

2010-2011 Programs

All programs begin at 7:30 p.m.

- September 7, 2010** *Understanding the Everglades Restoration Challenges*, Thomas E. Lodge, Ph.D., Author
- October 5,** *Raptor Ecology—Live Raptors*, Clive Pinnock, Manager, Okeehetee Nature Center
- November 2,** *School Gardens: Nourishing Bodies, Expanding Minds*, Dr. Richard Raid, UF/IFAS Everglades Research and Education Center
- December 7, Holiday Pot Luck Dinner**
Program: *Becoming a Bird Seeker*, Paddy Cunningham, Owner, Birding Adventures, Professional Naturalist
- January 4, 2011** *Crises in Conservation—The Role of Flagship Species*, Paul R. Reillo, Ph.D., Rare Species Conservatory Foundation
- February 1,** *Nature Walks in and around Palm Beach County*, Paul Cummings, Coordinator, Lake Okeechobee Trail
- March 1,** *Water Quality: Numeric Nutrient Criteria*, Ken Todd, Palm Beach County Water Resource Manager

- April 5,** *ANNUAL MEETING & Pot Luck Dinner*. Program: *Birding Adventures TV: The Making of Birding Television*, James Currie, Host and Producer, Birding Adventures
- May 3,** *Everglades Then and Now: Implications for Restoration*, Christopher McVoy, Hydrologist/Ecologist, SFWMD, Author
- June 7,** *Conservation Gardening*, Robert F. Hopper, Sr. Environmental Analyst, SFWMD and registered Landscape Architect
- July 5,** *Birds of India*, Ben Kolstad, Ph.D., Florida Master Naturalist
- August 2,** *Members' photos & Ice Cream Social*
- Afternoon Programs at Gumbo Limbo Nature Center** This season's meetings will be on Tuesdays at 2:00 p.m.: Nov 16, Jan 18, Feb 15, and Mar 15. The Nature Center is located at 1801 N. Ocean Blvd. (A1A) in Boca Raton. Check the *Kite* or website for program details.

ASE GENERAL INFORMATION

- Twelve meetings a year with guest speakers
- Ten newsletters a year with up-to-date Audubon information
- Family-oriented events (Everglades Day and more!)
- Educational workshops
- Participation in Pathfinder's scholarship program
- Field trips from September through May
- Ornithological book collection at PB County Library, Summit Blvd (closed until Spring).

The public is welcome at all our activities. Meetings are held on the first Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. (doors open at 7). **FAU Pine Jog Environmental Education Center** in West Palm Beach. Pine Jog is located at 6301 Summit Blvd. (on the NE corner of Summit Blvd. and Jog Road). Entrance is on Summit.

2010-2011 Directors & Committees

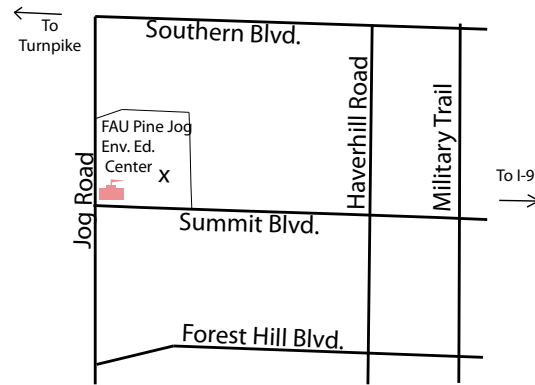
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About ASE

Audubon Society of the Everglades, incorporated in 1966, serves communities from Jupiter south to Boca Raton. Our purpose is to promote the conservation of wildlife and the natural environment and to advance human understanding of our place in the total ecological system.

Audubon Society of the Everglades offers a variety of free events in which the public may participate. The many field trips held throughout Palm Beach County and south Florida are very popular. Whether you are a beginning birder or experienced birder, there is always something new to discover. Monthly meetings have informative programs on environmental topics, birds, conservation issues, and the Everglades. Special workshops focus on birds, native plants and sustainability. Children's activities are featured in the Everglade Kite. Thanks to National and Florida Audubon grants, the chapter installed a demonstration native plant garden at FAU/Pine Jog Environmental Education Center to educate the public on the importance of native plants and shrubs which conserve water and provide food and shelter for birds and butterflies.

