

Carolina Bird Club Winter Meeting Agenda

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Nags Head, NC January 26-28, 2017

Host Hotel: Ramada Plaza, 1701 S. Virginia Dare Trail, Kill Devil Hills, NC (828-414-9230)

Check-in time is 4 pm. Check-out time is 12 noon.

Breakfast: 5:30 am for registered hotel guests

Thursday January 27		
4:00-9:00pm Opening Registration		Pamlico Room 4 th Floor
Friday January 28		
Field Trips		
Dinner on your own. "Peppercorns" in the hotel opens at 5		
5:45-7:00pm	Cash Bar	Pamlico Room 4 th Floor
7:00pm 7:15-7:30pm 7:30-8:30pm	Welcome to Nags Head/Meeting Overview Young Birder Jack Rogers presentation on Camp Cascades in Washington state Nate Swick "The Next 10" NC/SC predictions "ABA Field Guide to the Birds of the Carolinas" and book signing	
Saturday January 28		
Field Trips		
5:30-7:00pm	Cash Bar	Pamlico Room 4 th Floor (Preregistration for the dinner required)
6:00-7:00pm	Banquet Dinner	
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7:00-7:15pm	Business Meeting	
7:15-8:30pm 9:00pm	Keith Kennedy "Secrets of Bird Photography with Travel Advice for Birders" Species Countdown	

Registration: Pamlico Room 4th Floor

Thursday 4:00-9:00pm Friday and Saturday 6:45-7:45am and 12:30-1:30pm

Field Trip sheets will be in the registration room. **After picking up your registration packet, please put a check mark by your name on each of your field trip sheets**, so the trip leaders will know you have checked in for your trip. There will be people available to answer any questions regarding trips. If you aren't able to attend a trip, please cross out your name, so someone else can fill your place.

Departure Times: The field trip departure times are for leaving the hotel. **Please arrive at least 10-15 minutes early.** Look for the sign with your field trip number and let the leader know you are there. We encourage carpooling. Please consider contributing toward gas expenses if you carpool. Trip leader cell phone numbers will be provided. If, at the last minute, you cannot go on a trip, make every effort to let the leader know, or advise someone who is on the trip so the group doesn't wait for you.

All Day Trips: Please bring a lunch. Many of the sites are remote with no nearby restaurants.

Hotel Returns: Morning trips should be back at the hotel by noon; afternoon and all-day trips by 5:00pm.