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Dear Mark;

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I noticed one problem with the due dates for reports - the winter date of April 7. I have a mar. 1 deadline for the March issue. This issue needs to be mailed by about April 10 or it contains the details of the spring meeting. Perhaps we could move the date up to Feb. 20 + suggest people could send additional records April 7, which is well into spring migration. Let me know your thoughts on this. I don't have any very good copies of Vern's documentation form but I will get some from him.

as for my observations - West Egret - 4 at C. I. - 8/4/76
Am. Kestrel - seen regularly at Pine Hill Cem - early June + late Aug - apparently nested.

Common Snipe - very early - 8/21 - Credit Island
Aythya Sandpiper - 2 on br. bird survey 6/10 near Clearwater - also found 72 + 75, same loc.

Savard's Hawk - 2 - C. I. - 8/5
N. Phalarope - 1 - C. I. 8/15 - Allan Muller

other shorebirds - Aug - C. I. - good numbers of L. Yellow-legs, Pect. Saps, a few Spotted, Solitary, Least + Semip. Saps.

Py-billed Cuckoo - 3 nested - Aug. 16 - 22 - 1 imm, 2 ad. - P.H.
Py-billed Flych. - 2 banded 8/15, 1 on 8/20 1 on 8/21 - P.H.

Least Flych. - 1 banded 8/14, 6 on 8/15, 3 on 8/16, 1 on 8/20, 1 on 8/21, 1 on 8/22
Red-br. Nuthatch - first seen 8/16, 2 banded 8/19 - P.H. 1 on 8/23

Carolina Wren - One in our yard - June 22 - Jul 2 - calling regularly - in Aug. 2 present. Also banded one at P.H. 8/17

Mourningbirds - seen regularly near Wildcat Den St. Ph - June
Wren - 1 banded 8/16 - early - P.H.

Phil. Vireo - 1 banded 8/16 - previous earliest 8/28
H. wh. Warbler - 2 banded 8/15, 4 on 8/23 - P.H.

Golden-ey. " - 1 banded 8/20
Tern. Warb. - 1 " 8/23

Mourningbird - 1 on 8/23
Wren - 1 on 8/23

R. billed
Saps -
returned
in number
(40-60 at
20 Clearwater)
on 8/15.

yellow warbler - 6/10/76 - on br. bird survey - near Green Lake
 Ch. sided Warbler - 8/23 - 2 banded P.H.
 Oriole - first banded 8/15 "
 W. Waterthrush " " "
 Comm. Warbler - one " 8/23 "
 Wilson's " " " 8/23 "
 Canada " " " 8/15, -1, 8/19-1, 8/20-1, 8/23-5.
 Am Redstart " " 8/21-1, 8/22-1.
 Rufous-sided Towhee - 2 or 3 pr. breeding near Wildcat's den & P.
 Savannah Sparrow - continue to increase on both br. bird survey.
 All Blue - but species seen were mentioned.

So long,
 Pete