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Annual Chapter-only Membership Drive and information.

Harris Sparrow by Lynn Barber

Invitation to Join as a Chapter-only Member of the Fort Worth Audubon Society

As a member of either the National Audubon Society living in the Fort Worth area, or a previous member of Fort Worth Audubon, you have joined hundreds of fellow north Texans who enjoy watching birds in their natural habitat. A portion of your National Membership dues are shared with state and local Audubon chapters to help promote Audubon's conservation and education efforts. However, in recent years National Audubon has needed to reduce the funds sent to local organizations. This has left Audubon chapters with less funding to support local conservation and education projects, and chapter operational budgets.

In response, Fort Worth Audubon has created a *Chapter-only Membership*. Every dollar of your Chapter-only Membership dues goes towards local projects and operational costs. These include providing *Audubon Adventures* classroom kits to over 90 elementary teachers in Tarrant County schools, and habitat restoration projects at Fort Worth Nature Center, River Legacy Park, and several other Texas agencies who support wildlife rescue, environment awareness education and habitat improvement. *Please consider joining us as we move forward to a new year.*

Reasons to Choose a Chapter-only Membership:

- 100% of your dues is used for local operational costs. Your dues and additional donations are tax deductible.
 - You still support national goals and programs "Thinking Globally, Acting Locally".
- Receive priority reservation on field trips with participation limits. Helps make the Fort Worth Audubon Society financially self-sufficient.

Join Now! Only \$25 for a single membership, \$35 for family or couple at same address. Membership dues are for the calendar year (January 1st thru December 31st)

| Sign me up for a Chapter-only Membership of the Ft. Worth Audubon Society for the calendar year. (20) | |
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| Name (s) | _ |
| Street Address / P.O. Box / Apartment Number | |
| City, State, ZIP | |
| Telephone email address Your contact information will not be shared with any other organization. | |
| Membership: \$25 □Family / Couple membership vould like to make an additional tax deductible donation | |
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Register and pay on-line using a credit card or PayPal account. Go to our home page at www.fwas.org. Scroll down to the <u>Join FWAS Online</u> button. Select <u>Membership Type</u> then click on the <u>Pay Now</u> button. Thanks!

Cut and <u>return this portion</u> along with your check made payable to:

Fort Worth Audubon Society

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