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May, 2005

*Points of interest:*

- Come to BCAS exciting activities, events, field trips, and programs!
- Meetings held at Fern Forest Nature Center
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**MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT**

**Lisa L. Baumbach-Reardon**

Greetings to all chapter members. This issue of newsletter marks our last newsletter for the 2004-2005 BCAS calendar years. We will all take a summer break from formal programs and field trips and start our new schedule in October, 2005. In the meantime, please check the BCAS website for details of upcoming events, and conservation updates.

Please join us for the end-of-year birdwalk, picnic and election of the new Board of Directors on Saturday, May 21st at 9am at Fern Forest. Please RSVP to Fred Griffin by May 15 at 954-587-8008 or e-mail [fredg@browardaudubon.org](mailto:fredg@browardaudubon.org) so we can order enough food. Again, we would like to thank our outgoing Board members - Jacqui Sulek and Cheryl Verona for all their hard work and dedication!

- Last, I would like to highlight a few of the events and chapter accomplishments from the past year
- ◇ Programs on Whooping Crane Migration, Birds of the Everglades, and Water's Journey through Florida;
  - ◇ Field Trips to Everglades National Park, Corkscrew Swamp Sanctuary, Loxahatchee and Wakodahatchee; Butterfly World, Everglades Birding areas (STA), Ft. De Soto State Park;
  - ◇ Special Events: 3rd Annual Give Thanks for the Environment; 2nd Annual Everglades Birdfest; 1st Annual Kick-off to Water Matters Day
  - ◇ BCAS involvement in Broward County Environmental Task Forces and County Committees, Audubon of Florida activities, and the Everglades Coalition
  - ◇ Preservation land sale of \$80,000 and a bequest of \$30,000 which are being used to start an endowment for our chapter.

None of these activities could have been accomplished without the hard work and continuing dedication of chapter leaders and a handful of volunteers.

Please take time over the summer to think about what you can do next year to help our chapter be even better. We need volunteers for to continue and enhance our activities!

It has been an honor to serve as your president.  
Happy Birding!

**Broward County Audubon Society  
NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING**

**The Election of Directors to the Board of Directors for Fiscal Year July 1, 2005 to Jun 30, 2006 will be held at the Annual Meeting**

**Saturday, May 21, 2005, 11:00 a.m.  
Fern Forest Nature Center  
201 Lyons Rd. South  
Coconut Creek 33063**

**Slate of Nominees**

- Lisa Baumbach-Reardon  
Ken Burgener  
Gloria Cashin  
Paddy Cunningham-Pascatore  
Joan Florsheim  
Alfred Griffin  
Barry Heimlich  
Barbara Pryor  
Fred Rehage  
Marti Reynolds  
Doug Young**

*Nominations will be accepted from the floor of the meeting. Anyone interested in joining the Board of Directors is invited to contact Barry Heimlich at 954-963-3564 or [barrynh@browardaudubon.org](mailto:barrynh@browardaudubon.org). Directors will be elected by a majority of attendees at the Annual Meeting. The meeting will also conduct whatever other business that may come before it.*

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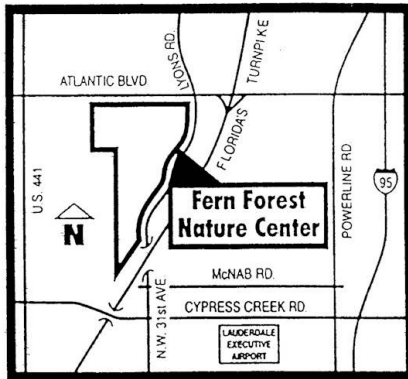
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**From I-95 and Atlantic Blvd:** Go west to South Lyons Road, go south to entrance of Nature Center.

**From US441/SR7 and W. Atlantic Blvd:** Go east to South Lyons Road, go south to entrance of Nature Center.

**From South by Florida Turnpike:** Exit at Atlantic Blvd. Go west one light to South Lyons Road, go south to entrance of Nature Center.

**From North by Florida Turnpike:** Exit Pompano Beach, go right at light onto Coconut Creek Pkwy. Go West to S. Lyons Rd (NW 46th Ave). Turn left, continue across Atlantic Blvd to entrance of Nature Center.



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**SPECIAL END-OF-THE-YEAR BIRD WALK, ANNUAL MEETING, AND PICNIC—SAT. 5/21/05**

**FERN FOREST NATURE CENTER:**  
9:00 AM—Meet at Parking Lot for Birdwalk.  
11:00 AM—Annual Meeting  
12:00 PM—Picnic in the Pavilion (Near Parking Lot)



**FERN FOREST NATURE CENTER  
SATURDAY, MAY 21, 2005**

*COME JOIN US FOR A END-OF-YEAR BIRD WALK,  
ANNUAL MEETING (very brief) AND PICNIC!!*

**SATURDAY, MAY 21, 2005**

**9:00 AM—WE MEET AT THE FERN FOREST  
NATURE CENTER PARKING LOT FOR BIRD WALK!!**

**THE PICNIC FOLLOWS AFTERWARDS IN  
THE PAVILION (NEAR PARKING LOT)!!**

*PLEASE JOIN US FOR THIS SPECIAL BCAS END-OF-THE-YEAR EVENT!!*