

IOWA ORNITHOLOGISTS' UNION

Field Check List

Date _____ Time _____
 Weather _____ Locality _____

✓ Following species coming to my feeders:

Observers Betty Walters

Total Species 0 seen in the yard

The 275 species listed are birds one could reasonably expect to see in Iowa in proper season and habitat. Accidentals and most casualties have been omitted. Species names conform to the A.B.A. Checklist (1975).

*Rare but regularly seen.

†Western species reaching Iowa.

LOONS

Common

Canada Goose

Wood Duck

GREBES

Horned

Eared †

Western* †

Pied-billed

American Wigeon

Gadwall

Green-winged Teal

Mallard

American Black Duck

Common Pintail

Blue-winged Teal

Cinnamon Teal* †

PELICANS

American White

Northern Shoveler

CORMORANTS

Double-crested

Canvasback

Redhead

HERONS

Great Blue

Green

Little Blue*

Cattle Egret

Great Egret

Snowy Egret*

Black-crowned Night

Yellow-crowned Night

Least Bittern

American Bittern

Ring-necked Duck

Greater Scaup*

Lesser Scaup

Oldsquaw*

Bufflehead

Common Goldeneye

Hooded Merganser

Red-breasted Merganser

Common Merganser

Ruddy Duck

VULTURES, HAWKS, FALCONS

Turkey Vulture

Osprey

Bald Eagle

Northern Harrier

Northern Goshawk*

SWANS, GEESE, DUCKS

Mute Swan*

Whistling Swan*

Gr. White-fronted Goose

Snow Goose

TANAGERS

Scarlet

Summer

GROSBEAKS, FINCHES, SPARROWS, BUNTINGS

✓ Northern Cardinal (6)

Rose-breasted Grosbeak

Blue Grosbeak †

Indigo Bunting

Dickcissel

Evening Grosbeak

Purple Finch

Common Redpoll

Pine Siskin

✓ American Goldfinch

Red Crossbill

White-winged Crossbill

Rufous-sided Towhee

Savannah Sparrow

Grasshopper Sparrow

Henslow's Sparrow*

LeConte's Sparrow*

Sharp-tailed Sparrow*

Vesper Sparrow

Lark Sparrow

Northern Junco

✓ American Tree Sparrow

Chipping Sparrow

Clay-colored Sparrow

Field Sparrow

Harris' Sparrow

✓ White-crowned Sparrow

White-throated Sparrow

Fox Sparrow

Lincoln's Sparrow

Swamp Sparrow

Song Sparrow

Lapland Longspur

Snow Bunting

Same ones as last winter - build.

Cape May

Black-throated Blue*

Yellow-rumped

Black-throated Green

Cerulean

Blackburnian

Chestnut-sided

Bay-breasted

Blackpoll

Pine*

Palm

Ovenbird

Northern Waterthrush

Louisiana Waterthrush*

Kentucky

Connecticut*

Mourning

Common Yellowthroat

Yellow-breasted Chat

Hooded*

Wilson's

Canada

American Redstart

WEAVER FINCHES

House Sparrow

MEADOWLARKS, BLACKBIRDS, ORIOLES

Bobolink

Eastern Meadowlark

Western Meadowlark

Yellow-headed Blackbird

Red-winged Blackbird

Orchard Oriole

Northern Oriole

Rusty Blackbird

✓ Brewer's Blackbird †

Common Grackle (5)

Brown-headed Cowbird

Yellow-bellied Sapsucker reported at a yard feeder near by.

___ Sharp-shinned Hawk
___ Cooper's Hawk
___ Red-tailed Hawk
___ Red-shouldered Hawk*
___ Broad-winged Hawk
___ Swainson's Hawk
___ Rough-legged Hawk
___ Golden Eagle*
___ Peregrine Falcon*
___ Merlin*
___ American Kestrel

GROUSE, QUAILS, PHEASANTS
___ Ruffed Grouse
___ Common Bobwhite
___ Ring-necked Pheasant
___ Gray Partridge

TURKEYS
___ Wild Turkey

RAILS, GALLINULES, COOTS
___ King Rail*
___ Virginia Rail
___ Sora
___ Common Gallinule
___ American Coot

