## BURROUGHS AUDUBON SOCIETY OF GREATER KANSAS CITY ANNOUNCES



The 2006 Annual Dinner and Silent Auction Saturday, April 8, 2006 6 PM--Silent Auction; 7 PM--Dinner; 6-7 PM--Cash Bar Hillcrest Country Club 8200 Hillcrest Road, Kansas City, MO 64138

(DIRECTIONS: From I-435, exit at E. 87th St. and turn WEST for 1 block. There is a BP/Amoco gas station on the N.E. corner of 87th & Hillcrest. Turn NORTH or RIGHT at that corner and proceed to 82nd & Hillcrest Rd. Turn LEFT into the Country Club.)

## "Hawks and Owls: Those Magnificent Raptors!" A program by author and naturalist Chris G. Earley

Interpretive Biologist and Education Coordinator of the Arboretum at the University of Guelph in Ontario, Canada. Mr. Earley has written four bird guides published by Firefly Books (<a href="http://www.fireflybooks.com/Nature/Birds.html">http://www.fireflybooks.com/Nature/Birds.html</a>), including Hawks and Owls of the Great Lakes Region and Eastern North America. The other titles cover warblers, waterfowl, and sparrows and finches. He is an instructor for bird workshops and art classes at the Arboretum, and also a trip leader for Quest Nature Tours. He has led excursions to Africa, Greenland, and southern Canada.

Copies of Chris Earley's books will be available for purchase at the dinner, autographed by the author. Don't miss this wonderful opportunity! BAS is also hosting a field trip with Mr. Earley on April 9 and 10; see our field trip page (http://burroughs.org/field.htm) for further details!

DOOR PRIZES! All attendees will be eligible to win one of two \$25 gift certificates to the Wild Bird Center at Corinth Square in Prairie Village, Kansas.

Our auction will feature many valuable items, including: birding books, jewelry, artwork, feeders, and optics. We are accepting auction donations until April 1. If you have an item you would like to donate, contact Mike Stoakes at 816-554-1956 or mstoakes@juno.com.

\*\*\*For more information, or if you have special dietary requirements, please contact Phil and Nancy Reicher at 816-333-3876 or via email at <a href="mailto:preicher@kc.rr.com">preicher@kc.rr.com</a>.

REGISTRATION FORM—PLEASE RETURN BY APRIL 1, 2006!

Burroughs Audubon Annual Dinner /Silent Auction 2006
(PAYMENT MUST ACCOMPANY REGISTRATION FORMS.)

Name of attendee(s):

Phone Number:

Number of people attending:

Cost: \$31 per person includes gratuity (all attendees must purchase a dinner).

Please make checks payable to: Burroughs Audubon Society, or BAS.

Send to: Phil and Nancy Reicher, 401 West 58<sup>th</sup> Terrace, Kansas City, MO 64113-1269