

# MEMBER BENEFITS

**THREE FOR TWO** - Local Audubon (Columbus Audubon and Grange Insurance Audubon Center) and National Audubon

## Individual and Family Benefits:

- Nationally acclaimed *Audubon* magazine
- *Song Sparrow* (bi-monthly local newsletter)
- Email updates and Action Alerts (as you choose - local and/or national)
- 10% discount at the Nature Store of the GIAC
- Free and discounted local programs and field trips
- Invitations to local member-only and special events
- Local science and volunteer opportunities
- Ability to rent the Center
- Knowing you support education and conservation action in your community!



## Organizational Benefits:

- Volunteer days and opportunities for associates/employees
- 10% discount to employees for one session of summer day camp - Audubon Adventures
- Knowing you are contributing to the quality of life in your community!



**Mission:** *To conserve and restore natural ecosystems, focusing on birds, other wildlife, and their habitats for the benefit of humanity and the earth's biological diversity.*

One Audubon: We follow the flyways and work as one.

The flyways traveled by migratory birds each spring and fall inspire our model for organizational alignment. By connecting the work of the Audubon network – Chapters, Centers, national and state staff, volunteers, U.S. and international partners – along each of the flyways of the Americas, Audubon can weave a seamless web of conservation for both migratory and non-migratory species.

## PART OF THE AUDUBON NETWORK IN THE MISSISSIPPI FLYWAY:

### Columbus Audubon:

[www.columbusaudubon.org](http://www.columbusaudubon.org)  
[www.facebook.com/ColumbusAudubon](https://www.facebook.com/ColumbusAudubon)  
[www.twitter.com/ColumbusAudubon](https://www.twitter.com/ColumbusAudubon)

### Grange Insurance Audubon Center:

[www.grangeinsuranceauduboncenter.org](http://www.grangeinsuranceauduboncenter.org)  
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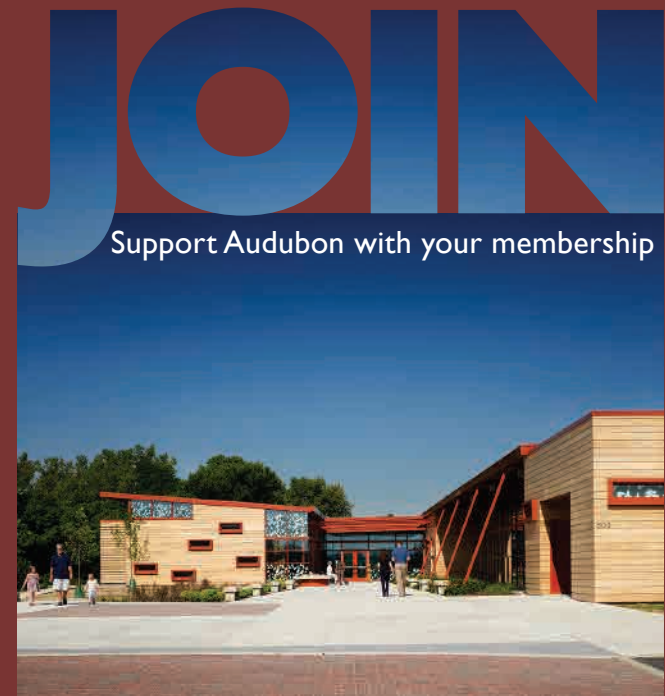
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**JOIN**  
Support Audubon with your membership

When you join locally,  
you also join nationally!

Columbus Audubon  
Grange Insurance Audubon Center  
National Audubon Society



## Annual Membership Dues

Columbus Audubon/Grange Insurance Audubon Center  
Join locally and receive National Audubon membership  
at no additional cost!

- Classic Membership \$100  
(individuals, families and organizations)  
(Receive a free Grange Insurance Audubon Center  
ball cap)
- Premier Membership \$250
- Basic Organizational Membership \$75
- Basic Family Membership \$45
- Basic Individual Membership \$30

Please complete the information below and return with  
your payment to:

Membership  
Grange Insurance Audubon Center  
505 West Whittier St.  
Columbus, OH 43215

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

- Check here to receive local newsletter, updates,  
announcements and event invitations by email.

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Method of Payment:

- Check (made payable to Grange Insurance Audubon  
Center)

- Credit Card (circle one):

MasterCard Visa Discover

Card #: \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name as it appears on card:  
\_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Local and national membership expiration dates may differ.



**Mission:** To awaken and connect participants to the  
beauty of the natural world in the heart of Columbus and  
inspire environmental stewardship in their daily lives.

### SIGNATURE PROGRAMS & IMPACT:

**Chase Conservation Classroom** serves 10 schools  
and 3,500 students in the urban core of Columbus.  
Designed to reinforce the core curriculum through  
multiple visits with hands-on learning in science, math,  
and language arts, its impact can be seen in students  
who learn better, are calmed in the out-of-doors, and  
show academic improvement.

**Audubon Adventures Camp** provides 10 weeks of  
day camp, each week with a different theme, to children  
ages 5 to 13. Attendance has grown on an average of  
50% each year for the last three years, with many  
repeat and multiple session campers.

**Lights Out Columbus**, in partnership with the Ohio  
Bird Conservation Initiative, enlists tall buildings (10 in  
2013) in downtown Columbus to turn out their indoor  
and outdoor lights between midnight and dawn during  
peak migration seasons in the spring and fall.

### Bird Monitoring/Banding and Invertebrate

**Sampling**, by citizen science volunteers, is answering  
the question of whether or not habitat restoration in a  
very urban setting is truly benefiting birds.

**Volunteers** help the Grange Insurance Audubon  
Center expand its reach through a wide variety of  
service opportunities. The volunteer core grew by  
more than 100% in 2013 alone. More volunteers are  
always welcome to devote their time and talents in  
making a difference!



**Mission:** To promote the appreciation, understanding  
and conservation of birds, other wildlife and their habitats,  
for present and future generations.

### SIGNATURE PROGRAMS & IMPACT:

**Columbus Audubon's John Wilson Memorial  
Fund** provides assistance to central Ohio students  
and residents to attend environmental education  
programs locally, regionally and even nationally. In the  
past four years, more than \$5,000 in scholarships have  
been awarded. The **Conservation Grant program**  
supports conservation and research projects in central  
Ohio. In the first year (2013), \$5,000 was awarded.

**The Ohio Young Birders Club** encourages and  
empowers youth conservation leaders ages 12-18 by  
providing hands-on conservation and monthly field  
trips. Since 2010, members of the Columbus chapter  
have completed numerous conservation and service  
projects.

**EcoWeekend** is held in the Hocking Hills every May  
and offers dozens of nature adventure programs on  
topics such as birding, insects, wildflowers, butterflies,  
trees, astronomy, crafts, hikes and more. For more than  
40 years, EcoWeekend has provided education and fun  
for hundreds of Ohioans of all ages  
([www.ecoweekend.org](http://www.ecoweekend.org)).

More than 100 **field trips** and seven **monthly  
programs** are offered by Columbus Audubon every  
year to members and nonmembers.

# Become a member and you join the team!