

KEEP CONSERVATION FOUNDATION

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Dear Friends and Supporters of Wildlife,

While there is great concern throughout the U.S. and Central and South America where our migrating birds go in the winter, we have continued to provide the safe healthy habitat that stopover migrants need as they make their arduous seasonal journeys on their migratory routes. Our resident birds have enjoyed healthy mating and nesting seasons on our lands. The preserves are alive with activity and song and any visit will provide great viewings of wildlife.



We have been working with Ellen Jouret-Epstein and Nate Davis of the Columbia Land Conservancy to develop a trail map for the Germantown preserve. We plan to have this map accessible on the preserve so that people will have a guide to all the woodlands, fields and streams on the property. We hope to have this completed later this fall.

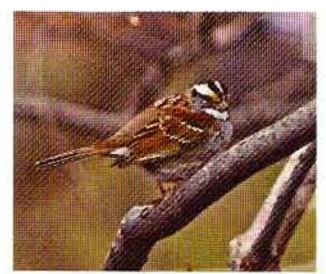
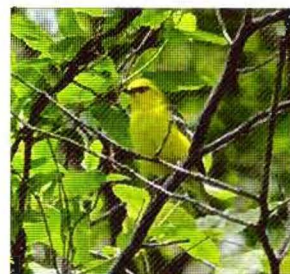


Our participation, once again, on the Hudson Valley Ramble, brought new participants to the preserve. On 9/18/2010 we invited all of our friends and neighbors in Germantown to join us in celebration of fall with an evening walk on the land. We are pleased that so many people were able to join us.



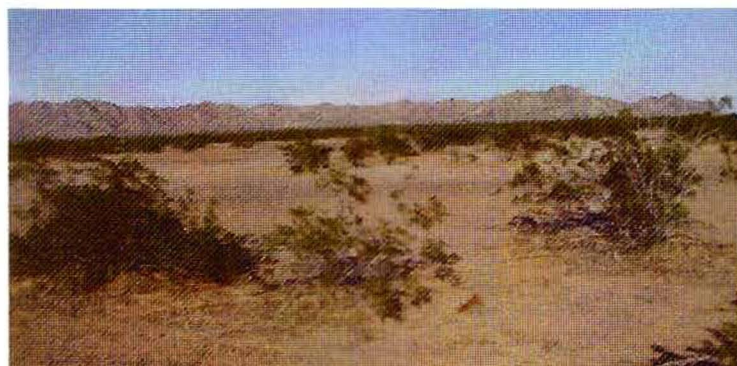


On 5/21/11, at the invitation of Donald Westmore, President of the Germantown library, Pearl Broder presented her slide presentation "Birds of the Germantown Preserve". This library program was followed by a guided walk on the land to give participants a live look at some of the birds. Keep Conservation Foundation will give another slide show of birds on the preserve at the Germantown library on 10:30 a.m. 11/12/11 which will also be followed by a guided walk.



As a result of inclusion in the New Jersey Audubon Trails brochure, our Port Republic land has been discovered and enjoyed by many new visitors. Our woodland trails, open salt marsh, and small lake provide a diversity of birds like Spotted Sandpiper, Great Horned Owl, and Ospreys nesting in the marsh. For further information, you can go to www.njwildlifetrails.org





Our desert lands on the beautiful Pamela Kahn Bacca Preserve in Maracopa county Arizona, continues to hold its own to protect the desert wildlife as rampant development surrounds it. Every year, water is being brought closer to the preserve, and we hope we will soon be able to access it to become a wildlife oasis in this area.



Photos by Pearl Broder

Our goals to protect and enhance our lands for the creatures dependent upon them, and to educate adults and children to the pleasures and vulnerability of the natural world remain strong.

Your help and participation is vital to our mission

Linda Atkins, President

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