

Using the Checklist

Habitat Key: Nature Sanctuary

Residency Key:

Sp = Spring

Su = Summer

Fl = Fall

Wi = Winter

Abundance Key:

c = common (regularly seen)

fc = fairly common (usually seen with some effort)

u = uncommon (a few reports each season)

r = rare (only one or two records for the area)

i = irregular (may be common when present)

* = nester (nest on property or connecting land)

+ = former nester (formerly nested on area)

Name of Bird	Sp	Su	Fl	Wi
Pied-billed Grebe	u		fc	u
Double-crested Cormorant	u	r	u	
Great Blue Heron	u	u	u	r
Green Heron*	fc	fc	fc	
Black-crowned Night Heron	r		r	
Yellow-crowned Night Heron	r		r	
American Bittern	r		r	
Canada Goose+	i	i	i	i
White-fronted Goose	r		r	
Snow Goose	i		i	r
Mallard	u	u	u	u
Northern Shoveler	r		r	
Blue-winged Teal	u	u	u	
Wood Duck*	fc	fc	fc	
Ring-necked Duck	r		r	r
Turkey Vulture	fc	fc	fc	
Sharp-shinned Hawk	u		u	fc
Cooper's Hawk	u		u	u
Red-tailed Hawk+	c	c	c	c
Ferruginous Hawk				r
Red-shouldered Hawk				r
Broad-winged Hawk	u		u	
Rough-legged Hawk				r
Bald Eagle	r		r	u
Northern Harrier	u		u	u
American Kestrel+	c	c	u	u
Northern Bobwhite Quail+	u	u	u	u
Ring-necked Pheasant	r	r	r	r
Sora	u		u	
Killdeer*	fc	fc	fc	u
Upland Sandpiper	u		u	
Solitary Sandpiper	u		u	

Name of Bird	Sp	Su	Fl	Wi
American Woodcock*	u	u	u	u
Ring-billed Gull	u		u	u
Franklin's Gull	r		r	
Black Tern	r		r	
Rock Dove (Pigeon)	fc	fc	fc	fc
Mourning Dove*	c	c	c	fc
Yellow-billed Cuckoo*	c	c	c	
Black-billed Cuckoo	u	r	u	
Barn Owl+	r	r	r	r
Eastern Screech Owl*	fc	fc	fc	fc
Great Horned Owl*	fc	fc	fc	fc
Barred Owl*	c	c	c	c
Whip-poor-will	fc		fc	
Chuck-wills-widow*	c	c	fc	
Common Nighthawk	fc	fc	fc	
Chimney Swift*	c	c	c	
Ruby-throated Hummingbird*	c	c	c	
Belted Kingfisher*	c	c	c	fc
Yellow-shafted Flicker*	c	c	c	c
Red-headed Woodpecker+	i	i	i	i
Pileated Woodpecker	r	r	r	u
Red-bellied Woodpecker*	c	fc	c	c
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	fc		fc	r
Hairy Woodpecker*	fc	fc	fc	fc
Downy Woodpecker*	c	c	c	c
Olive-sided Flycatcher	u		u	
Eastern Wood-Pewee*	fc	fc	fc	
Willow Flycatcher	u		u	
Least Flycatcher	c		fc	
Eastern Phoebe*	c	c	fc	
Great-crested Flycatcher*	fc	fc	fc	
Eastern Kingbird	fc	fc	fc	
Purple Martin	u	u	u	
Tree Swallow	fc		fc	
Bank Swallow+	u	u	u	
N. Rough-winged Swallow*	fc	u	fc	
Barn Swallow*	c	c		
Blue Jay*	c	c	c	c
American Crow*	c	c	c	c
Black-capped Chickadee*	c	c	c	c
Tufted Titmouse*	c	c	c	c
White-breasted Nuthatch*	c	c	c	c

