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GENERAL MEETING

FRI. 10 DECEMBER 1982, 7:30 PM, Fiesta Room, Hillmark Apts., 5000 Alabama St. CHRISTMAS BIRD COUNTS 1982. Once again, it's time to get ready for our 2 Christmas Bird Counts (CBCs). At this meeting we'll review organizational details and finalize teams for both the El Paso and Hueco Tanks CBCs. We hope everyone, member and nonmember alike, can participate in the counts. Even if you can't, you will enjoy this meeting, as Kevin or Barry Zimmer will be conducting a bird-identification workshop, a review of some simple and not-so-simple identification problems with El Paso's winter birds. If you want to take part in a count but can't attend the meeting, contact 1 of the compilers (see pg. 2). Need directions to the meeting room? Call Joe Guinn (566-8438). ##

FIELD TRIP CALENDAR

SUN. 5 DECEMBER. BEGINNERS TRIP TO FEATHER LAKE. A reminder - meet at 8:00 AM at Feather Lake, 9500 N. Loop Rd. Please call the Leader, John Sproul (545-5157 h, 541-6126 w), if you have inquiries. #

SAT. 18, DECEMBER. EL PASO CHRISTMAS BIRD COUNT.

SUN. 2 JANUARY, HUECO TANKS CHRISTMAS BIRD COUNT.

SAT. SUN. 8-9 JANUARY, BOSQUE DEL APACHE NWR. THIS IS THE ONE! We will meet at I10 and Transmountain Rd. at 8:00 AM. Please dress warmly and

be prepared to see (count them) 14,000 Sandhill cranes, several majestic Whooping cranes (foster offspring of the Sandhills), 23,000 Snow geese, 2,000 Canada geese, 35,000 ducks of 17 species introduced White winged pheasants and myriads of Passerines. Don't miss journeying to this 51,191 acre refuge.

If you plan to stay at Socorro motels, please call ahead for reservations: Motel Six, 505-835-1492; Best Western Golden Manor, 800-528-1234; San Miguel, 505-835-0211. Our fearless leader will be Tony Worth. Please call Art Arteaga (598-5723) if you have questions.

John Sproul will be leading a trip to the Bosque for the Sierra Club on the 15th of January, and invites you to come along if you cannot make the 8-9 January trip. /Art Arteaga/ #

CHRISTMAS BIRD COUNTS

Some 34,863 birders can't be wrong. That's the number that braved all manner of weather conditions last year to take part in 1418 Christmas Bird Counts (CBCs) throughout the western hemisphere. They found over 66 million birds and had a great time doing it. The CBCs, now in their 83rd season, have a rich tradition and highlight the birding year. You owe it to yourself to try 1.



What's involved? On a selected day near Christmas, we fan out and count all birds seen within a 15-mile-diameter circle. We divide into teams, each team covers a given area, and each is led by a person who knows that area. New-comers are welcome; you'll learn fast from the veterans on your team. To increase the scientific value of the CBC results, we emphasize counting all birds seen, rather than just compiling a lengthy species list and chasing rarities. We spend all day combing the count circle, then meet that night to compile the results and relive the day's events.

SAT. 18 DECEMBER. EL PASO COUNT. The 15 mile diameter count area includes 3 states (Chihuahua, New Mexico and Texas) in 2 nations (Mexico and USA). The circle is centered on the south end of Mt. Franklin. Teams of birders are assigned various sections and they try to collect, in a single day, the biggest possible list of birds in the designated area.

The count is open to all competent birders who are willing to pay a \$2 fee to help defray the cost of publication. Contact Joyce Davis (581-9470) compiler, if you can be on one of the teams. If you can't join one of the teams but can record observations at a backyard feeder, contact Janet Brockmoller (735-6753). Even a few minutes of observation may include a rarity. Janet will also be the clearing-house for the rare-bird report. Call her if you see something unusual, and she will try to dispatch an observer to confirm it.

The post-count pot-luck dinner will be at Helen Barto's, 3312 Moonlight, 755-4744, at 6 PM. People are welcome to arrive any time after 5 PM. The "species count-down" will take place after dinner.

