## CENTRAL NEW MEXICO AUDUBON SOCIETY MAY MEETING and EVENTS

- May 6, 1972 FIELD TRIP Gila River Bird Count; reservations for the weekend can be made with Myra McCormick, phone #1-538-2538.
- May 13, 1972 FIELD TRIP Albuq Public Schools Outdoor Education Center, Cedar Crest, NM meet at 6 AM on Rt.14 North at the Mobil Gas Station 1/3 mile north of the Barn Theatre.
- May 18, 1972 FIRST ANNUAL MEETING & POTLUCK SUPPER: Place St. Timothy's Lutheran Church on the corner of Copper & Jefferson (parking in church lot off Jefferson.) Time: dining will commence at 6:30 PM please! R.S.V.P. Mrs. Renee Ellis at 296-6146.

Please bring a sufficient amount of your chosen dishamous serole, meat, vegetable, salad, dessert, bread, etc. to serve yourself and your family or guests. It is requested that you also bring your own plates and flatware.

Beverages, cups, napkins and serving spoons will be provided. Warming ovens and a refrigerator will be available to store the dishes of early arrivals.

Following dinner our special program will be presented by Mrs. Delmar Roberts Sr. of Anthony, NM, "A Delightful Trip of the Galapagos Islands."

June 3, 1972 - FIELD TRIP - Cave Creek Canyon; Arizona: joint field trip with Southwestern NM Audubon Society to look for the Copperytailed Trogon, 100 miles from Bear Mtn. Guest Ranch. Reservations can be made with Myra McCormick, P.O. Box 1163, Silver City, NM 88061, phone #1-538-2538.

At the April 20th meeting the following members were elected to office by the membership present:

President Chuck Hundertmark Vice-President Marting & Marilyn Rucss Rec & Corr Secretary Virginia Fedder

Recently a hummingbird flew in the window of a school in Nederland, Texas. The children's delight soon turned to concern when it became obvious that the tiny bird was staying far above the windows and might not be able to find its way outside. Since the bird was still flying in the room the next mroning, one of the teachers brought a feeder filled with red sugar water and hung it beneath a window. The usually timid hummingbird did not even wait for the teacher to move out of the way. He flew to the feeder as it was being hung & vaihly tried to find a way to get at the food. After a few seconds he flew through the window without any nourishment. Two days later a second humming-bird flew into the room and again the red sugar water lured it out the window in a matter of seconds. A search ouside that particular room revealed nothing more enticing than a row of shrubbery. However, the teacher whose room had attracted the birds does have red hair!!

Above article compliments of the Washburns.