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From Your President

As the year ends for 2003, your Board of Directors have been involved in work for the Bird Seed Sales. The receipts from this event are designated to support Audubon Educational Programs.

Again your chapter sponsored the Audubon Adventures program in Central Kentucky Schools to educate students on conservation. The classroom kits focus on Urban Habits, Grasslands, Forests and Fresh Water. BHAS needs your help in sponsoring these classes. See page 3 for further details.

From your National Audubon Society President, John Flocker, his message to all of us is using your backyard as a Habitat for birds and wildlife. The program "Suburban as Home", can be found by visiting: www.audubon.org.

Soon you will find our own webpage for BHAS and money informative ideas and information. Be watching for its listing.

Thanks for being a member of BHAS. Sign us a new member today and give them the rewards of Audubon.

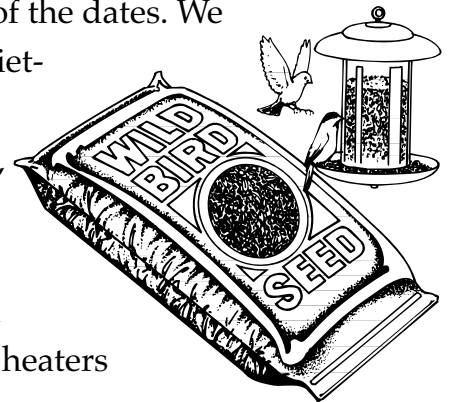
Audubon Winter Bird Seed Sale

**2004 Bird Seed Sale
Saturday, January 10th
& Saturday, January 17th
8:00am - 4pm**

**Southern States Cooperative
949 Pine Street
(off Versailles Road - Lexington, KY)**

Flyers listing the kinds of seed and prices will go in the mail in time to remind you of the dates. We expect to offer the usual varieties of sunflower, cracked corn, white millet, safflower, mixes, peanut hearts, and Niger thistle. Suet cakes in many flavors will be offered too. Birdfeeders and water heaters in the store are sold at discount prices during the BHAS sales only.

Our ability to support Audubon projects and causes depends on the success of these sales. Please come out and show your support.



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MISSION STATEMENT

The Mission of Buckley Hills Audubon Society is to build an organization to support environmental education, conservation, and recreational programs for the mutual benefit of the National Audubon Society, the members of the Buckley Hills Audubon Society, and the Community.

**2004 SCHEDULE OF
EVENTS**

**Clyde E. Buckley
Wildlife Sanctuary**

1305 Germany Road • Frankfort, KY
(859) 873-5711

**Sunday, April 25th, 2:00
WILDFLOWER WALK**

\$5.00/adult - \$4.00/child
(Friends of Buckley admitted Free)
Join us for a hike and learn about the variety
of our wildflowers.

**Saturday, May 8, 7:00
BUCKLEY'S BIRDATHON**

Free Admissions
Bring your binoculars and let's find as many
species as we can today. Today is also
International Migratory Bird Day.

**Sunday, June 6, 2:00
WEEKEND WALK**

\$5.00/adult - \$4.00/child
(Friends of Buckley admitted Free)
Plan to hike a mile or so discussing flowers,
trees and wildlife. Identify aquatic creatures
at the pond and stop in our bird blind to
observe feeders

**Sunday, July 11, 2:00
BIRDS OF PREY**

\$5.00/adult - \$4.00/child
(Friends of Buckley admitted Free)
Beginning at 2:00 local raptor rehabilitators
Carol and Laura Reynolds will once again
enlighten you with live feathered creatures
found in your own back yards.

Please consider a tax deductible gift
payable to National Audubon Society
and mail it to Buckley Wildlife
Sanctuary at 1305 Germany Road,
Frankfort, KY 40601.

"Buckley" offers many wonderful
Audubon experiences including
nature walks, our bird blind and many
workshops. Buckley also provided
world class internships for college
students. Your help in keeping this
important sanctuary running is greatly
appreciated!

Tim Williams



**BUCKLEY HILLS
AUDUBON SOCIETY
BULLETIN BOARD**

**Science Fair and
Audubon Adventures**

On February 28, 2004 the Fayette
County School system and Kentucky
American Water will sponsor the annual
Science Fair. The Science Fair for 2004
will be held at Tates Creek School.

At the 2004 science fair the Buckley
Hills Audubon Chapter will maintain a
display table for the Audubon Adventu-
res program. The Audubon Adventu-
res program is a program prepared by
the National Audubon society program.
The program is a nationally recognized
educational program for use in class-
room grade level 3 through 6.