Last year we had an all-time high number of participants as 39 observers saw 8,054 individual birds of 88 species. Other all-time highs are 104 species in 1976 and 60,200 individual birds in 1953.

SUN. 2 JANUARY. HUECO TANKS COUNT
The Hueco Tanks count, centered on a peak in the Hueco Mts. 1.9 miles south of U.S. Hwy. 62/180, began in 1974. Several teams will be covering the area to count as many birds as possible.

The count is open to all competent birders, who are willing to pay the \$2 fee. Contact Al Gavit, (852-3119) compiler, if you can be on one of the teams.

The post-count pot-luck dinner and "species count-down" will be at Tony Worth's, 2024 Amy Sue, Apt. C, 592-4926, at 6 PM. People are welcome to arrive any time after 5 PM.

Last year 25 participants saw 3210 individual birds of 53 species. This count had the high count in the nation for Sage sparrows (171).

HAWK CHALK

Those of you not at the November general meeting missed a lively introduction to birds of prey and the problems they face. Thank you, John Caraway, for a stellar performance.

As long as we're talking raptors, you should know that the Board of Directors has decided the initial project in our Raptor Protection Program will be the printing of signs and bumper stickers with a "Don't shoot birds of prey" theme. Own some land hereabouts? You'll, of course, want to post it with our signs. ##

The deadline for January Roadrunner is December 28th.



OTHER WEST TEXAS-SOUTHERN NEW MEXICO CBCs

Date	Count	Compiler/Contact	Phone
18 Dec	Las Cruces, NM	Kevin Zimmer	505/522-6093
18 Dec	Ft. Davis, TX	Pansy Espy	915/426-3999
19 Dec	Balmorhea, TX	Francis Williams	915/686-9632
21 Dec	Alpine, TX	John Schmidt	915/837-2983
28 Dec	Chisos Mts., TX	C. C. Wiedenfeld	915/653-7918
29 Dec	Big Bend Natl. Park, TX	"	"
29 Dec	Ruidosa, TX	Jody Miller	915/467-2651

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BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

MON. 6 DECEMBER, 7:30 PM. The Board will meet at the home of John Sproul, 601 W. Yandell #25, El Paso (545-5157). Initiation of a chapter awards program will be on the agenda. All members are welcome.##

breasted Grosbeak, which has not been reported in the El Paso area in the Fall. Another unusual "bird" was the spaceship Columbia being piggybacked right over our heads./Joyce Davis/

THE CBC QUIZ

FIELD TRIP FOLLOW_UPS

On Sun. Oct. 24 to La Cueva Park was the first time that 2 area Audubon groups, Mesilla Valley and ours, combined field trips. Approximately 20 birders enjoyed the impressive vistas and excellent birding that day. The bird of the day was, no doubt, the Golden-crowned Kinglet flitting about with a flock of fully-crested Ruby-crowned Kinglets. Thanks to Dan Jones who picked out the call from the lively chirping of the Ruby-crowns present./Art/

The year was 1939. On 17 Dec, Ruby Allen, Mary Harper, Mary Belle Keefer, Tom Kirksey, Lena McBee and Ada Niland conducted the first El Paso CBC. They found 1244 individual birds of 63 species, including: (1) Treganza's Heron; (2) Baldpate; (3) Baird's Wren; (4) White-rumped Shrike; (5) Lillian's Meadowlark; (6) Pale Goldfinch; (7) Desert and (8) Gambel's sparrows; and (9) Shufeldt's, (10) Montana and (11) Pink-sided juncos. What would we call these birds today? The answers are at the bottom of page 8. ##

Nov. 6 was a lovely day at Hueco Tanks State Park. A fine time was had by all due in part to a lone Common Snipe eating away, oblivious to onlookers, and a magnificent view of approximately 40 Sandhill cranes on the wing westward. 37 species were recorded on this day./Art/

SERIOUS CAMPAIGNING STARTS

Nov. 21 was a beautiful autumn day for 12 people who joined the trip to Randel's Pool and Durling's Farm. The group accounted for 48 species including some unusual ones. A Black-bellied Plover was spotted at a dairy farm's run-off pond. A Brown Thrasher led the group to a Rose-

Now that the preliminaries of the November elections are past, all eyes are on the Main Event. Yes, our chapter elections are only 6 weeks away, and the campaigning is getting intense. Nominating Committee members Bob Johnson (751 0125), Sid Shepperd (566-2162) and Peggy Riede (821-0989) are still accepting names for the ballot. Up for grabs are the president, vice-president and secretary-treasurer positions.



