**Wabash Valley Audubon Society**

**Monthly Board Meeting at 6:30 p.m.**

**Dobbs Park Nature Center**

**Terre Haute, IN**

**Wednesday, November 7th, 2018**

**Minutes**

1. **Call to Order @ 6:32**
2. **Approve Minutes**

Last month’s board minutes approved

1. **Membership Chair Report (Lucinda)**

No report

1. **Treasurer’s Report (Phil Cox)**

Savings: 16,932.41

Checking: 2,929.49

1. **WVAS Public Relations**
	1. Facebook
		1. 1,447 likes
		2. Steady activity, but we need to be wary of event replies (going vs. interested)
2. **Recently Completed Events**
	1. Member Meeting: Taylor Burris
		1. October 17th DPNC
		2. 5 attendees
3. **Upcoming Events**
	1. Jr Birders Program
		1. November 17th 10-12pm
		2. Dobbs Nature Center
		3. $2.00 craft fee
	2. Bird netting program
		1. December 1st
		2. Dobbs Nature Center
		3. Free to the public
	3. Christmas Bird Count
		1. December 15th
		2. Contact Peter if you’d like to participate
4. **Upcoming Board & Member Meetings – 6:30pm**
	1. Member Meeting: Hellbenders
		1. November 14th
		2. Get advertisements out in newspaper, email and radio
	2. Board Meeting
		1. December 5th
	3. Member Meeting: Photo Night
		1. December 19th, 6:30
		2. Dobbs Park Nature Center
		3. Bring food!
5. **Projects**
	1. Bird Town
		1. April 6th
		2. Planning stage (look at our new flyer Carissa made!)
6. **WVAS Fundraiser/Advertisement Ideas**
	1. T-shirts
		1. $10 each, Sand or Gold, Sizes Kids Medium - Adult XL
		2. Can be purchased at member meetings and board meetings
	2. Something new…
		1. Have Phil place an order for pins, whistles, stickers, etc.

\*Order needs placed\*

1. **New Business**
	1. Web page
		1. Almost completed
		2. We ran into a roadblock, but the website will be up by the end of the year.
	2. Need member meeting ideas
		1. Barney Dunning – Banquet?
		2. Zoe’s monkey talk – Jan or Feb
		3. Justin Guyer and his snakes – Jan Feb or March
	3. Chris Herrington – Emily’s walk

Emily’s Walk

We’ve decided to work this event instead of St. Mary’s Earth Day event. We will have our usual festival display at the Dewey Point Shelter.

Kid’s Day at Dewey Point sponsored by Emily’s Walk

We may be able to attend, but it is dependent on the date.

1. **Adjourn @ 7:25**