



## **World Migratory Bird Day (WMBD) Small Grant 2020 Application Form**

**WMBD Small Grant 2020 for East Asian - Australasian Flyway**

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## About World Migratory Bird Day 2020

The 2020 theme of World Migratory Bird Day (WMBD) is "Birds Connect Our World", and was chosen to highlight the importance of conserving and restoring the ecological connectivity and integrity of ecosystems that support the natural movements of migratory birds and that are essential for their survival and well-being. WMBD is an annual awareness-raising campaign highlighting the need for the conservation of migratory birds and their habitats. It has a global outreach and is an effective tool to help raise global awareness of the threats faced by migratory birds, their ecological importance, and the need for international cooperation to conserve them. In 2018, WMBD unified the planet's major migratory bird corridors, or flyways: the African-Eurasian flyway, the East Asian-Australasian flyway, and the Americas flyways. **WMBD is now celebrated twice a year, on the Second Saturday in May and in October. In 2020, WMBD will be held on 9 May and 10 October.** The EAAFP Secretariat encourages Partners to celebrate WMBD twice a year.

## Introduction of EAAFP WMBD 2020 Small Grant

The Small Grant for 2020 [World Migratory Bird Day](#) (WMBD) has been established to provide financial support to [EAAFP Partners](#) and collaborators from [EAAFP Task Forces and Working Groups](#) who plan to organize **public events and/or conservation action-oriented workshops** at national or local levels through participating in the World Migratory Bird Day. We strongly encourage EAAFP Partners and collaborators to make an application for any suitable event or development of WMBD materials in local language that aims to raise awareness on the need of conserving migratory waterbirds and the value of their habitats in East Asian – Australasian Flyway.

## Eligibility Criteria

EAAFP Partners who plan to organize an event to celebrate World Migratory Bird Day 2020 in Partner countries included in the DAC list of ODA Recipients are our priority to support. (If you are not sure, please see the [list of EAAFP Partners](#), and [DAC list of ODA Recipients](#)). If you are not the country focal point of EAAFP, please consult and plan with EAAFP focal point of your country before you apply.

Please note that this grant is to initiate a WMBD event, not to cover the costs for the existing WMBD event expenses. Applications with similar contents (location, target participants etc.) to previous years may not be accepted.

### **Information of the application**

Firstly, Applicants must meet the eligibility criteria set for funding assistance under EAAFP WMBD 2020 Small Grants Programme.

For your budget planning, please note a maximum of 1,000 USD will be allocated to each county. The small-scale grant will be allocated on a first come first served basis, we recommend you submit the application as early as possible.

The deadline for application is **31 March 2020**. Please submit an application to Ms. Vivian Fu, Communication Officer via email (Word or PDF document) at [communication@eaaflyway.net](mailto:communication@eaaflyway.net) and [wmbd@eaaflyway.net](mailto:wmbd@eaaflyway.net).

After the Secretariat receives your application, the approval of successful proposals is made by the Secretariat. Applicant will hear of the result within two weeks after the deadline. Incomplete applications will not be accepted.

Successful applicants have a responsibility to help translate the World Migratory Bird Day materials into their own languages which will be shared on the World Migratory Bird Day website (<https://www.worldmigratorybirdday.org/>).

**Date of Application:** 26/03/2020

### 1. Applicant Contact information

	Name of applicant:	Ebtisamul Zannat Mim
a.	Name of the organization:	WildEye
b.	Name(s) of the division and/or position:	Coordinator
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*If there will be more than one organization to arrange the event, please specify all above.*

### 2. Proposed Event Plan and Expected Outcome

*Please tick the relevant categories of your proposed event:*

Public awareness activity – local and/or national	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Birdwatching - field trip	<input type="checkbox"/>
Monitoring/survey – field trip	<input type="checkbox"/>
Educational activity/lecture	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Festival	<input type="checkbox"/>
Media Event	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Movie/video	<input type="checkbox"/>
Others – specify	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please specify your proposed event plan and expected outcome

Title: Development of awareness and educational materials for 06 FNS community of Bangladesh.
Date: May 9, 2020 (Tentative)
Location: Tanguar Haor, Hail Haor, Hakaluki Haor, Sonadia Island, Ganguirar Char and Nijhum Dwip.

Organiser: WildEye in close collaboration with local Forest Division and NGOs.

Target Participants: School children, indigenous community, civil society representatives, NGO representative, birds hunters, Forest Department officials etc.

Target Participants: 2000

Programme details:

Due to massive strike of Covid-19 across the world as well as in Bangladesh also, it is difficult to assume the scenario till WMBD on May 09, 2020. Considering the present situation we are proposing to develop only awareness and educational materials instead of any festival or gathering. We firmly believe that the situation will change soon. The awareness materials will be distributed to the local community through the concern local forest officials. And educational materials will be distributed among the school children adjacent to the FNS in Bangladesh.

Awareness Materials: Poster with theme in Bengali (3000 copies)

Educational Materials: a) Leaflet- 2000 copies; b) Threaten waterbirds sticker- 2000 copies

#### **About WildEye**

WildEye is a youth forum and currently have 137 university graduate/current students in this forum. We basically do some innovative school campaign across the country with our own fund and some donation/grant. Our moto is "Nature for Next Generation". University teachers, Government officials, Researchers often give us advice and we also do some consultation program in person with them to help us by sharing their knowledge and experience. It's a voluntary forum.

### **3. Proposed Event Budget Plan:**

Total: 1000 USD

Budget breakdown:

Poster with theme in Bengali- 3000 copies	453 USD
Leaflet- 2000 copies	194 USD
Threaten waterbirds sticker- 2000 copies	238 USD
Government Source Tax (10%)	100 USD
Bank Charge	15 USD
Total	1000 USD

In addition, please register your event(s) at the following websites as well for regional and global statistics of WMBD participation. It won't take you long to fill in the form as it is a simple process. Registration of your event(s) at Global WMBD website (<http://www.worldmigratorybirdday.org/register-your-event>)

After any of your WMBD materials are published and your awareness event is held, it is required to provide an event report (see ANNEX I). The Report should include copies of any materials produced under the project. Published materials should be submitted with the report in both hard and electronic copy with suitable photographs illustrating the activities undertaken. **Logos of WMBD and EAAFP have to be shown on all your printed and digital promotional materials.**

Report deadline:	<b>No later than 25 May 2020 or within two weeks after the event(s)</b>
Required information:	Name of organiser, target participants, programme, outcome summary and finance supporting documents
Submit to:	to Ms. Vivian Fu, Communication Officer via email (Word or PDF document) at <a href="mailto:communication@eaaflyway.net">communication@eaaflyway.net</a> and <a href="mailto:wmbd@eaaflyway.net">wmbd@eaaflyway.net</a> .