An active conservation committee keeps constant vigil over the continuous assault on our natural resources and intervenes when necessary to protect the environment. The chapter is also the caretaker of the Audubon sanctuary islands located within the Lake Worth Lagoon.

Education is an integral part of Audubon's program. Everglades Day, our biggest family and youth group event, is held at the Arthur R. Marshall Loxahatchee National Wildlife Refuge in February. Also in February children and adults join in the Great Backyard Bird Count event. Each year our chapter selects a high school senior showing interest in environmental studies to receive our Ruth and Seymour Miller Scholarship at the Palm Beach Post Pathfinder Scholarship Awards. For decades the chapter has partnered with FAU/Pine Jog Environmental Education Center to bring educational programs to Palm Beach County School District students. The chapter has been involved in the development, implementation, judging and prize funding for the Green Schools Recognition Program, open to all Palm Beach County schools. Our chapter also provides judges for the School District Science Fair.

Our newsletter, the Everglade Kite, keeps members informed about the activities of the Society. Exhibits at events like Naturscaping and International Migratory Bird Day keep our purpose before the public.

In 1979 a trust donation enabled the chapter to establish one of the finest ornithological libraries in the southeast with the support and assistance of the Palm Beach County library system. Located at the county's main library on Summit Blvd. in West Palm Beach, this collection is an ongoing project containing one of the most comprehensive selections of bird books found anywhere in Florida.

We hope you will find an activity of interest and use the membership application in this brochure to become a permanent part of our organization.

Audubon Society of the Everglades



2010-2011
Calendar of Events
Chapter of National Audubon Society
and
Audubon of Florida, Inc.

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2010-2011 Bird Trips, Events & Activities

Be sure to check the *Kite* and www.auduboneverglades.org for information on late-breaking events and activities.

Join Audubon Society of the Everglades

There are now two ways to join ASE:

Chapter-only membership (\$15), and membership through the **National Audubon Society (\$20)**.

Chapter-Only Membership

When you become a member of the Audubon Society of the Everglades by using the form below, all of your membership fees are put to use supporting **local** projects: Everglades Day; Education Programs such as Young Naturalists, model schools, field trips; Scholarships; and Conservation activities. Audubon Society of the Everglades members also receive 10 issues of the *Everglade Kite* newsletter.

Audubon Society of the Everglades (ASE)	
YES! I want to become a member of ASE. Enclosed is my check made payable to Audubon Society of the Everglades for:	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Chapter-only Membership \$15 (Senior/Student \$10)
<input type="checkbox"/>	National Audubon Membership \$20 (C9ZE000Z)
<input type="checkbox"/> I would like to save ASE postage and printing costs; please send my <i>Kite</i> via email	
<input type="checkbox"/> Please accept my contribution of \$ _____	
Name _____	Phone _____
Address _____	
City _____	State ____ Zip _____
e-mail _____	
I would like to volunteer for:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Education	<input type="checkbox"/> Everglades Day <input type="checkbox"/> Other:
<input type="checkbox"/> Conservation	<input type="checkbox"/> Fundraising _____

National Audubon Society Membership

When you join ASE through the National Audubon Society, in addition to the *Kite*, you also receive 6 issues of *Audubon Magazine*, and membership in Audubon of Florida. For details, visit www.audubon.org. To join the National Society, send your information as above, but make your check out to **National Audubon Society**. NOTE: The annual fee is \$20 for regular NAS membership. In either case, send the form above along with your check (**\$15 to ASE or \$20 to NAS**) to

*Membership Chair
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Sat. Sep. 11, 8 a.m. Frenchman's Forest, Palm Beach Gardens. W side of Prosperity Farms Rd. 1.5 miles north of PGA Blvd. Leader: Chuck Weber

Sat. Sep. 18, Fall Migration Count. Compiler: Cynthia Plockelman, (561)585-1278

Sun. Sep. 19, 5 p.m. Green Cay Wetlands, Boynton Beach, 12800 Hagen Ranch Rd. Meet outside Nature Center Main door, Leader: Valeri Brauer

