

WINTER BIRD COUNT

DECEMBER 6, 2025



Started in 1998, the Winter Bird Count is an annual event that promotes cultural and environmental awareness. Community members and volunteers come together to share knowledge and collect data.

Event Schedule

7AM

Arrive at
Designated
Meeting Points



11AM

Activities
Begin at HHC



1PM

Event Concludes



Huhugam Heritage Center

21359 S. Maricopa Rd
Chandler, AZ 85226

Museum will be open for early birds!

Site Descriptions



Site Accessibility

Site 1: Sacaton

Meeting Location: MAR5 Interpretive Trail



Participants will park at the MAR5 Interpretive Trail. After birding the cottonwood and willow gallery, participants will caravan to the Sacaton Water Treatment plant to observe various waterfowl.

Site 2: Gila Butte

Meeting Location: District 4 Service Center



This agricultural turnout features a mature gallery of cottonwood trees and extensive margins of emergent mesquite habitat. This area features uneven terrain and unmarked trails.

Site 3: Resort, Wastewater Treatment

Meeting Location: Aji Spa



Participants will meet at the Aji Spa at the Wild Horse Pass Sheraton. After birding the nature trail, participants will caravan to the Lone Butte Retention Pond to observe various waterfowl.

Site 4: Pee Posh Wetlands

Meeting Location: D7 Service Center



The Pee Posh Wetlands is a corridor of cottonwood and willow trees with margins of mesquite habitat. This area is good for observing raptors and various sparrow species. This area features uneven terrain and unmarked trails.

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Please refer to the map
(**3rd page**) to sign up for
your preferred locations.



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