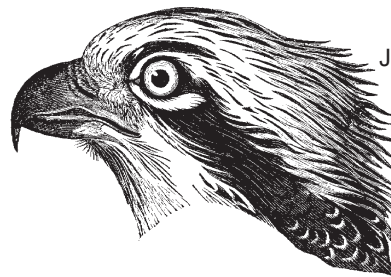


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Fall Meetings Will be HYBRID

in person at the Manhasset Public Library, 30 Onderdonk Ave and via Zoom. Zoom Registration links will be posted on Facebook and the website calendar. You must have a free Zoom account (Zoom.us) Recordings of the program will be posted to the North Shore Audubon YouTube channel. **In person attendees must wear masks**

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See you in September

Leader walks and member meetings resume in the fall. Until then, join the Wednesday Leaderless walks

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Saturday, June 4

Garvies Point Museum and Preserve
5TH ANNUAL NATIVE PLANT SALE
& PICK UP DAY!

10AM-4PM, RAIN OR SHINE

Wide variety of native flowering plants, shrubs & trees, ferns & grasses to support native birds and pollinators!

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Change to Chapter Memberships

Starting in 2022 all chapter memberships will run from January 1 to December 31. The first year will be prorated if you joined or renewed during the middle of the year. You should have received a postcard with this information. Questions? Email nsaudubonsociety@gmail.com

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Did you miss our membership meetings over zoom? Many are posted on our YouTube channel, North Shore Audubon, plus short videos of interesting bird behavior.

Garvies Point Museum and Preserve Tuesday, June 28 – Friday, September 2 **CHILDREN'S SUMMER DAY CAMPS**

Hands-on learning, exploring, activities, experiments, scavenger hunts, arts & crafts for children 5-7 & 8-11 years old.

Tues-Fri 9:30-12:30 & 1-4 Or 9:30-4:00

JR. NATURE SERIES I & II Children ages 5-7 Age-appropriate hands-on learning including exploring ecosystems, sounds, colors, shapes & textures of nature, scavenger hunts, experiments, arts & crafts, educational films & more!

NATURE SERIES I & II Children ages 8-11 Goes into more detailed discovery and analysis with experiments, scavenger hunts, crafts, educational films & more!

NATIVE AMERICAN: Tools & Artifacts, Pottery-Making, Games & Storytelling, Campfire cooking, Foods, culture & shelter (Ages 5-7 & 8-11)

JUNIOR GEOLOGIST (Ages 5-7 only): Discovering Dinosaurs, Daytime Astronomy, Rocks & Minerals, How fossils form, Water Cycle & Erosion, Clouds & Weather, Beach geology

GEOLOGIST (Ages 8-11 only): Investigating Rocks & Minerals; Weathering & Erosion; Understanding nature's cycles, Daytime Astronomy, Clouds, Wind & Weather, Fossils, Local Geology & LI Formation, Beach geology

Family Plus Member: \$150 per CHILD for FOUR AM or PM SESSIONS.

4 FULL DAYS, 9:30am-4pm for \$300/CHILD.

Non-Member: \$175 per CHILD for FOUR AM or PM SESSIONS.

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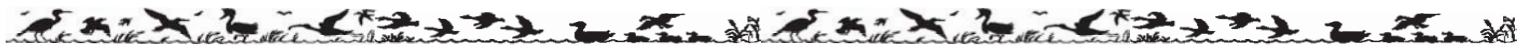
Advance Registration & pre-payment required, non-refundable.

Daily schedule: Age-appropriate hands-on learning session (topic varies daily), snack break with ½ hr. film, arts and crafts, experiment & activities.

Workshops are held indoors and outdoors.

Visit our website for details: www.garviespointmuseum.com





From the President By Jill Vomacka

I've had some moments these last few weeks in-between rain drops and sunny weather to visit a few areas where Piping Plover (at Stehli Beach) Eagles (in Massapequa Park Preserve) and Osprey are nesting (over 7 nests in the Bayville area alone). All bring a contemplative smile to my face and one of appreciation of nature, especially of birds. They also make me reminisce about my first observations of these flying acrobats as a young teenager.

