Over 10,000 people served in
2018-19



Our mission is to expand public appreciation and stewardship of the wetlands and wildlife in the Yolo Basin through education and innovative partnerships.

PROGRAMS

Discover the Flyway - an outdoor education program for K-12 students, based on California science and social studies standards. Its goal is to offer children a meaningful outdoor experience that will give them an appreciation for the wetlands, agriculture, and wildlife of the Central Valley and contribute to a lifetime of healthy outdoor activities and development of a land stewardship ethic.

California Duck Days – for over 25 years, northern California’s wetlands and wildlife festival has been held each year in February at the Yolo Bypass Wildlife Area Headquarters. This family-oriented event includes regional field trips to area wetlands, an exhibit hall of hands-on activities, and onsite workshops.

Bat Talk and Walks - following a 45-minute indoor presentation on bat natural history and seeing live bats up close, participants carpool out to the Yolo Bypass Wildlife Area to watch one of the largest colonies of Mexican free-tailed bats in California as it emerges in large ribbons to hunt insects at sunset.

Discover the Wetlands – fun and educational outdoor week-long summer camps for 1st-6th grader explore the excitement of wetlands and wildlife. This summer’s camps were transformed into virtual gatherings where campers became scientists for an hour each day with at-home experiments and nature crafts using provided camp material boxes.