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Audubon Alaska eNews

Dear Friend,

Snow is falling but some hardy Alaska birds continue about their business. During my first cross-country skiing foray of the season, I had the good fortune to spot a Northern Hawk Owl hunting in Creamer's Field Important Bird Area in Fairbanks. Black-capped, Boreal, and Chestnut-backed chickadees are signs of life at feeders across the state. In this short eNews edition, you can catch up on the fall print newsletter if you haven't read it yet, learn about a Thanksgiving special for birders, and of course find the answer to last month's WatchList Quiz!

1. [Audubon Alaska Fall 2012 Print Newsletter](#)
2. [Birds of Paradise TV Special Aairs on Thanksgiving Day](#)
3. [Alaska WatchList Quiz: Last Month's Answer](#)

Audubon Alaska Fall 2012 Print Newsletter

November is when the Audubon Alaska fall print newsletter migrates to mailboxes, but if you missed it, you can also read it on our website: [Fall 2012 Newsletter](#).

Birds of Paradise TV Special Aairs on Thanksgiving Day

While you're coming out of your Thanksgiving Day food coma, marvel at the flights of fancy that are Birds of Paradise in this TV special filmed by Cornell Lab of Ornithology. "Winged Seduction: Birds of Paradise" airs on the National Geographic Channel at 10:00 pm Eastern time, **November 22** (Thanksgiving Day). [Watch this sneak preview.](#)

Alaska WatchList Quiz

The quiz questions are pulled from information about species on the [Alaska WatchList](#), which is available on the Audubon Alaska website.

ANSWER TO LAST MONTH'S QUIZ: The answer to the last Alaska WatchList question "What [Alaska WatchList](#) species nests only in the Bering Sea region, the majority on St. George Island, one of the Pribilof Islands?" with the hint "This small gull has a more common black-legged relative. This was one of the life birds Melanie smith saw on October 6 on the icebreaker the *Healy*." is...

Red-legged Kittiwake.

Audubon Alaska is thankful for members like you!
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