



You're Invited!

News  
from the bird store

Save the Date



# Night Owl Christmas

Friday Dec. 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022

6:30 — 9:00pm

## Have A Very Merry!

Join us for our Annual Night Owl  
Christmas Event with music,  
food, and Holiday Cheer!

Lori Brooks will be here playing  
your favorite music once again.  
Don't miss out! Relax, Shop  
and Enjoy an evening with us,  
it's our Holiday Party  
for you!



## CAROL OF THE BIRDS A Christmas Song



Upon this holy night, When God's great star appears, And  
floods the earth with brightness Birds' voices rise in song And  
warbling all night long Express their glad heart's lightness Birds'  
voices rise in song And warbling all night long Express their  
glad heart's lightness.

The Nightingale is first To bring his song of cheer, And tell us  
of His glad - ness: Jesus, our Lord, is born To free us from all sin  
And banish ev'ry sadness! Jesus, our Lord is born To free us  
from all sin And banish ev'ry sadness!

The answer'ing Sparrow cries: "God comes to earth this day  
Amid the angels flying." Trilling in sweetest tones, The Finch  
his Lord now owns: "To Him be all thanksgiving." Trilling in  
sweetest tones, The Finch his Lord now owns: "To Him be  
all thanksgiving."

The Partridge adds his note: "To Bethlehem I'll fly, Where in  
the stall He's lying. There, near the manger blest, I'll build  
myself a nest, And sing my love undying. There, near the  
manger blest, I'll build myself a nest, And sing my love undying.

There seems to be quite a few versions of this Christmas song.  
According to "Wikipedia" The song "**El cant dels ocells**",  
'The Song of the Birds' is a traditional Catalan Christmas song  
and lullaby. It tells of nature's joy at learning of the birth of  
Jesus Christ in a stable in Bethlehem.



We thought you might enjoy a different Christmas bird song other  
than the Seven Swans, Six Geese, Four Calling Birds, Three French  
Hens, Two Turtle Doves and the Partridge in the Pear Tree.

The Bird Store will be Open 7 Days a Week from Thanksgiving till Christmas for your Shopping Convenience  
Beginning after Thanksgiving until Christmas the Bird Store Hours are

**Monday - Saturday 10-6 • Sunday 11-5**



## Reminders:



Thanksgiving Day  
Nov. 24  
The Bird Store is Closed

The Bird Store  
Holiday Hours  
(Thanksgiving - Christmas)  
Monday-Saturday 10-6  
Sunday 11-5



Night Owl Christmas  
Friday Dec. 9  
6:30 - 9:00pm



Sturbridge Christmas  
Bird Count  
Wednesday Dec. 14

Christmas Eve  
Dec. 24  
The Bird Store closes early



Christmas Day  
Dec. 25  
The Bird Store is Closed

Dec. 26  
The Bird Store is Closed

New Year's Eve  
Dec. 31  
Quabbin Christmas  
Bird Count  
The Bird Store is Closed  
We may open if the Christmas  
Count is cancelled  
Call 508 347-2473 to see  
if we are there.

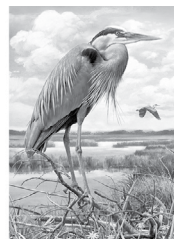
New Years Day  
Jan. 1, 2023  
The Bird Store is Closed

Jan. 2, 2023  
The Bird Store is back  
to Standard Hours  
Closed on Sundays

**A**rt by Alyssa Coasters & Trivets



**C**ohasset Gifts Glass Windchimes,  
Chirpy Top Wine Pourers,  
Cobble Hill Puzzles, Campana  
Bird Baths, Calendars



**B**eacon Ornaments,  
Brome Squirrel Buster Feeders,  
Bird Store T Shirts & Mugs



## Christmas Gifts A to Z

### Gift Ideas for your Family & Friends

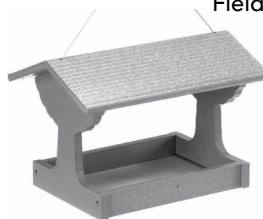
**D**ouglas Cuddle Toys, Abbott Swedish Dish Cloths,  
Droll Yankee Feeders



