The Bloomin’ Birdathon is our annual fundraising event that provides an excellent opportunity for you, your family, friends and coworkers to engage with nature in a fun outdoor activity while supporting ANS nature education and conservation programs.

**Your participation is more important than ever!** Your support of the Bloomin’ Birdathon as a counter or donor will enable ANS to continue to provide our services to help people of all ages experience and learn about nature, and help us protect our natural environment. THANK YOU for helping to make this possible.

**Bloomin’ Birdathon Guidelines**

Participating is easy and open to nature enthusiasts of all ages and skill levels – you don’t have to be an expert to count! Plus, you can count from home, in your yard, on walks around your neighborhood, in nearby parks, or on multiple trips to your favorite natural areas.

- You can count birds and/or blooms (or other species, if you want) between April 15 – May 31. You can count on multiple days but for no more than 24 hours in total. Identifying a bird call counts as a sighting. So do birds that you spot at your feeder or on a bird cam!
- Children can count anything in nature.
- All counters and their sponsors will receive a 20% discount coupon at our Naturalist Shop (optics excluded) as our way of saying THANK YOU!
- Please use our Bloomin’ Birdathon resources for a fun experience and, as always, please be sure to follow CDC guidance and government regulations for social distancing.

**To REGISTER, sign up online or contact Corinna Fisk at corinna.fisk@anshome.org**