World Migratory Bird Day was celebrated for the third time on 10 – 11 May 2008. This year more than 136 events were registered in 59 countries around the world.

Many of you, whether organizers or participants have made a valuable contribution in raising awareness of the role that migratory birds play in the world's ecosystems. Without your efforts this event would not have been such a success! A lot of personal commitment has been put into each of the very varied activities which took place around the world. 

Finally we sincerely hope that your active enthusiasm will continue to flourish and that you will help spread the word about the flag flying so that we can combine our efforts in working towards the successful conservation of migratory birds.

If you would like to share your experiences with us and others around the world, we would be very interested in receiving reports and pictures of your events and to feature them on the WMBD website.

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Please send your event reports and photos to: contact@worldmigratorybirdday.org

In case you know of any other newspaper clippings and/or links to websites featuring related stories about WMBD, please send these to us at the above email also.

For a full overview of the 136+ registered events and the reports (as they become available), please see the “WMBD Around the World” section on the WMBD website:

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