

## Stony Bird Walks Resume January 2021

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Happy New Year, Stony Birders!

- This is just a quick note to confirm that I will resume bird walks this month. Walks will be the fourth Saturday of each month. The limit will be eight participants per walk, and registration will be via phoning the Stony Creek Nature Center the Monday before the walk, at 586-781-9113. It is important to provide the participant's email address at registration time, so that you/they will receive any last minute updates. So for instance, for the January 23 walk, registration will be Monday January 18; for the February 27 walk, registration will be Monday February 22; and so on.
- We will meet in the Nature Center parking lot each month at 9am, and then proceed to the place the group decides to explore. Walks will end approximately 11am. Masks and social distancing will be required. The only restrooms open in the park at this time are in the Administration Building near the park entrance, and at the Boat Launch Building, so plan accordingly. There are a couple of port-a-potties in the parking lot of the Nature Center, and at a few other locations throughout the park.
- Be sure to bundle up for winter walks, and have robust protection for your hands that will be holding ice cold optics.
- Plan on a summer break, and walks resuming in the fall, as in the past.

Thank goodness we are able to take this small incremental step toward normalcy.

Looking forward to it!

Ruth Glass

Stony Creek Nature Center Volunteer