MEMORIALS

From

Mrs. John Whitaker, Alpine, TX
Leon Kohlhoff

In memory of

Lena McBee
Kris Kohlhoff

KRIS KOHLHOFF MEMORIAL

The Board of Directors has decided that donations to the chapter in memory of Kris Kohlhoff should benefit the Education Committee, with which she was so active. Borrowing a good idea from our neighbors to the north, the Mesilla Valley A.S., we have decided to apply all donations towards a slide projector for the committee's use in presentations to school classes and other groups. Many thanks to all who, in remembering Kris, have made this project possible. #

CONSERVATION CAPSULES

TEXAS WATER PLAN: Waiting anxiously to see a draft of the revised Texas Water Plan (RR, May)? Keep waiting. The task proved more formidable than the Texas Dept. of Water Resources at first imagined. The agency now hopes to have a draft out for public review by early January. #

CLEAN AIR ACT: Waiting anxiously for Clean Air Act amendments? Keep waiting. Action during the current lame-duck session of Congress remains unlikely. For some good news, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) funding bill that Pres. Reagan signed 30 Sept did not include a prohibition against EPA using funds to carry out and enforce a mandatory vehicle inspection and maintenance program (RR, Oct). The Senate refused to go along with the House on that score. #

ENVIRONMENTAL AWARENESS: Waiting anxiously for Texas Environmental Awareness Week? It's almost here! That's what Gov. Clements has designated

the week of 5-11 Dec. It coincides with a conference on environmental legislation that For the People, Inc. of Dallas will hold in Austin 8-9 Dec.

1080: After over 4 months of hearings, an administrative law judge has recommended that EPA's 10-year-old ban on use of Compound 1080 in predator-control programs be lifted. Audubon's SW Regional VP Dede Armentrout participated in the hearings as an opponent of 1080; The Texas Dept. of Agriculture testified in its favor. EPA banned use of the highly poisonous compound in 1972 because of its potential to kill nontarget species and its hazard to humans. On 26 Oct, Judge Spencer T. Nissen recommended that 1080 use be resumed under strict controls, with use limited to toxic collars (baited collars attached to "sacrificial" sheep) and single lethal-dose baits administered by government employees. The recommendation has been appealed, both by opponents of resumed 1080 use and by the livestock industry, which finds Nissen's recommendation too restrictive. EPA Administrator Anne Gorsuch will decide soon whether to accept the law judge's recommendation. #

FOR SALE

Visit our sales counter at the next general meeting and find:
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* Jim Lane's birder's guides
* El Paso-area bird checklists
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OBSERVATIONS

October 20 - November 19



Birding continued to be very good throughout this reporting period, as it has been all year. One hundred and fifty-six species (+5 subspecies) were seen, including 21 species of accidental or casual status. Most noteworthy were the lingering warblers, of which 9 species were recorded. Noteworthy absences included White-winged Dove, Williamson's Sapsucker, and Phainopepla - none of which were reported during the month.

LOONS - FALCONS

A lone HORNED GREBE was seen at Ft. Hancock 11-16 (BZ). Western Grebes were sighted on numerous occasions (BZ,JD, BJ) throughout Nov. Most noteworthy was a group of 20 at Ft. Hancock 11-16 (BZ). Seven American White Pelicans arrived at a pond near Canutillo early on the morning of 11-2 (TC). Three individuals remained through the next day (BZ,KZ,JD,BJ). Meanwhile, 3 more (possibly the same birds) were at Tornillo 11-5 (JD,BJ) and 11-16 (BZ). A Double-crested Cormorant was at Tornillo 11-5 (JD,BJ), while an Olivaceous was near Canutillo 10-30 (TC). Lone Cattle Egrets were sighted near San Miguel 11-13 (BZ) and at the Ft. Bliss Sewage Ponds (FBSP) 11-18 (JD,BJ). Good numbers of both Snowy Egrets and Black-crowned Night-Herons were in the Tornillo drainage throughout the month (BZ,JD,BJ).

