# CAROLINA BIRD CLUB

The Carolina Bird Club is a non-profit organization which represents and supports the birding community in the Carolinas through its official website, publications, meetings, workshops, trips, and partnerships, whose mission is

- To promote the observation, enjoyment, and study of birds.
- To provide opportunities for birders to become acquainted, and to share information and experience.
- To maintain well-documented records of birds in the Carolinas.
- To support the protection and conservation of birds and their habitats and foster an appreciation and respect of natural resources.
- To promote educational opportunities in bird and nature study.
- To support research on birds of the Carolinas and their habitats.

Membership is open to all persons interested in the conservation, natural history, and study of wildlife with particular emphasis on birds. Dues, contributions, and beguests to the Club may be deductible from state and federal income and estate taxes. Pay dues or make donations at https://www.carolinabirdclub.org/dues/. Make change of address at https:// www.carolinabirdclub.org/members/profile/. Send correspondence regarding membership matters to Headquarters Secretary. Answers to questions about the club might be found at http://www.carolinabirdclub.org/about.html. Dues include \$6 for subscription to the CBC Newsletter and \$7 for subscription to The Chat.

### **ANNUAL DUES**

Individual or non-profit	\$25.00
Family or business	\$30.00
Patron	
Student	\$15.00
Life Membership (payable in four consecutive \$125 installments)	\$500.00
Associate Life Membership (in same household as life member)	\$100.00

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