

IN OTHER NEW REPORTS SINCE THE WEEKLY MESSAGE

IN THE NORTH POND

IN SOUTHWEST TOWNS, AT THE IXL GENERATING STATION
SOUTH OF COONCREEK BRUFFS ON THE 30TH, A WINTER TRAVELER CALL
SCOTER, 2 HOODED MERGANSERS, 3 FRANKLIN'S GULLS, AND
17 WINTER FOWL SPECIES. IN A FIELD JUST EAST OF THE
IXL PLANT AND ACROSS I-29, AN IMMATURE CATTLE
EGRET AND 9 BREWER'S BLACKBIRDS DOWNT LAKE
MANAWA A WHITE PELICAN

IN A NEW REPORT FROM YOU THE 2ND, A
COMMON BLACK HEADED GULL, AN ADULT IN
WINTER PLUMAGE WAS SEEN FROM THE CEDAR
GLASS AREA OF THE SAWYERVILLE RESERVOIR.
IT WAS WITH BONAPARTES GULLS. THIS WOULD
BE A FIRST STATE RECORD. ALSO AT SAWYERVILLE
ON THE 2ND 3 WINTER-WINGED SCOTS. ON SAT
THE 4TH IT WAS SEEN AT THE ~~400 FOOTED DAM~~
~~THERE WERE NO SIGNIFICANT~~ ~~NO~~ THE GULL REPORTED
ON FRIDAY THE 2ND, BUT A PRAIRIE FALCON WAS
~~SEEN AT THE DAM~~

ON SAT THE 4TH IT WAS SEEN FOR A HALF
OUR ABOUT MID-DAY FLYING OVER THE DAM, &
OVER THE PONDS AND RIVER BELOW THE DAM.
ALSO A PRAIRIE FALCON ALONG THE DAM ON THE 3RD
HOODED MERGANSERS, HORNET & WESTERN GEEBERS ON
THE 4TH.

IN A NEW REPORT A FEMALE BLACK SCOTER, A WHITE-WINGED SCOTER, 5 COMMON LOONS, AND 11 DUCK SPECIES WERE SEEN TODAY FROM THE WEST OVERLOOK CAMPGROUND AT THE CORVALLUS RESERVOIR.

THIS TIME OF YEAR, THE STATE'S LARGE LAKES AND RESERVOIRS ATTRACT THE BIRDS AND BIRDERS. AND THERE HAVE BEEN A NUMBER OF GOOD WATERBIRD SIGHTINGS THIS PAST WEEK.

NORTH OF DES MOINES

AT SAYLORVILLE, ON THE 28TH, SEEN FROM THE DAM, A POSSIBLE PACIFIC LOON, 2 COMMON LOONS, A HORSED GREBE, 2 WESTERN GEEBES, AND A BLACK SCOTER. FROM CHERRY GLEN RECREATION AREA A SURF SCOTER AND LATE FORSTER'S TERN. AT THE OAK GROVE, 13 SNOW BELLIED, WATER PIPITS, AND 12 VERY LATE STILT SANDPIPER, AND AT SANDPIPER, 6 DOWITCHERS, AND AT THAT LOCATION ON THE 27TH 6 LESSER GOLDEN PLOVERS AND 1 BLACK BELLED PLOVER. AT JESTER PARK, 7 WHITE PELicans, AND A TOTAL OF 11 DUCK SPECIES ON THE LAKE.

AT RED ROCK RESERVOIR IN MARION COUNTY, THE LESSER BLACK BACKED GULL IN FIRST WINTER PLUMAGE WAS SEEN AGAIN BELOW THE DAM ON THE 27TH; AND A HORSED GEEBE WAS AT THE ROBERTS CREEK AREA KANG COUNTY ROAD 6-28.

FARTHER UPSTREAM, AT THE RANNEIS' WILDLIFE AREA, ON THE 29TH, THERE WERE 3 SPECIES OF GEESE, INCLUDING 24 WHITE FRONTED, 16 MALL SPECIES, AND AT THE SECOND POND 6 SHOLEDIGO SPECIES INCLUDING DUNLIN AND LONG BILLED DOWITCHERS, AS WELL AS 3 BALD EAGLES.

AND AT RIVERGATE IN GREENE COUNTY, 4 WINE
SKINS AT A FEEDER ON THE 28TH.

OF ALGONA

AND IN NORTHWEST IOWA, MATT KENNER SAW 2
TREACHERS, UNIDENTIFIABLE AS TO SPECIES, FLY OVER,
AND SUGGESTS Saylorville Birders BE ON THE
LOOKOUT THE NEXT FEW DAYS. ALSO, A WHITE
WINGED CROSSBILL HAS BEEN SEEN
BACKYARD SEVERAL TIMES RECENTLY.
FOR MORE INFORMATION, CALL PIXIE KARNS AT (712) 262-6499

In SOUTHEAST IOWA SAW WHET OWLS AT TWO SEP-
ARATE LOCATIONS AT THE Aggerville Reservoir IN
Johnson County ON THE 29TH. IF YOU WANT MORE DETAILS OR
DIRECTIONS LEAVE YOUR NAME AND PHONE NUMBER
AFTER THIS MESSAGE. AND AT LAKE MACBRIDE, ALONG
THE NORTH ARM, 3 HORNED LICKERS, A LONG BILLED
DOWITCHER AND A LATE SPOTTED SANDPIPER ON THE
29TH.

In SOUTHWEST IOWA ON THE 29TH AT THE IPL
GENERATING STATION SOUTH OF COUNCIL BLUFFS IN
POTAWATOMIE COUNTY, A GANNET, AN OLDQUAW, BLACK SCOTER,
1800+ CORMORANTS AND 80 WHITE FRONDED GEESE
AND A GREAT EGRET WHICH IS LATE AT LAKE
MANAWA AT COUNCIL BLUFFS

In JEFFERSON COUNTY, DINE SKINS AND A RED-BREASTED
NUTHATCH AT A FAIRFIELD FEEDER, AND 2 ROUGH LEGGED
HAWKS AND A KENDIG'S RACE OF THE RED TAILED HAWK
IN THE LIVINGSTON TIMBER AREA

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