



## IOWA ORNITHOLOGISTS' UNION - Checklist of the Birds of Lyon County - 259 Species

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Date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_ Locality \_\_\_\_\_ Sky \_\_\_\_\_ Wind \_\_\_\_\_ Temp \_\_\_\_\_

Observers \_\_\_\_\_ Total Species \_\_\_\_\_ Total Individuals \_\_\_\_\_

Ducks, Geese, Swans	Hummingbirds	Bitterns, Herons, and Allies	Merlin	Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	LeConte's Sparrow
<input type="checkbox"/> Snow Goose	<input type="checkbox"/> Ruby-throated Hummingbird	<input type="checkbox"/> American Bittern	<input type="checkbox"/> Peregrine Falcon	<input type="checkbox"/> Wrens	<input type="checkbox"/> Henslow's Sparrow
<input type="checkbox"/> Ross's Goose		<input type="checkbox"/> Snowy Egret	<input type="checkbox"/> Prairie Falcon	<input type="checkbox"/> Northern House Wren	<input type="checkbox"/> Savannah Sparrow
<input type="checkbox"/> Greater White-fronted Goose		<input type="checkbox"/> Virginia Rail	<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-crowned Night Heron	<input type="checkbox"/> Winter Wren	<input type="checkbox"/> Song Sparrow
<input type="checkbox"/> Cackling Goose		<input type="checkbox"/> Sora	<input type="checkbox"/> Black-crowned Night Heron	<input type="checkbox"/> Sedge Wren	<input type="checkbox"/> Lincoln's Sparrow
<input type="checkbox"/> Canada Goose		<input type="checkbox"/> American Coot	<input type="checkbox"/> Green Heron	<input type="checkbox"/> Marsh Wren	<input type="checkbox"/> Swamp Sparrow
<input type="checkbox"/> Trumpeter Swan		<input type="checkbox"/> Stilts and Avocets	<input type="checkbox"/> Great Egret	<input type="checkbox"/> Mimids	<input type="checkbox"/> Spotted Towhee
<input type="checkbox"/> Wood Duck		<input type="checkbox"/> American Avocet	<input type="checkbox"/> Western Cattle Egret	<input type="checkbox"/> Gray Catbird	<input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Towhee
<input type="checkbox"/> Blue-winged Teal		<input type="checkbox"/> Lapwings and Plovers	<input type="checkbox"/> Great Blue Heron	<input type="checkbox"/> Brown Thrasher	<input type="checkbox"/> Chats
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Shoveler		<input type="checkbox"/> Black-bellied Plover	<input type="checkbox"/> Ibises and Spoonbills	<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Mockingbird	<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-breasted Chat
<input type="checkbox"/> Gadwall		<input type="checkbox"/> American Golden-Plover	<input type="checkbox"/> White-faced Ibis	<input type="checkbox"/> Starlings	<input type="checkbox"/> Blackbirds, Orioles
<input type="checkbox"/> American Wigeon		<input type="checkbox"/> Kildeer	<input type="checkbox"/> New World Vultures	<input type="checkbox"/> European Starling	<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-headed Blackbird
<input type="checkbox"/> Mallard		<input type="checkbox"/> Semipalmated Plover	<input type="checkbox"/> Turkey Vulture	<input type="checkbox"/> Thrushes	<input type="checkbox"/> Bobolink
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Pintail		<input type="checkbox"/> Sandpipers, Phalaropes, and Allies	<input type="checkbox"/> Ospreys	<input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Bluebird	<input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Meadowlark
<input type="checkbox"/> Green-winged Teal		<input type="checkbox"/> Upland Sandpiper	<input type="checkbox"/> Osprey	<input type="checkbox"/> Mountain Bluebird	<input type="checkbox"/> Western Meadowlark
<input type="checkbox"/> Canvasback		<input type="checkbox"/> Hudsonian Godwit	<input type="checkbox"/> Hawks, Kites, Eagles, and Allies	<input type="checkbox"/> Veery	<input type="checkbox"/> Orchard Oriole
<input type="checkbox"/> Redhead		<input type="checkbox"/> Marbled Godwit	<input type="checkbox"/> Golden Eagle	<input type="checkbox"/> Gray-cheeked Thrush	<input type="checkbox"/> Baltimore Oriole
