

IOWA ORNITHOLOGISTS' UNION - Checklist of the Birds of O'Brien County - 258 Species

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Date	Time	Locality	Sky	Wind T	emp
Observers			Total Sp	Total Species Total Individuals	
Ducks, Geese, Swans	Hummingbirds	Bitterns, Herons, and Allies	Prairie Falcon	Carolina Wren	Vesper Sparrow
Snow Goose	Ruby-throated Hummingbird	American Bittern	Flycatchers	Northern House Wren	LeConte's Sparrow
Ross's Goose	Rails, Gallinules, and Coots	Snowy Egret	Great Crested Flycatcher	Winter Wren	Savannah Sparrow
Greater White-fronted Goose	Virginia Rail	Black-crowned Night Heron	Western Kingbird	Sedge Wren	Song Sparrow
Cackling Goose	Sora	Green Heron	Eastern Kingbird	Marsh Wren	Lincoln's Sparrow
Canada Goose	American Coot	Great Egret	Olive-sided Flycatcher	Mimids	Swamp Sparrow
Trumpeter Swan	Cranes	Western Cattle Egret	Eastern Wood-Pewee	Gray Catbird	Spotted Towhee
Tundra Swan	Sandhill Crane	Great Blue Heron	Yellow-bellied Flycatcher	Brown Thrasher	Eastern Towhee
Wood Duck		Ibises and Spoonbills	Alder Flycatcher	Northern Mockingbird	Chats
Blue-winged Teal	Stilts and Avocets	White-faced Ibis	Willow Flycatcher	Starlings	Yellow-breasted Chat
Northern Shoveler	American Avocet	New World Vultures	Least Flycatcher	European Starling	Blackbirds, Orioles
Gadwall	Lapwings and Plovers	Turkey Vulture	Eastern Phoebe	Thrushes	Yellow-headed Blackbird
American Wigeon	Black-bellied Plover		Vireos	Eastern Bluebird	Bobolink
Mallard	American Golden-Plover	Ospreys	Bell's Vireo	Mountain Bluebird	Eastern Meadowlark
American Black Duck	Killdeer	Osprey	Yellow-throated Vireo	Townsend's Solitaire	Western Meadowlark
Northern Pintail	Semipalmated Plover	Hawks, Kites, Eagles, and Allies	Blue-headed Vireo	Veery	Orchard Oriole
Green-winged Teal	Sandpipers, Phalaropes, and	Golden Eagle	Philadelphia Vireo	Gray-cheeked Thrush	Baltimore Oriole
Canvasback	Allies	Northern Harrier	Eastern Warbling Vireo	Swainson's Thrush	Red-winged Blackbird
Redhead	Upland Sandpiper	Sharp-shinned Hawk	Red-eyed Vireo	Gwallison's Thrush	Brown-headed Cowbird
Ring-necked Duck	Hudsonian Godwit	Cooper's Hawk	Shrikes	Wood Thrush	Rusty Blackbird
Greater Scaup	Marbled Godwit	American Goshawk	Loggerhead Shrike	American Robin	Brewer's Blackbird
Lesser Scaup	Stilt Sandpiper	Bald Eagle	Northern Shrike		Common Grackle
White-winged Scoter	Dunlin	Red-shouldered Hawk		Old World Sparrows	Great-tailed Grackle
Black Scoter	Baird's Sandpiper	Broad-winged Hawk	Jays, Magpies, Crows	House Sparrow	Wood-warblers
Bufflehead	Least Sandpiper	Swainson's Hawk	Blue Jay	Pipits	Ovenbird
Common Goldeneye	White-rumped Sandpiper	Red-tailed Hawk	American Crow	American Pipit	Northern Waterthrush
Hooded Merganser	Pectoral Sandpiper	Rough-legged Hawk	Chickadees, Titmice	Sprague's Pipit	Golden-winged Warbler
Common Merganser	Semipalmated Sandpiper	Barn Owls	Black-capped Chickadee	Finches	Black-and-white Warbler
Red-breasted Merganser	Western Sandpiper	American Barn Owl	Tufted Titmouse	Pine Grosbeak	Black-and-write Walbler
Ruddy Duck	Short-billed Dowitcher	Typical Owls	Larks	House Finch	Orange-crowned Warbler
New World Quail	Long-billed Dowitcher	Eastern Screech-Owl	Horned Lark	Purple Finch	Nashville Warbler
Northern Bobwhite	American Woodcock	Great Horned Owl	Swallows	Redpoll	Mourning Warbler
Partridges, Grouse, Turkeys,	Wilson's Snipe	Snowy Owl	Bank Swallow	Red Crossbill	Kentucky Warbler
-	Spotted Sandpiper	Burrowing Owl	Tree Swallow	White-winged Crossbill	Common Yellowthroat
and Old World Quail	Solitary Sandpiper	Barred Owl	Northern Rough-winged Swallow	Pine Siskin	American Redstart
Wild Turkey	Lesser Yellowlegs	Short-eared Owl	Purple Martin	American Goldfinch	Cape May Warbler
Gray Partridge	Willet	Northern Saw-whet Owl	Barn Swallow	Longspurs, Snow Bunting	Northern Parula
Ring-necked Pheasant	Greater Yellowlegs	Kingfishers	Cliff Swallow	Lapland Longspur	Magnolia Warbler
Grebes	Wilson's Phalarope	Belted Kingfisher	Kinglets	Chestnut-collared Longspur	Bay-breasted Warbler
Pied-billed Grebe	Gulls, Terns, Skimmers	Woodpeckers	Ruby-crowned Kinglet	Smith's Longspur	Blackburnian Warbler
Eared Grebe	Bonaparte's Gull	Red-headed Woodpecker	Golden-crowned Kinglet	Snow Bunting	Yellow Warbler
Pigeons, Doves	Franklin's Gull	Red-bellied Woodpecker	Waxwings	Towhees, Sparrows	Chestnut-sided Warbler
Mourning Dove	Ring-billed Gull	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	Bohemian Waxwing	Grasshopper Sparrow	Blackpoll Warbler
Eurasian Collared-Dove	Caspian Tern	Downy Woodpecker	Cedar Waxwing	Lark Sparrow	Palm Warbler
Rock Pigeon	Black Tern	Bowny Woodpecker	Nuthatches	Chipping Sparrow	Yellow-rumped Warbler
Cuckoos, Roadrunners, Anis	Forster's Tern	Northern Flicker		Clay-colored Sparrow	Black-throated Green Warbler
Yellow-billed Cuckoo	Loons	Pileated Woodpecker	Red-breasted Nuthatch	Field Sparrow	Canada Warbler
Black-billed Cuckoo	Common Loon	Caracaras and Falcons	White-breasted Nuthatch	Fox Sparrow	Wilson's Warbler
Goatsuckers			Creepers	American Tree Sparrow	
Common Nighthawk	Cormorants	American Kestrel	Brown Creeper	Dark-eyed Junco	Tanagers, Cardinals,
Eastern Whip-poor-will	Double-crested Cormorant	Merlin	Gnatcatchers	White-crowned Sparrow	Grosbeaks, Buntings
Swifts	Pelicans	Gyrfalcon	Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	Harris's Sparrow	Scarlet Tanager
Chimney Swift	American White Pelican	Peregrine Falcon	Wrens	White-throated Sparrow	Northern Cardinal

Rose-breasted Grosbeak
Blue Grosbeak
Lazuli Bunting
Indigo Bunting
Dickcissel

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