

BENDORF

Wild Turkey: Have received many second hand reports this winter. Extreme cold and snow apparently ~~forced~~ drove birds out into open fields to forage, thus they were more noticeable. During thaw in mid-Feb. received several second hand reports of people finding scattered individuals and small groups of turkeys frozen in snow and uncovered by melting.

Evening Grosbeaks Only report I heard of (including the Birdline) is of a single bird in Homestead in NE Iowa County in early Dec.

Longspurs and Snow Buntings: Zaletel in Ames and Meyers in Waterloo regularly reported large numbers of these birds in late Dec. and early Jan. But I observed neither species in Iowa or Johnson Counties during this winter season (Dec.-Feb.)

LOCATION	DATE	NO.	SPECIES
Lock and Dam #1 in Bettendorf	2-3	100+	Common Goldeneye
near South Ames in NE Iowa County	1-31	1	Red-shouldered Hawk
all seen in countryside within area of Ames Colonies in NE Iowa County. See additional notes on back side.	2-1	2	Wild Turkey
	2-2	1	" "
	2-12	3	" "
Waterloo	12-30	1	Hawk Owl
George Wynn S.P. Cedar Falls (staked out bird)	12-30	1	Short-eared Owl
near Dyess, IA.	12-30	1	Short-eared Owl
George Wynn S.P. Cedar Falls. First detected by vigorous singing.	12-30	1	Northern Shrike
St. Joseph Cemetery in Iowa City	1-31	2	Common Redpoll
Coraville Reservoir (Sugar Bottom)	12-19	6	Red Crossbill
Iowa City	2-4	3	" "
Waterloo (Parking Rd.)	12-30	2	White-winged Crossbill
Davenport (Oakdale Cemetery)	2-3	4	" "