Calendar of Coming Events

Aug. 24
Wednesday  Field Trip - Sandyland Slough. This trip provides an excellent opportunity to view shorebirds and marshbirds on private property. Meet at the Museum of Natural History at 8:30 am for car-pooling, or at the gate at the lower end of Santa Claus Lane at 9:00 am. (Park opposite the stores, facing north)
   Leaders: Minna Smith
   Louis Bevier
   966-7971
   964-1030

Sept. 10
Saturday  Beginners Bird Walk - Goleta Beach. Most of the ocean birds of our region can be seen at this time of year and many migrating water birds as well. Meet at the parking lot on the east side of the pier at 8:00 am.
   Leader: Robert Lindsey
   968-8965

Sept. 13
Tuesday  Board of Directors Meeting - 7:30 pm. Members are welcome to attend.
   Meetings are held in the Fleischmann Auditory annex at the Museum of Natural History.

Sept. 17
Saturday  Habitat Walk - Lake Los Carneros. This walk will leave from the Stow House parking lot behind the fire station on Los Carneros Rd. Meet at 8:30 am to explore this fresh water lake and stream habitats.
   Leader: Nancy Crawford
   964-7508

Sept. 18
Sunday  Field Trip - Santa Clara River Estuary. An excellent area for waterbirds, this river estuary is especially attractive to migrant shorebirds. Meet at the Andree Clark Bird Refuge parking lot at 7:30 am, or at the Channel Islands National Park headquarters at 8:15 am. This is located at the end of Spinnaker Rd. in the Ventura Harbor.
   Leader: Louis Bevier
   964-1030
Sept. 23  General Meeting - Tonight our speaker will be John Flavin. He will be sharing some of his wildlife experiences with a slide presentation on South Africa. This meeting will be held in the Fleischmann Auditorium at the Museum of Natural History and will begin promptly at 8:00 pm.

Sept. 25  Pelagic Field Trip - We will be taking the Sea Hawk out of Sea Landing (off Cabrillo near the S. B. Harbor) for a full day exploring the Santa Barbara Channel and waters around San Miguel Island. Hoped for sightings include shearwaters, petrels, murres, murrelets, puffins, auklets and others. The trip will begin at 5:30 am and last all day. Reservations must be made by September 1. The cost is $30.00 per person. No refunds will be made for cancellations after September 1. Please make checks payable to the Santa Barbara Audubon Society and send them to Louis Bevier at P.O. Box 3847, Santa Barbara, CA 93105. If you have any questions or need more information, call Louis at 964-1030.