

IOWA ORNITHOLOGISTS' UNION - Checklist of the Birds of Hancock County - 269 Species

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Date	Time	Locality	Sk	yWind	Temp	
Observers			тс	otal Species	Total Individuals	
Ducks, Geese, Swans	Chimney Swift	Gulls, Terns, Skimmers	Downy Woodpecker	Red-breasted	NuthatchAmerican Tree Sparro	ow.
Snow Goose	Hummingbirds	Bonaparte's Gull	Hairy Woodpecker	White-breasted	d NuthatchDark-eyed Junco	
Ross's Goose	Ruby-throated Hummingbird	Franklin's Gull	Northern Flicker	Creepers	White-crowned Sparre	OW
Greater White-fronted Goose	Rails, Gallinules, and Coots	Ring-billed Gull	Pileated Woodpecker	Brown Creepe	rHarris's Sparrow	
Cackling Goose	King Rail	American Herring Gull	Caracaras and Falcons	Gnatcatchers	White-throated Sparro	ow
Canada Goose	Virginia Rail	Caspian Tern	American Kestrel	Blue-gray Gna	tcatcherVesper Sparrow	
Trumpeter Swan	Sora	Black Tern	Merlin	Wrens	LeConte's Sparrow	
Tundra Swan	Common Gallinule	Common Tern	Peregrine Falcon	Carolina Wren	Nelson's Sparrow	
Wood Duck	American Coot	Forster's Tern	Flycatchers	Northern Hous	e WrenHenslow's Sparrow	
Blue-winged Teal	Cranes	Loons	Great Crested Flycatcher	Winter Wren	Savannah Sparrow	
Northern Shoveler	Sandhill Crane	Common Loon	Western Kingbird	Sedge Wren	Song Sparrow	
Gadwall	Whooping Crane	Cormorants	Eastern Kingbird	Marsh Wren	Lincoln's Sparrow	
American Wigeon	Stilts and Avocets	Double-crested Cormorant	Olive-sided Flycatcher	Mimids	Swamp Sparrow	
Mallard	American Avocet	Pelicans	Eastern Wood-Pewee	Gray Catbird	Spotted Towhee	
American Black Duck	Lapwings and Plovers	American White Pelican	Yellow-bellied Flycatcher	Brown Thrashe	Eastern Towhee	
Northern Pintail	Black-bellied Plover	Bitterns, Herons, and Allies	Acadian Flycatcher	Northern Mock	inghird Blackbirds, Orioles	
Green-winged Teal	American Golden-Plover	Least Bittern	Alder Flycatcher	Starlings	Yellow-headed Blackl	.bird
Canvasback	Killdeer	American Bittern	Willow Flycatcher	European Star	Bobolink	
Redhead	Semipalmated Plover	Black-crowned Night Heron	Least Flycatcher	Thrushes	Eastern MeadOwlark	
Ring-necked Duck	Sandpipers, Phalaropes, and	Green Heron	Eastern Phoebe	Eastern Bluebi	Western Meadowlark	
Greater Scaup		Great Egret	Vireos		Oronard Oriole	
Lesser Scaup	Allies	Western Cattle Egret	Bell's Vireo	Veery Gray-cheeked	Baltimore Oriole	
Surf Scoter	Upland Sandpiper	Great Blue Heron	Yellow-throated Vireo	Swainson's Th	itea wiligea blackbile	
White-winged Scoter	Whimbrel	Ibises and Spoonbills	Blue-headed Vireo	Hermit Thrush	Dlown-neaded Cowbi	ıra
Bufflehead	Hudsonian Godwit	White-faced Ibis	Philadelphia Vireo	Wood Thrush	Rusty Blackbird	
Common Goldeneye	Marbled Godwit		Eastern Warbling Vireo	American Rob	Brewer's Blackbird	
Hooded Merganser	Ruddy Turnstone	New World Vultures	Red-eyed Vireo			
