

Iowa Bird Checklist

Place: Iowa Date: _____ Start: _____
End: _____ Observers: _____ Weather: _____

448 species · Total seen: _____

DUCKS, GEESE, AND WATERFOWL

- ☐ Black-bellied Whistling-Duck
- ☐ Fulvous Whistling-Duck
- ☐ Snow Goose
- ☐ Ross's Goose
- ☐ Graylag Goose
- ☐ Swan Goose
- ☐ Greater White-fronted Goose
- ☐ Taiga Bean-Goose
- ☐ Tundra Bean-Goose
- ☐ Brant
- ☐ Cackling Goose
- ☐ Canada Goose
- ☐ Mute Swan
- ☐ Black Swan
- ☐ Trumpeter Swan
- ☐ Tundra Swan
- ☐ Whooper Swan
- ☐ Egyptian Goose
- ☐ Ruddy Shelduck
- ☐ Muscovy Duck
- ☐ Ringed Teal
- ☐ Wood Duck
- ☐ Mandarin Duck
- ☐ Garganey
- ☐ Blue-winged Teal
- ☐ Cinnamon Teal
- ☐ Northern Shoveler
- ☐ Gadwall
- ☐ Eurasian Wigeon
- ☐ American Wigeon
- ☐ Mallard
- ☐ American Black Duck
- ☐ Mottled Duck
- ☐ Northern Pintail
- ☐ Green-winged Teal
- ☐ Canvasback
- ☐ Redhead
- ☐ Ring-necked Duck
- ☐ Greater Scaup
- ☐ Lesser Scaup
- ☐ King Eider
- ☐ Common Eider
- ☐ Harlequin Duck
- ☐ Surf Scoter
- ☐ White-winged Scoter
- ☐ Black Scoter
- ☐ Long-tailed Duck
- ☐ Bufflehead
- ☐ Common Goldeneye
- ☐ Barrow's Goldeneye
- ☐ Hooded Merganser
- ☐ Common Merganser
- ☐ Red-breasted Merganser
- ☐ Ruddy Duck

GUINEAFOWL

- ☐ Helmeted Guineafowl
- ## NEW WORLD QUAIL
- ☐ Northern Bobwhite
- ## PHEASANTS, GROUSE, AND ALLIES
- ☐ Wild Turkey
 - ☐ Ruffed Grouse
 - ☐ Sharp-tailed Grouse
 - ☐ Greater Prairie-Chicken
 - ☐ Gray Partridge
 - ☐ Ring-necked Pheasant
 - ☐ Indian Peafowl
 - ☐ Red Junglefowl
 - ☐ Chukar
- ## PIGEONS AND DOVES
- ☐ Rock Pigeon
 - ☐ Passenger Pigeon
 - ☐ Eurasian Collared-Dove
 - ☐ Inca Dove
 - ☐ Common Ground Dove
 - ☐ White-winged Dove
 - ☐ Mourning Dove
- ## CUCKOOS
- ☐ Groove-billed Ani
 - ☐ Yellow-billed Cuckoo
 - ☐ Black-billed Cuckoo
- ## NIGHTJARS AND ALLIES
- ☐ Common Nighthawk
 - ☐ Chuck-will's-widow
 - ☐ Eastern Whip-poor-will
- ## SWIFTS
- ☐ Chimney Swift
- ## HUMMINGBIRDS
- ☐ Mexican Violetear
 - ☐ Ruby-throated Hummingbird
 - ☐ Anna's Hummingbird
 - ☐ Rufous Hummingbird
 - ☐ Broad-billed Hummingbird
- ## RAILS, GALLINULES, AND COOTS
- ☐ King Rail
 - ☐ Virginia Rail
 - ☐ Sora
 - ☐ Common Gallinule
 - ☐ American Coot
 - ☐ Purple Gallinule
 - ☐ Yellow Rail
 - ☐ Black Rail
- ## LIMPKIN
- ☐ Limpkin
- ## CRANES
- ☐ Sandhill Crane
 - ☐ Whooping Crane
- ## STILTS AND AVOCETS
- ☐ Black-necked Stilt
 - ☐ American Avocet