Snow Geese turned up everywhere around El Paso in Nov. (BJ,BZ,JD,JS et al) with a high of 20 at Sunland Park 11-14 (BZ, JD). A "BLUE" GOOSE at McNary 11-16 provided a first El Paso record (BZ). Three WOOD DUCKS were at the Socorro Sewage Ponds 11-16 (BZ). The Black-bellied Whistling-Duck was present throughout the month near Canutillo (TC,BZ,KZ,JD). The first Ferruginous Hawks of the winter were seen in the lower valley 11-5 (JD, BJ). FIVE Harris' Hawks were at Acala 11-16 (BZ). Golden Eagles (BZ,KZ,JD,PR) and Prairie Falcons (BZ,KZ,JD,BJ) were both frequently sighted throughout the period. A PEREGRINE FALCON was reported from Feather L. 11-8 (JDP). A male MERLIN flew swiftly across McNutt Rd. in the upper valley 11-11 (BZ).

QUAIL - WOODPECKERS

A probable VIRGINIA RAIL was seen near Canutillo 10-31 (TC). Lone Soras were near the Country Club Rd. bridge 10-24 (JD) and at Santa Teresa Country Club (STCC) 10-30 (JD). Sandhill Cranes were unusually common (AC,MD,BZ,BJ,JS) with a high count of 60 over Hueco Tanks 11-6 (JS et al.). A very late Solitary Sandpiper was reported from STCC 10-30 (JD). One PECTORAL SANDPIPER remained at the Tallmon Dairy pond off McNutt Rd. until at least 10-23 (BZ). Long-billed Dowitchers and Greater Yellowlegs were consistently present at Tornillo (BZ,JD, BJ). Ten late Wilson's Phalarope were at Sunland Park 11-2 (JD).

Two Bonaparte's Gulls were at Tornillo 11-5 (JD,BJ), while 8 could be found at Ft. Hancock and McNary 11-16 (BZ). The bird-of-the-month honors go to a very late and very lost CASPIAN TERN (1st El Paso record) being harassed by a Ring-billed Gull at Sunland Park 11-5 (BZ). An injured Short-eared Owl (earliest EP record) was found off an upper valley levee 10-21 (HB). Two Rufous Hummingbirds and 1 Anna's Hummingbird were present at a Mountain Park feeder throughout the month (JB). A "Yellow-shafted" Flicker was at Durling's Farm 10-23 (BZ), and another was at Hueco Tanks 10-21 (BZ) and 11-16 (JS et al.). Only 2 reports of Yellow-bellied Sapsuckers were received (BZ,BR).

FLYCATCHERS - VIREOS

Two more lone EASTERN PHOEBES were seen this month - Hueco Tanks 10-21 (BZ), Durling's Farm 10-25 (BZ). Single Vermilion Flycatchers were seen at STCC 11-1 (JD), Ft. Hancock 11-16 (BZ), McNary 11-16 (BZ) and Randel's Pool 11-17 (JoD). A TREE SWALLOW (latest EP record by almost 8 weeks) was hawking insects over Ft. Hancock 11-16 (BZ). Very late Barn Swallows remained around El Paso with 1 at Sunland Park 11-14 (BZ,JD) and 6 at Ft. Hancock and Tornillo 11-16 (BZ). Continuing in the fashion of last winter, Am. Crows invaded El Paso in early Nov. when

1000+ were seen off the Fabens levee (JD, BJ). Subsequent observations have come from both the upper and lower valleys (BZ, JS) with an amazing 4000+ seen near Socorro 11-16(BZ). All 3 species of nuthatches remained numerous although somewhat more localized than last month: White-breasted (AG, MG, BJ, SW), Red-breasted (MD, JS, VL, SW), and PYGMY (SW). Mountain Chickadees showed up everywhere in good numbers (BZ, JS, JD, BJ, MB, SW). Lone Brown Creepers were at Hueco Tanks 10-23 (AG, MG) and 11-2 (BZ, KZ).