In the winter I loved waking up early, going out to shovel the snow and loving the quiet of the morning watching visiting morning birds eating buds on the bushes. I am amazed at their ability to fly quickly and disappear into bushes with a morsel in their beak. It seemed that Northern Cardinals and Blue Jays were always nearby.

In the spring, from my open window, joyous songs would enter my bedroom from male birds announcing their arrival or territory for mating. Red-wing Blackbirds and Morning Doves were common then as they are now.

Summer brought smaller birds dining on bugs, worms, and berries as adult birds fed their young hatchlings. Various sparrows and starlings stand out in my memory.

And finally the fall brought Canada Geese flying in "V" formation above and honking as they took their annual migration south.

Throughout all of these youthful years I remember being constantly frustrated at not being able to find a bird in the leafy spring and summer or identify which song belonged to a specific bird. I could not see them in the trees among the leaves, and overgrown bushes.

Now I am starting to appreciate the technological gains that have been made in the past few years when it comes to bird identification.

We have gone from books with terrific drawings or photos, to books that play songs with a push of a button, to where we are now.... using an "APP". One can record a bird song and a picture of the bird that sings it will pop up on the screen. Another App allows you to snap a photo from your phone or I Pad and a possible bird will show up on your screen.

Lately, I have been using The Cornell Lab Merlin Bird Id App and loving it. As the birds are singing away, I record their song on my I Phone or I Pad. During this recording, different photos of birds pop up on the screen and are highlighted as they sing. In one area 8 different birds were singing simultaneously different songs. The app recorded all 8. After making the recording, I clicked on a specific bird and a graphing of the bird song is displayed with the photo of the bird. At the same time, the app goes back to the beginning of that birds' specific song and plays it as you watch the graph. You can play each recording as many times as you want. In addition, if you click on one specific bird, the app places the graph of the most familiar song of that bird below it, and lists many possibilities of songs and calls for that species of bird. It even offers a few songs of juvenile birds of that species. Even chicks need time to learn the adult bird song of that species. Not all birds of one species have identical songs, they may differ a little depending on where they originate.

I have been able to identify more birds from their songs among the trees and bushes. They are still hidden among the greenery, but at least I know what I am looking for and listening to.

Just so you are aware, using an App to Id birds when recording a song on a phone will use a lot of power, make sure you take an adapter or power pack to recharge, or shut off data. Your I Pad holds more power and lasts longer and is faster in playing the song back or id-ing the bird from a photo. I found Merlin not to be the best when giving color, size, shape of a bird and then coming up with possible birds that you saw. Song and bird photo on Merlin work much better. Take its recommendations with a grain of salt - sometimes it can be fooled by those tricksters, catbirds and mockingbirds.

There are other bird Id Apps available but I have had the most success with Merlin App. Enjoy the songs of spring!

PS Tip If you want to see a bird closer, try playing the song of the bird and quite often the bird will fly closer to the sound. But please don't do this during breeding season, as the birds need to expend their energy on real threats, not just for our pleasure.

Have a great summer! Join the leaderless walks and we'll see you at the member meetings in the fall.





SUMMER LEADERLESS WALKS 2022

*****PLEASE NOTE THE PROTOCOL FOR WALKS DUE TO THE CORONAVIRUS:** Masks are required to be worn and safe distancing is required if you are not fully vaccinated. If you are fully vaccinated and feel comfortable, you may unmask.

Walks are for beginners and experienced birders alike.

Weather permitting, walks generally start at 9:30AM unless indicated by ***.

Go to our website at <http://www.northshoreaudubon.org> for directions.

