**Date:** June 11



**Day #:** 22

**Videos:** 1 - 3 **Time:**  5:30 minutes

**Video 1: No parent is seen after this food drop off. Why don’t the parents come in?** The chicks can feed themselves and because they get too crazy when the parents arrive with food.

**Video 2: Why are the chicks *preening* their feathers?** Keeping them clean and in good working order for flight

**Video 3: Why are the chicks *stretching* their wings?** They are cooped up in a small space with very little room to move around. Also to develop wing muscles and coordination.

**This is the beginning of week four. How do the chicks look compared to one week ago (June 3)? Compare and contrast the chicks.** They have more feathers- especially flight feathers and less downy feathers.

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