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ASSOCIATION OF FIELD ORNITHOLOGISTS

ANNUAL MEETING 21–24 MARCH 1991

(Tentative Schedule)

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| 21 March | Arrival; Council meeting; reception |
| 22 March | 0700 Local field trips |
| | 0915 Welcome |
| | 0930 Symposium: Avian Conservation: the Problem and Solutions |
| | 1200 Lunch |
| | 1300 Symposium: Avian Conservation: the Problem and Solutions (continued) |
| | 1700 Reception |
| | 1800 Symposium Banquet |
| 23 March | 0700 Local field trips |
| | 0900 Symposium: Professional in Ornithology |
| | 1100 AFO business meeting |
| | 1200 Lunch |
| | 1300 Contributed paper sessions |
| | 1700 Poster paper session and reception |
| | 1900 Banquet |
| | 2100 COSO String Quartet: An Evening of Avian Chamber Music |
| 24 March | Field trips |

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NORTH AMERICAN BLUEBIRD SOCIETY RESEARCH GRANTS—1991

The North American Bluebird Society announces the eighth annual grants in aid for ornithological research directed toward cavity nesting species of North America with emphasis on the genus *Sialia*. Presently three grants of single or multiple awards are awarded and include:

Bluebird Research Grant

Available to student, professional or individual researcher for a suitable research project focused on any of the three species of bluebird for the genus *Sialia*.

General Research Grant

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Available to full-time college or university students for a suitable research project focused on a North American cavity nesting species.

Further guidelines and application materials are available upon request from:

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Completed applications must be received by **December 1, 1990**; decisions will be announced by January 15, 1991.

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NORTH AMERICAN LOON FUND GRANTS

The North American Loon Fund (NALF) announces availability of 1991 grants in support of management, research, and educational projects directly related to the conservation of the family Gaviidae. In research, special consideration will be given to NALF priorities including studies concerning capture techniques, winter ecology, migration, and subadults.

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