Sat. Sep. 25, 8 a.m. Spanish River Pk. Boca Raton. Meet at split fence on the south side of Spanish River Blvd, just W of A1A. Leader: Brian Hope

Sat. Sep. 25, Coastal Cleanup. Call Claudine Laabs (561) 655-9779 to volunteer

Sun. Sept 26, Florida Bay Boat Trip. Call Claudine Laabs to register 561-655-9779

Tues. Sept 28, 8:30 a.m. Boynton Inlet/Lantana Preserve. Meet at Inlet playground/picnic area. Leader: Dorothy Brindle

Sat Oct 2, 8 a.m. Frenchman's Forest, Palm Beach Gardens. Meet as above. Leader: Chuck Weber

Sat Oct 2, 8 a.m. Spanish River Pk. Meet as above. Leader: Ray Buchholz

Sat Oct 2, 8 a.m. JW Corbett WMA, WPB. Buggy Ride. Leader: Mike Baranski, to register call Linda 561-742-7791. Space limited.

Mon Oct 4, 7:30 a.m. Wakodahatchee Wetlands, Delray Beach, 13026 Jog Rd. Meet at top of boardwalk, Leader: Paton White/Linda Humphries

Sat Oct 9, 8 a.m. Juno Pier/Juno Dunes, 14775 S.R. A1A, Juno Beach. Cost \$1.00. Meet at entrance to pier. Leader: Clive Pinnock

Wed Oct 13, 8 a.m. Peaceful Waters, Wellington, SE corner of Village Park, 11700 Pierson Road. Meet at beginning of boardwalk, Leader: Paton White

Sat. Oct 16 & Oct 17—Florida Keys Fall Migration/Hawk Watch. \$40 plus hotel. Leader: Paddy Cunningham. Contact Linda 561-742-7791 to register. Space limited.

Sat. Oct 16, 8 a.m. Spanish River Park. Meet as above. Leader to be determined.

Fri. Oct 22, 4:30 p.m., Wakodahatchee. Meet as above. Leader: Valeri Brauer

Sat. Oct 23, 8 a.m. Frenchman's Forest, PB Gardens. Meet as above. Leader: Marvin Greenberg

Fri. Oct 29, 8 a.m. Green Cay. Meet as above. Leader: Valeri Brauer

Sat. Oct 30, 8 a.m. Peaceful Waters. Meet as above. Leader: Paton White

Wed. Nov 3, 7:30 a.m. ARM Loxahatchee NWR, Boynton Beach. 10216 Lee Rd. Meet at Marsh Trail. Entry \$5 per car.

Fri. Nov 5, 8 a.m. Wakodahatchee. Meet as above. Leader: Valeri Brauer

Sat. Nov 6, Tropical Audubon invites you to Everglades National Park. Leader John Boyd. Details in *Kite* & website. Entry \$10 per car

Sat. Nov 6, 8 a.m. Riverbend Pk, Jupiter, 9060 Indiantown Rd. Meet at south end of main parking lot, near canoe rental trailer. Leader: Chuck Weber

Wed. Nov 10, 7:30 a.m. Okeehelée Nature Center, WPB, 7715 Forest Hill Blvd. Meet on Porch. Leader: Linda Humphries

Sat. Nov 13, STA 5, Clewiston. To register call Linda 561-742-7791

Sun. Nov 14, 4 p.m. Wakodahatchee. Meet as above. Leader: Valeri Brauer

Tues. Nov 16, 8:30 a.m. John Prince Park. WPB. Meet at entrance to campground. Leader: Dorothy Brindle.

