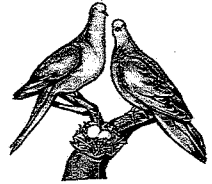
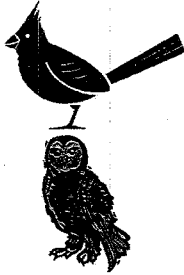
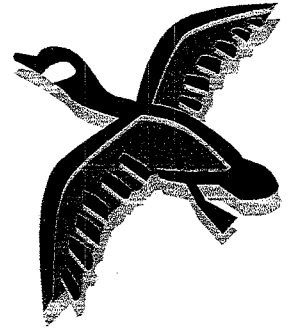


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RACINE—KENOSHA, WI
MARCH-APRIL, 2003



(THANK GOODNESS FOR THE BIRDS OF WINTER!)

UPCOMING HOY EVENTS

Thursday, March 6 at Riverbend Nature Center
3600 N. Green Bay Rd, Racine 7:00 pm.

"A Tale of Two Eggs: Reproduction in Birds and Dinosaurs".

No, you didn't miss this great program in January! It was rescheduled to March! David Varricchio, assistant professor of Geography and Biology at Carthage College, teaches a course in Dinosaurs and Paleontology. He will describe his dinosaur research and how it relates to bird reproduction. Come and find out how these can possibly be related. Refreshments will be served.



Tuesday, April 8 at the Golden Rondelle Theater,
1525 Howe St, Racine at 7:00 pm.

"Drop of Life, a Kayaking Adventure through the Waters of Wisconsin".
Come share the 700 mile kayaking adventure of David Kuckuk, Director of Maywood Environmental Center. Take an imaginary ride and learn how technology can change the way you look at rivers. You will better appreciate the biodiversity of our state's water system. Hoy Audubon co-sponsors this program with 4 other groups, enabling Mr Kuckuk to also speak to 1000 children at 5 local middle schools during his 3 day speaking tour. Program is free but reservations are required. Bring your friends and neighbors. Call the Golden Rondelle soon at (262)260-2154.



OTHER ITEMS

Hoy Audubon Postal Cancellation

The postal service is honoring the 100th anniversary of our country's first wildlife refuge, Pelican Island, with the release of a new stamp. Hoy Audubon is delighted to be a part of this national celebration on a local level. Our Racine post office will have a special cancellation that day reading "Hoy Audubon Station". Our club designed the cancellation that will be used on all mail March 15th. On that Saturday, March 15th, Hoy Audubon will be on site at the Racine Four Mile post office from 8 am to noon. We will hand out bird-watching and Audubon information and have shade grown coffee information available. If you would like to participate, call Helen Pugh at 262-632-4492, or



Hoy Audubon Station

March 15, 2005

Racine, WI 53402



stop in with your bags of mail to be cancelled at this historic event! Cancellations are available for 30 days following the date for collectors only. Mail in requests are honored, as well.

Do You Wish to Receive Your Newsletter by E-mail?

A few people who requested that they receive their newsletter by e-mail got lost in cyberspace. Please send us an e-mail (we won't lose it this time). You can receive the newsletter exclusively by email by sending an e-mail to newsletter@hoyaudubon.org with "NEWSLETTER ONLY" in the SUBJECT line. Do nothing and you will continue to receive it by regular mail. To protect your privacy, your email address will NOT show in the email nor will it be shared.

We want to remind you that the Hoy Audubon Society is selling **shade grown coffee** at our monthly meetings. Several varieties are available from light to dark, or sweet or fruity. The coffee can be obtained either ground or in whole beans. It is \$10.00 for a 12 oz. Package.

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Next Board Meeting

Mar 11 at 7 PM at the home of Stan Rosenstiel. All members are welcome to attend.

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