

Season: Fall Year: 1996Name and
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Other observers (name, city):

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Use first few lines to give weather and habitat conditions. Use line(s) below species data to give additional details, if needed. Mail to:

~~Tr. H. Kent, 211 Richards St., Iowa City IA 52240~~

use initials of obsv. on species line

by 1 Mar, 1 Jun, 1 Aug, or 1 Dec. See Iowa Bird List back

SPECIES	NO.	DATE	LOCATION - COMMENT - OTHER OBSERVERS
✓ Horned Grebe	1	24 Nov	Cedar L - Cedar Rapids LINN Co.
✓ Eared Grebe	2	18 Nov	Pleasant Creek L - LINN Co.
✓ American White Pelican	1	3 Nov	Coralville Res - Johnson Co.
✓ " " "	425	3 SEP	Coralville Res - Johnson Co.
✓ Least Bittern	1 ad. fem.	5 SEP	Otter Creek M - Tama Co.
✓ Osprey	1	1 SEP	Indian Creek - Cedar Rapids LINN Co.
✓ Black-billed Cuckoo	1	4 SEP	Indian Creek - Cedar Rapids LINN Co.
✓ Common Nighthawk	110	22 SEP	SE Cedar Rapids - LINN Co.
✓ Eastern Wood-pewee	1	16 SEP	Indian Creek - Cedar Rapids LINN Co.
✓ Eastern Kingbird	1	22 SEP	SW LINN Co.
✓ House Wren	1	7 OCT	Chain Lakes Co. P. LINN Co.
✓ Swainson's Thrush	1	23 SEP	Indian Creek Cedar Rapids LINN Co.
✓ Solitary Vireo	2	7 OCT	Wickiup Outdoor Learning Center LINN Co.
Tennessee Warbler	1	16 SEP	Indian Creek Cedar Rapids LINN Co
✓ Indigo Bunting	2	13 Oct	Coralville Res(H.W.A.) Johnson Co.
		(1st year males in fall plumage)	
✓ Savannah Sparrow	1	3 Nov	Cedar Rapids Airport LINN Co. (details on next page)
✓ " "	11	13 Oct	Cedar Rapids Airport LINN Co.
✓ Henslow's Sparrow	3	11 AUG	Pleasant Crk. L. LINN Co (singing)
✓ Harris' Sparrow	1-3	3-4 Nov	Coralville Res - Johnson Co and .5 m e Palo - LINN Co.
BOBOLINK	1 ad. male in fall plumage		Cedar Rapids Airport LINN Co.
✓ Yellow-headed Blackbird	2	5 Sep	Otter Creek M. Tama Co.
✓ Red-winged Blackbird	1 partial albino	5 Sep	Otter Creek M. Tama Co

Savannah Sparrow 3 Nov 1996 Cedar Rapids Airport
LINN County

This bird was perched on top of a 5 ft. fence and was facing me. Visibility was clear.

Yellow lores and eyebrow were visible but muted. A faint crown stripe was observed. The bird had a brown cheek, a dark whisker stripe and a white throat. Breast and sides were streaked without a central breast spot. The feet and legs were pink. The bill had an overall light color. However, the upper mandible seemed a bit darker. The lower mandible was the same color as the feet and legs. Tail was short and notched.

A faint "seep" call was given when it flew.

On 13 Oct, I observed 11 Savannah Sparrows in the exact location.

D. J. Clark

Dear Mr Kent,

If possible, I would greatly appreciate a copy of early and late date guidelines for birds of Iowa.

If a guideline list does exist, it would be quite helpful in filling out my field reports. I would be happy to pay for the postage.

Sincerely,

David J Clark

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