



World Migratory Bird Day



**MESSAGE OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE FEDERATION OF
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WORLD MIGRATORY BIRD DAY

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“The future of our migratory birds depends on how aware our young generations are about the threats to the environment posed by the by-products of progress, such as overexploitation of natural resources, intensive farming, and sprawling energy infrastructure. Respect for nature also depends on how wisely we engage with it. We must ensure that young people are educated to the causes leading to the decline of bird populations in order to learn how to respect wildlife establishing a sustainable balance between people and nature. European Hunters support the World Migratory Bird Day seeking to keep alive our amazement for the wonder of bird migration.

FACE wishes to congratulate the CMS and AEWA for this commendable initiative, confirming its engagement to continue to constructively work together on the conservation of migratory birds and awareness raising campaigns”.

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