NEWSLETTER NEW MEXICO AUDUBON SOCIETY JUNE/JULY 1973

JUNE/JULY CALENDAR

June 21 Thursday

REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING (third Thursday of the month) at UNM Physics/Astronomy Building, 7:30 p.m.

John N. Durrie will show slides of birds of New Mexico and also some of the birds of Florida which were taken on a recent trip. Mr. Durrie is perhaps our senior member -- not in age, but in years of membership. He has had a lifelong interest in birds and joined National Audubon in 1921, when he was a little boy. He has belonged ever since. In recent years he has taken up bird photography as an extension of his interest.

June 24 Sunday

FIELD TRIP -- LA CUEVA CAMP GROUND

Meet at 8:00 a.m. in the parking lot of La Cueva Campground, which is about 100 yards before the intersection of the roads to Los Alamos and Fenton Lake (State 4 and 126). We'll be the guests of Marge and Robert Swain, and members of the Sangre de Cristo Chapter will accompany us on our guided morning tour with the Swains. Bring a noon lunch. Birding in the afternoon will be casual.

July 14 Saturday FIELD TRIP -- TOWN OF MANZANO

Meet at 8:00 a.m. in the town of Manzano, which is about 40 miles from Albuquerque on South 14. We expect to bird in the town (there is some good marsh habitat in town as well as in the Red Canyon campground.

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Last summer David Ponton was able to set up a photography blind near a peregrine falcon nest in northern New Mexico. He will talk about the falcons and show slides of the adult birds and their young. Mr. Ponton is not a falconer, but he does enjoy watching and photographing wildlife in its natural environment.

FIELD TRIP -- CAPULIN SPRINGS

Capulin Springs is located along North 14 (10) on and will bird in the general area throughout the morning.

NEWS NOTE

Mr. John Spinks of Austin, Texas who helped us become affiliated with the National Audubon Society, has left the employ of the National to work for the National Wildlife Federation. wish him well in his new relationship.

WE WELCOME THESE NEW MEMBERS

Mr. Roland F. Dickey, Box 1442, Socorro, N. M. 87801

Mrs. Janet Guinty, 115 Conchas NE., Apt. C, Albuquerque

Mrs. A. C. Hargrave, 401 La Veta NE, Albuquerque

Mrs. Skeeter Keown & Family, Box 10186, Alameda, N.M.

Jon Nylander, 5722 Hannett NE, Albuquerque

Dr. W. Richard Shissler, Box 138, Cedar Crest, N.M.

Tod Stevenson, 209 Wayne Rd. NW, Albuquerque

Dr. James J. Stout, 108 Aliso NE, Albuquerque

Miss Gretchen E. Taylor, Box 100 - 49, Alameda, N.M.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Van Buskirk, 409 Morningside Drive NE, Albuquerque