PLOVERS AND LAPWINGS

- ☐ Black-bellied Plover
 - ☐ American Golden-Plover
 - ☐ Killdeer
 - ☐ Semipalmated Plover
 - ☐ Piping Plover
 - ☐ Snowy Plover
- ## SANDPIPERS AND ALLIES
- ☐ Upland Sandpiper
 - ☐ Hudsonian Whimbrel
 - ☐ Eskimo Curlew
 - ☐ Long-billed Curlew
 - ☐ Bar-tailed Godwit
 - ☐ Hudsonian Godwit
 - ☐ Marbled Godwit
 - ☐ Short-billed Dowitcher
 - ☐ Long-billed Dowitcher
 - ☐ American Woodcock
 - ☐ Wilson's Snipe
 - ☐ Wilson's Phalarope
 - ☐ Red Phalarope
 - ☐ Red-necked Phalarope
 - ☐ Spotted Sandpiper
 - ☐ Solitary Sandpiper
 - ☐ Lesser Yellowlegs
 - ☐ Willet
 - ☐ Greater Yellowlegs
 - ☐ Ruddy Turnstone
 - ☐ Red Knot
 - ☐ Ruff
 - ☐ Sharp-tailed Sandpiper
 - ☐ Curlew Sandpiper
 - ☐ Stilt Sandpiper
 - ☐ Buff-breasted Sandpiper
 - ☐ Sanderling
 - ☐ Dunlin
 - ☐ Baird's Sandpiper
 - ☐ White-rumped Sandpiper
 - ☐ Least Sandpiper
 - ☐ Pectoral Sandpiper
 - ☐ Western Sandpiper
 - ☐ Semipalmated Sandpiper
- ## SKUAS AND JAEGER
- ☐ Long-tailed Jaeger
 - ☐ Parasitic Jaeger
 - ☐ Pomarine Jaeger
- ## AUKS, MURRES, AND PUFFINS
- ☐ Long-billed Murrelet
 - ☐ Thick-billed Murre
 - ☐ Ancient Murrelet
- ## GULLS, TERNS, AND SKIMMERS
- ☐ Little Gull
 - ☐ Ross's Gull
 - ☐ Black-legged Kittiwake
 - ☐ Ivory Gull
 - ☐ Sabine's Gull

☐ Bonaparte's Gull
☐ Black-headed Gull
☐ Laughing Gull
☐ Franklin's Gull
☐ Black-tailed Gull
☐ Heermann's Gull
☐ Short-billed Gull
☐ Ring-billed Gull
☐ American Herring Gull
☐ Great Black-backed Gull
☐ Glaucous Gull
☐ Lesser Black-backed Gull
☐ California Gull
☐ Glaucous-winged Gull
☐ Slaty-backed Gull
☐ Iceland Gull
☐ Least Tern
☐ Caspian Tern
☐ Black Tern
☐ Forster's Tern
☐ Arctic Tern
☐ Common Tern
☐ Royal Tern
GREBES
☐ Pied-billed Grebe
☐ Horned Grebe
☐ Red-necked Grebe
☐ Eared Grebe
☐ Western Grebe
☐ Clark's Grebe
LOONS
☐ Red-throated Loon
☐ Pacific Loon
☐ Common Loon
☐ Yellow-billed Loon
STORKS
☐ Wood Stork
FRIGATEBIRDS
☐ Magnificent Frigatebird
BOOBIES AND GANNETS
☐ Brown Booby
ANHINGAS
☐ Anhinga
CORMORANTS AND SHAGS
☐ Double-crested Cormorant
☐ Neotropic Cormorant
IBISES AND SPOONBILLS
☐ White Ibis
☐ Glossy Ibis
☐ White-faced Ibis
☐ Roseate Spoonbill
HERONS, EGRETS, AND BITTERNS
☐ American Bittern
☐ Least Bittern
☐ Yellow-crowned Night Heron
☐ Black-crowned Night Heron
☐ Little Blue Heron
☐ Tricolored Heron
☐ Reddish Egret
☐ Snowy Egret
☐ Green Heron
☐ Western Cattle-Egret
☐ Great Egret

