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**JUNIOR**

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## **Junior**

**SPECIES:** Black crowned night heron

**LOG #:** 18-9200

**ARRIVAL DATE:** 11/24/18

**INJURY:** Imprint (transferred from AZ G&F)

Junior was found in Arizona as a fledgling and taken to a local vet, then transferred a month later to Arizona Game & Fish where he stayed until his arrival at Liberty in 2018. Already imprinted upon his arrival at AG&F, he was non-releasable and became a popular member of the education team at Liberty.

**NOTES:** Scissor beak – needs to be trimmed occasionally. He should be hand fed. It helps the relationship AND keeps his neck feathers clean.

**QUIRKS:** In springtime he tends to be “friendly” and more focused on sticks and nest building. If you offer him a stick, he will work on his nest. In fall, he tends to chirp for food and be more food motivated.

**HANDLING TIPS:** If you find that he is poking with his beak aggressively, leave and come back later.

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**NEWTON**

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## **Newton**

**SPECIES: Northern Pygmy Owl**

**LOG #: 14-4995**

**ARRIVAL DATE: October 2014 as an adult**

**INJURY: Newton was transferred from a rehabilitation center in Montana at our request to become a remarkable addition to the education team. He had been brought to the Montana facility as an adult with a traumatic injury to his right wing, which required a partial amputation of that wing. His inability to fly classified him as non-releasable. Since his injury occurred when he was an adult, we do not know his exact age.**

**NOTES: Approach calmly and quietly. Cannot fly so be careful not to startle him off a perch.**

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**KACHINA**

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## **Kachina**

**SPECIES: Crow**

**LOG #: 04-3144**

**ARRIVAL DATE: 08-16-04**

**INJURY: Imprint**

**Kachina arrived from Flagstaff where she had been kept illegally for two months by a rescuer who had found her on the ground as a fledgling. Because of this experience, she had become imprinted and was extremely comfortable with humans. Once birds are imprinted it is difficult for them to survive in the wild, so today Kachina is happily entertaining visitors at the Liberty Wildlife campus.**

**NOTES:**

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**SHERYL**

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# **Sheryl**

**SPECIES: Crow**

**LOG #: 11-3130**

**ARRIVAL DATE: 10-14-11**

**INJURY: Imprint**

**A Liberty Wildlife volunteer found Sheryl Crow on the ground and was concerned because she thought Sheryl Crow looked ragged and would not fly from humans. It was determined she was imprinted and non-releasable because of her comfort with humans.**

**NOTES:**



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**LENNY**

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## **Lenny**

**SPECIES: Common raven**

**LOG #: 2000-1523**

**ARRIVAL DATE: 07-05-00**

**INJURY: Imprint**

**As a juvenile raven, Lenny was found begging in a schoolyard in Safford, Arizona in summer, 2000. Observation of Lenny once he arrived at Liberty, coupled with his reported schoolyard behavior, indicated that he was too comfortable with humans to be released.**

**NOTES:**

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**CLARENCE**

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## **Clarence**

**SPECIES: Common raven**

**LOG #: 09-3196**

**ARRIVAL DATE: 9/25/09**

**INJURY: Imprint**

**Clarence showed signs of being imprinted when he first arrived at Liberty Wildlife. He was placed with other ravens but had no interest in associating with them. Liberty personnel determined that he was too dependent on human interaction to be released into the wild, and he became an on-site education bird.**

**NOTES:**

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**BONGO**

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## **Bongo**

**SPECIES: Chihuahuan raven**

**LOG #: 19-9155**

**ARRIVAL DATE: 09-26-19**

**INJURY: Congenital defect to left foot, unable to perch well**

**Bongo was kept illegally as a pet by a member of the public. Once at Liberty Wildlife, it was noted his right foot was deformed and he was unable to use it. Surgery was done to help prevent his toes from fusing, and for him to be able to use it for balance. Bongo is able to stand on flat surfaces, but cannot use his right foot to grasp. Due to the damage to his foot, and his non fear of humans, Bongo cannot be released back into the wild.**

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**LOGAN**

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## **Logan**

**SPECIES: Long-eared owl**

**LOG #: 20-7580**

**ARRIVAL DATE: 6/24/20**

**INJURY: Fracture to left elbow**

**When Logan arrived at Liberty Wildlife, he was found to have a fracture to his left wing. The location of the injury precluded surgery as an option. His limited ability to fly classified him as non-releasable, becoming a valued member of Liberty's education team.**