Two unconfirmed reports of GRAY CATBIRD were received: 1 from 11-4 through 11-7 in Mountain Park (VL), and another near Anthony 11-19 (HB). Two Curve-billed Thrashers were at Hueco Tanks 11-2 (BZ, KZ), and 1 was there 11-6 (JS et al.). A Brown Thrasher was at Durling's Farm 11-12 (BZ) and 11-14 (BZ, JD). Six Sage Thrashers were seen e. of the campground at Hueco Tanks 10-21 (BZ). Western Bluebirds arrived in early Nov. when they were reported at the Ft. Bliss Golf Course (BJ). Up to 3 Townsend's Solitaires were present at Hueco Tanks throughout the period (BZ, KZ). Lone Golden-crowned Kinglets were at Hueco Tanks 10-22 (SW, MB) and 11-16 (BZ), while another was at Randel's Pool 11-14 (BZ, JD). A late Solitary Vireo was at Hueco Tanks 10-22 (SW, MB).

WARBLERS - WEAVER FINCHES

Single, very late, NASHVILLE WARBLERS were at Hueco Tanks 10-21 (BZ), Durling's Farm 11-1 (BZ), and Hueco Tanks 11-2 (BZ, KZ). A BLACK-THROATED GREEN WARBLER (2nd EP record) was seen at Horizon City 11-8 (MG). A late Black-throated Gray Warbler was at Hueco Tanks 10-21 (BZ). Two late Townsend's Warblers were at Hueco Tanks 10-21 (BZ), while another very late individual was at Hueco Tanks 11-2 (BZ, KZ). A male Common Yellowthroat was at Tornillo 11-16 (BZ). An imm. male AMERICAN REDSTART was at Durling's Farm 11-1 (BZ) and 11-2 (BZ, KZ). The male Northern Cardinal remained all month at an Anthony feeder (HB). Runner-up honors for bird-of-the-month go to 3 AMERICAN TREE SPARROWS seen at Hueco Tanks 11-14 (MB). Sage Sparrows were sighted at Hueco Tanks 10-21 (BZ) and 10-22 (SW, MB), and at STCC 10-31 (JD).

A beautiful eastern-race FOX SPARROW was at Hueco Tanks 10-21 (BZ). White-throated Sparrows were unusually common and widespread (BZ, KZ, JD), with a high count of 5 at Durling's Farm 11-14 (BZ, JD). One Swamp Sparrow was at Feather L. 10-30 (JS) and 2 were there 11-16(BZ). Single "Slate-colored" Juncos were at Durling's Farm 10-23 (BZ), Randel's Pool 11-9 (BZ), and Memorial Park 11-18 (SW). On 11-9, 150 CHESTNUT-COLLARED LONGSPURS (3rd EP record) and 1 MCCOWN'S LONGSPUR (1st EP record) were seen off Gardner Rd. (BZ). Subsequently, 30 CHESTNUT-COLLAR-EDS were seen at STCC 11-13 (JD) and 6 were there 11-14 (BZ, JD). Pine Siskins were unusually common all month (BZ, JD).

CONTRIBUTORS

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Note: Each month I find myself facing the same problem of having rare birds reported to me long after they have been sighted. Thus, by the time I hear about them, they are long gone and can no longer be verified. I cannot stress enough the importance of reporting any rare birds AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE after they are seen. If at all possible call me (545-5184) as soon as you get home from the field or as soon as you sight something in your yard. If you get no answer please continue trying periodically until you finally reach me. Call anytime from 8AM-11PM. Your cooperation will be greatly appreciated. Between 12-19 and 1-19, please direct your calls to Bettie Roberts (591-0421), as I will be away for the Christmas holidays.