** Parking fees. State parks are free for seniors on weekdays

JUNE

Wed. 6/1 Sunken Meadow** 993-7340 Bill B. and 631-682-7404 Bill C.
Wed. 6/8 Planting Fields Arboretum 621-6678 Joyce**
Wed. 6/15 ***8:30 Nickerson Beach 941-7434 Jennifer and 413-6396 Peggy
Wed. 6/22 Humes Estate and Shu Swamp, meet at Shu
Wed 6/29 Garvies Point

JULY

Wed 7/6 Clark Garden
Wed 7/13 Oceanside
Wed 7/20 Planting Fields**
Wed 7/27 Bayard Cutting Arboretum**

AUGUST

Wed 8/3 Caumsett SP **
Wed 8/10 JB Coast Guard Station **
Wed 8/17 Hempstead Lake**
Wed 8/24 ***8:30 Jamaica Bay WR Car pooling suggested, meet at Christopher Morley park at 7:45

Bird-Friendly Habitat Certification

Please consider contacting NSAS at nsaudubonsociety@gmail.org for advice on how to help birds in your yard. If your yard qualifies you get a sign that says Bird-Friendly Habitat Certification. But if you don't earn the sign at first NSAS keeps helping you until your yard qualifies, which involves having a yard with native plants and few invasive non-natives and less lawn. You also get points for composting, using a rain barrel, having a water source for birds and using natural mulch. So please email NSAS soon to set up an appointment for us to visit your yard starting at the end of April. We help you choose native plants and design your yard as well. In the past 6 years we have visited and helped over 100 gardens to become bird-friendly habitats.

You Could Serve on the North Shore Board

We are losing two of our team. Our terrific Treasurer, and amazing Publicity chair, Lou and Nancy Tognan, are moving away and will be sorely missed. Treasurer position involves Quicken entry of income and expenses, making deposits, issuing checks and handling the Chapter finances. The Publicity Chair sends out announcements of meetings and field trips to local newspapers and posts on a variety of Facebook pages. We have a monthly Board meeting, via zoom for now.

Contact nsaudubonsociety@gmail.com if interested. Good company awaits!

Join our Facebook group, North Shore Audubon SOciety, for the latest on Long Island birding. The capitalized O is not a mistake,

SPECIAL DISCOUNT

Bayles Garden Center

88 S. Bayles Ave., Port Washington is offering a special discount to NSAS members.

20% off on seed and feeders, excluding sale items. Bring in your National Audubon membership card, or this NSAS newsletter.

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Lights Out to Save the Birds

Jennifer Wilson-Pines

Spring migration of birds returning from their southern wintering grounds takes place every year from roughly April 1 through May 31. From tiny warblers weighing less than an ounce, to hawks and shorebirds, in the billions, they are on the move right now.

The majority of migration takes place at night, allowing birds to land and feed during the day. Because of the night flights, in addition to battling weather and predators, one of the biggest threats to migrating birds is light pollution. They become disoriented by bright artificial lights and attracted to urban centers, causing them to detour, expend more energy and end up in places with less food and more dangers.

Building collision is another major danger. An estimated one billion birds are killed annually from direct collisions with illuminated buildings, towers, and other structures across the country. With 80% of the United States impacted by photo-polluted nights, light pollution of airspace and increased urbanization poses serious threats to birds migrating at night.

Audubon is partnering with USGS Bird Banding Lab, Smithsonian, Georgetown University, the Cornell Lab of Ornithology, and Movebank to bring together tracking data for birds that spend a portion of the year in North America, to better understand when and where migratory birds will be. A national collaboration among Audubon's Bird-Friendly Communities network and the International Dark Sky Association (IDA) is helping to build and strengthen www.audubon.org/lights-out-program. To date, over 40 cities and several state and regional efforts are underway to turn out the lights during migration.

In our area, the New York City Audubon Society, working with the Lights Out Coalition in 2021, achieved a significant victory with the unanimous passage in the New York City Council of artificial light legislation requiring that all city-owned buildings turn their nonessential outdoor lights off from 11pm to 6am during peak migration periods. But this does not cover vast majority of privately owned buildings which are still attracting and killing birds.

NYC Audubon also monitors the annual 911 memorial lights. The intent of the lights has never been to capture, disorient and kill thousands of songbirds, but it was an unintentional by product of the powerful twin beams of light during fall migration. Audubon volunteers spend the night on adjacent rooftops, monitoring the number of birds pulled into the light beams and the beams are shut down periodically to let the birds continue their journeys.