☐ Great Blue Heron
PELICANS
☐ American White Pelican
☐ Brown Pelican
NEW WORLD VULTURES
☐ Black Vulture
☐ Turkey Vulture
OSPREY
☐ Osprey
HAWKS, EAGLES, AND KITES
☐ White-tailed Kite
☐ Swallow-tailed Kite
☐ Golden Eagle
☐ Sharp-shinned Hawk
☐ Cooper's Hawk
☐ American Goshawk
☐ Northern Harrier
☐ Bald Eagle
☐ Mississippi Kite
☐ Broad-winged Hawk
☐ Red-shouldered Hawk
☐ Swainson's Hawk
☐ Red-tailed Hawk
☐ Rough-legged Hawk
☐ Ferruginous Hawk
BARN-OWLS
☐ American Barn Owl
OWLS
☐ Eastern Screech-Owl
☐ Snowy Owl
☐ Great Horned Owl
☐ Northern Hawk Owl
☐ Burrowing Owl
☐ Barred Owl
☐ Great Gray Owl
☐ Long-eared Owl
☐ Short-eared Owl
☐ Boreal Owl
☐ Northern Saw-whet Owl
KINGFISHERS
☐ Belted Kingfisher
WOODPECKERS
☐ Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
☐ Red-breasted Sapsucker
☐ Lewis's Woodpecker
☐ Red-headed Woodpecker
☐ Acorn Woodpecker
☐ Red-bellied Woodpecker
☐ Black-backed Woodpecker
☐ Downy Woodpecker
☐ Hairy Woodpecker
☐ Pileated Woodpecker
☐ Northern Flicker
FALCONS AND CARACARAS
☐ Crested Caracara
☐ American Kestrel

☐ Merlin
☐ Gyrfalcon
☐ Peregrine Falcon
☐ Prairie Falcon
OLD WORLD PARROTS
☐ Budgerigar
NEW WORLD AND AFRICAN PARROTS
☐ Monk Parakeet
☐ Carolina Parakeet
TYRANT FLYCATCHERS
☐ Olive-sided Flycatcher
☐ Western Wood-Pewee
☐ Eastern Wood-Pewee
☐ Yellow-bellied Flycatcher
☐ Acadian Flycatcher
☐ Alder Flycatcher
☐ Willow Flycatcher
☐ Least Flycatcher
☐ Western Flycatcher
☐ Eastern Phoebe
☐ Say's Phoebe
☐ Vermilion Flycatcher
☐ Great Crested Flycatcher
☐ Western Kingbird
☐ Eastern Kingbird
☐ Scissor-tailed Flycatcher
☐ Fork-tailed Flycatcher
VIREOS, SHRIKE-BABLERS, AND ERPORNIS
☐ White-eyed Vireo
☐ Bell's Vireo
☐ Yellow-throated Vireo
☐ Blue-headed Vireo
☐ Philadelphia Vireo
☐ Eastern Warbling Vireo
☐ Red-eyed Vireo
SHRIKES
☐ Loggerhead Shrike
☐ Northern Shrike
CROWS, JAYS, AND MAGPIES
☐ Canada Jay
☐ Pinyon Jay
☐ Blue Jay
☐ Black-billed Magpie
☐ Clark's Nutcracker
☐ American Crow
☐ Fish Crow
☐ Common Raven
TITS, CHICKADEES, AND TITMICE
☐ Black-capped Chickadee
☐ Boreal Chickadee
☐ Tufted Titmouse
LARKS
☐ Horned Lark
SWALLOWS
☐ Bank Swallow
☐ Tree Swallow

- ☐ Violet-green Swallow
- ☐ Purple Martin
- ☐ Northern Rough-winged Swallow
- ☐ Barn Swallow
- ☐ Cliff Swallow
- ☐ Cave Swallow

KINGLETS

- ☐ Ruby-crowned Kinglet
- ☐ Golden-crowned Kinglet

NUTHATCHES

- ☐ White-breasted Nuthatch
- ☐ Pygmy Nuthatch
- ☐ Red-breasted Nuthatch

TREECREEPERS

- ☐ Brown Creeper

GNATCATCHERS

- ☐ Blue-gray Gnatcatcher

WRENS

- ☐ Rock Wren
- ☐ Northern House Wren
- ☐ Pacific Wren
- ☐ Winter Wren
- ☐ Sedge Wren
- ☐ Marsh Wren
- ☐ Carolina Wren
- ☐ Bewick's Wren

STARLINGS

- ☐ European Starling

MOCKINGBIRDS AND THRASHERS

- ☐ Gray Catbird
- ☐ Curve-billed Thrasher
- ☐ Brown Thrasher
- ☐ Sage Thrasher
- ☐ Northern Mockingbird

THRUSHES AND ALLIES

- ☐ Eastern Bluebird
- ☐ Mountain Bluebird
- ☐ Townsend's Solitaire
- ☐ Varied Thrush
- ☐ Veery
- ☐ Gray-cheeked Thrush
- ☐ Swainson's Thrush
- ☐ Hermit Thrush
- ☐ Wood Thrush
- ☐ American Robin

