

## Do You Feed the Birds?

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Gray-crowned Rosy-Finch  
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Evergreen Audubon Society will be conducting its [52<sup>nd</sup> annual Christmas Bird Count](#) on Sunday, December 20, 2020. We are one of over 2500 organizations throughout the Western Hemisphere that conduct these annual counts, and we invite you to participate and help us out by doing one of two things:

1. You can count the numbers of species and individual birds that show up at your bird feeder on the 20<sup>th</sup> and send us your final numbers by the evening of the 20<sup>th</sup> or sometime the following day. We'll provide clear guidelines.
2. If you would prefer, we will have folks combing the Evergreen-Idaho Springs neighborhoods and surrounding public lands on the 20<sup>th</sup>, and we could arrange to have someone drop by and check out what's at your feeder. It doesn't matter if you are home, as we would just view your feeders from the road. It would be a big help if you could let us know if you have a busy feeder and are in our count-circle, which is 15-miles in diameter. Please be in touch if you feed birds regularly, think this sounds intriguing, or would simply like to have more information about the Christmas Bird Count.

Thanks!! Chuck Aid, Director of Bird Monitoring

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