In your home or office, you can help reduce these risks to migratory birds from artificial light by turning off all exterior floodlights, spotlights, and decorative, vanity, and event lighting during the heights of migration: April 1 through May 31 (spring) and August 15 through November 15 (fall), from 11pm until 6am. Just flick that switch:

1. Turn off exterior floodlights
2. Turn off lights at night in unused spaces
3. Choose shielded lighting that directs lights downward
4. Install automatic motion sensors and controls wherever possible
5. Close curtains and blinds

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Family Fun Events

Garvies Point Museum & Preserve

50 Barry Drive, Glen Cove 571-8010

Closed Sunday & Mondays

All games, programs & crafts are included with museum admission unless otherwise noted. \$5.00/adults, \$3.00/children 5-12 yrs.

Nature Films Tues thru Sat. check website for schedule

www.garviespointmuseum.com

Our goal is to offer SAFE, fun, and engaging, crafts and programs for adults, children and families during this difficult time. MASKS are required for ages 4 & older to enter the museum as well as during programs, crafts and films.

SPACE is limited for programs. Please call ahead to reserve. CRAFTS are offered every ½ hour from 10am-4pm unless otherwise noted. Please sign up in advance or at the door for ½ hour timeslot. Crafts are offered on our outer covered deck, weather permitting. If inclement weather, crafts will be indoors with social distancing in place. Thank you for your cooperation and patronage!

Saturday, June 11 • 11am-2pm

Make-A-Difference Week Invasive Plant Removal - Habitat Restoration

Help remove non-native, invasive plants that are choking our native plants and causing habitat harm, including Japanese Knotweed, Japanese Honeysuckle, and English Ivy. We will physically be removing these plants from our nature preserve. Learn proper removal and disposal techniques and about beneficial native substitutes for the home garden. Meet at front entrance of museum, dress for weather & in layers. We recommend hat, bottled water, sunblock, and light-colored clothing, long socks to tuck pants into. Gloves & bags provided. Feel free to bring your own thick gloves and any tools. PLEASE RSVP

NATIONAL POLLINATOR WEEK FILM SERIES

Tuesday, June 21 – Saturday, June 25 11, 1, 3 each day
National Pollinator Week engaging and educational nature film each day geared towards children.

Films are 30 minutes each.

Tues, 6/21: All About Plant Pollination

Weds, 6/22: All About Plant & Animal Interdependency

Thurs, 6/23: Bat Adventures

Fri, 6/24: City of Bees

Sat, 6/25: Magic Woods: Monarch Butterfly Trail

SUMMER SATURDAY PROGRAMS IN JULY & AUGUST

11am –12pm & 2-3pm each day, Included with museum admission

July 2: WONDERS OF WILDFLOWERS WALK

See our beautiful native habitat gardens in full bloom! Discover native vs. nonnative and how native wildflowers support wildlife.

July 9: WHAT SHELLS TELL

Discover the varied life of our rocky shoreline including wide assortment of seashells! as we learn about this interesting environment! Hands-on exploration for children and adults of all ages. Sneakers recommended.

July 16: TREE-MENDOUS TREES

Did you know that oak trees support more than 200 different types of animals? Discover how important trees are to our ecosystem. Learn how to identify some common trees and interesting facts about them!

July 23: MYSTERIOUS MOTHS!

Celebrate National Moth Week as we learn about these less well-known lepidoptera! Moths are important pollinators and food source for many animals. Learn how to observe these beautiful creatures at night in your own backyard!

July 30: POND LIFE DISCOVERY

With buckets, nets & magnifiers, join us as we dip into the world of the pond! Observe small animals & insects that live in the pond and learn all about their life cycles. Wear sneakers. All ages.

August 6 GARVIES POINT DAY

10am-4pm, activities ongoing

Beach exploration, nature walks, birdwatching, insect study, paper-making workshop, explore our native habitat gardens, Live animals with Tackapausha Museum, Rock & Mineral ID, films & more! Fun for all ages, *\$5.00 per person 5 yrs. & older, includes all activities & museum admission. Free for current members. Rain or shine, activities indoors and out.

August 13: INCREDIBLE INVERTEBRATES!

Join us as we explore our field and garden environments in search of a variety of insects, butterflies & more! Learn about life cycles and why insects are so important to our ecosystem. Use bug catchers, magnifiers, nets, & field guides! All ages welcome!

