### Checklist of the Birds of Mitchell County

261 Species

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**Ducks, Geese, Swans**
- Snow Goose
- Ross’s Goose
- Greater White-fronted Goose
- Cackling Goose
- Canada Goose
- Trumpeter Swan
- Tundra Swan
- Wood Duck
- Blue-winged Teal
- Northern Shoveler
- Gadwall
- Eurasian Wigeon
- American Wigeon
- Mallard
- American Black Duck
- Northern Pintail
- Green-winged Teal
- Canvasback
- Redhead
- Ring-necked Duck
- Greater Scaup
- Lesser Scaup
- Bufflehead
- Common Goldeneye
- Hooded Merganser
- Common Merganser
- Red-breasted Merganser
- Ruddy Duck

**New World Quail**
- Northern Bobwhite
- Partridges, Grouse, Turkeys, and Old World Quail
- Wild Turkey
- Ruffed Grouse
- Gray Partridge
- Ring-necked Pheasant

**Gobies**
- Red-billed Grebe

**Pigeons, Doves**
- Rock Pigeon
- Eurasian Collared-Dove
- White-winged Dove
- Mourning Dove

**Cuckoos, Roadrunners, Anis**
- Yellow-billed Cuckoo

**Goatsuckers**
- Common Nighthawk

**Swifts**
- Chimney Swift

**Hummingbirds**
- Ruby-throated Hummingbird

**Rails, Gallinules, and Coots**
- Sora

**Cranes**
- Sandhill Crane
- Common Gallinule
- American Coot

**Lapwings and Plovers**
- American Golden-Plover
- Killdeer
- Semipalmated Plover
- Piping Plover

**Sandpipers, Phalaropes, and Allies**
- Upland Sandpiper
- Hudsonian Godwit
- Stilt Sandpiper
- Dunlin
- Baird’s Sandpiper
- Least Sandpiper
- White-rumped Sandpiper
- Pectoral Sandpiper
- Semipalmated Sandpiper
- Short-billed Dowitcher
- Long-billed Dowitcher
- American Woodcock
- Wilson’s Snipe
- Spotted Sandpiper
- Solitary Sandpiper
- Lesser Yellowlegs
- Willet
- Greater Yellowlegs
- Wilson’s Phalarope
- Red-necked Phalarope

**Grebes**
- Red-billed Grebe

**Gulls, Terns, Skimmers**
- Bonaparte’s Gull
- Franklin’s Gull
- Ring-billed Gull
- Herring Gull
- Black Tern
- Forster’s Tern

**Loons**
- Common Loon

** Cormorants**
- Double-crested Cormorant

**Pelicans**
- American White Pelican

**Bittens, Herons, and Allies**
- Great Bittern
- Least Bittern
- Great Blue Heron
- Great Egret
- Snowy Egret
- Cattle Egret
- Green Heron
- Black-crowned Night Heron
- Yellow-crowned Night Heron

**New World Vultures**
- Turkey Vulture

**Ospreys**
- Osprey

**Hawks, Kites, Eagles, and Allies**
- White-tailed Kite
- Golden Eagle
- Northern Harrier
- Sharp-shinned Hawk
- Cooper’s Hawk
- Bald Eagle
- Mississippi Kite
- Red-shouldered Hawk
- Broad-winged Hawk
- Swainson’s Hawk
- Red-tailed Hawk
- Rough-legged Hawk

**Typical Owls**
- Eastern Screech-Owl
- Great Horned Owl
- Snowy Owl
- Barred Owl
- Long-eared Owl
- Short-eared Owl

**Kingfishers**
- Belted Kingfisher

**Woodpeckers**
- Red-headed Woodpecker
- Red-bellied Woodpecker
- Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
- Downy Woodpecker
- Hairy Woodpecker
- Northern Flicker
- Pileated Woodpecker

**Caracaras and Falcons**
- American Kestrel
- Merlin
- Gyrfalcon
- Peregrine Falcon

**Flycatchers**
- Great Crested Flycatcher
- Eastern Kingbird
- Olive-sided Flycatcher

**Wrens**
- Carolina Wren
- House Wren
- Winter Wren
- Sedge Wren

**Marsh Wren**

**Mimids**
- Gray Catbird
- Brown Thrasher
- Northern Mockingbird

**Starlings**
- European Starling

**Thrushes**
- Eastern Bluebird
- Townsend’s Solitaire
- Veery
- Gray-cheeked Thrush
- Swainson’s Thrush
- Hermit Thrush
- Wood Thrush
- American Robin

**Old World Sparrows**
- House Sparrow
- Eurasian Tree Sparrow

**Pipits**
- American Pipit

**Finches**
- Evening Grosbeak
- Pine Grosbeak
- House Finch
- Purple Finch
- Common Redpoll
- Hooded Redpoll
- White-winged Crossbill

**Typical Owls**
- American Crow

**Chickadees, Titmice**
- Black-capped Chickadee
- Boreal Chickadee
- Tufted Titmouse

**Larks**
- Horned Lark

**Swallows**
- Bank Swallow
- Tree Swallow
- Northern Rough-winged Swallow
- Purple Martin
- Barn Swallow
- Cliff Swallow

**Kinglets**
- Ruby-crowned Kinglet
- Golden-crowned Kinglet

**Waxwings**
- Cedar Waxwing

**Nuthatches**
- Red-breasted Nuthatch
- White-breasted Nuthatch

**Creepers**
- Brown Creeper

**Gnatcatchers**
- Blue-gray Gnatcatcher

**Wrens**
- Blue-winged Grassbill
- Pine Siskin
- American Goldfinch

**Longspurs, Snow Buntings**
- Lapland Longspur
- Chestnut-colored Longspur
- Snow Bunting

**Towhees, Sparrows**
- Grasshopper Sparrow
- Lark Sparrow
- Chipping Sparrow
- Clay-colored Sparrow
- Field Sparrow
- Fox Sparrow
- American Tree Sparrow
- Dark-eyed Junco
- White-crowned Sparrow
- Harris’s Sparrow
- White-throated Sparrow
- Vesper Sparrow
- LeConte’s Sparrow
- Henslow’s Sparrow
- Savannah Sparrow
- Song Sparrow

**Lincoln’s Sparrow**
**Swamp Sparrow**
**Eastern Towhee**
**Chats**
- Yellow-breasted Chat

**Blackbirds, Orioles**
- Yellow-headed Blackbird
- Bobolink

**Eurasian Wigeon**

**American Wigeon**

**Mallard**

**Cicada**

**Red-billed Grebe**

**Red-winged Blackbird**

**Brown-headed Cowbird**

**Rusty Blackbird**

**Brewer's Blackbird**

**Common Grackle**

**Great-tailed Grackle**

**Wood-warblers**
- Ovenbird
- Northern Waterthrush
- Golden-winged Warbler
- Blue-winged Warbler
- Prothonotary Warbler
- Tennessee Warbler
- Orange-crowned Warbler
- Nashville Warbler
- Connecticut Warbler
- Mourning Warbler
- Kentucky Warbler
- Common Yellowthroat
- American Redstart
- Cape May Warbler
- Cerulean Warbler
- Northern Parula
- Magnolia Warbler
- Bay-breasted Warbler
- Blackburnian Warbler
- Yellow Warbler
- Chestnut-sided Warbler
- Blackpoll Warbler
- Black-throated Blue Warbler
- Palm Warbler
- Yellow-rumped Warbler
- Prairie Warbler
- Black-throated Green Warbler
- Canada Warbler
- Wilson’s Warbler
- Tanagers, Cardinals, Grosbeaks, Buntings

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