Name of Bird	Sp	Su	Fl	Wi
Red-breasted Nuthatch	i		i	i
Brown Creeper	u		u	u
House Wren*	c	c	c	
Winter Wren				u
Bewick's Wren	r	r	r	r
Carolina Wren*	c	c	c	c
Sedge Wren	u	r	u	
Northern Mockingbird*	fc	fc	fc	fc
Gray Catbird*	fc	fc	fc	
Brown Thrasher*	fc	fc	fc	r
American Robin*	c	c	c	c
Wood Thrush*	u	u	u	
Veery	u			
Hermit Thrush	u		u	u
Swainson's Thrush	c		fc	
Gray-cheeked Thrush	u		u	
Eastern Bluebird*	c	c	c	fc
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher*	fc	fc	fc	
Golden-crowned Kinglet	fc		u	
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	c		c	
Cedar Waxwing	fc	u	fc	i
Loggerhead Shrike	u	u	u	u
Northern Shrike				r
European Starling*	fc	i	c	c
White-eyed Vireo*	fc	fc	u	
Bell's Vireo	u		u	
Solitary Vireo	fc		u	
Red-eyed Vireo*	c	c	c	
Yellow-throated Vireo+	fc	u	u	
Warbling Vireo	fc	u	u	
Black-and-White Warbler	fc		fc	
Prothonotary Warbler	u		u	
Blue-winged Warbler	r		r	
Golden-winged Warbler	r		r	
Tennessee Warbler	c		c	
Orange-crowned Warbler	c		c	
Nashville Warbler	c		c	
Northern Parula*	c	fc	c	
Yellow Warbler	c		c	
Magnolia Warbler	u		u	
Yellow-rumped Warbler(Myrtle)	c		c	r
Connecticut Warbler	r			

Bird Checklist

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Name of Bird	Sp	Su	Fl	Wi
Chestnut-sided Warbler	fc		fc	
Black-throated Green Warbler	u		u	
Blackburnian Warbler	u		u	
Blackpoll Warbler	fc		u	
Prairie Warbler	r		r	
Palm Warbler	r		r	
Ovenbird	fc		u	
Northern Waterthrush	fc		u	
Louisiana Waterthrush	u		u	
Kentucky Warbler	fc	u	u	
Mourning Warbler	u		u	
Common Yellowthroat*	c	c	c	
Wilson's Warbler	fc		fc	
Canada Warbler	u		u	
American Redstart	fc		fc	
House Sparrow*	c	c	c	c
Eastern Meadowlark*	fc	fc	fc	u
Western Meadowlark	u	u	u	u
Red-winged Blackbird*	c	c	c	r
Orchard Oriole*	u	u	u	
Northern (Baltimore) Oriole*	c	c	u	
Rusty Blackbird	u		u	r
Brewer's Blackbird	u		u	
Common Grackle*	c	c	c	r
Brown-headed Cowbird*	c	c	c	
Scarlet Tanager	u	u	u	
Summer Tanager*	fc	u	u	
Northern Cardinal*	c	c	c	c
Rose-breasted Grosbeak+	fc	u	u	
Blue Grosbeak+	u	u	u	
Indigo Bunting*	c	c	c	
Dickcissel*	fc	fc	fc	
Purple Finch	i		i	i
House Finch*	c	c	c	c
Pine Siskin	i		i	i
American Goldfinch*	c	c	c	c
Evening Grosbeak				i
Rufous-sided Towhee*	fc	u	u	r
Savannah Sparrow	fc		fc	
Grasshopper Sparrow+	u	r	u	
Henslow's Sparrow	r		r	
Le Conte's Sparrow	r		r	

Name of Bird	Sp	Su	Fl	Wi
Vesper's Sparrow	u		u	
Lark Sparrow+	u	u	u	
Dark-eyed(Slate-colored) Junco	c		c	c
Dark-eyed(Oregon) Junco	u		u	u
American Tree Sparrow	u		c	c
Chipping Sparrow*	c	fc	c	r
Clay-colored Sparrow	u		u	
Field Sparrow*	c	c	c	r
Harris' Sparrow	fc		fc	fc
White-crowned Sparrow	fc		fc	u
White-throated Sparrow	c		c	c
Fox Sparrow	u		u	u
Lincoln's Sparrow	u		u	
Swamp Sparrow	fc		fc	fc
Song Sparrow+	fc	r	fc	fc

Date _____ Time _____

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