

We are an all-volunteer chapter of the National Audubon Society governed by a Board of Directors who work together to plan and organize activities to further our mission, *"Connecting people with nature, conserving and restoring natural ecosystems, focusing on birds and other wildlife."*

Founded in 1939, Duval Audubon Society now has approximately 1,200 members in Clay, Duval, and Nassau counties.

Our chapter is dedicated to the enjoyment of birds and other wildlife. We have a primary focus on the preservation of a diversity of species and habitats, through education, conservation, environmental leadership and community involvement. We offer a variety of nature outings, programs and volunteer opportunities that are open for anyone to attend.

## Why join us? So many great reasons...

You will be a **conservation hero**. Your support directly helps efforts like

our *Lights Out* program encouraging businesses and homeowners to reduce nighttime lighting to ensure birds safe passage during migration.

Your **voice will be heard**. The more members we have, the more effective our voices for birds and bird habitat will be.

You will be **in the know**. Our monthly newsletter will keep you informed about what's going on right here in Duval, Clay, and Nassau counties.

You will **have fun!** Our field trips and monthly program meetings offer a way to socialize, increase your knowledge and have fun in the process

You will **feel better**. Research shows that getting out in nature can reduce blood pressure, heart rate, muscle tension, and the production of stress hormones, so join us on a bird walk or volunteer work day.

Your investment is very **reasonably priced**. You can join Audubon for an initial donation of only \$20. All transactions made through our website are 100% secure and tax-deductible to the extent allowed by law.

You can **save money**. Discounts for members are available at Audubon sites nationwide.

Membership in Duval Audubon Society enrolls you as a member of Audubon Florida and the National Audubon Society. Membership privileges include subscriptions to electronic publications *The Audubon Observer*, and *The Florida Naturalist*, and the print magazine, *Audubon* and Duval Audubon's monthly **Observer** e-newsletter.

To join Duval Audubon, visit [www.duvalaudubon.org](http://www.duvalaudubon.org).

## More About Audubon

Audubon is one of the most respected conservation organizations in the world, and our local chapter is an all-volunteer non-profit group that works hard to protect both the important bird habitat in our area, and the bird species and wildlife that rely on them.

Give birds a fighting chance in our changing world. Your support will help secure the future for birds at risk from rising temperatures, habitat loss, and other threats.

## Birds need you now.

Generous people like you power our work to protect birds and the places they need.

Please join Duval Audubon Society now at [www.duvalaudubon.org](http://www.duvalaudubon.org).

Also find us on Facebook, Instagram, Meetup, and YouTube!

## Duval Audubon Society Officers and Directors

President	Pete Johnson
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Membership	Christine Lucas
Programs	Open
Volunteers	Open

Some board positions and other volunteer opportunities are available. See our website for details on how to apply.

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Benefits of  
Membership