

Visit Our Bird Feeding Station



Our students participate in ongoing scientific research by monitoring the bird populations visiting our feeders through a program called *BirdSleuth*. Many of our students have had their research papers and artwork published in *Classroom BirdScope*. *BirdSleuth* and *Classroom BirdScope* are sponsored by Cornell University's Lab of Ornithology. You can learn more about this project by visiting our Webpage at:

http://www.tvja.org/science/student_reports.htm

The TVJA Bird Blind is listed as a Birding Hotspot on *eBird* at <http://ebird.org>.

Built with recycled lumber in the fall of 1994 by students, parents and friends of TVJA the bird blind provides a sheltered place to study God's feathered creatures. Over 40 of the bird species identified on campus have been observed visiting our feeders. On cold days it is not unusual to see more than 100 individual birds feeding at the same time.



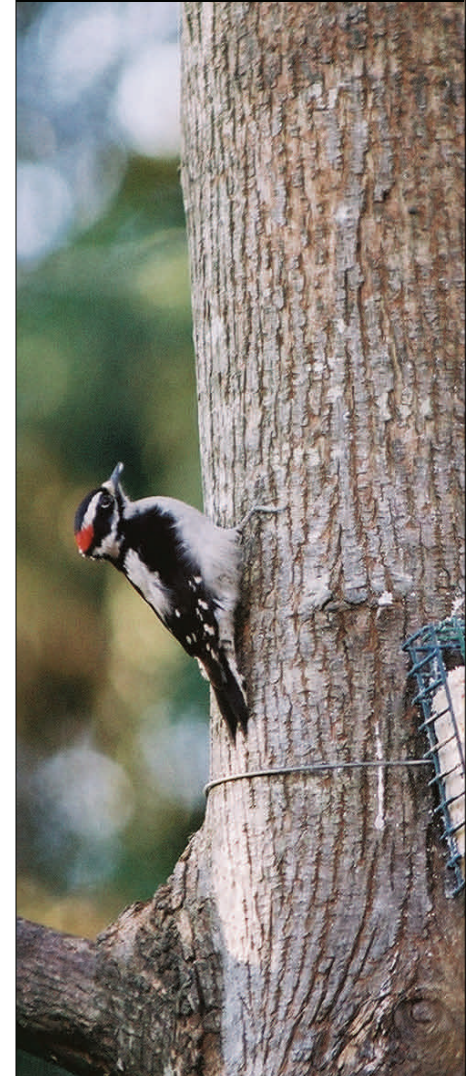
Please help us feed the birds. Your donations of birdseed mix, sunflower, and suet are greatly appreciated by the birds and students alike. Feed is needed September through May. During the coldest winter months these birds can devour 80 -100 pounds of seed each week! Please contact Mr. Kahler for more information.



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The Bird Blind At Downy Creek



Checklist of Birds
Seen at
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- Blackbird, Brewer's
- Bushtit
- Chickadee, Black-capped
- Chickadee, Chestnut-backed
- Cowbird, Brown-headed
- Creeper, Brown
- Crow, American
- Dove, Mourning
- Duck, Mallard
- Duck, Wood
- Flycatcher, Willow
- Finch, House
- Finch, Purple
- Flicker, Northern (Red-shafted)
- Goldfinch, American
- Goldfinch, Lesser
- Grosbeak, Black-headed
- Gull, Glaucous-winged
- Hawk, Cooper's
- Hawk, Red-tailed
- Hawk, Sharp-shinned
- Jay, Western Scrub
- Jay, Steller's

- Junco, Dark-eyed
 - Gray-headed race*
 - Oregon race*
 - Pink-sided race*
 - Slate-colored race*
- Killdeer
- Kinglet, Golden-crowned
- Kinglet, Rudy-crowned
- Nuthatch, Red-breasted
- Robin, American
- Sapsucker, Red-breasted
- Siskin, Pine
- Sparrow, Fox
- Sparrow, Golden-crowned
- Sparrow, House
- Sparrow, Lincoln's
- Sparrow, Song
- Sparrow, White-crowned
- Sparrow, White-throated
- Starling, European
- Swallow, Barn
- Swallow, Violet-green
- Swift, Vaux's
- Thrush, Swainson's
- Thrush, Varied
- Towhee, Spotted (Rufous-sided)
- Warbler, Black-throated Gray
- Warbler, Orange-Crowned
- Warbler, Townsend's

- Warbler, Wilson's
- Warbler, Yellow-rumped (Audubon's)
- Waxwing, Cedar
- Wood-Pewee, Western
- Woodpecker, Downy
- Woodpecker, Pileated
- Wren, Bewick's
- Wren, Winter
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