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1/2 Christmas Bird Count
(rescheduled from 12/19)

1/14 Program: "North Carolina Waterfowl"

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in Price Park

2/2 Deadline for bird seed sale
orders

2/13 TGPAS Bird Seed Sale

January Program: "North Carolina Waterfowl"



Learn about the ducks, geese, and swans that we see on North Carolina's lakes as Dennis Burnette talks about "North Carolina Waterfowl" on January 14 at 7:00pm, KCEF Branch Library. He'll brighten the dark days of winter with stories and pictures of Ring-necked Ducks, Ruddy Ducks, Hooded Mergansers, and many of the other showy waterfowl that paddle the waters of our state.

Habitat Restoration in Price Park



The Price Park wet meadow would not exist without your help. Every January volunteers remove invasive plants and young trees, leaving a wet meadow habitat ideal for blackbirds, sparrows, frogs, and many other animals. So grab your work gloves Saturday morning, January 16, 10 a.m., and join us at Price Park. If you have them, bring pruners - large and small - and a small tree saw. For more information call Sue Cole at 854-3346. If it rains or snows, we'll try again on February 20th.

T. Gilbert Pearson Audubon Bird Seed Sale



Feed the birds and fund T. Gilbert Pearson Audubon at our semi-annual bird seed sale. This year your purchase will help fund Audubon's BioBlitz at Price Park, a full-day educational event bringing naturalists from around the state to inventory our flora and fauna. Quality birdseed and suet will be for sale at the New Garden Nursery Gazebo on Lawndale, February 13, from 10 a.m. to noon. Please note that you need to pre-order the seed by February 2, using the order form that will be sent to you via e-mail.

Audubon Action Center: Arctic National Wildlife Refuge



The coastal plain of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge, called "America's Serengeti" for its tremendous biological productivity and diversity, is one of the most intact and untouched ecosystems in America. In recent years votes to allow energy extraction in the coastal plain of the Arctic Refuge have put at risk the incredible array of wildlife that depend on the refuge for survival. Congress has introduced legislation to permanently protect the coastal plain and preserve this pristine wildlife habitat for generations to come. Indicate your support for permanent protection by contacting your U.S. Senators and Representatives through the [Audubon Action Center](#).

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