/Barry Zimmer-Observations Editor/
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AUDUBON COUNCIL OF TEXAS: Nongame Program Taking Shape

Nongame wildlife gets little attention in Texas, although 88% of the State's vertebrate species or subspecies are not taken for sport or commercial purposes, although nongame species are important components of healthy natural systems, although public appreciation and enjoyment of these species is growing steadily. The money for Texas wildlife programs comes largely from the hunting/fishing public, and quite logically this leads to a management emphasis on the more commercially and recreationally important species. Nongame and endangered species play a very weak 2nd fiddle. How can they get the attention they deserve?

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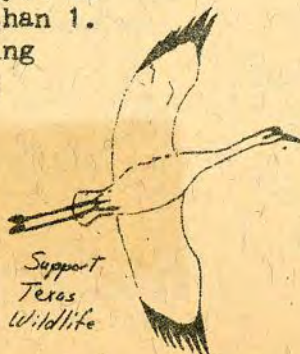
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a comprehensive nongame program it hopes the State legislature and the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission (TPWC) will adopt. The program has 2 parts:

* A NONGAME WILDLIFE PLAN for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD). This plan outlines what ACT sees as the major needs for nongame research, conservation and management in Texas. Its main components are Nongame Wildlife Investigations, Nongame Information and Education, Nongame Habitat Acquisition and Development, and Public Coordination on Nongame Issues. ACT has developed the plan with input from Audubon chapters, other organizations, TPWD and interested individuals.

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increases your chances. Use the form below or call your ACT delegate Helen Barto (755-4744) and take advantage of our handy order-by-phone service. Texas' wildlife will thank you.

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* Legislation to establish a SPECIAL NON-GAME AND ENDANGERED SPECIES CONSERVATION FUND. Carrying out the nongame plan will cost money: \$4,06,000 annually is the latest estimate. ACT has drafted a bill to create a special fund for this purpose. Sources of fund income will include private contributions and revenue from the sale of special wildlife art prints, decals and/or stamps.

Next year, the nongame plan will be presented to the TPWC for its approval. The nongame bill will be introduced in the Texas legislature. The latest drafts of both documents are now out for review by wildlife professionals and Audubon chapters, with a comment deadline of 15 Dec. You can get copies from John Sproul (545-5157 h, 541-6126 w) or Helen Barto (755-4744). ACT will discuss strategy for passing the bill at its next meeting, 8 Jan in Austin. /John Sproul/

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TEXAS BIRDS

EP/TPAS is pleased to offer Ed Kutac's new book, TEXAS BIRDS AND WHERE TO FIND THEM, at a 15% discount to Audubon members. The first comprehensive guide to birding locations throughout Texas, it describes at least 150 sites--from High Island to El Paso, from Aransas to Zilker Park--and what you are likely to find at each. Its 110 pages include many detailed maps to point you in the right direction. An invaluable reference for the Texas birder, this 8-1/4 x 10-3/4 paperback retails for \$9.95. We are selling it to Audubon members for \$8.50. Place your order today with Lucile Swick (565-9602).

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ANSWERS TO CBC QUIZ

- (1) Great Blue Heron subspecies (ssp.);
- (2) American Wigeon; (3) Bewick's Wren ssp.; (4) Loggerhead Shrike; (5) Eastern Meadowlark ssp.; (6) American Goldfinch ssp.; (7) Black-throated Sparrow; (8) White-crowned Sparrow ssp.; (9), (10) and (11) all Dark-eyed "Oregon" Junco races.

FROM THE LIBRARIAN

The collection of AUDUBON magazines in our chapter library now stretches back to 1965. It has its gaps, though. Specifically, we lack these issues: 1965 - Jan, Mar, May; 1966 - May, Sept, Nov; 1967 - May; 1968 - May, July, Sept, Nov; 1970 - May, July; 1972 - Mar, Nov; 1973 - Jan, Mar, Nov; 1974 - May, July; 1982 - May, July, Sept. Please contact Lois Beno (755-0783) if you have any of these issues or earlier ones and wish to donate them to the library.

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