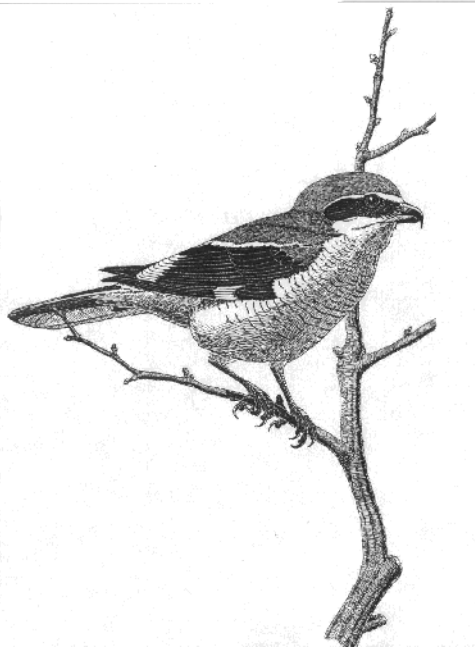


WINTU AUDUBON SOCIETY is a chapter of the National Audubon Society, serving Shasta County, California. Wintu Audubon Society is a registered non-profit, tax-exempt organization in accordance with state and federal statutes.

MISSION

Our mission is to conserve and restore natural ecosystems, focusing on birds, other wildlife, and their habitats for the benefit of humanity and the earth's biological diversity.



Steven J. D'Amato

MONTHLY MEETINGS

Our chapter meets the second Tuesday of each month, September through June. We cap off the year with our annual picnic in June.

Our programs feature biologists, naturalists, and birders who share their knowledge and experiences with us. Birds of local interest, conservation, and environmental issues are also discussed.

FIELD TRIPS

Birding field trips are scheduled each month. Full-day and half-day outings cover local birding areas. Occasionally, trips to the coast, national refuges, or for specific species are conducted.

As a public service to introduce birding and area birds, we conduct half-day bird walks on the second Saturday of each month September through May. These walks are held at Turtle Bay or Shasta College.

JOIN US !!!

Come join a fellowship of lively people with like minds.

For an update on current chapter activities, birding areas and recent bird sightings, visit our web site at:

<http://www.wintuadubon.org>



Wintu Audubon Society



Daniel S. Kirby

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Two categories of membership are offered.

- Membership in the local Wintu Audubon Society only, which includes the local *Chirp-N-Chatter* newsletter. With a local chapter membership, 100% of your dues support the local chapter.
- Membership in National Audubon which entitles you to the same benefits as the chapter membership and in addition you receive National Audubon's award winning magazine *Audubon*.

Please indicate your membership choice:

___ \$20 New Chapter only

___ \$20 Renewal Chapter only

___ \$35 Two-year Chapter only
(Checks payable to Wintu
Audubon Society)

___ \$20 New National Audubon Society
(\$35 for renewal) (Checks payable
to National Audubon Society)

Please complete the application and mail
the **entire** brochure to:

**Wintu Audubon Society C38
P.O. Box 994533
Redding, California 96099**

New Member _____ Renewal _____

Name _____
(Please print)

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone No. _____

Email Address _____

Date _____

National Audubon Society uses our local
chapter membership list to solicit by mail and
phone. If you wish to have your name
removed from this list, please check here ___.



CONSERVATION

- We review and comment on environmental issues of interest to the membership or having an impact on bird life or the environment.
- We recommend action on state and national issues affecting the environment.
- We conduct volunteer field survey projects locally and in adjacent counties.

- We participate in Christmas Bird Counts within Shasta County and other areas.
- We strive to be the local authority on birding matters, working with professionals in educational institutions, local governments, and similar conservation-oriented groups.

EDUCATION

- We sponsor youth training through "Audubon Adventures", classroom presentations and we partially fund youth participation in birding festivals.
- We provide information to the general public and answer bird related questions.
- We encourage individuals and groups to participate in *The Great Backyard Bird Count*.
- We conduct learning walks for beginning birders and newcomers, free to the public.
- We publish and distribute free the checklist *Birds of Shasta County, California*.
- We publish a chapter newsletter, the *Chirp-N-Chatter*, that strives to keep our membership informed on mission interests.