Sat. Nov 20, 8 a.m. Peaceful Waters. Meet as above. Leader: Clive Pinnock

Sat. Nov 27, 8 a.m. Green Cay Wetlands. Meet as above. Leader: Ben Kolstad

Sat. Dec 4, 7:30 a.m. ARM Loxahatchee NWR. Meet as above. Leader: Pat Canning

Sat. Dec 4, 1 p.m. South Florida Exotics with Tropical Audubon, Miami. Meet at 1 p.m. at E parking lot of Baptist Hospital (8950 N Kendall Dr) Leader: Paul Bithorn

Wed. Dec 8, 4 p.m. Beginning Birdwalk, Wakodahatchee. Leader: Paton White

Tues. Dec 14, 3:30 p.m. Peaceful Waters. Meet as above. Leader: Linda Humphries

Sat. Dec 18, 8 a.m. Okeehelée. Meet as above, Leader: Scott Scheinhaus

Sun. Dec 19, 8 a.m. Green Cay. Meet as above. Leader: Valeri Brauer.

Thurs. Dec 30, 4 p.m. Evening Fly In , Wakodahatchee. Meet as above. Leader: Paton White

Sun. Jan 2, 2011, Christmas Bird Count, coordinator: Chuck Weber. Details in *Kite*

Fri. Jan 7, 6:30 p.m. Green Cay. Night Walk. Leader: Donald Campbell, \$3 per person, call Linda to register 561-742-7791

Sat. Jan 8, Birding trip to STA 5, Clewiston, Meet at Kmart Southern & 4417, 6:30 a.m. to carpool.

Mon. Jan 10, 3 p.m. Beginning Bird Walk, Peaceful Waters. Meet as above. Leaders: Paton White/ Linda Humphries

Wed. Jan 12 a.m. 8:30 a.m. Wakodahatchee. Meet as above. Leader: Dorothy Brindle.

Jan. 12 thru 17, Everglades Birding Festival. www.birdadventure.com or call Paddy Cunningham 954-926-5458, for details

Thurs. Jan 13, 7 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Key Biscayne/ Crandon Park. Shorebirds with Kevin Karlson, cost \$35+ registration. Call Paddy Cunningham 954-926-5458 to register. Space Limited.

Sat. Jan 15, 7:30 a.m. ARM Loxahatchee NWR. Meet as above. Leader: Pat Canning

Sat. Jan 22 & Jan 23, Ding Darling NWR, Sanibel. Contact Paton White 561-818-7574 to register

Fri. Jan 28, 4 p.m. Wakodahatchee. Meet as above, Leader: Valeri Brauer

Sat. Jan 29, 8 a.m. Daggerwing Nature Center, Boca Raton, South County Regional Park, 11200 Park Access Rd, Leader: Kelli Dorschel

Mon. Jan. 31, 7:30 a.m. SWA/Dyer Park, WPB. Meet at Palmetto Trail Head, 45th and Jog Rd, Leader: Claudine Laabs

Sat. Feb 5, 8 Riverbend. Meet as above, Leader: Ed Kaweck

Sat. Feb 5 & 6 Viera Wetlands/Titusville. Contact Valeri Brauer, (561) 385-9787 to register

Tues. Feb 8, 8:30 a.m. Lantana Nature Preserve, 400 E Ocean Ave, Lantana. Leader: Dorothy Brindle.

Sat. Feb 12, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Everglades Day, ARM Loxahatchee NWR. Free event! See *Kite* & website for details

Sun. Feb 13, 7 a.m. STA 3 & 4. Meet at Kmart, Palmetto Park Rd north side, just E of I-95, Boca Raton. Leader: Chuck Weber

Fri. Feb 18, 4:30 p.m. Beginning Bird Walk (children 8 and above included), Green Cay. Meet as above. Leader: Linda Humphries

Feb 19—Feb 21 Backyard Bird Count. Call Linda 561-742-7791 for more information

Sat. Feb 19, 4 p.m. Wakodahatchee. Meet as above to participate in GBBC. Leader: Linda Humphries

Sun. Feb 20, 8 a.m. Green Cay. Meet as above to participate in GBBC. Leader: Valeri Brauer

Mon. Feb 21, 3:30 p.m. Peaceful Waters. Meet as above to participate in GBBC. Leader: Paton White

Sat. Feb 26, 8 a.m. to 1 pm. Birding Workshop (lectures, live birds) Pine Jog, WPB. For details contact Linda Humphries, 561-742-7791, and/or see *Kite* and website.

