



FRIENDS OF
OTTAWA
NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE

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SEPTEMBER 03, 2017

OTTAWA NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE MONTHLY CENSUS

ROUTES: East and West sides in the morning, back side in the afternoon.

TIME: 8:00am - 12:30pm; 1:40pm - 6:20pm

TEMP.: 62 ~ 76

COND.: Cloudy and cool until 9:30am; turning partly sunny until 10:05am; mostly sunny, few clouds from 10:05am on; winds W at 5-10mph.

OBS. EAST: Jim Reyda, Al & Betty Schlecht.

OBS. WEST: Doug Brockway, Katie Clink, Jimmy Joyce, Jennifer Keuhn, Jim Koppen, Donna Kuhn, Dave & Kim Myles, Michael O'Brien, Ed Pierce, Tony Szilagye, Douglas W. Vogus.

OBS. AFTERNOON: Bob Bartolotta, Claire Johnson, Jim Koppen, Ed Pierce, Jim Reyda, Douglas W. Vogus.

I. MAMMALS: 6 SPECIES.

1. Eastern Cottontail - 1
2. Woodchuck - 1
3. Eastern Fox Squirrel - 6
4. Common Raccoon - 1
5. Mink - 1
6. White-tailed Deer - 2

II. BIRDS: 106 SPECIES, 6,234 TOTAL BIRDS.

1. Canada Goose - 298
2. Trumpeter Swan - 63 (neckband: "yellow 3A8")
3. Wood Duck - 101
4. American Black Duck - 2
5. Mallard - 530
6. Blue-winged Teal - 22
7. Northern Shoveler - 6
8. Green-winged Teal - 28
9. Northern Bobwhite - 1 (male at BSBO feeder area - 3rd record on census)
10. Pied-billed Grebe - 15
11. Rock Pigeon - 1
12. Mourning Dove - 131
13. Chimney Swift - 1
14. Ruby-throated Hummingbird - 7



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15. Common Gallinule - 5
16. Sandhill Crane - 19
17. Semipalmated Plover - 7
18. Killdeer - 98
19. Red Knot - 1 (in northeast corner of Pool 2c)
20. Least Sandpiper - 2
21. Pectoral Sandpiper - 14
22. Semipalmated Sandpiper - 18
23. Wilson's Snipe - 1
24. Spotted Sandpiper - 4
25. Solitary Sandpiper - 1
26. Greater Yellowlegs - 1
27. Lesser Yellowlegs - 13
28. Bonaparte's Gull - 15
29. Ring-billed Gull - 210
30. Herring Gull - 9
31. Caspian Tern - 23
32. Common Tern - 2
33. Double-crested Cormorant - 64
34. American White Pelican - 39
35. Great Blue Heron - 116
36. Great Egret - 281
37. Snowy Egret - 6
38. Green Heron - 8
39. Black-crowned Night-Heron - 2
40. Turkey Vulture - 7
41. Bald Eagle - 5 (2 adult, 3 immature)
42. Sharp-shinned Hawk - 1
43. Red-tailed Hawk - 6
44. Belted Kingfisher - 18
45. Red-bellied Woodpecker - 9
46. Downy Woodpecker - 21
47. Northern Flicker - 11
48. American Kestrel - 2
49. Merlin - 1
50. Eastern Wood-Pewee - 13
51. Yellow-bellied Flycatcher - 1
52. Willow Flycatcher - 1
53. Least Flycatcher - 3 (Unidentified *Empidonax* flycatcher - 1)
54. Eastern Phoebe - 23
55. Great Crested Flycatcher - 1
56. Eastern Kingbird - 17



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- 57. Warbling Vireo - 15
- 58. Red-eyed Vireo - 11
- 59. Blue Jay - 37
- 60. Horned Lark - 1
- 61. Tree Swallow - 1,388
- 62. Barn Swallow - 75
- 63. White-breasted Nuthatch - 9
- 64. House Wren - 4
- 65. Marsh Wren - 5
- 66. Blue-gray Gnatcatcher - 8
- 67. Veery - 1
- 68. Swainson's Thrush - 7
- 69. American Robin - 58
- 70. Gray Catbird - 34
- 71. Brown Thrasher - 2
- 72. European Starling - 808
- 73. Cedar Waxwing - 36
- 74. House Sparrow - 107
- 75. House Finch - 14
- 76. American Goldfinch - 67
- 77. Black-and-white Warbler - 2
- 78. Tennessee Warbler - 1
- 79. Nashville Warbler - 1
- 80. Common Yellowthroat - 7
- 81. American Redstart - 15
- 82. Cape May Warbler - 1
- 83. Northern Parula - 1
- 84. Magnolia Warbler - 7
- 85. Bay-breasted Warbler - 21
- 86. Blackburnian Warbler - 2
- 87. Yellow Warbler - 2
- 88. Chestnut-sided Warbler - 2
- 89. Blackpoll Warbler - 1
- 90. Black-throated Blue Warbler - 2
- 91. Black-throated Green Warbler - 4
- 92. Canada Warbler - 1
- 93. Wilson's Warbler - 1
- 94. Chipping Sparrow - 1
- 95. Field Sparrow - 1
- 96. Savannah Sparrow - 2
- 97. Grasshopper Sparrow - 1
- 98. Song Sparrow - 19



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99. Northern Cardinal - 22
100. Indigo Bunting - 10
101. Dickcissel - 7
102. Bobolink - 8
103. Red-winged Blackbird - 996
104. Common Grackle - 52
105. Brown-headed Cowbird - 47
106. Baltimore Oriole - 5

III. REPTILES: 4 SPECIES.

1. Red-eared Turtle - 4
2. Midland Painted Turtle - 24
3. Northern Water Snake - 9
4. Eastern Garter Snake - 1

IV. AMPHIBIANS: 3 SPECIES.

1. Bullfrog - 2
2. Green Frog - 1
3. Northern Leopard Frog - 23

V. FISHES: 2 SPECIES.

1. Common Carp - 9
2. Creek Chub - 8

VI. BUTTERFLIES: 15 SPECIES.

1. Eastern Black Swallowtail - 1
2. Cabbage Butterfly - 57
3. Clouded Sulphur - 28
4. Orange Sulphur - 6
5. American Copper - 1
6. Bronze Copper - 2
7. Eastern Tailed-Blue - 1
8. Pearl Crescent - 7
9. Red Admiral - 10



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10. American Painted Lady - 7
11. Common Buckeye - 8
12. Red-spotted Purple - 1
13. Viceroy - 9
14. Monarch - 44
15. Least Skipper - 6

Thank you to Douglas W. Vogus of Akron, Ohio for compiling this list.