

<b>Submission Date</b>	2013-02-25 14:18:47
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<b>Observer's Address</b>	Street Address: 670 Whittaker Way City: Harleysville State / Province: PA Postal / Zip Code: 19438 Country: United States
<b>Names of additional observers</b>	Mary Ache
<b>Species (Common Name)</b>	Bullock's Oriole
<b>Species (Scientific Name)</b>	Icterus
<b>Subspecies (if known)</b>	bullockii
<b>Number of individuals</b>	1
<b>Age(s) and Plumage(s) and Sex (if known)</b>	Adult Male Very Bright Plumage
<b>Observation Date and Time</b>	02-20-2013 10:35 AM
<b>County</b>	Montgomery
<b>Location (City, Borough, Township)</b>	Gilbertsville, Douglass Township
<b>Exact Site (E.g. Name of park, lake, road)</b>	Backyard Feeders at 108 Oberholtzer Road, Gilbertsville, PA , 19525
<b>GPS coordinates of sighting</b>	40.353279,-75.588794
<b>Habitat</b>	Residential Backyard
<b>Distance to bird</b>	50 feet
<b>Viewing conditions</b>	Clear day
<b>Optical equipment used</b>	Nikon Monarch 8 x 42 Binocular; Nikon d7000 camera; Tamron f5.6 200-500mm lens
<b>Description</b>	See photos at: <a href="http://www.howardsview.com/BullocksFeb20_13/BullocksOrioleFeb20_13.html">http://www.howardsview.com/BullocksFeb20_13/BullocksOrioleFeb20_13.html</a>
<b>Behavior (be as detailed as possible about what the bird was doing)</b>	Actively feeding on suet and orange slices
<b>Separation from similar</b>	Other species at the feeders were Northern Cardinal,

**species (How you eliminated others)**

Dark-eyed Juncos; White-throated Sparrows; Red-bellied Woodpeckers; Downy Woodpeckers and Mourning Doves

**Discussion - anything else relevant to the observation that will aid the committee in evaluating it:**

This is the third year that an adult male Bullock's Oriole has shown up at Mary Ache's feeders. This year the bird was in her backyard on the following dates:

January 29 to April 1, 2012

December 6 to December 23, 2012

It was absent the entire month of January 2013

February 3, 2013 to present

**Are you positive of your identification ? (Why or why not)**

Yes

**During**

Sibley; Cornell BNA

**After**

Sibley; Cornell BNA; PORC

**Supporting evidence (check all that apply)**

Photograph

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