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## DELTA DAYS

**People** at the third annual Delta Woods & Water Expo on Saturday got a bird's eye view of this rare owl, born in captivity at the Center for Birds of Prey in Charleston, S.C. Here, the owl rests on the sleeve of Becky Collier, coordinator of the Alabama Cooperative Extension System 4-H Center Program and Youth Development. Collier said there are only five owls in the world like this one, whose father was from Uganda and whose mother was from South Africa. The third annual Delta Expo, sponsored by the city of Spanish Fort, kicked off Thursday and Friday with educational field trips for students and wrapped up Saturday with a Family Fun Day at Five Rivers Delta Resource Center on the Causeway.



**Children** gather around a marine life touch tank for a hands-on experience.