

## They're Back! January 23, 2018

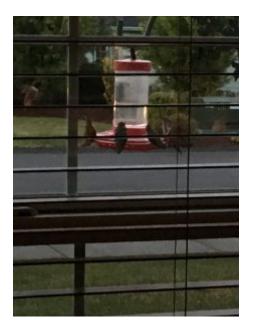
Seeing more birds returning this time of year gives every gardener in the neighborhood hope for spring and every birder delight. Watching the birds enjoy the feeder at the office or the feeders at home is a real treat for all of us winter weary residents.



Feasting at the office

These shots are from my hummingbird feeder at home last spring and more recently during our one snow event this winter.





A gathering in Spring



No room at the feeder



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For more bird fun check out the live cameras at www.allaboutbirds.org. Here is the link if you want to click HERE. This is a fun link to save as a favorite. One of the camera shots you can watch are for Albatross on the Island of Kauai. There is a chick in the nest and here is a shot of what you might see if you are watching at the right time. This photo was taken yesterday.



Albatross Chick

## Quote of the week:

Nature always wears the colors of the spirit. -Ralph Waldo Emerson



## Happenings this Week:

Thursday, February 8th: Movie night at Stillwaters Estates! This month the movie is Beauty and the Beast. This is our Valentine movie so come join the fun. This movie stars Emma Watson and Dan Stevens. The movie starts promptly at 6 p.m. Come by 5:45 for an ice cream treat.

Enjoy the week ahead!