



SHREVEPORT SOCIETY

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Operating a Bird Alert Service:
Monday, Wednesday, and Friday
evenings after 5:00 PM, 226-
7174; and a Seed Co-op at the
L.S.U. Museum of Life Sciences

MEETINGS:

Tuesday
November 10, 1987
7:00 to 8:00 PM

The monthly meeting of the Shreveport Society for Nature Study-Bird Group will be held at the L.S.U. Museum of Life Sciences, 8015 St. Vincent Avenue, Shreveport. The program will be presented by James McCain. Slides taken by James of local Fall birds will be shown. James presented a similar program last year that generated a lot of interest.

FIELD TRIPS:

Saturday
November 14, 1987
8:00 AM

Cross Lake boat trip. Meet at the Fish Hatchery at 8:00 AM for shorebirds. We will leave from the boat dock on a barge promptly at

Therefore, there will be no organized field trip sponsored by the Bird Group during the month of October.

OFFICERS

The Board of Directors and Officers of the Shreveport Society for Nature Study-Bird Group (1987-1988) were elected at the September 8, meeting and are the following: Board of Directors: Paul Dickson, Anne Elston, Bill Hall, Laurence Hardy, Shirley Huss, Susan Keener, Marilyn Kirkus, Steve Klotz, Pat Lonacker, Betty Mason, Brad McPherson, Jeff Perkins, Noel Perkins, Larry Raymond, and Bobbe Wommack. The officers are: President, Noel Perkins; Vice-Presidents, Laurence Hardy and Brad McPherson; Secretary, Anne Elston; and Treasurer, Betty Mason.

Project Feeder Watch

The Laboratory of Ornithology, Cornell University, is seeking volunteers to participate in a new bird survey-Project Feeder Watch. Beginning in November of this year, volunteers will be recording birds that visit their feeders on one or two days each week through March. To participate, volunteers will have to fill out a registration card and pay a \$7.00 registration fee. You must also be able to identify the birds that normally come to your feeders, and you must be able to watch your feeders for several hours on each count day. Sightings will be recorded on simple computer forms and sent to the Laboratory of Ornithology for analysis. For more information, or if you wish to participate, write Erica Dunn, Coordinator, Project Feeder Watch, Laboratory of Ornithology, Cornell University, Reporting: Paul Dickson, Vera Lee Grubbs, Shirley Huss, Horace Jeter, Steve Klotz, John McBride, Larry Raymond, Bobbe and Robert Wommack.