

SOUTH SOUND EXOTIC BIRD SOCIETY NEWSLETTER

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September 12 Meeting

We will be appointing a nominating committee for the 2009 officers. If you wish to be a member of the nominating committee or an officer, please advise.

PROGRAM:

Mandy Andrea will give a presentation on the Indonesian Parrot Project and the Tambopata Research Center.

A NOTE FROM JACKIE FROM A PLACE 2 FLEDGE

Just a quick note to let everyone know that we have arrived at our new home in Montana safe and sound. It was no easy undertaking to get our family, our 3 dogs and all 70 birds, not to mention everything we own across 3 states safely.

We want to personally thank everyone who helped make our journey possible, we simply could not have done this alone. Along our journey we had sun and rain, hail and thunderstorms and as we crossed the Continental Divide we were hit by a very unexpected snow storm and the temperatures plunged and the roads were very scary.

We are exhausted and overwhelmed with our experience in getting here but we have finally arrived and are looking forward to living our dream here on our 20 acre farm. The population of our new town is 33 and we have 70 birds so the birds now outnumber the people here so I am sure we will be the talk of the town for some time to come.

Our son starts school on Monday and is very excited, meanwhile, we have tons of unpacking and organizing to do to make this a complete success. We have met some of our neighbors, the nearest of which is over 2 miles away, everyone is very warm and kind and welcoming of us and our birds. I don't think we have to worry about the noise of the happy birds bothering our neighbors any longer.

We made a trip to town today. It is a bit of a trek but took longer today due to a herd of cows grazing along our road who were not as eager to move as we would have liked them to be. I guess they call that a Montana traffic jam, we are finding ourselves on Montana time now, a much slower pace than we are used to. This place really suits us, we are going to miss our friends and family but we are not going to miss the hustle and bustle of the life we left behind.

It is quiet and easy and peaceful here, it has been a tough trip for the birds and for the humans but we are already feeling the calm of our surroundings and it feels like home already.

We can be reached as always at our email address or on our website, those of you who would like to write to us snail mail let me know and I will send you our address, we only get mail 3 days a week.....did I mention we are waaaaaaay out in the dingtoolies and loving every minute of it!!

Thanks for all your prayers and well wishes, it must have worked for we are truly blessed. We have never before witnessed such beauty, the sky is bigger, the flowers are brighter, the sunsets and sunrises are even more amazing.

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Note: APlace2Fledge will continue to facilitate parrot adoptions in WA.

SAFE BRANCHES

The following materials are not safe if toxic chemicals or insecticides have been sprayed on them. Before installing them in any cage, scrub all branches with a non-toxic disinfectant (such as diluted chlorine bleach), then rinse and dry well.

WARNING: Pressure treated lumber contains arsenic! One ounce of treated wood dust per 10 pounds of body weight ingested may cause acute arsenic intoxication.

ASH
CITRUS (ANY)
DOGWOOD
ELM
EUCALYPTUS
GUAVA
MADRONA
MAGNOLIA
MANZANITA

NUT (EXCEPT CHESTNUT & OAK)
PAPAYA
PINE
PRUNE
RIBBONWOOD
SASSAFRAS
THURLOW
VINE MAPLE
WILLOWS: (GOAT, PUSSY & WEEPING)

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SAFE FOLIAGE

ACACIA
ALOE
AFRICAN VIOLET
BABY'S TEARS
BAMBOO
BEGONIA
BOSTON FERN
BOUGAINVILLEA
CHICKWEED
CHRISTMAS CACTUS
CISSUS (KANGAROO VINE)
COLEUS
CORN PLANT
CRABAPPLE
DANDELION
DOGWOOD
DONKEY TAIL
DRACAENA VARIETIES
FERNS: (BIRD'S NEST, BOSTON, MAIDENHAIR)
FIGS: (CREEPING, RUBBER, FIDDLE LEAF,
LAUREL LEAF)
GARDENIA
GRAPE IVY
HEN AND CHICKENS
IMPATIENS
JADE PLANT
KALANCHOE
MAGNOLIA

