

Timberdoodle

Did you know? The Timberdoodle is also known as the American woodcock. This fascinating bird helps herald the arrival of spring in the Grand River watershed. The male advertises for a mate by making a nasal “peent” sound from the ground. Then suddenly he flies upward in a widening spiral with wings whistling as he goes. He chirps back down to the ground, often returning to the same location where he started his amazing “sky dance”.

