

DECEMBER



Predator Prowl
PRESCHOOL PROGRAM
Thursday, December 8
9 – 10:30 am



Audubon Christmas Bird Count

Christmas Bird Counts are conducted between December 14 and January 5. Your local count will occur on one day between those dates. Participate in as many counts as you wish! As one of the longest-running crowd-sourced wildlife surveys in the world, the Audubon Christmas Bird Count is a rich source of information for making decisions about how to protect birds and the habitats we share with them.

Learn more: bit.ly/AudubonChristmasBirdCount

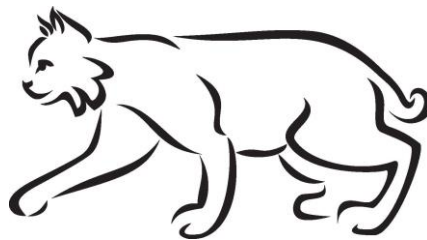
JANUARY

Forest Preschool Open House

Friday, January 13
3 – 4 pm

Tricky Tracks

PRESCHOOL PROGRAM
Thursday, January 19
9 – 10:30 am



Tracking Winter Wildlife

Sunday, January 29
10 am – 4 pm

Timber Harvesting with Birds in Mind

Date TBA – visit our website
Location: Sterling Forest, Stowe

Registration is required for most events.

Event Details and Registration

vt.audubon.org/events

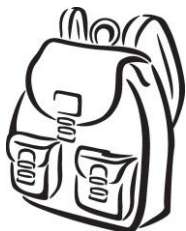
Meeting place for all events is the Green Mountain Audubon Center, unless noted otherwise.

Event Updates

vt.audubon.org/updates

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FEBRUARY

Family Trek at the Green Mountain Audubon Center

Saturday, February 4
10 am - noon



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Bears! Oh My!
PRESCHOOL PROGRAM
Thursday, February 16
9 – 10:30 am

The Great Backyard Bird Count

The 20th annual Great Backyard Bird Count will be held Friday 2/17 through Monday 2/20. It's a free, fun, and easy event that engages bird watchers of all ages in counting birds to create a real-time snapshot of bird populations. Anyone can take part, from beginning bird watchers to experts, and you can participate from your own backyard, or anywhere in the world. Learn more: bit.ly/AudubonGBBC

Great Backyard Bird Count Events:

Winter Bird Monitoring Walk

Saturday, February 18
8 - 10 am

Meeting Place: Green Mountain Audubon Center

Birds of Vermont Open House

Saturday, February 18
10 am - 4 pm

Meeting Place: Birds of Vermont Museum

Birding for Beginners

Saturday, February 18
Time TBA – visit our website

Meeting Place: Birds of Vermont Museum



WINTER VACATION DAY PROGRAMS

Winter Wildcrafting

Tuesday, February 28
8:30 am – 3:30 pm

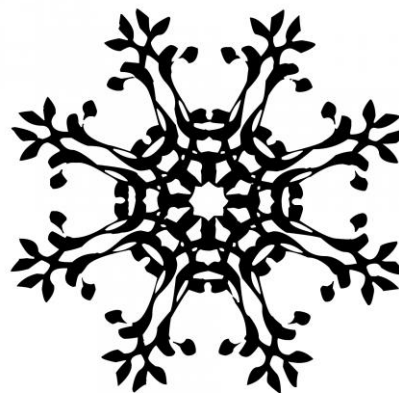


Forts and Fires

Wednesday, March 1
8:30 am – 3:30 pm

Bird-Friendly Maple Sugaring

Friday, March 3
8:30 am – 3:30 pm



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AUDUBON PHOTOGRAPHY AWARDS TRAVELLING EXHIBIT

Walk among the winning bird photographs from this year's Audubon Photography Awards and learn more about your local birdlife. Selected from over 7,000 entries—submitted from all 50 states, DC, and Canada—the winning photos were published in the May-June 2016 issue of *Audubon* magazine. A panel of five judges had the daunting task of sifting through the stunning images and grading them based on technical quality, originality, and artistic merit.

Main Street Landing Train Station

in Burlington, VT

January 26 – February 2

White River Gallery

in South Royalton, VT

February 3 – February 10

The Skinny Pancake

in Montpelier, VT

February 10 – February 16



FREE NATURE PLAYGROUP

Mondays 9:30 - 11:00 am

Ages birth to 5 years old. Open to Richmond, Huntington, and Hinesburg residents.

Learn more: vt.audubon.org/programs/free-nature-playgroup

Playgroup will NOT meet on the following dates:

Monday, December 26

Monday, January 2

Monday, January 16 (Martin Luther King Day)

Monday, February 20 (Presidents Day)



Our goal is to support parents and caregivers with children ages birth to 5 in getting outdoors and exploring nature. Research shows positive impacts of spending time in nature on a child's physical, cognitive, and social development. Audubon provides children and families with quality opportunities to directly experience the natural world.



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