AVOCETS
___ American Avocet*†

POLOVERS
___ Semipalmated
___ Killdeer
___ Piping*
___ Lesser Golden
___ Black-bellied

SANDPIPERS, PHALAROPES
___ Hudsonian Godwit
___ Marbled Godwit*
___ Whimbrel*
___ Upland Sandpiper
___ Greater Yellowlegs
___ Lesser Yellowlegs
___ Solitary Sandpiper
___ Willet
___ Spotted Sandpiper
___ Ruddy Turnstone*
___ Wilson's Phalarope
___ Northern Phalarope*
___ American Woodcock

___ Common Snipe
___ Short-billed Dowitcher
___ Long-billed Dowitcher
___ Sanderling
___ Semipalmated Sandpiper
___ Western Sandpiper
___ Least Sandpiper
___ White-rumped Sandpiper
___ Baird's Sandpiper
___ Pectoral Sandpiper
___ Dunlin
___ Stilt Sandpiper
___ Buff-breasted Sandpiper*

GULLS, TERNS
___ Herring Gull
___ Ring-billed Gull
___ Franklin's Gull
___ Bonaparte's Gull
___ Forster's Tern
___ Common Tern
___ Little Tern*
___ Caspian Tern
___ Black Tern

PIGEONS, DOVES
___ Rock Dove
___ Mourning Dove

CUCKOOS
___ Yellow-billed
___ Black-billed

OWLS *Common Screech*
___ Barn
___ Great Horned
___ Snowy*
___ Barred
___ Long-eared
___ Short-eared
___ Saw-whet

GOATSUCKERS, SWIFTS
___ Chuck-will's-widow
___ Whip-poor-will
___ Common Nighthawk
___ Chimney Swift

HUMMINGBIRDS
___ Ruby-throated

KINGFISHERS
___ Belted

WOODPECKERS

___ *o* Common Flicker
___ Pileated
___ Red-bellied
___ Red-headed
___ Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
___ Hairy
___ *o* Downy

TYRANT FLYCATCHERS

___ Eastern Kingbird
___ Western Kingbird†
___ Great Crested Flycatcher
___ Eastern Phoebe
___ Yellow-bellied Flycatcher
___ Acadian Flycatcher
___ Willow Flycatcher
___ Alder Flycatcher
___ Least Flycatcher
___ Eastern Pewee
___ Olive-sided Flycatcher

LARKS, SWALLOWS

___ Horned Lark
___ Tree Swallow
___ Bank Swallow
___ Rough-winged Swallow
___ Barn Swallow
___ Cliff Swallow
___ Purple Martin

JAYS, CROWS

___ *o* Blue Jay
___ American Crow

TITMICE

___ Black-capped Chickadee
___ Tufted Titmouse

NUTHATCHES, CREEPERS

___ *o* White-breasted Nuthatch
___ *o* Red-breasted Nuthatch (*o*)
___ Brown Creeper

WRENS

___ House
___ Winter
___ Bewick's*
___ Carolina
___ Marsh
___ Sedge

MOCKINGBIRDS, THRASHERS

___ Northern Mockingbird
___ Gray Catbird
___ Brown Thrasher

THRUSHES

___ *o* American Robin (*o*)
___ Wood Thrush
___ Hermit Thrush
___ Swainson's Thrush
___ Gray-cheeked Thrush
___ Veery
___ Eastern Bluebird

GNATCATCHERS, KINGLETS

___ Blue-gray Gnatcatcher
___ Golden-crowned Kinglet
___ Ruby-crowned Kinglet

PIPITS, WAXWINGS

___ Water Pipit
___ Bohemian Waxwing*†
___ *o* Cedar Waxwing

SHRIKES

___ Northern*
___ Loggerhead

STARLINGS

___ European Starling

VIREOS

___ White-eyed*
___ Bell's
___ Yellow-throated
___ Solitary
___ Red-eyed
___ Philadelphia
___ Warbling

WOOD WARBLERS

___ Black-and-white
___ Prothonotary
___ Worm-eating*
___ Golden-winged
___ Blue-winged
___ Tennessee
___ Orange-crowned
___ Nashville
___ Northern Parula
___ Yellow
___ Magnolia