At the science fair we will be reach-
ing out to the science teachers of Fayette
County. Realized profits from Bird seed
sales is used by BHAS to pay for the
programs. An Audubon Adventures
Classroom Kit is a complete resource
for the study of nature and the environ-
ment. A program includes 4 editions.
A program includes: 32 tabloid-style
newspaper for students, focusing on four
different nature science themes. Each
edition features a "you-are-there" essay;
paper-and-pencil activities and puzzles;
suggestions for involving families.

The BHAS board members will staff
the display table throughout the science
fair in order to reach the science teach-
ers who may wish to enroll their class-
room in the program. If you are attend-
ing the science fair, please stop by the
BHAS Audubon Adventures display and
say hello to us.

NEW WEB SITE

Buckley Hills has a new web site. It is wonderful!! Thanks to Gwen Roddy for all of her hard work and determination to get it running before the end of the year.

You may contact Gwen through the website if you would like to submit your birding photos or have interesting information you would like to post pertaining to audubon or conservation.

New web address:

www.buckleyaudubon.org



AUDUBON ADVENTURES

needs your help

Our area program has been a great success in our local schools. So much so that we have more class rooms than we are able to support. The demand for the program has been great!

Audubon Adventures are prepared for use in classrooms grade level 3 through 6. The programs are designed to meet science standards, meet the language and arts standards and are designed to bring science to the classroom.

Audubon class room kits include 32 news papers for students, paper and pencil activities, puzzles and suggestions for involving families.

BHAS needs the support of our members as well as corporate sponsors to accommodate more classrooms. The cost is \$41.50 per class room. Please help us enlighten our area students by being able to provide more kits.

Please make check payable to:
Buckley Hills Audubon Society
and mail to:
Treasurer Joe Childers
99 Hampton Ct.
Lexington, KY 40508

All sponsors will be acknowledged in our up coming newsletters.

www.audubon.org/educate/aa
for more information regarding Audubon Adventures Program
or contact
Dillard Griffin at 339-6823

SUPPORT THE ANNUAL FUND FRIENDS OF BUCKLEY HILLS AUDUBON SOCIETY

The Annual Fund consists of gifts from members who want to additionally support the educational and conservation Bird program. The Annual Fund is above and beyond the income from the National dues program. Our Chapter has established this annual fund to provide operating funds for the Budget. In addition, a portion of your contributions will be added to the Endowment Fund for future Campaign projects.

FRIENDS OF BUCKLEY HILLS AUDUBON SOCIETY

YES! I'd like to become a Friend of the Buckley Hills Audubon Society. My contribution is enclosed.

Please make check payable to:
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and mail to:
Treasurer, Buckley Hills Audubon Society
Joe Childers
99 Hampton Ct.
Lexington, KY 40508

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NAME _____ PHONE _____
ADDRESS _____
CITY/STATE/ZIP _____

Welcome to the National Audubon Society!

Your membership benefits include:

- Membership in your local chapter
- One year subscription to AUDUBON
- Membership in our grassroots network
- Exciting travel opportunities
- Invitations to our Nature Centers
- Special offers on select Audubon products

**Our next Board meeting
is scheduled for
Wednesday
January 14, 2004
Beaumont Center
Public Library
3080 Fieldstone Way**

We welcome articles for events and information in the Buckley Hills newsletter. Please fax to 276-3050 or email to pipit@aol.com

JOIN US TODAY!

Take advantage of this great offer. Please use the application below to ensure that Buckley Hills receives full credit for both new and renewal memberships. A portion of the membership dues are returned to us helping support our education programs and other expenses. This is a great opportunity to give subscriptions or to renew your own, even if it's not due yet.

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION NATIONAL AUDUBON SOCIETY #J51

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Check the appropriate box (Includes Audubon Magazine and Chapter Newsletter)

New \$20 2-Year \$35 Senior Citizen or Student \$15

NAME _____ PHONE _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP _____

Please make check payable to: National Audubon Society
and mail with application to:
Audubon Membership
4712 Brookside Way
Lexington, Kentucky 40515

Please contact Dan McLemore @ 859-272-3893 if you have suggestions for membership recruitment opportunities in your area (groups, organizations, activities, etc.) or if you would like to become more involved in your local chapter.

Bird Seed Sale

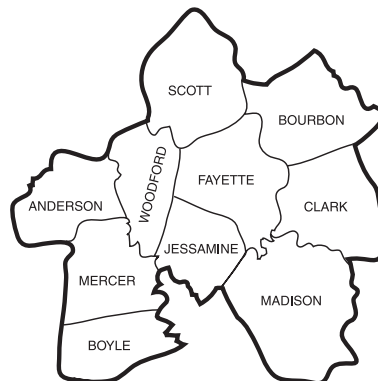
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