SFO 2018 Schedule

Lectures

All Wednesday lectures are at the Cornell Lab of Ornithology, 159 Sapsucker Woods Road in Ithaca, NY. The optional one-hour guest speakers and video presentations begin at 6:30 p.m. Doors open at 6 p.m.

March 28
6:30 Special Presentation: Birding the Cayuga Basin with Dr. Kevin McGowan.
7:30: ID: Winter land bird residents
8:30: Seabird Restoration

April 4
6:30 Video: An Original DUCKumentary
7:30 ID: Waterfowl ID
8:30 eBird 101 with Ian Davies, eBird Project Coordinator

TUESDAY, April 10 (night trip for lecture class): 7:15 pm: Woodcock Walk/Owl Prowl

April 11
6:30 Movie: The Life of Birds: The Mastery of Flight
7:30 ID: Shorebirds w/ Dr. Kevin McGowan
8:30 Bird Migration

April 18
6:30 The Legend of Pale Male
7:30 Hawk and Owl ID:
8:30 Nests and Eggs - Robyn Bailey, NestWatch Project Leader

April 26
6:30 Video: The Life of Birds: Signals and Songs
7:30 Early Landbird Migrants
8:30 Bird Song and Courtship

May 2
6:30 Video: The Central Park Effect
7:30 ID: Late Landbird Migrants (with Ken Rosenberg)
8:30 Neotropical Songbird Conservation - Dr. Ken Rosenberg, Applied Conservation Scientist

May 9
6:30 Video: Watching Warblers
7:30 ID: Warblers and Vireos
8:30 Lab: A Night in the Museum, Cornell Museum of Vertebrates

May 16
6:30 Video: Opposable Chums: Guts and Glory at the World Series of Birding
7:30 How Birds Can Save the World - Dr. John Fitzpatrick, Director, Cornell Lab of Ornithology
8:30 Gardening for Birds
Field Trips

Saturday OR Sunday trips. Locations, dates, and times noted below. Please bring binoculars and a field guide to all outings. Meet in the Lab of Ornithology lobby at 7am unless otherwise specified. (Names indicate contact person for Saturday/Sunday)

March 31/April 1 **Marc/Marc**
7:00-11:00am: Sapsucker Woods and vicinity

April 7/8 **Liz B/Jill**
7:00-11:00am: Local water bodies

**Tuesday, April 10, 7:15p** (Woodcock/Owl field trip night trip for lecture class, field trip students invited too)

April 14/15 **Liz B/Liz K**
7:00-11:00: Local Upland Habitats

April 21/22 **Liz B/Liz K**
7:00am-4:00pm: All-day trip to Montezuma National Wildlife Refuge, Seneca Falls, NY
*Bring a non-perishable bag lunch and a drink*
**OR:** 7:00-11:00am: local trip (nearby habitats; will not go to Montezuma)
(Also Montezuma overnight)

April 28/29 **Liz B/Jill**
7:00am – 4:00pm: All-day trip to Derby Hill Hawk Watch.
*Bring a non-perishable bag lunch and a drink if going to Derby Hill.*
**OR:** 7:00-11:00am: Local trip (nearby habitats; will not go to Derby Hill)

May 5/6 **Marc/Marc**
All day trip to Braddock Bay Bird Observatory to participate in bird banding.
Groups will depart at 4am, 5:30am and 7am and return in the afternoon at 1:00, 2:30, and 4:00, respectively. *Please bring a non-perishable bag lunch and a drink if going to Braddock Bay.* **Departure locations TBD by group leaders.**
**OR:** 7:00-11:00am: Local trip (nearby habitats; will not go to Braddock Bay)

May 12/13 **Liz B/Liz K**
7:00-11:00am: Local Trip to migrant traps
(also Magee Marsh weekend, May 11-13)

May 20/21 **Marc/Marc**
7:00am – 4:00pm: Day trip to Greensprings Preserve/Arnot Forest, MEET AT GREENSPRINGS except for local trip.
*Bring a non-perishable bag lunch and a drink if doing full day.*
**OR:** Half day to Greensprings/Arnot
**OR** 7:00-11:00am: Local trip to local habitats.

Weekend Volunteers:
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