MARIGOLDS
MONKEY PLANT
MOTHER-IN-LAW
NASTURTIUM
NATAL PLUM
NORFOLK ISLAND PINE
ORCHIDS
PALMS: (ARECA, DATE, FAN, LADY, PARLOUR,
HOWEIA, KENTIA, PHOWNIX, SAGO)
PEPPEROMIA
PETUNIA
PITTOSPORUM
PRAYER PLANT
PURPLE PASSION
ROSE
RUBBER PLANT
SCHEFFLERA
SENSITIVE PLANT
SNAKE PLANT
SPIDER PLANT
SWEDISH IVY
THISTLE
VELVET NETTLE
WANDERING JEW
WAX PLANT
WHITE CLOVER
YUCCA
ZEBRA PLANT
ZINNIA

TOXIC PLANTS

ARUM LILY
 AMARYLLIS
 ARALIA
 ARROWHEAD VINE
 AUTUMN CROCUS
 AUSTRALIAN FLAMETREE
 AUSTRALIAN UMBRELLA TREE
 AVOCADO AZALEA
 BANEBERRY
 BEANS: (CASTOR, HORSE, FAVA,
 BROAD, GLORY, SCARLET RUNNER,
 MESCAL, NAVY, PREGATOR)
 BIRD OF PARADISE
 BISHOP'S WEED
 BLACK LAUREL
 BLACK LOCUST
 BLEEDING HEART OR
 DUTCHMAN'S BREECHES
 BLOODROOT
 BLUEBONNET
 BLUEGREEN ALGAE
 BOXWOOD
 BRACKEN FERN
 BUCKTHORN
 BULB FLOWERS: (AMARYLLIS,
 DAFFODIL, NARCISSUS,
 HYACINTH & IRIS)
 BURDOCK
 BUTTERCUP
 CACAO
 CAMEL BUSH
 CASTOR BEAN
 CALADIUM
 CANA LILY
 CARDINAL FLOWER
 CHALICE
 (TRUMPET
 VINE)
 CHERRY TREE
 CHINA BERRY TREE
 CHRISTMAS CANDLE
 CLEMATIS (VIRGINIA BOWER)
 CLIVIA
 COCKLEBUR
 COFFEE
 (SENNA)
 COFFEE BEAN (RATTLEBUSH,
 RATTLE BOX & COFFEEWEED)
 CORAL PLANT
 CORIANDER
 CORNCOCKLE
 COYOTILLO
 COWSLIP
 CUTLEAF PHILODENDRON
 DAFFODIL
 DAPHNE
 DATURA STRAMONIUM
 (ANGEL'S TRUMPET)
 DEATH CAMUS
 DELPHINIUM
 DEVIL'S IVY
 DIEFFENBACHIA
 (DUMB CANE)
 ELDERBERRY
 ELEPHANT EAR (TARO)
 ENGLISH IVY ERGOT

EUCALYPTUS (DRIED,
 DYED OR TREATED OR
 IN FLORAL
 ARRANGEMENTS)
 EUONYMUS (SPINDLE
 TREE)
 EUPHORBIA CACTUS
 FALSE HELLEBORE
 FLAME TREE
 FELT PLANT
 (MATERNITY, AIR &
 PANDA PLANTS)
 FIG (WEEPING)
 FIRE THORN
 FLAMINGO FLOWER
 FOUR O'CLOCK
 FOXGLOVE
 GLOTTIDIUM
 GOLDEN CHAIN
 GRASS: (JOHNSONSORGHUM,
 SUDAN &
 BROOM CORN)
 GROUND CHERRY
 HEATHS: (KALMIA,
 LEUCOTHO, PEIRES,
 RHODODENDRON, MTN.
 LAUREL, BLACK LAUREL,
 ANDROMEDA & AZALEA)
 HELIOTROPE
 HEMLOCK: (POISON &
 WATER)
 HENBANE
 HOLLY
 HONEYSUCKLE
 HORSE CHESTNUT
 HORSE TAIL
 HOYA
 HYACINTH
 HYDRANGEA
 IRIS
 IVY: (ENGLISH & OTHERS)
 JACK-IN-THE-PULPIT
 JASMINE (JESSAMINE)
 JERUSALEM CHERRY
 JIMSONWEED
 JUNIPER
 KY. COFFEE TREE
 LANTANA (RED SAGE)
 LARKSPUR
 LILY OF THE VALLEY
 LILY, ARUM
 LOBELIA
 LOCOWEED (MILK
 VETCH)
 LOCUSTS, BLACK/
 HONEY
 LORDS & LADIES
 (CUCKOOPINT)
 LUPINE
 MALANGA
 MARIJUANA (HEMP)
 MAYAPPLE
 (MANDRAKE)
 MEXICAN BREADFRUIT
 MEXICAN POPPY
 MILKWEED, COTTON
 BUSH
 MISTLETOE
 MOCK ORANGE
 MONKSHOOD
 MOONSEED
 MORNING GLORY

