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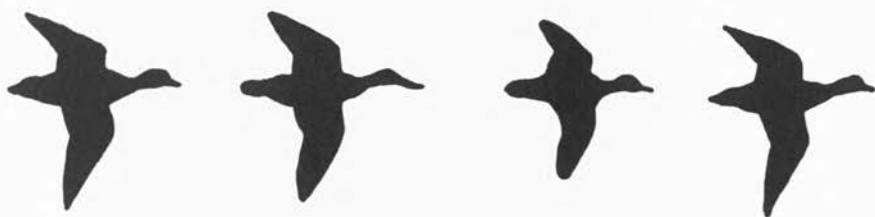
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## **Bird Observer Fall Workshops**

### **BALDPATES AND BLUEBILLS, SKUNKHEADS AND SQUEAKERS - a waterfowl workshop**

A waterfowl workshop: a survey of the nearly 35 species of ducks, geese, and swans occurring in Massachusetts. Topics will include waterfowl adaptations, breeding biology, migration, and tips on how to identify local species.

Scheduled for October, the workshop will include a two-hour lecture and a one-day weekend field trip. Cost: \$25.



### **MARINE BIRDS AND MAMMALS**

Due to the interest expressed in the marine bird and mammal workshop two years ago, BIRD OBSERVER is again pleased to offer this program. The workshop will examine not only the various factors that affect the distribution of marine birds and mammals at sea but will also consider how these organisms have adapted themselves to survive in a marine environment. Attention will be given to helping participants learn to recognize marine birds and mammals under field conditions.

Scheduled for late October, the workshop will include a full day's sea trip to Stellwagen Bank and a two-hour indoor lecture. Cost: approximately \$40.



**Wayne R. Petersen will conduct both of these workshops.**

**For more information, call Wayne R. Petersen, 617-447-0332.**

Exact dates and times will be announced. For early registration, call or write Martha Vaughan, Bird Observer Program Coordinator, 15 Elmwood Park, Newtonville, MA 02160. Telephone: 617-244-0166, 6 P.M. to 10 P.M. only.