

NEWSLETTER

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Your Helpful Hardware Place... and so much more! We're not your ordinary Ace Hardware.

Bringing you what's new at your local family-owned Geneva Ace Hardware.

Our experienced associates can offer valuable tips on:

- Plumbing
- Small Engines
- Lawn & Garden
- Repair Projects
- Painting & Decorating
- Cleaning
- Hardware
- And More!

Please let us know if you have questions or comments on what you'd like to see featured.

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(Until Further Notice)

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APPLY FOR YOURS TODAY!



Help Us Support the Children's Miracle Network



July 31 through August 2nd

Geneva Ace Hardware is helping to make miracles happen one bucket at a time. By purchasing our special five-gallon Miracle Bucket, you will be donating \$5 to the **Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children's Hospital of Chicago**, part of the **Children's Miracle Network**, PLUS you will receive 20% off everything that fits in the bucket on **Friday**, **July 31st**, **Saturday**, **August 1st and Sunday**, **August 2nd**.

Now, more than ever, the Children's Miracle Network needs your help.

Donations have been down due to the COVID-19 pandemic, but those children still need our support. Won't you join us in our mission?

Children's Miracle Network Hospitals is a charity that raises funds for children's hospitals across the United States and Canada, and ensures that when a donation is made, it stays in the community — in our case the Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children's Hospital of Chicago — so that every dollar given goes to help local kids.

For more information about the bucket promotion or **Geneva Ace Hardware**, be sure to follow our **Facebook page**.





Keep your seed dry. Hot, humid summer weather creates the potential for mold. "Some molds produce the byproduct aflatoxin, which is fatal to birds," Greig says. She suggests filling feeders halfway in summer and refilling frequently, instead of packing feeders full so the seed sits for long periods. If you find mold on your seed, get rid of it.

Move feeders occasionally. Concentrations of seed hulls and bird droppings under a feeder can lead to outbreaks of salmonellosis, a bacterial sickness that can affect birds (and people). Move feeders around the yard and don't allow waste to build up in one

area.



SALE \$399 each



Put suet in the shade.

Some packaged suet comes in no-melt varieties, but even these can spoil or become soft and foul a bird's feathers in high heat. Keep suet in cool places. Or, switch to a hummingbird feeder in summer.

Clean your feeders regularly. Washing feeders roughly every two weeks will keep your feeders both attractive and healthy for your guests. To clean your feeder, take it apart and use a dishwasher on a hot setting or hand wash either with soap and boiling water or with a dilute bleach solution (no more than 1 part bleach to 9 parts water). Rinse thoroughly and allow to dry before refilling.

Source:www.allaboutbirds.org

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