MTN. LAUREL
 MUSHROOMS,
 AMANITA
 MYRTLE
 NARCISSUS
 NETTLES
 NIGHTSHADES:
 (DEADLY, BLACK,
 GARDEN, WOODY,
 BITTERSWEET,
 EGGPLANT,
 JERUSALEM CHERRY)
 OAK
 OLEANDER
 OXALIS
 PARSLEY
 PEACE LILY
 PERIWINKLE
 PHILODENDRONS:
 (SPLIT LEAF, SWISS
 CHEESE, HEART-LEAF)
 PIGWEED
 POINCIANA
 POINSETTIA
 POISON IVY
 POISON HEMLOCK
 POISON OAK:
 (WESTERN & EASTERN)
 POKEWEED
 POTATO SHOOTS
 POTHOS
 PRIVET
 PYRACANTHA
 RAIN TREE
 RANUNCULUS,
 BUTTERCUP
 RAPE
 RATTLEBOX,
 CROTALARIA
 RED MAPLE
 RED SAGE (LANTANA)
 RHUBARB LEAVES
 RHODODENDRONS
 ROSARY PEA SEEDS
 SAND BOX TREE
 SKUNK CABBAGE
 SORREL (DOCK)
 SNOW DROP
 SPURGES: (PENCIL
 TREE, SNOW-ON-MTN,
 CANDELABRA,
 CROWN OF THORNS)
 STAR OF BETHLEHEM
 SWEET PEA
 SWISS CHEESE PLANT
 (MONSTERA)
 TANSY RAGWORT
 TOBACCO
 UMBRELLA PLANT
 VETCH: HAIRY/COMMON
 VIRGINIA CREEPER
 WATTLE
 WEEPING FIG
 WHITE CEDAR, CHINA
 BERRY
 WISTERIA
 YEW
 YELLOW JASMINE

HOUSEHOLD TOXINS

ALCOHOLIC DRINKS
AMMONIA
ANTIFREEZE
ANT SYRUP or PASTE
ARSENIC
ASBESTOS
AUTO PRODUCTS
BATHROOM CLEANERS
BLEACH
BORIC ACID
CAMPHOPHENIQUE
CARBON MONOXIDE
CARPET CLEANERS
CARPET FRESHENERS
CHARCOAL FLUIDS
CHLORDANE
CHLORINE
CIGARETTE SMOKE
CLINITEST TABLETS
COPPER/BRASS CLEANER
CORN & WART REMOVER
DEODORANTS
DETERGENTS
DIAZINON
DISINFECTANTS
DRAIN CLEANERS
EPOXY GLUE
FELT TIP MARKERS
FLEA PRODUCTS
FLOOR POLISH
FORMALDEHYDE
FURNITURE POLISH
GARDEN SPRAYS
GASOLINE
GUN CLEANERS
HAIR DYES & SPRAYS
HERBICIDES
INSECTICIDES
IODINE
KEROSENE

LIGHTER FLUID
LYE
MATCHES
MELALEUCA OIL
MODEL CEMENT
MOTHBALLS
MURIATIC ACID
MUSHROOMS
NAILPOLISH/REMOVER
NITROGEN DIOXIDE
OVEN CLEANER
OVERHEATED NON-STICK
COOKWARE
PAINT & THINNER
PERFUME
PERMANENTS(HAIR)
PESTICIDES
PHOTO SOLUTIONS
PINE OIL
RX DRUGS
RODENTICIDES
RUBBING ALCOHOL
SCENTED CANDLES
SHAVING LOTION
SHELLAC
SHOE POLISH
SNAIL BAIT
SPOT REMOVERS
SPRAY STARCH
STRYCHNINE
SULFURIC ACID
SUPER GLUE
SUNTAN LOTIONS/OILS
SURGICAL ACRYLICS
TEA TREE OIL
TURPENTINE
WAX
WEED KILLERS
WINDOW CLEANERS
WOOD PRESERVATIVES