<input type="checkbox"/> Ring-necked Duck		<input type="checkbox"/> Ruddy Turnstone	<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Harrier	<input type="checkbox"/> Swainson's Thrush	<input type="checkbox"/> Red-winged Blackbird
<input type="checkbox"/> Greater Scaup		<input type="checkbox"/> Stilt Sandpiper	<input type="checkbox"/> Sharp-shinned Hawk	<input type="checkbox"/> Hermit Thrush	<input type="checkbox"/> Brown-headed Cowbird
<input type="checkbox"/> Lesser Scaup		<input type="checkbox"/> Sanderling	<input type="checkbox"/> Cooper's Hawk	<input type="checkbox"/> Wood Thrush	<input type="checkbox"/> Rusty Blackbird
<input type="checkbox"/> Bufflehead		<input type="checkbox"/> Dunlin	<input type="checkbox"/> American Goshawk	<input type="checkbox"/> American Robin	<input type="checkbox"/> Brewer's Blackbird
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Goldeneye		<input type="checkbox"/> Baird's Sandpiper	<input type="checkbox"/> Bald Eagle	<input type="checkbox"/> Varied Thrush	<input type="checkbox"/> Common Grackle
<input type="checkbox"/> Hooded Merganser		<input type="checkbox"/> Least Sandpiper	<input type="checkbox"/> Red-shouldered Hawk	<input type="checkbox"/> Old World Sparrows	<input type="checkbox"/> Great-tailed Grackle
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Merganser		<input type="checkbox"/> White-rumped Sandpiper	<input type="checkbox"/> Broad-winged Hawk	<input type="checkbox"/> House Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Wood-warblers
<input type="checkbox"/> Red-breasted Merganser		<input type="checkbox"/> Pectoral Sandpiper	<input type="checkbox"/> Swainson's Hawk	<input type="checkbox"/> Pipits	<input type="checkbox"/> Ovenbird
<input type="checkbox"/> Ruddy Duck		<input type="checkbox"/> Semipalmated Sandpiper	<input type="checkbox"/> Red-tailed Hawk	<input type="checkbox"/> Finches	<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Waterthrush
<input type="checkbox"/> New World Quail		<input type="checkbox"/> Western Sandpiper	<input type="checkbox"/> Rough-legged Hawk	<input type="checkbox"/> Evening Grosbeak	<input type="checkbox"/> Golden-winged Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Bobwhite		<input type="checkbox"/> Short-billed Dowitcher	<input type="checkbox"/> Ferruginous Hawk	<input type="checkbox"/> House Finch	<input type="checkbox"/> Blue-winged Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Partridges, Grouse, Turkeys, and Old World Quail		<input type="checkbox"/> Long-billed Dowitcher	<input type="checkbox"/> Barn Owls	<input type="checkbox"/> Purple Finch	<input type="checkbox"/> Black-and-white Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Wild Turkey		<input type="checkbox"/> American Woodcock	<input type="checkbox"/> American Barn Owl	<input type="checkbox"/> Redpoll	<input type="checkbox"/> Tennessee Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Greater Prairie-Chicken		<input type="checkbox"/> Wilson's Snipe	<input type="checkbox"/> Typical Owls	<input type="checkbox"/> White-winged Crossbill	<input type="checkbox"/> Orange-crowned Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Gray Partridge		<input type="checkbox"/> Spotted Sandpiper	<input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Screech-Owl	<input type="checkbox"/> Pine Siskin	<input type="checkbox"/> Nashville Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Ring-necked Pheasant		<input type="checkbox"/> Solitary Sandpiper	<input type="checkbox"/> Great Horned Owl	<input type="checkbox"/> American Goldfinch	<input type="checkbox"/> Connecticut Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Grebes		<input type="checkbox"/> Lesser Yellowlegs	<input type="checkbox"/> Snowy Owl	<input type="checkbox"/> Longspurs, Snow Bunting	<input type="checkbox"/> Mourning Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Pied-billed Grebe		<input type="checkbox"/> Willet	<input type="checkbox"/> Burrowing Owl	<input type="checkbox"/> Lapland Longspur	<input type="checkbox"/> Common Yellowthroat
<input type="checkbox"/> Horned Grebe		<input type="checkbox"/> Greater Yellowlegs	<input type="checkbox"/> Barred Owl	<input type="checkbox"/> Chestnut-collared Longspur	<input type="checkbox"/> American Redstart
