

Minnesota Bird Checklist

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

474 species · Total seen: _____

CASSOWARIES AND EMU

☐ Emu

DUCKS, GEESE, AND WATERFOWL

- ☐ Black-bellied Whistling-Duck
- ☐ Fulvous Whistling-Duck
- ☐ Bar-headed Goose
- ☐ Snow Goose
- ☐ Ross's Goose
- ☐ Graylag Goose
- ☐ Swan Goose
- ☐ Greater White-fronted Goose
- ☐ Brant
- ☐ Cackling Goose
- ☐ Canada Goose
- ☐ Mute Swan
- ☐ Black Swan
- ☐ Trumpeter Swan
- ☐ Tundra Swan
- ☐ Whooper Swan
- ☐ Egyptian Goose
- ☐ Muscovy Duck
- ☐ 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
- ☐ Tufted 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
- ☐ Smew
- ☐ 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
- ☐ Willow Ptarmigan
- ☐ Rock Ptarmigan
- ☐ Spruce Grouse
- ☐ Gray Partridge
- ☐ Ring-necked Pheasant
- ☐ Green Pheasant
- ☐ Silver Pheasant
- ☐ Indian Peafowl
- ☐ Red Junglefowl
- ☐ Japanese Quail
- ☐ Red-legged Partridge
- ☐ Chukar

PIGEONS AND DOVES

- ☐ Rock Pigeon
- ☐ Band-tailed Pigeon
- ☐ Passenger Pigeon
- ☐ Eurasian Collared-Dove
- ☐ African Collared-Dove
- ☐ Spotted Dove
- ☐ Diamond 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

- ☐ Ruby-throated Hummingbird
- ☐ Anna's Hummingbird
- ☐ Calliope 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
- ☐ Common Ringed Plover
- ☐ Semipalmated Plover
- ☐ Piping Plover
- ☐ Wilson's Plover
- ☐ Snowy Plover

SANDPIPERS AND ALLIES

- ☐ Upland Sandpiper
- ☐ Hudsonian Whimbrel
- ☐ Eskimo Curlew
- ☐ Long-billed Curlew
- ☐ 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
- ☐ Purple Sandpiper
- ☐ Baird's Sandpiper
- ☐ White-rumped Sandpiper
- ☐ Least Sandpiper
- ☐ Pectoral Sandpiper
- ☐ Western Sandpiper
- ☐ Semipalmated Sandpiper

SKUAS AND JAEGERs

☐ Long-tailed Jaeger

- ☐ Parasitic Jaeger
- ☐ Pomarine Jaeger

AUKS, MURRES, AND PUFFINS

- ☐ Long-billed Murrelet
- ☐ Black Guillemot
- ☐ 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
- ☐ Short-billed Gull
- ☐ Ring-billed Gull
- ☐ American Herring Gull
- ☐ Vega Gull
- ☐ Great Black-backed Gull
- ☐ Glaucous Gull
- ☐ Lesser Black-backed Gull
- ☐ California Gull
- ☐ Glaucous-winged Gull
- ☐ Slaty-backed Gull
- ☐ Iceland Gull
- ☐ Least Tern
- ☐ Gull-billed 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

SHEARWATERS AND PETRELS

- ☐ Northern Fulmar

STORKS

- ☐ Wood Stork

FRIGATEBIRDS

- ☐ Magnificent Frigatebird

BOOBIES AND GANNETS

- ☐ Brown Booby

CORMORANTS AND SHAGS

- ☐ Double-crested Cormorant
- ☐ Neotropic Cormorant

IBISES AND SPOONBILLS

- ☐ White Ibis
- ☐ Scarlet 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
- ☐ 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

- ☐ Williamson's Sapsucker
- ☐ Yellow-bellied Sapsucker

- ☐ Lewis's Woodpecker
- ☐ Red-headed Woodpecker
- ☐ Acorn Woodpecker
- ☐ Red-bellied Woodpecker
- ☐ American Three-toed 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