WAXWINGS

- ☐ Bohemian Waxwing
- ☐ Cedar Waxwing

OLD WORLD SPARROWS

- ☐ House Sparrow
- ☐ Eurasian Tree Sparrow

WAGTAILS AND PIPITS

- ☐ American Pipit
- ☐ Sprague's Pipit

FINCHES, EUPHONIAS, AND ALLIES

- ☐ Brambling
- ☐ Evening Grosbeak
- ☐ Pine Grosbeak
- ☐ Gray-crowned Rosy-Finch
- ☐ House Finch
- ☐ Purple Finch
- ☐ Redpoll
- ☐ Red Crossbill

- ☐ White-winged Crossbill

- ☐ Pine Siskin

- ☐ Lesser Goldfinch

- ☐ American Goldfinch

LONGSPURS AND SNOW BUNTINGS

- ☐ Lapland Longspur
- ☐ Chestnut-collared Longspur
- ☐ Smith's Longspur
- ☐ Snow Bunting

NEW WORLD SPARROWS

- ☐ Grasshopper Sparrow
- ☐ Chipping Sparrow
- ☐ Clay-colored Sparrow
- ☐ Field Sparrow
- ☐ Black-throated Sparrow
- ☐ Lark Sparrow
- ☐ Lark Bunting
- ☐ American Tree Sparrow
- ☐ Fox Sparrow
- ☐ Dark-eyed Junco
- ☐ White-crowned Sparrow
- ☐ Golden-crowned Sparrow
- ☐ Harris's Sparrow
- ☐ White-throated Sparrow
- ☐ Vesper Sparrow
- ☐ LeConte's Sparrow
- ☐ Nelson's Sparrow
- ☐ Savannah Sparrow
- ☐ Baird's Sparrow
- ☐ Henslow's Sparrow
- ☐ Song Sparrow
- ☐ Lincoln's Sparrow
- ☐ Swamp Sparrow
- ☐ Green-tailed Towhee
- ☐ Spotted Towhee
- ☐ Eastern Towhee

YELLOW-BREADED CHAT

- ☐ Yellow-breasted Chat

TROUPIALS AND ALLIES

- ☐ Yellow-headed Blackbird
- ☐ Bobolink
- ☐ Western Meadowlark
- ☐ Eastern Meadowlark
- ☐ Orchard Oriole
- ☐ Hooded Oriole
- ☐ Bullock's Oriole
- ☐ Baltimore Oriole
- ☐ Scott's Oriole
- ☐ Red-winged Blackbird
- ☐ Brown-headed Cowbird
- ☐ Rusty Blackbird
- ☐ Brewer's Blackbird
- ☐ Common Grackle
- ☐ Great-tailed Grackle

NEW WORLD WARBLERS

- ☐ Ovenbird

- ☐ Worm-eating Warbler

- ☐ Louisiana Waterthrush

- ☐ Northern Waterthrush

- ☐ Golden-winged Warbler

- ☐ Blue-winged Warbler

- ☐ Black-and-white Warbler

- ☐ Prothonotary Warbler

- ☐ Swainson's Warbler

- ☐ Tennessee Warbler

- ☐ Orange-crowned Warbler

- ☐ Nashville Warbler

- ☐ Connecticut Warbler

- ☐ MacGillivray's Warbler

- ☐ Mourning Warbler

- ☐ Kentucky Warbler

- ☐ Common Yellowthroat

- ☐ Hooded Warbler

- ☐ American Redstart

- ☐ Cape May Warbler

- ☐ Cerulean Warbler

- ☐ Northern Parula

- ☐ Magnolia Warbler

- ☐ Bay-breasted Warbler

- ☐ Blackburnian Warbler

- ☐ Northern Yellow Warbler

- ☐ Chestnut-sided Warbler

- ☐ Blackpoll Warbler

- ☐ Black-throated Blue Warbler

- ☐ Palm Warbler

- ☐ Pine Warbler

- ☐ Yellow-rumped Warbler

- ☐ Yellow-throated Warbler

- ☐ Prairie Warbler

- ☐ Black-throated Gray Warbler

- ☐ Townsend's Warbler

- ☐ Black-throated Green Warbler

- ☐ Canada Warbler

- ☐ Wilson's Warbler

CARDINALS AND ALLIES

- ☐ Summer Tanager

- ☐ Scarlet Tanager

- ☐ Western Tanager

- ☐ Northern Cardinal

- ☐ Yellow Grosbeak

- ☐ Rose-breasted Grosbeak

- ☐ Black-headed Grosbeak

- ☐ Blue Grosbeak

- ☐ Lazuli Bunting

- ☐ Indigo Bunting

- ☐ Painted Bunting

- ☐ Dickcissel