<input type="checkbox"/> Eared Grebe		<input type="checkbox"/> Wilson's Phalarope	<input type="checkbox"/> Long-eared Owl	<input type="checkbox"/> Snow Bunting	<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Parula
<input type="checkbox"/> Pigeons, Doves		<input type="checkbox"/> Gulls, Terns, Skimmers	<input type="checkbox"/> Short-eared Owl	<input type="checkbox"/> Towhees, Sparrows	<input type="checkbox"/> Magnolia Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> White-winged Dove		<input type="checkbox"/> Bonaparte's Gull	<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Saw-whet Owl	<input type="checkbox"/> Grasshopper Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Bay-breasted Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Mourning Dove		<input type="checkbox"/> Franklin's Gull	<input type="checkbox"/> Kingfishers	<input type="checkbox"/> Lark Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Blackburnian Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Eurasian Collared-Dove		<input type="checkbox"/> Ring-billed Gull	<input type="checkbox"/> Belted Kingfisher	<input type="checkbox"/> Lark Bunting	<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Rock Pigeon		<input type="checkbox"/> American Herring Gull	<input type="checkbox"/> Woodpeckers	<input type="checkbox"/> Chipping Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Chestnut-sided Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Cuckoos, Roadrunners, Anis		<input type="checkbox"/> Black Tern	<input type="checkbox"/> Red-headed Woodpecker	<input type="checkbox"/> Clay-colored Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Blackpoll Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-billed Cuckoo		<input type="checkbox"/> Forster's Tern	<input type="checkbox"/> Red-bellied Woodpecker	<input type="checkbox"/> Field Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Black-throated Blue Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Black-billed Cuckoo		<input type="checkbox"/> Loons	<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	<input type="checkbox"/> Fox Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Palm Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Goatsuckers		<input type="checkbox"/> Common Loon	<input type="checkbox"/> Downy Woodpecker	<input type="checkbox"/> American Tree Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-rumped Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Nighthawk		<input type="checkbox"/> Cormorants	<input type="checkbox"/> Hairy Woodpecker	<input type="checkbox"/> Dark-eyed Junco	<input type="checkbox"/> Black-throated Green Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Whip-poor-will		<input type="checkbox"/> Double-crested Cormorant	<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Flicker	<input type="checkbox"/> White-crowned Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Canada Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Swifts		<input type="checkbox"/> Pelicans	<input type="checkbox"/> Pileated Woodpecker	<input type="checkbox"/> Harris's Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Wilson's Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Chimney Swift		<input type="checkbox"/> American White Pelican	<input type="checkbox"/> Caracaras and Falcons	<input type="checkbox"/> White-throated Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Tanagers, Cardinals, Grosbeaks, Buntings
			<input type="checkbox"/> American Kestrel	<input type="checkbox"/> Vesper Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Scarlet Tanager

\_\_\_Northern Cardinal  
\_\_\_Rose-breasted Grosbeak  
\_\_\_Blue Grosbeak  
\_\_\_Lazuli Bunting  
\_\_\_Indigo Bunting  
\_\_\_Dickcissel

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The taxonomic sequence and nomenclature used in this list follow the Checklist of North American Birds, 7th Edition, American Ornithologists' Union, 1998, updated through the 64th Supplement (Chesser et al. 2023).

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