

Season: Spring Year: 95

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Matthew Kenne

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Passerine pushes: May 10-13, 28-29

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SPECIES	NO.	DATE	LOCATION - COMMENT - OTHER OBSERVERS
✓ Horned Grebe	1	3/26	Smith Lake, Kossuth Co. mostly breeding plumage
✓ Red-necked Grebe	2	5/14	USNWR 1 first found 5/13 refuge pers.
✓ Eared Grebe	14	4/23	USNWR
✓ " "	1	5/14	USNWR
✓ " "	2	5/20	Virgin Lake, Palo Alto Co.
✓ Western Grebe	1	5/17	USNWR
✓ Snow Goose	2	5/29	USNWR 1 white / 1 blue
✓ Canvas back	3000+	late March	USNWR several counts in 2nd half March were approx 3000 birds Canvas back were everywhere this spring!
✓ Lesser Scaup	30	5/29	USNWR
✓ Red-breasted Merg.	8	5/17	USNWR
✓ Northern Harrier	2(3)	May	prairie pothole area NE of USNWR apparently nesting 1st yr. male + 1 (poss-2) female
✓ N. Harrier	3	5/20	between Silver + Virgin Lakes, Palo Alto Co. pair displaying courtship behavior on CRP, another female on 2nd area
✓ N. Harrier	1	5/24	female hunting near Irvington, Koss. Co.
✓ Red-shouldered Hawk	1	5/12	migrant over Algona
✓ Red-tailed Hawk	1	4/23	USNWR Harlan's type grayish-white tail, heavily white-mottled black chest and underwing coverts
✓ Merlin	1	5/17	prairie area NE USNWR female brown coloring (no kestrel reddish), shorter-broader wings + tail facial marking not visible, same length as grackles present
✓ Peregrine Falcon	1	5/29	adult migrant at USNWR "helmet" clearly visible as bird circled overhead gaining altitude before heading N

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✓ Lesser G. Plover	200	5/7	USNWR
✓ " "	220	5/25	Southern Koss. Co.
✓ Semipalmated Plover	1	5/29	Near Cylinder, Palo Alto Co.
✓ Marbled Godwit	2	5/20	western Palo Alto Co., flooded field
✓ Sanderling	7	5/20	dredge pond at Lake View
✓ Dunlin	1	5/24	Flooded field near St. Joe, Koss. Co.
✓ Short-billed Dow.	7	5/20	western Palo Alto Co., flooded field
✓ Wilson's Phal.	1	5/7	Patterson W. A., Kossuth Co.
✓ Red-necked Phal.	1	5/20	dredge pond at Lake View
✓ Black Tern	450	5/14	USNWR
✓ Short-eared Owl	pair	May	Prairie area NE USNWR, nest w/9 eggs 5/12
✓ Yellow-bellied Flycatcher	40(est)	5/28	AA. Call St. Park separated from others
by yellow throat, narrow yellowish eyering, chivee calls, yellow-green coat to back			
Willow/Alder	10	5/28	AA. Call St. Park separated by no eyering
✓ Least Flycatcher	100(est)	5/28	AA. Call St. Park separated by bald
eyering, whitish throat, whit			call notes, lack of bright green back
✓ Swainson's thr.	2	5/30	Algona
✓ Loggerhead Shrike	1	3/22	USNWR
✓ Solitary Vireo	1	5/30	Algona
✓ Red-eyed Vireo	80(est)	5/28	AA. Call - St. Park
✓ Tennessee Warb.	2	5/30	Algona
✓ Chestnut-sided W.	4	5/28	Call St. Park
✓ Cape May W.	1	5/13	male in my yard, Algona
" "	1	5/16	different male in my yard, Algona.

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✓ Yellow-rumped W.	2	5/21	Algona
✓ Blackburnian W.	1	5/28	Call. St. Park singing M
✓ Mourning W.	4	5/28	Call St. Park
✓ Wilson's W.	1	5/28	Call St. Park make
✓ Clay-colored Sp.	1	5/15	singing M at Algona
Fallout on May 28			was after big storms of Sat.
27th with 1 1/2" rain.			Surprised by small numbers of
warblers + thrushes,			I was given lots of study
time by Emprds.			I spent about 1 1/2 hrs. in
steady drizzle to			light rain + high wind on
canopy + ridge tops.			Estimates given for least, Yellow-
beltoned, + Red-eyed Vireo			