

Arctic Audubon & the FNSB Noel Wien Library presents...

Wildlife, Wilderness, and Winged Migrations

presentation by Nils Warnock, Audubon Alaska

Monday, March 14th, 7:00 pm
Noel Wien Library Auditorium

You are invited to an evening with Dr. Nils Warnock, the new Executive Director of Audubon Alaska. Nils will talk about Audubon Alaska's projects and plans, and then segue into one of his favorite topics: shorebird migration and conservation. Drawing on his extensive field research in Alaska and beyond, Nils will focus on the migration of Alaska shorebirds like Western Sandpipers, Dunlin, and Bar-tailed Godwits. Drawing from



Nils with Sharp-tailed Sandpiper on YK Delta

his experience tagging and following these amazing birds, Nils will discuss the threats these species face, including loss of habitat, climate change, and a variety of other factors. Enjoy refreshments and an opportunity for informal conversation after the formal presentation.

Small Grant Applications due March 15th

Applications for Arctic Audubon Society's Small Grants Program should be submitted by Tuesday, March 15. Arctic Audubon will consider applications for small grants of *up to* \$2,000, and partial funding may be offered. More information can be found at www.arcticaudubon.org.

Stampede State Recreation Area Update

Legislation has been introduced in the State House and Senate to create a Stampede State Recreation Area near Healy, which would include Eight-mile Lake and lands east to the Panguingue Creek subdivision boundary. Learn more about the proposed Stampede State Recreation Area by visiting <http://stampedefriends.wordpress.com>. You will find information about the legislation (HB 113 and SB 60) and how to contact key players in the proposal.