



John Neville

Birding by Ear Workshop
Thursday 9 am Soroptimist Lodge,
Filberg Centre

John Neville is a BC nature recordist, well-known for his recordings of bird songs, and past-president of BC Nature. John will be giving an indoor lecture at the Filberg, followed by a walking trip to a nearby birding location. This will be easy walking for the participants.

As Neville Recording, John has produced seventeen regional sound guides to bird identification and an e-book titled "Travelling the Dempster". He just released the 4 CD guide "Bird Songs of Canada, Chants D'Oiseaux du Canada". A highly recommended reference for this workshop is the 2CD Beginners Guide to Bird Song of BC . This CD will be available at the conference.

He regularly presents at birding festivals such as the Brant Festival, Wings over the Rockies and Swan Festival for Alberta Parks. He has published articles in Birds and Blooms and journals for Ontario Nature (Seasons), Nature Saskatchewan, BC Field Ornithologists (BC Birds), Wildlife Sound Recording Society (Wildlife Sound), and BC Nature . He is the current recipient of the BC Nature Elton Anderson Award for outstanding achievement in public conservation. You can listen to interviews with John and sample his recordings and purchase CD's and downloads on his web site www.nevillerecording.com. Recently John's nature recordings have been used by the Canadian Wildlife Service for Training DVD, CBC Television , The Nature of Things and Parks Canada Interpretive Programs. His work is now being exhibited in the new Robert Bateman Center in Victoria.

John records in the wild with great sensitivity and field craft awareness. His major aim is that the production of his art of nature recording will make people more aware of the feathered creatures and their need for a protected habitat.

Visit John's web site at

http://www.nevillerecording.com/m_index.php