August 20: GARVIES GEOLOGY

Discover the unique natural formation of our rocky beach and nature preserve.

August 27: INTRO TO OUTDOOR SURVIVAL

Learn knot-tying, navigation & signaling, fire-making, first aid, hazardous plants & animals, identify edible plants – roots, shoots, berries & more! Recommended 8+.

BIRTHDAY PARTIES! (Ages 5-12)

Discovering Dinosaurs - Rocks, Minerals, Gems & Jewels

Exploring Native American Pottery - Tools, Games, & Legends

I-Spy Nature Hunt - Investigating Insects & Spiders - Track Trekkers

Pond Prowl - All About Birds - Beach Exploration

FIELD NOTES

Abbreviations for common locations: **CC**= Captin's Cove, **CIB**=Centre Island Beach, **CITP**=Centre Island Town Park, **DP**=Dosoris Pond, **FFS** Flora & Fauna Survey **FPM**=Fox Point Marsh, **GPP**=Garvies Point Preserve, **HC**=Hoffman Center, **HH**=Hempstead Harbor, **LB**= Lattingtown Beach, **MNC**=Mill Neck Creek, **MPB**=Morgan's Park Beach, **MP**= Muttontown Preserve, **MPP**=Massapequa Park Preserve, **PB**=Pryible Beach, **PFA**=Planting Fields Arboretum, **PRCC**=Piping Rock Country Club, **RB**=Ransom Beach, **SB**=Stehli Beach, **SJM**=St Josphapts Monestary, **SPP**=Sands Point Preserve, **SSP**=Shu Swamp Preserve, **WP**=Welwyn Preserve, **FOS**= first of season, + = many, F =female, M=male, A=adult, imm.=immature, J=juvenile

