

AuSable Valley Audubon

2016-2017 Program Schedule

Check website for any program changes:
ausablevalleyaudubon.org

Renew annual memberships 2016-2017

September 13, Tuesday, 7:00 pm

Tawas High School Library
255 W. Hwy M-55, Tawas City

“Explore our AVA”

What we have done, will do, AVA resources

End of September M-55 Rd Cleanup

Meet at the corner of M-55 and N.Sand Lake Rd
SUE DUNCAN

October 11, Tuesday, 7:00 pm

Oscoda High School Library
3550 E. River Road

“Official Dark Sky Parks”

ERIC OSTRANDER

Harrisville State Park Supervisor

October TBA Star Gaze at

Tawas Point

with **LARRY VANWAGONER**

November 1, Tuesday, 1:00 pm

NOTE change in time and location

AVA hosts Thunder Bay Audubon

Camp Inn Lodge, 3111 US 23, Oscoda
Optional lunch at 11:30 am. Meeting at 1 pm

DALE BORSKE, State Treasurer

Ducks Unlimited Inc.-Michigan

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Identifies AVA field events

NOTE: Cancellations due to bad weather are announced on WKJC FM (104.7) the morning of the event and by email to members.

November TBA Sandhill Crane Migration

Evening, near Prescott, Carpool

December 13, Tuesday, 1:00 pm

East Tawas Community Center
760 Newman Street

“Significant Birds: RHWO and Others”

LARRY VANWAGONER & SUE DUNCAN

CHRISTMAS BIRD COUNTS

(You may bird all or part of a day)

LARRY VANWAGONER

Assistant Needed

a. December 17, Tawas Circle

Meet at Big Boy Restaurant at 7:00 am for breakfast, maps, and meeting group members.
Meet at Hsing’s Garden Chinese Restaurant at noon for lunch.

b. December 20, Oscoda Circle

Meet at Mama’s Kountry Kitchen at 7:00 am for breakfast, maps and meeting group members. Meet at G’s Pizzeria & Deli at noon for lunch.

January 10 Tuesday, 1:00pm

East Tawas Community Center
760 Newman St

JAMES RENN

U.S. Forest Service Archeologist

February 14, Tuesday, 1:00 pm

Robert. J Parks Library
6010 N. Skeel Ave, Oscoda

KELLY RAU

MSU Extension & 4H Coordinator

February 17-20 Great Back Yard Bird Count

Citizen Scientists count at home and elsewhere. Info at: gbbc.birdcount.org

March 14, Tuesday, 1:00 pm

Robert. J Parks Library
6010 N. Skeel Ave

“Planting Trees & Shrubs for Wildlife”

CARL RACCHINI

Retired, U.S. Forest Service

April 11, Tuesday, 7:00 pm

NOTE: Return to evening program time

Camp Inn Lodge, 3111 US-23, Oscoda
Optional dinner at 5:00 pm. Meeting at 7 pm

“Salmon Research at OHS”

GENE KIRVAN

April TBA 1:00-3:00 pm

Oscoda H.S., 3550 E. River Rd.

Student Salmon Projects

End of April M-55 Rd Cleanup

Meet at the corner of M-55 and N.Sand Lake Rd

SUE DUNCAN

May 9, Tuesday, 5:00 pm

NOTE change in time and location

Trinity Lutheran Church, US 23, Oscoda

5:00 pm social & 5:30 potluck dinner

Election of Officers & Summer Events

May 13, N. American Migratory Bird

Count, Iosco County. Volunteers needed.

ROGER ERIKSSON

May TBA, 12th Annual Tawas Point

Birding Festival

Info at: tawasbirdfest.com

SUMMER FIELD TRIPS TBA

June Tuttle Marsh Wildflowers and Birds

July Black Terns at Tawas Lake

August Picnic Potluck at Tawas Point

TBA Activities involving birds and flowers do not always follow a predetermined schedule. To provide optimum viewing, the exact day and time will be announced via email to members.

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**Become a Member of**

**AuSable Valley Audubon**

**Dues payable by September 30.**

**AVA is a 501(c)(3) organization**

Pay at meetings or by mail. Mail check payable to **AuSable Valley Audubon** to:

Patsy Mortimer, AVA Treasurer  
7530 O'Connor Dr., Hale, MI 48739

Membership: \$15 individual/\$20 family \_\_\_\_\_

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