Common Merganser	Stilt Sandpiper	Turkey Vulture	Shrikes	Old World Span		
Red-breasted Merganser	Sanderling	Ospreys	Loggerhead Shrike	House Sparrov		
Ruddy Duck	Dunlin	Osprey	Northern Shrike	Eurasian Tree		
Partridges, Grouse, Turkeys,	Baird's Sandpiper Least Sandpiper	Hawks, Kites, Eagles, and Allies	Jays, Magpies, Crows	Pipits	Northern Waterthrush	
and Old World Quail	• •	Northern Harrier	Blue Jay	American Pipit	•	
Wild Turkey	White-rumped Sandpiper	Sharp-shinned Hawk	American Crow	Sprague's Pipi		
Gray Partridge	Buff-breasted Sandpiper	Cooper's Hawk	Chickadees, Titmice	Finches	Black-and-white Wark	pler
Ring-necked Pheasant	Pectoral Sandpiper Semipalmated Sandpiper	Bald Eagle	Black-capped Chickadee	House Finch	Tennessee Warbler	
Grebes	Short-billed Dowitcher	Red-shouldered Hawk	Tufted Titmouse	Purple Finch	Orange-crowned War	rbler
Pied-billed Grebe	Short-billed Dowltcher	Broad-winged Hawk	Larks	Redpoll	Nashville Warbler	
Horned Grebe	American Woodcock	Swainson's Hawk	Horned Lark	Red Crossbill	Connecticut Warbler	
Red-necked Grebe	Wilson's Snipe	Red-tailed Hawk		White-winged		
Eared Grebe	Spotted Sandpiper	Rough-legged Hawk	Swallows	Pine Siskin	Kentucky Warbler	
Western Grebe	Solitary Sandpiper	Typical Owls	Bank Swallow	American Gold	11	at
Pigeons, Doves	Lesser Yellowlegs	Eastern Screech-Owl	Tree Swallow	Longspurs, Sno	American Dedetest	
Mourning Dove	Willet	Great Horned Owl	Northern Rough-winged Swa	Lapiand Longs	'	
Eurasian Collared-Dove	Greater Yellowlegs	Barred Owl	Purple Martin	Smith's Longs	Cape May Warbler	
Rock Pigeon	Wilson's Phalarope	Long-eared Owl	Barn Swallow Cliff Swallow	Snow Bunting	Cerulean Warbler Northern Parula	
Cuckoos, Roadrunners, Anis	Red-necked Phalarope	Short-eared Owl		Towhees, Spari	'OWS	
Yellow-billed Cuckoo	Red Phalarope	Kingfishers	Kinglets	Grasshopper S	Magnolia Warbler SparrowBay-breasted Warble	۵r
Black-billed Cuckoo	Skuas and Jaegers	Belted Kingfisher	Ruby-crowned Kinglet	Lark Sparrow	Bay-breasted warbler Blackburnian Warbler	
Goatsuckers	Parasitic Jaeger	Woodpeckers	Golden-crowned Kinglet	Chipping Spar	row Yellow Warbler	,
Common Nighthawk		Red-headed Woodpecker	Waxwings	Clay-colored S	parrowChestnut-sided Warble	ılar
Eastern Whip-poor-will	Auks, Murres, and Puffins	Red-bellied Woodpecker	Cedar Waxwing	Field Sparrow	Blackpoll Warbler	iGi
Swifts	Ancient Murrelet	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	Nuthatches	Fox Sparrow	Palm Warbler	
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Yellow-rumped Warbler
Yellow-throated Warbler
Prairie Warbler
Black-throated Green Warble
Canada Warbler
Wilson's Warbler
Tanagers, Cardinals,
Grosbeaks, Buntings
Summer Tanager
Scarlet Tanager
Northern Cardinal
Rose-breasted Grosbeak
Blue Grosbeak
Indigo Bunting
Dickcissel

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