HOW TO MONITOR YOUR BAT HOUSE using the iNaturalist app



Download the iNaturalist app (through iNaturalist.ca, the Apple App Store or Google Play).

Tap Sign Up to create an account or Log In if you already have one.

From the menu bar (top left on Android, bottom right on iPhone), select Projects and search "Help The Bats." Tap on the project and then "Join" when on the project page.

NOTE: You need data or wifi to download the app, sign in and join the project, but afterwards the app works offline.

1 | Tap Observe.

- 2 | Take a photo of your bat house.
- 3 | Tap **What Did You See**, then type "**bats**" (or if you know what species you have, enter it here), then:
 - Android: tap the checkmark that appears beside the word "bats" (or the species name)
 - » iPhone: tap "bats" (or the species name) in the dropdown list
- 4 | The **Date** should be added automatically (if not, add it here).
- 5 | Your **Location** should be added automatically (if not, add it here).
- 6 | Tap **Add to Project** and select "Help the Bats" and fill in the fields.
- 7 | Tap the **Checkmark** (Android) or **Share** (iPhone).
- 8 | **Upload** to share with the community. This should happen automatically. If not, tap the upload button.



For additional information on bats: HelpTheBats.ca | info@cwf-fcf.org





HOW TO MONITOR YOUR BAT HOUSE using the iNaturalist.ca website



- 1 | Create an account on iNaturalist.ca or log in to your existing account.
- 2 | Type "**Help the Bats**" in the search bar at the top and hit Enter to find the project page.
- 3 | Once on the Help The Bats project page, click **Join This Project**.
- 4 | Click the red **Add Observations** tab.
- 5 | Upload one or more pictures of your bat house by clicking Add Photos.
- 6 | Add the **location** (by writing your address or zooming to your location and clicking on the map). Add the date and time of monitoring.
- 7 | Fill out the **project** observation fields.
- 8 | Scroll to the bottom and **save** your observation.



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