About Friends of Wildlife at Lake Santee

Founded 2005

Our aim is to encourage the Lake Santee community to appreciate and protect our natural setting.

We meet the first Wednesday of the month (except January) at 7:00 p.m. in the community room. There are no dues or officers. Everyone is welcome.

Our projects: improvements at The Nature Habitat including tree labels and boardwalks, support of UTOPIA Wildlife Rehabilitation Center, raise Osprey nesting platforms, provide activities for community participation, maintain Abba (Memory) Garden, promote certified backyard habitats for the Indiana/National Wildlife Federation.

Calendar:

January, Marsha Lay Winter Bird Count at Lake Santee;

February, plan for the year;

March, Nature Habitat cleanup;

April, Wildflower Walk at The Nature Habitat;

May, plant exchange;

June, cookout at Jackson's Nursery Patio Garden;

July, 4th celebration fund raiser;

August, donate to Women's Club auction;

September, donation and road trip to UTOPIA;

October, guest speaker;

November, plan for Christmas for the Birds;

December, Christmas for the Birds.

We also have fieldtrips, workshops, lunch, and other miscellaneous activities.

Information: Call Charm Seright at 663-5465. For injured wildlife rescue call Larry/Nanette Howard at 663-2548. To receive updates (bird alert) and share wild life experiences email Charm at charm.seright@gmail.com. Read the Monthly article in the Smoke Signals. Field guides to birds, wildflowers, trees, shrubs and butterflies are available to borrow.