**NOTES:**



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**GRAYSON**

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**Grayson**

**SPECIES: Long-eared owl**

**LOG #: 20-7510**

**ARRIVAL DATE: 6/23/20**

**INJURY: Fracture to left wing**

**Grayson was found to have a fracture to his left wing resulting in a dislocated elbow. He was probably struck by a car. Since surgery was not an option, the elbow was placed in the correct position and bandaged. Once the injury mended, Grayson was unable to extend his wing fully, limiting both his flight ability and his release. He was transferred to Liberty's education team.**

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**GAUCHO**

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## **Gaicho**

**SPECIES: Black vulture**

**LOG #: 14-0056**

**ARRIVAL DATE: 1/19/147**

**INJURY: Imprint**

**Gaicho had been hanging out for over a month in his rescuer's backyard. He would not leave their yard and had no fear of the people. During his medical intake, he was determined to have no injuries to preclude his release. However, his obvious lack of fear of people indicated that he was habituated and non-releasable.**

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**ELLA**

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**Ella**

**SPECIES: Burrowing owl**

**LOG #: 17-7690**

**ARRIVAL DATE: 11/21/17**

**INJURY: Compound fracture to right wing**

**Ella, an adult burrowing owl, was found injured in Mesa and brought to Liberty Wildlife. Ella's wing fracture location was not operable. When the wing healed, she was unable to extend the wing completely making full flight impossible. Ella's hunting ability was compromised, and she was judged to be non-releasable.**

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**Ra**

**SPECIES: Prairie Falcon**

**LOG #: 21-0846**

**ARRIVAL DATE: 3/13/21**

**INJURY: Transfer from another rehabber – amputation to left wing tip**

**Ra arrived at the Nature's Educators facility in Colorado in 2017 with an injured left wing. The injury required that the wing tip be amputated, classifying him as non-releasable. Ra was transferred to Liberty Wildlife in 2020 as an adult, where he became a member of our education team.**

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**DIEGO**

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## **Diego**

**SPECIES:** Burrowing owl

**LOG #:** 11-1964

**ARRIVAL DATE:** June 22, 2011 (as a juvenile from Kingman)

**INJURY:** Head injury

Diego came from a Kingman animal clinic. Liberty's medical staff discovered that he had experienced an injury to his head, and he demonstrated that the injury had affected his natural instincts to survive in the wild. As a non-releasable, he became a welcome member of the education team.

Since Diego's good friend was named Frida, after Frida Kahlo, Diego was named for Deigo Rivera, Frida's husband.

**HANDLING TIPS:** Does well on the glove. Flies back and forth a lot. Watch for getting too hot if flying a lot while getting him out of the mew in summer. May need two people to collect him. As he is aging, he is getting more nervous and making more warning signal noises – especially around GHOs and Skye. Put back if he seems too nervous.

**BOXING:** Boxes well. Use box 3A.

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**CHILI**

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## **Chili**

**SPECIES: Red shouldered hawk**

**LOG #: 22-10744**

**ARRIVAL DATE: 11/16/22**

**INJURY: Fractured left wing**

**Chili was found in Yuma, AZ and spent time at another rehabilitation facility before being flown to Phoenix, and transferred to Liberty Wildlife. Radiographs confirmed she had several fractures to her left wing. After time spent healing, Chili does not have full use of her left wing, making flight extremely difficult. For this reason, Chili is non-releasable.**

**NOTES:**

**QUIRKS:**

**HANDLING TIPS:**

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**MARBLE**

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## **Marble**

**SPECIES: California condor**

**LOG #: 19-2707**

**ARRIVAL DATE: 5/6/19**

**INJURY: Injured humerus**

**Marble came to us from the Peregrine Fund Condor Recovery Group in 2019. She was born in 2005 and lived in the wild for 14 years before a humerus fracture in her left wing brought her to us. Unfortunately, the fracture to the humerus meant she couldn't be released.**

**NOTES: Marble was named after Marble Canyon.**

**QUIRKS:**

**HANDLING TIPS:**

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**MILLIE**

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**Millie**

**SPECIES: California condor**

**LOG #: 20-11806**

**ARRIVAL DATE: 12/19/20**

**INJURY: Dislocated elbow/tendon damage**

**Millie came to us from the Peregrine Fund Condor Recovery Group in 2020. She was a nestling and suffered a dislocated elbow after fledging the nest too soon. This resulted in permanent damage to her wing. She is not able to properly fly, and is therefore non-releasable.**

**NOTES: Millie was named after the Vermillion Cliffs.**

**QUIRKS:**

**HANDLING TIPS:**