

Nature:

Backyard Birding

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When most people think of birds in Tennessee, they think of Cardinals, Robins, and Mockingbirds, when in reality there are over four hundred different bird species that live and pass through our state. A wide variety of these species can be attracted by simple feeders, suet, and hummingbird feeders. Suet feeders can be bought or made at home with peanut butter or animal fat. Just mix a good portion of seeds in with the mix, and then hang outside. Most of our songbird species have short life spans, averaging one to three years. Birds are most susceptible to death during the harsh winter months, so it is peril to their survival to feed them during these hard times. Attracting birds to your backyard is simple, easy and can add lots of enjoyment and aesthetic value to your property.

Kid's Corner:

W O E B N Z K W M F E L D D S	
O C Z E X B A F L P O T I L P	BLACKBIRD
O N O Y H R L Y T A Y A N A A	CHICKADEE
D U B U B W C U P O B B H N R	FLYCATCHER
P J A L A A O D E J J P T I R	SPARROW
E E E T T T E T I J O V K D O	TOWHEE
C R E C D R I B K C A L B R W	CARDINAL
K I H D T A B Z E V O Y B A I	FINCH
E E H J A P E S C R O W Q C R	JUNCO
R T W K D K U G R O S B E A K	TITMOUSE
G T T H H O C M G U Y U A U C	WOODPECKER
V K C C M B Q I H S U R H T E	BLUEJAY
S H N T L Q E L H U G L S Z V	CROW
R I I N I N K B Y C O D M R L	GROSBEAK
F T H Q U W C O N I Y S E K C	THRUSH
	WARBLER

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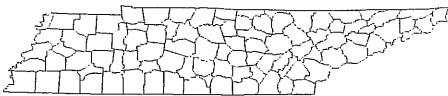
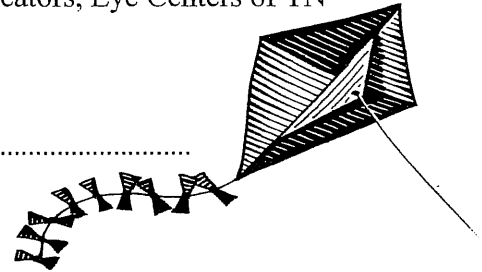
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Upcoming Event:

Kite Party will be the last Sat in March - March 27
This is a fun event at shelter #1 usually from 10-2 pm.
Watch facebook, friends website, the park and local media
for more information closer to this event date.



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