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Share your photos and drawings by uploading them to link provided at the Kachemak Bay Shorebird Festival website under the Jr. Birder tab. These will be showcased during the Jr. Birder award ceremony.

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