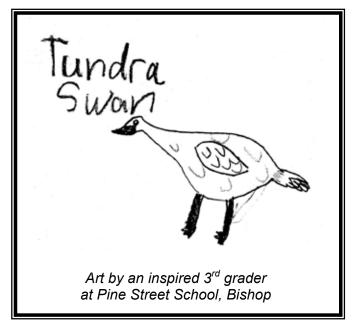
## **Eastern Sierra Audubon Society**

## BIRD-A-THON - December 15, 2012

Eastern Sierra Audubon's annual Bird-a-Thon fundraising effort coincides with the Christmas Bird Count. Anyone can participate in the count, which is a major effort to monitor the bird species throughout the Western Hemisphere.

When you participate or sponsor a participant, you not only help support citizen science, but you also play a vital role in keeping the Eastern Sierra Audubon chapter alive and well. The Bird-a-Thon is our chapter's most important fundraiser.

Bird-a-Thon donations fund the "Birds in the Classroom" program, which teaches elementary school students to appreciate the importance of the natural environment and our bird resources. We hope to continue to add schools to this program with your help and support. Funds are also needed for our other educational programs, scholarships, outreach, field trips and to maintain the website and newsletter. Even a donation of \$10 or \$20 would go far to help us in our mission.



For an idea of how much you will be pledging, in past years on the Christmas Bird Count, we have tallied around 100 species - so 10 cents per species would be a pledge of around \$10.

Please join us in support of Eastern Sierra Audubon by making your Bird-a-Thon pledge!

Support this great event with a flat donation or choose a sponsorship level

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☐ Flat donation: \$  "Spotted Sandpiper": I pledge10¢ per species counted  "Western Tanager": I pledge 20¢ per species  "Green Heron": I pledge 30¢ per species	Please clip and return to Bird-A-Thon, Drawer D, Lone Pine, CA 93545 or email Mike Prather at
Your name:	mprather@lonepinetv.com
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