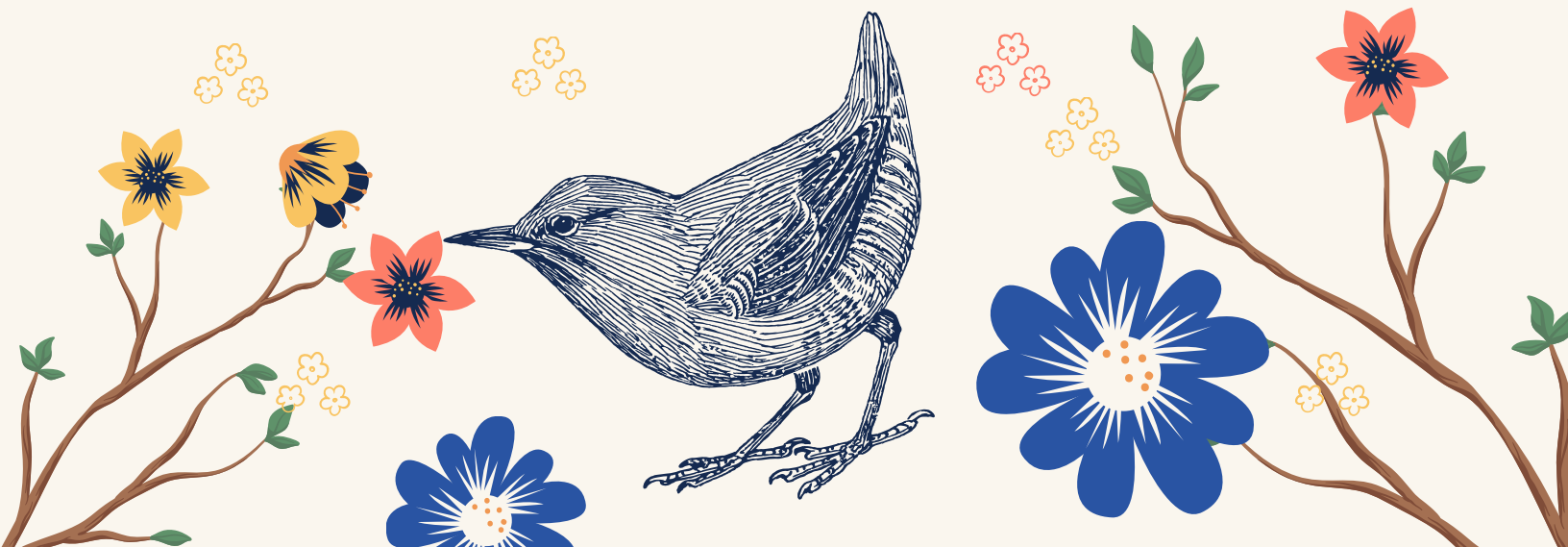


# Calling All Bird Lovers!

On March 6, 2024, Lower Makefield Township became a recognized Pennsylvania Bird Town. Today, there are 70+ Bird Town PA municipalities, thanks to the hard work of Heidi Shiver, the President of Bird Town Pennsylvania, and her staff. Our town is chock full of birds of all species, making them an integral part of the community. The various birds of LMT are what make it such a special and beautiful place to live. We are fortunate enough to be living in a town that values the birds, as well as the trees, shrubs and plants that provide food and shelter for them. Ask yourself, what could be nicer than waking up to the songs of our birds?



In 2024, LMT's Bird Town brought two very exciting events to the community. On September 28 at 10:00AM, we held a free and inclusive hummingbird workshop presented by Grace Carter in the Lower Makefield Township Community Center. The presentation was an hour long, followed by a Q&A session. On October 5 at 3PM, Gregory Martel, a Master Falconer, introduced his raptors to Lower Makefield. There were over 110 people in attendance at his first Falconry Exhibit in April, and the demand for another event was imminent. Thus, we invited him back for another free showing, accompanied by his raptors of course!





After a successful first year as an official member of Bird Town PA, we strive to make even more of an impact in our second year. Planning unique and fun events such as these is only a small fraction of the wonderful work we get to do here in Lower Makefield. If you desire to make an impact for the community's wildlife and habitats, we would love to have you join us. To learn more about Bird Town PA, please refer to [birdtownpa.org](http://birdtownpa.org). If you are interested in getting involved in Lower Makefield's Bird Town PA, please contact me, Jeanne Bray, at [jjyardley56@gmail.com](mailto:jjyardley56@gmail.com). I would love to hear from you.

Jeanne Bray, Chair, LMT Bird Town PA