Date	Birds	Location	Observer
Bayville			
2/6	Comm. Raven	Garden	Lindy Nielsen
2/21	13 species incl: Am. Blk. Duck, Gtr. Scaup, Bufflehead, R/B Merganser, Ruddy Duck, R/T Hawk, Am. Crow.	The Creek	Barbara Garriel
2/25	6 species incl: Gtr. Scaup, Long-Tailed Duck, Comm. Goldeneye, R/B Merganser.	Stehli Beach	Ellen Zimmerli
3/4	Hermit Thrush	Garden	Jim Madden
3/16	Osprey. Bayville Bridge		Lindy Nielsen
3/19	22 species incl: Gtr. Scaup, Bufflehead, R/B Merganser, Ruddy Duck, T.V., Neighborhood		Barbara Garriel
4/26	Hummingbird(FOS)	Garden	Kathy Golder
5/3	Hummingbird	Garden	Jim Madden
5/3	Baltimore Oriole	Garden	Lindy Nielsen
5/6	26 species incl: Gtr. Scaup, Killdeer, Gtr. & Lesser Yellowlegs, Comm. Tern, Gt. Egret, Osprey, Y. & Prairie Warbler.	West Harbor Beach	Barbara Garriel
Brookville			
3/20	14 species incl: R/T Hawk, Gt. Horned Owl, R/B & W/B Nuthatch, Brown Creeper, Am. Goldfinch.	Hope Goddard/Iselin Preserve	Kathy Golder, Lindy Nielsen
4/10	12 species incl: Osprey, R/T Hawk, Gt. Horned Owl, G/C Kinglet, E. Towhee.	Hope Goddard/Iselin Preserve	Kathy Golder, Lindy Nielsen
Glen Cove			
2/8	12 species incl: Am. Blk. Duck, G/W Teal, Lesser Scaup, Ruddy Duck, Am. Robin	Pratt Pond Park	Shelly Ventresca
2/11	16 species incl: G/W Teal, Wilson's Snipe , Cedar Waxwing, Rusty Blkbird.	Pratt Pond Park	Shelly Ventresca
2/21	17 species incl: Am. Blk. Duck, G/W Teal, Gt. Blue Heron, Rusty Blkbird.	Pratt Pond Park	Shelly Ventresca
2/24	28 species incl: Brant, Long-Tailed Duck, Bufflehead, Comm. Goldeneye, R/B Merganser, R/T Hawk, Y/B Sapsucker, Tufted Titmouse, Hermit Thrush, Am. Robin, Am. Goldfinch.	Garvies Point Preserve	Shelly Ventresca
3/4	29 species incl: Scaup, Long-Tailed Duck, Bufflehead, R/B Merganser, T.V., R/T Hawk, Y/B Sapsucker, Am. Crow, Tufted Titmouse, W/B Nuthatch, Hermit Thrush, Am. Goldfinch.	Garvies Point Preserve	Shelly Ventresca
3/7	13 species incl: Brant, Gtr. Scaup, Hooded Merganser, Com. Loon, R/W Blkbird.	Pryibil Beach	Ellen Zimmerli
3/7	14 species incl: G/W Teal, Horned Grebe, Gt. Blue Heron, T.V., Belted Kingfisher.	Pratt Pond Park	Shelly Ventresca
3/11	22 species incl: Gtr. & Lesser Scaup, Long-Tailed Duck, Bufflehead, Hooded & R/B Merganser, Com Loon, Am. Bald Eagle, Merlin, Am. Crow.	Pryibil Beach	Barbara Garriel, Ellen Zimmerli
3/18	24 species incl: L-T Duck, Com. Loon, Y/B Sapsucker, Com. Raven, Am. Goldfinch.	GPP	Shelly Ventresca
3/23	18 species incl: Comm. Loon, Osprey, Winter Wren, Fox & Swamp Sparrow.	Welwyn Preserve	Shelly Ventresca
3/26	19 species incl: Osprey, Y/B Sapsucker, G/C Kinglet, Brown Creeper, Am. Goldfinch.	GPP	Shelly Ventresca
3/27	21 species incl: G/W Teal, Osprey, T.V., E. Phoebe, R/C & G/C Kinglets,	Pratt Pond Park	Shelly Ventresca
3/27	22 species incl: L-T Duck, R/B Merganser, T.V., Y/B Sapsucker, E. Phoebe, R/C Kinglet	GPP	Barbara Garriel
4/9	15 species incl: T.V., Osprey, Am. Bald Eagle, N. Flicker, E. Phoebe, R/B & W/B Nuthatch.	GPP	NSAS walk
4/15	22 species incl: T.V., Osprey, R/T Hawk, B/G Gnatcatcher, LA Waterthrush.	GPpe	Barbara Garriel
4/16	20 species incl: Bufflehead, Com. Loon, Gt. Blue Heron, Gt. & Snowy Egret, Blk. Vulture, Osprey, Belted Kingfisher, E. Towhee.	Pryibil Beach	Shelly Ventresca
4/22 & 23	19 species incl: Gtr. Yellowlegs, Gt. Egret, Com. Loon, Osprey, R/T Hawk, Gt. Horned Owl, Belted Kingfisher, Hermit Thrush, E. Towhee.	Welwyn Preserve	Barbara Garriel, Ashley Pichon.
4/25	35 species incl: Gt. Cormorant, Gt. Egret, Osprey, Belted Kingfisher, Gray Catbird, Hermit Thrush, Warblers...B&W, Am. Redstart(FOS) , Y, Palm, Y/R, Prairie, B/T Green, Rose-Breasted Grosbeak(FOS) ,	GPP	Shelly Ventresca
4/27	32 species incl: Osprey, R/T Hawk, Gt. Crested Flycatcher(FOS) , B/G Gnatcatcher, House Wren, Gray Catbird, E. Towhee, Warbler...B&W, Palm, Y/R, Prairie, Rose-Breasted Grosbeak.	Garvies Point Preserve	Shelly Ventresca
4/29	35 species incl: Killdeer, Osprey, Gt. Crested Flycatcher, B/H Vireo, House Wren, Veery(FOS) , E. Towhee, Warblers...B&W, Palm, Y/R, Prairie, R/B Grosbeak.	Garvies Point Preserve	Shelly Ventresca
4/29	40 species incl: Gtr. Yellowlegs, Gt. & Snowy Egret, Osprey, Gt. Hrn Owl, Belted Kingfisher, E. Phoebe, W/E Vireo, B/H Vireo, Barn Swallow, House Wren, Hermit Thrush, E. Towhee.	Welwyn Preserve	Barbara Garriel, Ellen Zimmerli
4/29	22 species incl: Killdeer, Com. Tern(FOS) , Gt. Egret, Osprey, Barn Swallow.	Garvies Point Road	Shelly Ventresca

