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## KAYAKING

### 2 beginner bird-watching trips with one fee

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One of the best wildlife watching trips just got better.

This fall and winter, Kayak Connection in Moss Landing is offering a two-for-one deal for a guided four-hour kayak paddle trip in Elkhorn Slough.

It's called "Winging it in a kayak." The trip features a paddle from Moss Landing upstream into Elkhorn Slough through a series of habitats. More than 340 bird species have been verified there, and you'll find no better place to see sea otters.

This is an easy flat-water kayak adventure that requires no previous experience. All gear is provided. You pass through the main channel of the slough adjoining tidal creeks, grasslands and oak woodlands. The trips are timed at low tides when bird sightings are highest.

The cost is \$65. Dates for guided trips: 10 a.m. Oct. 11 and 25; 1 p.m. Nov. 14 and 28, Dec. 12 and 26, and Jan. 9 and 24; 11 a.m. Feb. 7 and 21, and March 7 and 21.

**Freelance option:** Show up, rent kayak and gear, four hours, \$35 for a single, \$50 for a double; includes orientation and safety primer.

**Info:** Kayak Connection, 2370 Highway 1, Moss Landing; (831) 724-5692, [kayakconnection.com](http://kayakconnection.com).

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