**E**vergreen Flags, Earth Sun & Moon T Shirts and Signs



**F**unatic and For Bare Feet Socks,  
Fly thru Feeders, Fruit Feeders,  
Field Guides



**G**rimes Honey,  
Gift Cards (they make a great stocking stuffer)  
Better yet, stuff a gift card in some fun socks!





**H**eated Baths, Hilltop Bird Feeders,  
Hummingbird Feeders, Hanging Tray Feeders



**I**lluminate Candles



**J**ohn Neumuth Bird Carvings



**L**iberty Graphics T Shirts



**M**assarelli's Bird Baths & Statuary,  
Mr Bird Seed Wreaths,  
Make your own Bird House/Feeder Kits

**K**itras Art Glass Globes, Kettle Moraine  
Bird Feeders, Kids Books



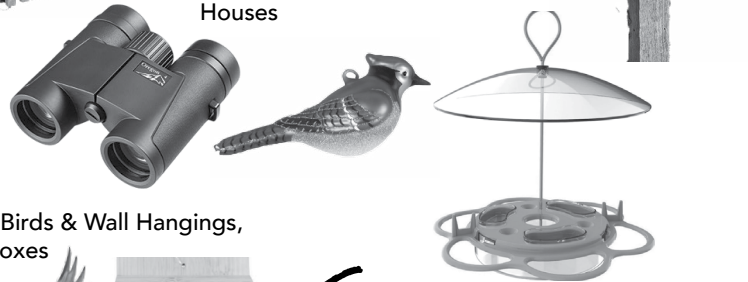
**N**ature Creation Bird Houses,  
North Country Wind Bells



**P**acific Bird Suet Balls and Feeders,  
Parasol Feeders, Peanut Feeders



**O**pticron Binoculars, Oriole Feeders,  
Ornaments, Old Time Woodworking  
Houses



**Q**uick Clean Feeders  
by Aspects



**R**egal Metal Birds & Wall Hangings,  
Roosting Boxes



**S**oap Lifts & Australian Natural Soap,  
Silver Forest Earrings



**T**ea Towels from Abbott, Paines, & Liberty Graphics



**U**pside down Suet Feeders



**V**ari-crafts Feeders,  
Van-ness Food  
Storage Containers



**W**ind River Chimes, Walston  
Woodcraft Whirlygigs,  
Woody's Feeders & Houses,  
Wooden Expression Bird Houses



**Y**our True Nature Magnets



**X**-Tender Hooks aka Hanging  
Hooks & Hardware



**Z** is for All The Great Gifts You Will Find!



**20% off**  
**any one item with this coupon.**  
**Excludes Optics and Bear Proof Poles.**  
 Discount cannot be combined with any other discount offer, seed saver, or squirrel card reward points. One per customer please.  
**Valid through 12/24/2022**

## Did You Know

That birds nests in a Christmas tree are symbols of home. They represent the love, commitment, and effort it takes to build a happy home.

Bird nests are also good-luck symbols. Legend has it that prosperity will come to any home that finds a bird's nest nestled among the branches of the family Christmas tree. This legend is one that has been traced back to Iceland, Sweden, and Germany. The many varied versions of the legend include in that prosperity: health, happiness, friendship, and good luck. Nests it turns out are not where birds roost, they are for keeping eggs and chicks in place. They are a home for new life.



## Pause and Reflect!

"As we struggle with shopping lists and invitations, compounded by December's bad weather, it is good to be reminded that there are people in our lives who are worth this aggravation, and people to whom we are worth the same." – **Donald E. Westlake**

"Christmas gives us the opportunity to pause and reflect on the important things around us." – **David Cameron**

**May the Spirit of the Season bless you all~**



*Bill, Nancy & Dezeree*



## Because You Asked

**Q:** What is the fastest bird in the world?

**A:** Peregrine Falcon - In a dive this bird can reach 242 miles per hour. It is not only the fastest bird, but the fastest living creature on Earth.



**Bird Store Hours:**  
 Open 7 Days Thanksgiving till Christmas  
 Monday-Saturday 10-6 • Sunday 11-5

**Mailing Address:** P.O. Box 736, Fiskdale, MA 01518  
**Phone:** (508)-347-BIRD

[thebirdstoreandmore.com](http://thebirdstoreandmore.com)

Sturbridge, MA 01566  
 (Route 20, Cedar Street Intersection)  
 4 Cedar Street,



**Gift Certificates are always a welcome gift!**



PRST STD  
 PAID  
 U.S. POSTAGE  
 PERMIT NO. 65  
 SOUTHBURIDGE, MA