Email sightings to Lindy Nielsen at twostepindyl@optonline.net



Date	Birds	Location	Observer
5/3	38 species incl: Killdeer, Gt. Blue Heron, Gt. & Snowy Egret, Osprey, Gt, Horned Owl, Hermit Thrush, Savannah Sparrow, E. Towhee, Warblers...B&W, Y, Y/R, B/T Green.	Welwyn Preserve	Ashley Pichon
5/3 & 5/4	49 species incl: Brant, Chimney Swift, Killdeer, Osprey, Gt. Crested Flycatcher, E. Kingbird, B/H & Warbling Vireo, Com Raven, B/G Gnatcatcher, House Wren, Hermit & Wood Thrush, Swamp Sparrow, E. Towhee, Orchard & Baltimore Oriole, N. Waterthrush, Ovenbird, Warblers...B&W, Am. Redstart, N. Parula, Blackburnian(FOS) , Y, B/T Blue, Palm, Y/R, Prairie, B/T Green, Scarlet Tanager, Rose-Breasted Grosbeak.	Garvies Point Preserve	Shelly Ventresca

Great Neck Estates

5/3	41 species incl: Chimney Swift, Green Heron, T.V., Osprey, E. Kingbird, B/H & Warbling Vireo, Veery, Hermit Thrush, Swamp Sparrow, E. Towhee, Orchard Oriole(FOS) , Baltimore Oriole, N. Waterthrush, Warblers...B&W, Comm. Yellowthroat, N. Parula, Y, Chestnut-Sided, Palm, Y/R, Rose-Breasted Grosbeak.	Great Neck Pond Park	Barbara Garriel, Ellen Zimmerli
5/4	35 species incl: Green Heron, Belted Kingfisher, Least Flycatcher, B/G Gnatcatcher, Hermit & Wood Thrush, Swamp Sparrow, E. Towhee, Baltimore Oriole, N. Waterthrush, Warblers...B&W, Am. Redstart, N. Parula, Y, Y/R, B/T	GN Pond Park	Jennifer Wilson-Pines
5/4	23 species incl: Gt. Blue Heron, Gt. Cr Flycatcher, Veery, Wood Thrush.	GN Pond Park	Christie Tashjian

Locust Valley

3/26	19 species incl: R/T Hawk, E. Phoebe, G/C Kinglet, Brown Creeper, Am. Goldfinch, Chipping Sparrow(FOS) , Rusty Blkbird.	Bailey Arboretum	Barbara Garriel, Ellen Zimmerli
4/9	27 species incl: Osprey, R/T Hawk, E. Phoebe, R/C & G/C Kinglet, Hermit Thrush, Cedar Waxwing, Chipping Sparrow, La Waterthrush, Warblers:Palm, Pine, Y.R. Bailey Arboretum	Barbara Garriel, Ellen Zimmerli	
4/13	Blk. & White Warbler(FOS)	Bailey Arboretum	Barbara Garriel
4/14	31 species incl: Osprey, R/T Hawk, Blue Headed Vireo(FOS) , Hermit Thrush, Rusty Blkbird,	Bailey Arboretum	Shelly Ventresca, Barbara Garriel
4/29	13 species incl: Warbling Vireo, Rusty Blkbird.	Bailey Arboretum	Barbara Garriel

Manhasset

2/8	13 species incl: Am. Robin, House Finch,	Neighborhood	Christie Tashjian
3/16	17 species incl: Snow Goose, Osprey.	Whitney Pond Park	Christie Tashjian
3/19	23 species incl: Killdeer, Osprey, Y/B Sapsucker, G Catbird, R/W Blkbird, Rusty Blkbird. WPP	Christie Tashjian	
3/27	Am. Bald Eagle, Comm. Raven	Neighborhood	Christie Tashjian
4/2	12 species incl: Wood Duck, Killdeer, Osprey, Rusty Blkbird, Y/R Warbler. Whitney Pond Park	Christie Tashjian	

