

Everyone Can Bird: Accessible Birding Series **Fri. July 24th & Sat. October 17th**

The Everyone Can Bird community partner series designed for accessible birding for all skills and abilities is back! The first of 3 events was held on May 3rd at Chambers Grove Park and was a great success! We had fantastic weather and well over a hundred participants enjoyed the viewing of several hundred American White Pelicans, which never disappoint! A number of other interesting birds including a Green Heron, Double-crested Cormorants, Ruby-crowned Kinglets, Yellowbellied Sapsuckers, and a flock of Bonaparte's Gulls made their presence known as well. A nice assortment of early season migrants were seen by participants.



All are invited to attend the upcoming free events on Friday, July 24th at Barker's Island in Superior, WI and Saturday, October 17th at Hawk Ridge Nature Reserve. Designed with accessibility in mind, the event will provide accessible parking, American Sign Language interpretation and binoculars with a wheelchair mount. A track chair – an all-terrain, electric-powered chair that can be used on hiking trails – is also available for use. Sit or walk along a packed gravel path throughout the park with expert bird guides to lead discussion and aid observation. Free bus transportation is provided from locations in Superior and Duluth (register to reserve a seat on bus). More information about the July event is [HERE](#) and October coming soon at folsr.org/events.



The Friends of the Lake Superior Reserve, Duluth Parks and Recreation, Hawk Ridge Bird Observatory, Lake Superior Reserve, Minnesota Land Trust and Wisconsin Sea Grant are hosting this series.