

Montana Bird Checklist

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

468 species · Total seen: _____

DUCKS, GEESE, AND WATERFOWL

- ☐ Snow Goose
- ☐ Ross's Goose
- ☐ Graylag Goose
- ☐ Swan Goose
- ☐ Greater White-fronted Goose
- ☐ Tundra Bean-Goose
- ☐ Brant
- ☐ Barnacle Goose
- ☐ Cackling Goose
- ☐ Canada Goose
- ☐ Mute Swan
- ☐ Trumpeter Swan
- ☐ Tundra Swan
- ☐ Whooper Swan
- ☐ Egyptian Goose
- ☐ Muscovy Duck
- ☐ Wood Duck
- ☐ Mandarin Duck
- ☐ Baikal Teal
- ☐ Garganey
- ☐ Blue-winged Teal
- ☐ Cinnamon Teal
- ☐ Northern Shoveler
- ☐ Gadwall
- ☐ Eurasian Wigeon
- ☐ American Wigeon
- ☐ Mallard
- ☐ Mexican Duck
- ☐ American Black Duck
- ☐ Northern Pintail
- ☐ Green-winged Teal
- ☐ Canvasback
- ☐ Redhead
- ☐ Ring-necked Duck
- ☐ Tufted Duck
- ☐ Greater Scaup
- ☐ Lesser Scaup
- ☐ Harlequin Duck
- ☐ Surf Scoter
- ☐ White-winged Scoter
- ☐ Stejneger's 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
- ☐ Scaled Quail

- ☐ California Quail

- ☐ Gambel's Quail

PHEASANTS, GROUSE, AND ALLIES

- ☐ Wild Turkey
- ☐ Ruffed Grouse
- ☐ Greater Sage-Grouse
- ☐ Dusky Grouse
- ☐ Sharp-tailed Grouse
- ☐ Greater Prairie-Chicken
- ☐ White-tailed Ptarmigan
- ☐ Willow Ptarmigan
- ☐ Spruce Grouse
- ☐ Gray Partridge
- ☐ Ring-necked Pheasant
- ☐ Green Pheasant
- ☐ Indian Peafowl
- ☐ Red Junglefowl
- ☐ Chukar

PIGEONS AND DOVES

- ☐ Rock Pigeon
- ☐ Band-tailed Pigeon
- ☐ Eurasian Collared-Dove
- ☐ African Collared-Dove
- ☐ Inca Dove
- ☐ White-winged Dove
- ☐ Mourning Dove

CUCKOOS

- ☐ Yellow-billed Cuckoo
- ☐ Black-billed Cuckoo

NIGHTJARS AND ALLIES

- ☐ Common Nighthawk
- ☐ Common Poorwill

SWIFTS

- ☐ Black Swift
- ☐ Chimney Swift
- ☐ Vaux's Swift
- ☐ White-throated Swift

HUMMINGBIRDS

- ☐ Mexican Violetear
- ☐ Rivoli's Hummingbird
- ☐ Ruby-throated Hummingbird
- ☐ Black-chinned Hummingbird
- ☐ Anna's Hummingbird
- ☐ Costa's Hummingbird
- ☐ Calliope Hummingbird
- ☐ Rufous Hummingbird
- ☐ Broad-tailed Hummingbird

RAILS, GALLINULES, AND COOTS

- ☐ Virginia Rail
- ☐ Sora
- ☐ Common Gallinule
- ☐ American Coot
- ☐ Yellow Rail

CRANES

- ☐ Sandhill Crane
- ☐ Whooping Crane

STILTS AND AVOCETS

- ☐ Black-necked Stilt
- ☐ American Avocet

PLOVERS AND LAPWINGS

- ☐ Black-bellied Plover
- ☐ American Golden-Plover
- ☐ Pacific Golden-Plover
- ☐ Killdeer
- ☐ Semipalmated Plover
- ☐ Piping Plover
- ☐ Mountain Plover
- ☐ Snowy Plover