Sun. Feb 27, 7 a.m. Belle Glade. Meet at Kmart 441 State Road 7, Leader: Chuck Weber

Wed. Mar 2-9, Birding in Panama. Contact Claudine Laabs for detail (561) 655-9779

Fri. Mar 4, 4 p.m. Green Cay. Meet as above. Leader: Valeri Brauer

Sat. Mar 5, 9 a.m. Beginning Bird Walk, Wakodahatchee. Leader: Paton White/Linda Humphries

Tues. Mar 8, 8:30 a.m. John Prince Pk. Meet as above. Leader: Dorothy Brindle

Sat. Mar 12, 7 a.m. Riverbend Pk. Meet as above, Leader: Ed Kaweck

Sat. Mar 12, Tropical Audubon invites you to Everglades National Park. Leader John Boyd. Details in *Kite* and website. \$10 entry per car.

Wed. Mar 16, 7:30 a.m. ARM Loxahatchee NWR. Meet as above. Leader: Pat Canning

Sat. March 19, Tour of Backyard Gardens, 8:30 a.m. to 12 p.m. Cost: \$8. Details in *Kite*.

Sun. March 20, 8 a.m. Everglades National Park, Spring Wildflower Walk. Leader: Roger Hammer. Entry \$10 per car. Reservations required, \$45 fee includes book. Call (305) 247-1634. Sponsored by Tropical Audubon.

Sun. March 20, 8 a.m. Wakodahatchee. Meet as above. Leader: Valeri Brauer

Sat. Mar 26, 8 a.m. Winding Waters, new wetlands at Dyer Blvd & Haverhill Rd, WPB. Leader: Chuck Weber. See *Kite* & website for details

Mon. Mar 28, 10 a.m., Okeehelée Nature Center, WPB. Meet as above for "Behind the Scenes" with Clive Pinnock

Sat. April 2, Three Lakes WMA. Transportation provided, Contact Claudine Laabs to register (561) 655-9779

Wed. Apr 6, 7:30 a.m. ARM Loxahatchee NWR. Meet as above. Leader: Pat Canning.

Sat. Apr 9, Pelican Island boat tour. Contact Claudine Laabs to register (561) 655-9779

Sun. Apr 10, 8 a.m. Gumbo Limbo/Deerfield Island. Beach Hammocks Spring Migration. Meet at Gumbo Limbo at 8. Leader: Paddy Cunningham

Sat. April 16, 8 a.m. Spanish River Park. Meet as above. Leader: Ben Kolstad

Sun. April 17, SUNSET/MOONRISE CRUISE, Lake Worth Lagoon. For more information and/or to register contact Claudine Laabs (561) 655-9779

Fri. April 22, 8 a.m. Green Cay. Meet as above. Leader: Valeri Brauer

Sat. Apr 23, 8 a.m. Frenchman's Forest. Meet as above. Leader: Marvin Greenberg

Sat. Apr 30, 8 a.m. Spanish River. Meet as above. Leader: Ray Bucholtz

Sat. May 7, 7:30 a.m. Riverbend. Meet as above. Leader: Chuck Weber

Sat. May 7, 8 a.m. JW Corbett WMA Buggy Ride. Leader: Michael Baranski. Coordinator Linda (561) 742-7791

Sat. May 14, 6 a.m., Blue Cypress Lake. Space is limited. Contact Claudine Laabs (561) 655-9779 to register

Sat. May 14, Spring Migration Count. Contact Cynthia Plockelman (561) 585-1278

Sun. May 15, 6 p.m. Wakodahatchee. Meet as above. Leader: Linda Humphries

Tues. June 14, 8 a.m., Wakodahatchee. Meet as above. Leaders: Paton White/Linda Humphries

WILDLIFE ALERT HOTLINE

To report wildlife and environmental offenses, 24 hours a day, call Florida Fish & Wildlife Conservation Commission
1-888-404-3922 or
#FWC/*FWC on your cell phone

Found an injured bird? Call
Busch Wildlife (Jupiter), 561 575 3399
Loxahatchee Wildlife Rescue 561 281 4483