



**April 28-29-30, 2017**

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**Join a team! Or use this form to donate**

It's back! Pasadena Audubon's main fundraiser gets dozens of folks out in the field, first collecting pledges and then sighting all the species that they can to maximize the proceeds. You can pledge a fixed amount, or an amount per species sighted. This year the proceeds go to support the mission of the Pasadena Audubon Society: To bring the excitement of birds to our community through birding, education and the conservation of bird habitats.

For the past few years, Birdathon participants have aligned themselves with one of three teams, although you are also welcome to form another team or just go your own way. All three teams have committed to this year's effort, too.

Team **Irritable Owl Syndrome** is the military boot camp version of Birdathon. Departing at midnight on count day, they set a relentless pace across virtually all of Los Angeles County and cover about 400 miles before finishing after dark. Team Irritable found 206 ABA species last year. Want to support them? Contact the leader, Mark Scheel [scheel@tapir.caltech.edu](mailto:scheel@tapir.caltech.edu) or Janet Scheel at [jscheel@oxy.edu](mailto:jscheel@oxy.edu)

Team **Verdin** (aka Dessi the Determined) Team Verdin will be photographing as many species of birds as possible in Los Angeles County during daylight hours. This year's Birdathon will be Dessi's fourth Big Photo Day. Last year, Dessi and his team set a new team record with 134 species photographed. How many species of birds will Dessi photograph at this year's Birdathon? To pledge your support, contact Beatrix at [schwarzbeatrix@gmail.com](mailto:schwarzbeatrix@gmail.com)

The **Big Sit ...** that sedate activity situated on a lawn at Legg Lakes, is back this year. Team leaders Mark Hunter and Kat Degner will lead participants and encourage folks to rise to their feet and stroll around the lake, rather than just sitting continuously.☺ This is also the site of our picnic, so no reason to stay home this year! To contribute or to join, contact Kym Buzdygon at [kimberly.buzdygon@gmail.com](mailto:kimberly.buzdygon@gmail.com)

You can sponsor a team or an individual. You can donate based on the number of species the team/individual sees that day, or you can donate a flat amount. Please fill out and send this form with your donation (check or money order) to the participant or to our treasurer at the address shown here.

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