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Dear xxxx,

It’s finally here! The online course we’ve been working on for the past several months is finally ready. Birding experts, Kenn and Kimberly Kaufman, are your instructors. I helped create this class from the very beginning. I am so proud of it, and I hope you’ll consider enrolling. Register now to become a hummingbird pro.

Links: http://www.birdsandblooms.com/Backyard-Birder.aspx

**Enter Our Funny Animals Photo Contest**

We are teaming up with our friends at Country magazine on a Funny Animals Photo Contest. Check out our categories and enter your photo today.

URL: http://www.country-magazine.com/contests/funny-animals-photo-contest/

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**Favorite Succulents**

Looking for colorful succulents? Take a look at some of our favorites. They’re easy to care for and will be sure to add lots of visual interest to your garden.

URL: http://www.birdsandblooms.com/Gardening/Top-10/Themed-Gardens/Colorful-Succulents

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**Pie Tin Bird Feeder**

You can turn a pie tin into a quick bird feeder for your feathered friends. We’ll tell you how in a few easy steps.

URL: http://www.birdsandblooms.com/Backyard-Projects/Bird-Feeders/Pie-Tin-Bird-Feeder  
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Take a look at what’s happening on our blog.

**A Trip to Rio**

Editor Stacy Tornio is headed to Rio Valley this fall. Learn why this is a special year for this birding festival.

URL: http://birdsandbloomsblog.com/2013/08/05/countdown-to-the-rio-grande-valley-birding-festival/

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**Hummingbird Festival**

Jill has been window shopping! Take a look at some of the awesome bird and garden items she found.

URL: http://birdsandbloomsblog.com/2013/08/24/bird-garden-gifts/

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