



(LEFT) PATIENTLY WAITING, ROBERTO RODRIGUEZ ADAM; (MIDDLE) COYOTE; JUDY DREW FAIRCHILD; (RIGHT) GREENISH RAT SNAKE, MICHAEL D. SUMMER

April 26, 2018

Dear SC Wildlife Champion,

Our spring membership drive is in full swing. We are excited to let you know that we reached and exceeded our March goal of \$12,000. Our April goal is \$10,000, so we hope you will renew today if you have not yet done so.

As a past supporter of SCWF, you no doubt understand the importance of conserving wildlife and wildlife habitat through education and advocacy. You know the truth: that no one person can handle this fight for conservation. It must be a collective effort. More and more South Carolinians must appreciate the importance of conservation, and we must strive to get more people outdoors.

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WITH YOUR SUPPORT:

- We will **INSIST**, as we have done for over 85 years, principles of science and biology prevail in management of wildlife and fisheries, not political whim.
- We will **RE-DOUBLE** our efforts in providing opportunities for young people to spend more time outside learning about and enjoying the natural world.
- We will **EXPAND** our outdoor adventure trips to make them even more accessible for all South Carolinians to enjoy.

You have made a big difference by supporting us, and from the bottoms of our hearts, we want to thank you for making it possible to continue fighting in challenging times. Thanks to your support, you have made it possible for us to do all we have accomplished

in recent campaigns. Now, we ask that you continue to support us by renewing your membership for 2018. By doing so, you have a direct positive impact on educating your fellow South Carolinians. Your donation will give you and your neighbors the opportunity to learn why it's so important to fight for wildlife. We want to expand our conservation army, and we need your help NOW to achieve success. Help us make our state greater and greener by donating now.

Thank you so much,

Kristin Weaver

MANAGER OF DEVELOPMENT

P.S. We hope to see your smiling face at some of our upcoming events listed below. Thanks again for all you do. It makes a BIG difference! We are constantly adding new events so keep up with our website and Facebook page so you don't miss anything!

EVENT CALENDAR

Sunday, May 6 at 1 p.m.

GUIDED BIRDING HIKE THROUGH CONGAREE CREEK HERITAGE PRESERVE

Friday, May 11 - Saturday, May 12 at Santee National Wildlife Refuge
SANTEE BIRDING PALMETTO PRO BIRDER MODULE

Saturday, July 21st from 6 to 10 p.m. at Seawell's Catering in Columbia
WILD SUMMER'S NIGHT AUCTION & WILD GAME FEAST

OPENS Wednesday, August 15 | CLOSSES Wednesday, October 31
16TH ANNUAL WILDLIFE PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST

Saturday, September 22 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
NATIONAL HUNTING AND FISHING DAY

Friday, September 28 - Sunday, September 30
WOMEN'S OUTDOOR RETREAT 2018

(LEFT) BLUE HERON BRAW, ZELIA FRICK; (MIDDLE) BABY GREEN TREE FROG, LAURIE WALDEN; (RIGHT) GHOST CRAB, TERRI BOWMAN