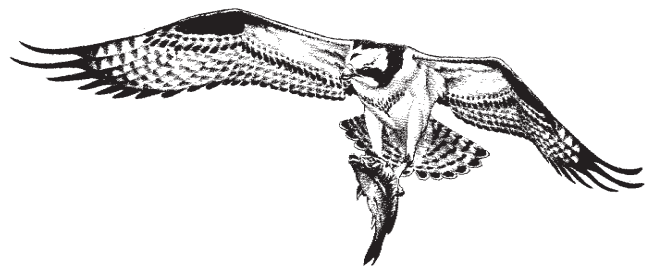
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2/25	16 species incl: Com. Merganser, Turkey Vulture, Swamp Sparrow. Beaver Lake	Barbara Garriel.	
3/6	12 species incl: Y/B Sapsucker, B/C Chickadee, R/B & W/B Nuthatch, Brown Creeper, Am. Goldfinch.	Neighborhood	Ellen Zimmerli
3/11	30 species incl: Gadwall, N. Pintail, Bufflehead, R/T Hawk, Comm. Raven, B/C Chickadee, Tufted Titmouse, R/B & W/B Nuthatch, Brown Creeper, E. Bluebirds, Am. Goldfinch. Humes Preserve	Shelly Ventresca	
3/16	19 species incl: Gadwall, N. Pintail, Bufflehead, B/C Chickadee, T Titmouse, Winter Wren, Rusty Blkbird, Y/R Warbler.	Shu Swamp Preserve	NSAS walk
3/19	3 species. Snowy Egret(FOS) , Osprey, Am. Bald Eagle. Beaver Lake Causeway	Ellen Zimmerli	
3/20	33 species incl: Wood Duck, Osprey, R/T Hawk, Y/B Sapsucker, E. Phoebe, Am. Crow, R/B & W/B Nuthatch, Winter Wren, E. Bluebird, Hermit Thrush, Rusty Blkbird, Pine Warbler. Humes Estate (Private)	Stella Miller	
3/22	9 species incl: Gt. Egret, T.V., Osprey, Am. Bald Eagle, R/T Hawk. Beaver Lake	Ellen Zimmerli	
3/25	Lesser Yellowlegs(FOS).	Beaver Lake	Ellen Zimmerli
3/29	Osprey, Am. Bald Eagle, Gt. & Snowy Egret.	West Shore Road	Kathy Golder
4/4	12 species incl: Gtr. Yellowlegs, Gt. Egret, Osprey, Am. Bald Eagle, B Kingfisher. Beaver lake	Barbara Garriel	
4/4	37 species incl: Wood Duck, N. Pintail, Gt. Blue Heron, Osprey, Cooper's Hawk, R/T Hawk, E. Phoebe, N. Rough-Winged Swallow(FOS) , Tree Swallow, Barn Swallow(FOS) , Brown Creeper, Am. Tree Sparrow, Rusty Blkbird, Pine & Y/R Warbler.	Shu Swamp Preserve	Barbara Garriel, Ellen Zimmerli
4/27	28 species incl: Wood Duck, Osprey, R/T Hawk, Am. Crow, R/B & W/B Nuthatch, Swamp Sparrow, E. Towhee, Rusty Blkbird, Yellow & Y/R Warbler.	Shu Swamp Preserve	Stella Miller
4/30	22 species incl: Osprey, B/G Gnatcatcher, House Wren, Veery, Swamp Sparrow, Warblers...B&W, Palm, Y/R.	Shu Swamp Preserve	Ellen Zimmerli
5/3 & 5/4	47 species incl: Wood Duck, Chimney Swift, R/T Hummingbird, Osprey, Am. Bald Eagle, R/T Hawk, Pileated Woodpecker , Warbling Vireo, Com Raven, House Wren, E. Bluebird, Veery, Swamp & W/C Sparrow, Baltimore Oriole, Ovenbird, N. Watherthrush, Warbler: B/W, B&W, N. Parula, Y, B/T Blue, Palm, Pine, Y/R, B/T Green, Scarlet Tanager, Rose-Breasted Grosbeak,	Humes Private Property	Stella Miller

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