

Bibbee Nature Club Schedule for 2019

Date	Event	Location	Person Responsible
January 12, 2019 10AM- 2 PM Meet at Hinton DQ for tally afterwards	Winter Eagle Survey You can join a group to look for eagles wintering in our area.	Locations along Bluestone Lake, New River and Greenbrier River and many points between.	Jim Phillips jimandjudyphillips@gmail.com Contact Jim for information
February 15-18, 2019	Great Backyard Bird Count weekend	Tally birds for the GBBC and enter the data online at Birdcount.org	
February 2019 Date and time to be determined. Weather is a consideration for this event. We may schedule our trip to accompany the Buchanan County Bird Club (February 16)	Trip to Burke's Garden in Tazewell County Virginia. It's a great area, just for the views. It also has wintering northern bird species. We had several great views at golden eagles on the trip in 2018.	Burke's Garden Virginia. It is a natural bowl area. The bowl area elevation is around 3000 ft. The highest ridge elevation is 4700 feet. It's an area worth visiting.	Mindy Waldron mwaldron@suddenlink.net
March 2, 2019 10 AM -2 PM. Meet at Hinton DQ for tally afterwards.	Winter/Spring Winter Eagle Survey. We are looking for mating and nesting eagle activity.	Locations along Bluestone Lake, New River and Greenbrier River	Jim Phillips jimandjudyphillips@gmail.com Contact Jim for information
April 27, 2019 Walks will probably start around 8 AM.	Ramp Dinner and Festival at Camp Creek State Park. We will lead bird and flower walks.	Camp Creek State Park/Forest	Allen and Mindy Waldron mwaldron@suddenlink.net
May 11, 2019 We will meet for a tally at Hinton DQ.	Spring Migration Bird Count (NAMC). We count bird species for the day.	Pipestem CBC Circle	Jim Phillips jimandjudyphillips@gmail.com

May-August 2019 6 AM -Noon Contact us for the specific dates.	MAPS bird banding at Sandstone Falls (Raleigh Co.) and Wolf Creek (Fayette Co.)	Day use area beyond the Sandstone Falls Parking Lot. New River Bird Observatory near Oak Hill, WV.	Allen and Mindy Waldron mwaldron@suddenlink.net
May - September 2019 Second and fourth Saturdays at 9 AM.	Join the birding group at the Grandview NPS for a morning of birding.	Grandview Visitors and Picnic area. Meet near the Visitors Center.	Nancy Moran Alma Lowry
June 2019 Date and time to be determined.	We will have a trip to Betsy Reeder's property on Cave Ridge, Summers Co. WV.	We will meet in Hinton and drive to the property.	Betsy Reeder
July 2019 Date and time to be determined.	Blueberries and Birds at Blueberry Hill. Always a great time. Can't beat berries, birds and friends.	Blueberry Hill near Flat Top, WV.	Mindy Waldron mwaldron@suddenlink.net
August 24, 2019 We'll meet at Bellepoint Park in Hinton at 8:00 AM. Bring a lunch.	Trip to Bluestone WMA (Bertha Campground) for birds, plants, butterflies and all things natural. This trip is so amazing with the number of plants, dragonflies, eagles, and butterflies.	Bluestone WMA is located along the New River.	Mindy Waldron mwaldron@suddenlink.net
September 21, 2019 10-3 PM.	Hawk Watch on East River Mountain.	East River Mountain in Mercer County near Bluefield WV.	Jim Phillips jimandjudyphillips@gmail.com
October 12 or 13, 2019 Come and go as your schedule permits. I'm guessing on the date.	Big Sit! An all-day birding event. We begin at dawn and go until dusk. Join our group the "DAM SITTERS".	Mountain Valley Lake in Summers Co. near Jumping Branch, WV	Mindy Waldron mwaldron@suddenlink.net

October 5, 2019 5 PM. Location to be determined.	Annual Dinner	Hinton, WV	Mindy Waldron mwaldron@suddenlink.net
November 23, 2019 We'll be out for most of the day. Join us and stay as long as you can.	Looking for waterfowl around Hinton and the New River. We'll join with the Buchanan Co. Bird Club.	Bluestone Lake, Mountain Valley Lake and Sandstone Falls.	Mindy Waldron mwaldron@suddenlink.net
December 14, 2019 All day event. Meet at the Hinton DQ for tally around 4 PM.	Pipestem Christmas Bird Count. This will be count number 49.	Pipestem Area CBC	Jim Phillips jimandjudyphillips@gmail.com
December 15, 2019 Date subject to change.	Raleigh Co. Christmas Bird Count	Raleigh Co. CBC circle	Allen Waldron awaldron@suddenlink.net
December 21, 2019 Date subject to change.	McDowell Co. Christmas Bird Count	McDowell Co. CBC circle	Allen Waldron awaldron@suddenlink.net
December 2019.	There are many other Christmas Bird Counts in our area of Southern West Virginia. Check the Audubon or Brooks Bird Club websites for more information.		

If you would like further information on Bibbee Nature Club or the events for 2019 please contact: mwaldron@suddenlink.net