COCKATOOS

- ☐ Cockatiel

OLD WORLD PARROTS

- ☐ Budgerigar

NEW WORLD AND AFRICAN PARROTS

- ☐ Monk Parakeet

TYRANT FLYCATCHERS

- ☐ Olive-sided Flycatcher
- ☐ Western Wood-Pewee
- ☐ Eastern Wood-Pewee
- ☐ Yellow-bellied Flycatcher
- ☐ Acadian Flycatcher
- ☐ Alder Flycatcher
- ☐ Willow Flycatcher
- ☐ Least Flycatcher
- ☐ Black Phoebe
- ☐ Eastern Phoebe
- ☐ Say's Phoebe
- ☐ Vermilion Flycatcher
- ☐ Ash-throated Flycatcher
- ☐ Great Crested Flycatcher
- ☐ Tropical Kingbird
- ☐ Cassin's Kingbird
- ☐ Western Kingbird
- ☐ Eastern Kingbird
- ☐ Scissor-tailed Flycatcher
- ☐ Fork-tailed Flycatcher

VIREOS, SHRIKE-BABBLERS, AND ERPORNIS

- ☐ White-eyed Vireo
- ☐ Bell's Vireo
- ☐ Yellow-throated Vireo
- ☐ Blue-headed Vireo
- ☐ Philadelphia Vireo
- ☐ Eastern Warbling Vireo
- ☐ Western Warbling Vireo
- ☐ Red-eyed Vireo

SHRIKES

- ☐ Magpie Shrike
- ☐ Loggerhead Shrike

☐ Northern Shrike

CROWS, JAYS, AND MAGPIES

☐ Canada Jay

☐ Blue Jay

☐ Black-billed Magpie

☐ Clark's Nutcracker

☐ American 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

BULBULS

☐ Red-whiskered Bulbul

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

☐ 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

☐ Fieldfare

☐ American Robin

OLD WORLD FLYCATCHERS

☐ Northern Wheatear

WAXWINGS

☐ Bohemian Waxwing

☐ Cedar Waxwing

SILKY-FLYCATCHERS

☐ Phainopepla

WAXBILLS AND ALLIES

☐ Scaly-breasted Munia

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

☐ Cassin's Finch

☐ Redpoll

☐ Red Crossbill

☐ White-winged Crossbill

☐ European Goldfinch

☐ Pine Siskin

☐ Lesser Goldfinch

☐ American Goldfinch

LONGSPURS AND SNOW BUNTINGS

☐ Lapland Longspur

☐ Chestnut-collared Longspur

☐ Smith's Longspur

☐ Thick-billed Longspur

☐ Snow Bunting

NEW WORLD SPARROWS

☐ Cassin's Sparrow

☐ Grasshopper Sparrow

☐ Chipping Sparrow

☐ Clay-colored Sparrow

☐ Field Sparrow

☐ Brewer's 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

☐ Abert's Towhee

☐ Green-tailed Towhee

☐ Spotted Towhee

☐ Eastern Towhee

YELLOW-BREASTED CHAT

☐ Yellow-breasted Chat

TROUPIALS AND ALLIES

☐ Yellow-headed Blackbird

☐ Bobolink

☐ Western Meadowlark

☐ Eastern Meadowlark

☐ Orchard 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

☐ Mourning Warbler

☐ Kentucky Warbler

☐ Common Yellowthroat

☐ Hooded Warbler

☐ American Redstart

☐ Kirtland's Warbler

☐ 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
- ☐ Hermit Warbler
- ☐ Black-throated Green Warbler
- ☐ Canada Warbler
- ☐ Wilson's Warbler
- ☐ Painted Redstart

CARDINALS AND ALLIES

- ☐ Summer Tanager
- ☐ Scarlet Tanager
- ☐ Western Tanager
- ☐ Northern Cardinal
- ☐ Rose-breasted Grosbeak
- ☐ Black-headed Grosbeak
- ☐ Blue Grosbeak
- ☐ Lazuli Bunting
- ☐ Indigo Bunting
- ☐ Painted Bunting
- ☐ Dickcissel