Please join us at the May 2nd at 7 pm meeting of the Audubon Society of the Everglades (ASE), where members of the new ASE Photography Club will share and discuss their nature images, many of which have won awards in various categories this season.

Dr. Lekos, Club President, and Scott Zucker, Club Treasurer, co-founded the Photography Club this past year to provide ASE members the opportunity to become better photographers, meet other people who share their passion, and support ASE’s efforts to protect birds and wildlife habitats through conservation and education. If time permits, Dr. Lekos will share a short presentation about a Bluebird nesting box trail that he maintained as a volunteer for the Wildlife Conservation Corps of the New Jersey Division of Fish and Wildlife.

Dr. Lekos has a BS in Biology, a BS in Pharmacology, and a Doctorate in Dental Medicine. He has been a member of camera clubs for nearly 35 years and has achieved international recognition through the Photographic Society of America, where he ranked #3 in North America and #12 in the world. He is also an accomplished judge of prestigious international photography competitions. Also at the meeting, our expert Clive Pinnock will tell us more about the May Bird of the Month: Sandhill Crane.

Doors open at 6:30 pm for light refreshments in rooms 101 and 102 at FAU Pine Jog Environmental Education Center, 6301 Summit Blvd (near Jog Road) in West Palm Beach. Meeting is free and open to the public.

MAY 2017 Events
03 Wed (8am-10am) Seacrest Scrub, Moderately difficult walk, having improved trail with dirt & uneven surfaces. This is a medium distance walk, 1-1 1/2 miles. (Sue Young)
06 Sat (7am-12pm) STA-1E, Easy/Drive, you must pre-register by going to the website calendar. select the details of the trip in question and then follow the registration link. (Jinda Humphries)
07 Sun (8am-10am) Frenchman’s Forest, Medium difficult walk, having improved trail with dirt & uneven surfaces. This is a medium distance walk, 1-1 1/2 miles. (Bart Scott)
07 Sun (9am-11am) Snook Islands, Easy walk, with boardwalk or paved level surfaces. Short: less than 1 mile. (Gael Silverblatt)
13 Sat (7am-9am) Cypress Creek, This is a new and unique field trip. Challenging: Improved or unimproved trail; uneven, rocky, and/or wet surfaces. This is a medium distance walk, 1-1 1/2 miles. (David Witmer / Chuck Weber)
19 Fri (5pm-7pm) Green Cay, Easy walk, with boardwalk or paved level surfaces. This is a medium distance walk, 1-1 1/2 miles. (Valleri Brauer)

Always check the website calendar for details, registration links and last minute changes. Trips, unless otherwise specified, are “just show up.”

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