January 11
 February 8
 March 28
 April 11
 May 9
 June 13

2008 Meetings
 July 11
 August: No meeting. Events tba
 September 12
 October 10
 November 14
 December Xmas party- tba



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 Full page \$87.50

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Business card size \$40.00
 One half page \$100.00
 Full page \$175.00

All ads run for a 12-month period. Send camera-ready artwork or neatly printed ad copy to SSEBS, c/o Pegg Bauer, 8008 Ellison Loop NW, Olympia, WA 98507 or to peggb@comcast.net – E-MAIL PREFERRED !! Copy and payment received by the third Thursday of the month will appear in the following month's newsletter.

Copy change during the current period will be considered on a case by case basis and additional charges – if any – will be determined at the time of request. All ads must be paid in full prior to being published. The SSEBS Board of Directors reserves the right to refuse any advertising it deems appropriate.

Questions? Contact Pegg Bauer at peggb@comcast.net.

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Join !! SSEBS YahooGroup.

This is not a "chat group" as such (a "chat group" generally means that everybody is on line at the same time, "talking" back and forth by typing messages in real-time.) With a YahooGroup, e-mail messages are posted to the group which then distributes copies of the messages to the subscribers, depending on how they want to receive the message copies.

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CAGES • breeder / wire • pet / powder coated	HYGROMETERS THERMOMETERS
PERCHES • wood • rope • cement / sandy	INCUBATORS-TURNEX
FEEDER BOWLS • plastic • ceramic • stainless steel	BASKETS CROCK POTS
BIRD FOOD • pellets • almonds • millet spray	SYRINGES TOWELS
CUTTLE BONE	NEST BOXES • wood • black plastic
WATER BOTTLES • nozzles • cage brackets	STUFFED ANIMALS
BOOKS VIDEOS	TOYS TOY PARTS
	MUSICAL TOYS
	FEATHER TETHERS
	GROOMING SUPPLIES

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OCTOBER 4th & 5th
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Lineolated parakeet babies:
 2 cobalts, 2 lutinos, 2 greens \$200 - \$300
 Rosy Bourke babies \$85
 Normal Bourke pair \$50
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Deanna Shafar, DVM



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6 parent raised 1 yr. old
Breeder birds: \$85.00 each
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kegdharth@hctc.com

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Contact [360-455-0697](tel:360-455-0697)
Sherylle: goffin90@yahoo.com

FOR SALE

Star Finches \$50/mated pair

Contact Linda James: [360-491-3216](tel:360-491-3216)
jamesgang@thurston.com

CLUB INFORMATION

- As a general rule, the first half hour of each General Meeting, from 7:00 to 7:30 pm, will be dedicated to socializing. The evening's program will begin at 7:30 pm, and the regular meeting will follow the program.
- For information, call 360/455-0697.
- The SSEBS mailing address is:
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A REMINDER: PLEASE NO BIRDS AT MEETINGS

Our contract with the Olympia Center requires that we follow its rule of no animals or birds at meetings unless it is part of a speaker's presentation. This affects the SSEBS insurance policy.

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Meetings on the third Thursday of each month
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Meetings on the first Sunday of every month.
- THE BIRD LOVERS SOCIAL CLUB
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For information, contact: President Julie Corwin, 206-772-1730
Email: blconnection@hotmail.com
http://www.geocities.com/bird_lovers_club/
Events and Educational Programs only -- no meetings

SSEBS Meeting Time/Place

SSEBS meetings are NORMALLY (but not always!!) held in Room 103 at the Olympia Center, 222 Columbia St NW, Olympia, WA 98501-8208 on the 2d Friday of each month. This can, however, vary – check your newsletter and the website. From I-5, take the Capitol exit, which comes out onto 14th Street. Follow 14th through the tunnel and turn right at the stoplight after you come out of the tunnel onto Capitol Way. Follow Capitol Way to State Street. The Olympia Center is just past this intersection on the left (light-colored 2-story building).

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