

W.A.E.S.

Wasatch Avian Education Society

June 2019

The speaker at our June meeting will be John Neill, who is an Avian Biologist with the Utah Division of Wildlife Resources in the Great Salt Lake Ecosystem Program. While John has conducted research on a variety of water birds on the lake, he will be speaking to us about pelicans. Many of us have probably seen a flock of penguins floating high above the Salt Lake Valley and wondered if they aren't lost or very far from home. It came as a surprise to me to learn that Gunnison Island, in the north-west arm of Great Salt Lake, is home to one of the largest breeding colonies of American white pelicans within its North American range. Mr. Neill will tell us more about these amazing birds and their place in the Great Salt



Lake ecosystem. Come learn about one of our largest native bird species and take home information with which you can impress your friends!

### Monthly Meeting

June 8, 2019

7:00 pm

**Salt Lake County  
Complex**

2001 S. State Street

Room N1100

(North Building)

Our meetings are free  
and open to the public.

Come meet other parrot  
enthusiasts.

Refreshments & Raffle  
Table

Come see what our  
volunteer

Flock is all about.

### Adoption Report

No adoptions took place this month but we had two intakes:

Tiki, a green cheek conure and Shiloh, a sun conure. They are a bonded female pair.

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