

Join us for the Great Backyard Bird Count

February 13-16, 2009



Ranger Led Programs:

Join a park ranger to learn about and participate in the Great Backyard Bird Count.

Saturday, February 14th; 9:00 - 11:00am:

Join the rangers at Sandstone Visitor Center for "Breakfast With the Birds". Enjoy coffee and doughnuts while watching and counting around the visitor center. Discover what types of seed and feed are preferred by various species and help tally the numbers of birds observed.

Sunday, February 15th; 1:30-3:30 pm:

Meet at Sandstone Falls Boardwalk where spotting scopes will be set up at the end of the boardwalk and binoculars will also be provided to count waterfowl, song birds, and raptors. The Bald Eagle is a frequent visitor to this area.

Participating is Easy:

1. Spend 15 minutes or more at any location in the park or at home looking for birds.
2. Keep a tally of the greatest number of each species seen.
3. Enter your count results on the Great Backyard Bird Count web page: www.birdcount.org

