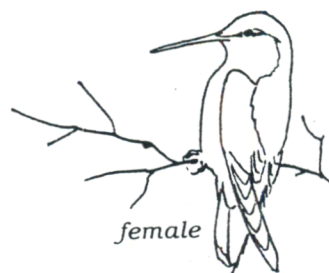


7:00 pm.

- May 8 - North American Migration Count. Counts can take place on this day anywhere in a county. Please send results from feeders or outings anywhere in the province to Dan McAskill (see page 2 for address).
- May 13 to 16 - *Where the Mountain Meets the Sea* a joint conference of the Canadian Nature Federation and the Federation of British Columbia Naturalists will be hosted at Qualicum Beach, Vancouver Island, B.C. Contact John & Lois at 250-752-8689 or johnmac@macn.bc.ca There will be seminars and field trips on birding, wildlife, conservation, and much more.
- May 15 - The Society's field trip will be on spring warblers and their songs at Macphail Park. Our trip leader will be Gary Schneider. Meet at 8 a.m. at the Macphail Park entrance. (YN)
- May 29 - the Natural History Society's Bain Bird Count. Anyone can count anywhere in the province. Simply submit your sighting lists to the newsletter editor (see page 2) by mid-June.
- Jun. 1 to 6 - Accompanying a Piping Plover Guardian on a north shore beach near you. Arrangements can be made with Jackie Waddell at 566-9150. (YN).
- Jun. 12 - Jackie Waddell will guide us on the Blooming Point trails in search of muskrat, frogs, and woodcocks. We meet near the bridge across Deroche Pond in Blooming Point. Please pre-register during the day 566-9150.
- Jun. 21 - Summer solstice.
- July 1 - QLF Caring for the Earth Award Nomination deadline.
- Jul. 4 - International Butterfly Count Day. Let's do it together. Meet Rosemary Curley at the Robertson Library at U.P.E.I. at 2 p.m. and walk the Confederation Trail. Pre-register at 961-2737. (YN)
- Jul. 9 - Day field trip to Port Elgin Nature Interpretation Centre and Sackville. For details and registration, phone Michelle at 629-1393.
- Aug. 21 - "Exploring life on the shore". Digging for mud creatures and watching shorebird migration with Jim Jenkins and Linda Thomas. Meet at Covehead Bridge at 2 p.m. Pre-register at 672-3293 (YN)
- Aug. 28 or 29 - A slide presentation will be given at the Mooney's Pond Interpretive Centre by Bob and Jacob Harding in dragonflies, damselflies, and butterflies. The presentation will be followed by a field trip from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Please bring a lunch. Pre-register and weather conditions will determine the day chosen. Phone 961-2737 or 838-2699. (YN)
- Sept. 18 - Field trip to Greenwich with P.E.I. National Park's Nancy MacLauchlin. Meet at the Farm Centre parking lot at 1 pm or at the Greenwich Park entrance at 2:00 pm. Please pre-register at 629-1393.
- Sept. 18 - Natural History Society pot luck barbeque at Michelle Johnston's and Ray MacDonald's overlooking Hardy's Pond on the Hardy Mill Road. Starts at 5:30 pm.
- Oct. 5 - Todd Dupuis will be the Society's guest speaker at the Natural History Society's meeting which starts at 7:30 pm at the Farm Centre on University Avenue. His presentation will focus on the "Community Achievements supported by the New Wildlife Conservation Fund".
- Oct. 16 - Natural History Society field trip to the east of the Island with visits to Townshend Woodlot and the Naufrage River trail. Our leaders will be Mark Arsenault and Gerald MacDonald. Car pool from the Farm Centre at 8:30 am or meet at Townshend Woodlot on the Souris Line Road at 10:00 am. Please bring a lunch. Pre-register with Mark at 368-3315.



Ruby-throated
Hummingbird