SANDPIPERS AND ALLIES

- ☐ Upland Sandpiper
- ☐ Hudsonian Whimbrel
- ☐ 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
- ☐ Wood Sandpiper
- ☐ Lesser Yellowlegs
- ☐ Willet
- ☐ Greater Yellowlegs
- ☐ Ruddy Turnstone
- ☐ Black 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 JAEGER

- ☐ Long-tailed Jaeger
- ☐ Parasitic Jaeger
- ☐ Pomarine Jaeger

AUKS, MURRE, AND PUFFINS

- ☐ Long-billed Murrelet
- ☐ Ancient Murrelet

GULLS, TERNS, AND SKIMMERS

- ☐ Little Gull
- ☐ Ross's Gull
- ☐ Black-legged Kittiwake
- ☐ Ivory Gull
- ☐ Sabine's Gull
- ☐ Bonaparte's Gull
- ☐ Laughing Gull
- ☐ Franklin's Gull
- ☐ Heermann's Gull
- ☐ Short-billed Gull
- ☐ Ring-billed Gull
- ☐ Western Gull
- ☐ American Herring Gull
- ☐ Great Black-backed Gull
- ☐ Glaucous Gull
- ☐ Lesser Black-backed Gull
- ☐ California Gull
- ☐ Glaucous-winged Gull
- ☐ Iceland Gull
- ☐ Least Tern
- ☐ Caspian Tern
- ☐ Black Tern
- ☐ Forster's Tern
- ☐ Arctic Tern
- ☐ Common 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

- ☐ Manx Shearwater

STORKS

- ☐ Wood Stork

CORMORANTS AND SHAGS

- ☐ Double-crested Cormorant
- ☐ Neotropic Cormorant

IBISES AND SPOONBILLS

- ☐ Glossy Ibis
- ☐ White-faced Ibis

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

NEW WORLD VULTURES

- ☐ Black Vulture
- ☐ Turkey Vulture

OSPREY

- ☐ Osprey

HAWKS, EAGLES, AND KITES

- ☐ White-tailed Kite
- ☐ Golden Eagle
- ☐ Sharp-shinned Hawk
- ☐ Cooper's Hawk
- ☐ American Goshawk
- ☐ Northern Harrier
- ☐ Bald Eagle
- ☐ Mississippi Kite
- ☐ Harris's Hawk
- ☐ Broad-winged Hawk
- ☐ Red-shouldered Hawk
- ☐ Swainson's Hawk
- ☐ Red-tailed Hawk
- ☐ Rough-legged Hawk
- ☐ Ferruginous Hawk

BARN-OWLS

- ☐ American Barn Owl

OWLS

- ☐ Flammulated Owl
- ☐ Western Screech-Owl
- ☐ Eastern Screech-Owl
- ☐ Snowy Owl
- ☐ Great Horned Owl
- ☐ Northern Hawk Owl
- ☐ Northern Pygmy-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
- ☐ Red-naped Sapsucker
- ☐ Lewis's Woodpecker
- ☐ Red-headed Woodpecker
- ☐ Red-bellied Woodpecker
- ☐ American Three-toed Woodpecker
- ☐ Black-backed Woodpecker
- ☐ Downy Woodpecker
- ☐ Hairy Woodpecker
- ☐ White-headed Woodpecker
- ☐ Pileated Woodpecker
- ☐ Northern Flicker

FALCONS AND CARACARAS

- ☐ Crested Caracara

- ☐ American Kestrel
- ☐ Merlin
- ☐ Gyrfalcon
- ☐ Peregrine Falcon
- ☐ Prairie Falcon

COCKATOOS

- ☐ Cockatiel

NEW WORLD AND AFRICAN PARROTS

- ☐ Scarlet Macaw

TYRANT FLYCATCHERS

- ☐ Olive-sided Flycatcher
- ☐ Western Wood-Pewee
- ☐ Eastern Wood-Pewee
- ☐ Yellow-bellied Flycatcher
- ☐ Alder Flycatcher
- ☐ Willow Flycatcher
- ☐ Least Flycatcher
- ☐ Hammond's Flycatcher
- ☐ Gray Flycatcher
- ☐ Dusky Flycatcher
- ☐ Western Flycatcher
- ☐ Eastern Phoebe
- ☐ Say's Phoebe
- ☐ Vermilion Flycatcher
- ☐ Ash-throated Flycatcher
- ☐ Great Crested Flycatcher
- ☐ Cassin's Kingbird
- ☐ Western Kingbird
- ☐ Eastern Kingbird
- ☐ Scissor-tailed Flycatcher

