

# Dedicated to the study of birds in Ontario

Ontario Field Ornithologists (OFO) was formed in 1982 to unify field ornithologists (birders) across the province and to provide a forum for the exchange of ideas and information among its members. OFO is one of the five partner organizations sponsoring the third Ontario Breeding Bird Atlas.

## Publications

*OFO News* and *Ontario Birds* are each published three times a year and are included with your membership. *Ontario Birds* features current articles by amateur and professional ornithologists about the status, distribution, identification and behaviour of Ontario's birds and includes the Annual Report of the Ontario Bird Records Committee.

Illustrated with excellent colour photos, *OFO News* features short articles about birds and bird identification, site guides, a bird quiz and book reviews.

## Field Trips

Field trips with expert leaders to the best birding spots in Ontario will sharpen your field identification skills. For both novice and experienced birders. OFO members abide by the OFO Code of Conduct. <http://www.ofo.ca/site/content/code-of-conduct>

## OFO's Annual Convention

Held each fall at unique birding locations across the province. Features guest speakers and a wide selection of field trips.

## Ontario Bird Records Committee (OBRC)

This committee maintains the official Ontario Bird Checklist and publishes a Review List of Species.

## OFO Young Birders

Trips and events designed to help young birders develop field skills and meet other young birders.



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## OFO Membership Application or Renewal Form

If possible, please join or renew online:

<http://ofo25.wildapricot.org>

Annual memberships allow for three additional people at the same address.

Please include names and emails on reverse.

**Make cheque payable to:  
Ontario Field Ornithologists**

### Mail to:

Ontario Field Ornithologists  
c/o Sue Suess  
60 Coulter Ave,  
St. Thomas ON  
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Please allow time for cheques to be processed. Tax receipts will be mailed in February.

New Member    Renewal    Gift Membership (Select one type per form. Use a separate form per application)

### Annual Membership

Canada \$45.00  
 USA \$50.00  
 International \$55.00

### Life Membership

Canada \$700.00  
 USA \$800.00  
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### Young Birder (to age 18)

Online publications - Free  
 Printed publications by mail - \$10.00

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Prov./State \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail (required) \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Name (required) \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (required) \_\_\_\_\_

Young Birders Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Parent or Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Guardian E-mail (required) \_\_\_\_\_

**Tax-deductible Donation** (for amounts over \$10.00) \$ \_\_\_\_\_  General Fund    Young Birders Fund

I give OFO permission to publish my name and city on the annual donors report and new members announcement

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I could assist OFO members by: (e.g. providing information on local hotspots, taking visitors out birding, etc)

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