



David C. Olson

## FEATHERS TO FUR

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29TH, 2023

Highland Community College | Student Conference Center, Building H

SILENT AUCTION 5:30 | DINNER 6:00  
PROGRAM 7:30

WELCOME ALL NATURE LOVERS –  
PUBLIC WELCOME

### PROGRAM

David C. Olson, an accomplished photographer, will take us on a visual tour of the natural world. David will present images from his travel photography as well as fascinating information about some of North America's native wildlife. David has been photographing the natural world for more than 25 years. His photographs have appeared in a variety of books and magazines, including Alaska, National Geographic, Audubon, and National Wildlife Federation. See and hear firsthand about some of our magnificent furry and feathered inhabitants thanks to this large-screen display of breath-taking wildlife photos and stories from the field. In the world of nature photography, David's perspective and style are distinctive with stunning detail.



David's award-winning studio, Olson Photography, and gallery are located in Rockford, Illinois. [www.davidolsonphoto.com](http://www.davidolsonphoto.com)

**Feel free to wear a mask throughout the banquet when you are not eating or drinking.**

### MEAL

The banquet meal includes a choice of: pasture-raised turkey from Arnold's Farm or vegetable lasagna, with sweet corn from Drake's Farm, green beans, mashed potatoes and gravy, cole-slaw, whole-grain rolls and homemade desserts.

Beverages include fair-trade, shade-grown organic coffee and organic, fair-trade teas. Meal is catered by Lessman Catering.

### SILENT AUCTION

Includes nature-related items with all proceeds from the auction supporting local Audubon chapter activities. **See back panel for updated information on the silent auction deadline.**

## NIAS BANQUET RESERVATION

March 29th, 2023

To make your reservation please mail this completed form, with your check made out to NIAS, to Tim Smith.

Tim Smith, 1975 Mound Hill Rd., Dixon IL 61021

**RESERVATIONS FOR THE MEAL  
MUST BE RECEIVED BY MARCH 18TH.**

List all Names

Address

City

State

Zip

Phone

Email

### BANQUET AND PROGRAM

Adult - Turkey (\$32.00 each)	\$
Adult - Vegetable Lasagna (\$32.00 each)	\$
Child - Turkey (12 & under - free)	
Child - Vegetable Lasagna (12 & under - free)	
<b>Total Attending</b>	<b>#</b>

### PROGRAM ONLY *preregistration not necessary*

Adults (\$5.00 each)	\$
Students (free)	\$
<b>Total Attending</b>	<b>#</b>

### DONATION

I would like to make a donation to NIAS	\$
<b>Total Amount Enclosed</b>	<b>\$</b>

**FOR MORE INFORMATION:  
call Tim Smith at 815.835.5109  
or email [timtreetsmith@gmail.com](mailto:timtreetsmith@gmail.com)**

*The banquet price includes the catered meal and the program.  
Additional forms can be printed from [www.nwilaudubon.org](http://www.nwilaudubon.org).*

**Northwest Illinois  
Audubon Society**

P.O. Box 771  
Freeport, IL 61032-0771

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***Banquet Information Enclosed***

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*The Student Conference Center, Building H, is on the northwest corner of the Freeport campus. Parking is directly north of the building entrance; the building is fully accessible. For directions to the college, check the website: [www.highland.edu](http://www.highland.edu) or call 815.235.6121*

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**WANTED**  
*SILENT AUCTION ITEMS*

We are glad to accept Nature-oriented books, games, artwork, a gift certificate from a local business or even a tour or trip that you want to organize or lead.

**ALL AUCTION ITEMS NEED TO BE CALLED/EMAILED INTO CHRIS KRUGER (815-238-9259) or [chriskruger88@gmail.com](mailto:chriskruger88@gmail.com) BY MARCH 24TH. ITEMS THAT HAVE NOT BEEN CALLED/EMAILED TO CHRIS BY MARCH 24TH WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED DUE TO THE SPACE ALLOTTED FOR THE AUCTION ITEMS.**

All proceeds from the Silent Auction are used in support of local Chapter activities and our two preserves – Elkhorn Creek and Silver Creek Biodiversity Preserves.

***Thanks for your donation!***