VIREOS, SHRIKE-BABBLERS, AND ERPORNIS

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

SHRIKES

- ☐ Loggerhead Shrike
- ☐ Northern Shrike

CROWS, JAYS, AND MAGPIES

- ☐ Canada Jay
- ☐ Pinyon Jay
- ☐ Steller's Jay
- ☐ Blue Jay
- ☐ California Scrub-Jay
- ☐ Black-billed Magpie
- ☐ Clark's Nutcracker
- ☐ American Crow
- ☐ Common Raven

TITS, CHICKADEES, AND TITMICE

- ☐ Black-capped Chickadee

- ☐ Mountain Chickadee
- ☐ Chestnut-backed Chickadee
- ☐ Boreal Chickadee

LARKS

- ☐ Horned Lark

SWALLOWS

- ☐ Bank Swallow
- ☐ Tree Swallow
- ☐ Violet-green Swallow
- ☐ Purple Martin
- ☐ Northern Rough-winged Swallow
- ☐ Barn Swallow
- ☐ Cliff 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
- ☐ Canyon Wren
- ☐ Northern House Wren
- ☐ Pacific Wren
- ☐ Winter Wren
- ☐ Sedge Wren
- ☐ Marsh Wren
- ☐ Carolina Wren
- ☐ Bewick's Wren

DIPPERS

- ☐ American Dipper

STARLINGS

- ☐ European Starling

MOCKINGBIRDS AND THRASHERS

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

THRUSHES AND ALLIES

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

WAXWINGS

- ☐ Bohemian Waxwing
- ☐ Cedar Waxwing

ACCENTORS

- ☐ Siberian Accentor

OLD WORLD SPARROWS

- ☐ House Sparrow
- ☐ Eurasian Tree Sparrow

WAGTAILS AND PIPITS

- ☐ White Wagtail
- ☐ American Pipit
- ☐ Sprague's Pipit

FINCHES, EUPHONIAS, AND ALLIES

- ☐ Brambling
- ☐ Evening Grosbeak
- ☐ Pine Grosbeak
- ☐ Gray-crowned Rosy-Finch
- ☐ Black Rosy-Finch
- ☐ House Finch
- ☐ Purple Finch
- ☐ Cassin's 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
- ☐ 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
- ☐ Sagebrush Sparrow
- ☐ Vesper Sparrow
- ☐ LeConte's Sparrow
- ☐ Nelson's Sparrow
- ☐ Savannah Sparrow
- ☐ Baird's Sparrow
- ☐ Song Sparrow
- ☐ Lincoln's Sparrow
- ☐ Swamp Sparrow
- ☐ 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
- ☐ 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
- ☐ Northern Waterthrush
- ☐ Golden-winged Warbler
- ☐ Blue-winged Warbler
- ☐ Black-and-white Warbler
- ☐ Prothonotary Warbler
- ☐ Tennessee Warbler
- ☐ Orange-crowned Warbler
- ☐ Nashville Warbler
- ☐ Virginia's Warbler
- ☐ Connecticut Warbler
- ☐ MacGillivray's Warbler
- ☐ Mourning Warbler
- ☐ Kentucky Warbler
- ☐ Common Yellowthroat
- ☐ Hooded Warbler
- ☐ American Redstart
- ☐ Cape May 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

☐ Pyrrhuloxia

☐ Rose-breasted Grosbeak

☐ Black-headed Grosbeak

☐ Blue Grosbeak

☐ Lazuli Bunting

☐ Indigo Bunting

☐ Painted Bunting

☐ Dickcissel