

# Count Summary Report

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<b>Count Name:</b> Morgantown	<b>Count Code:</b> WVMO	<b>Count Date:</b> 12/16/2023
<b>Organizations &amp; Sponsors:</b> Mountaineer Chapter of National Audubon, Avian Conservation Center of the Appalachia	<b># of Party Hours:</b> 88.75	<b>Species reported on count date:</b> 95

## Compiler(s)

First Name	Last Name	Email	Is Primary Compiler
Derek	Courtney	derek.dana.courtney@gmail.com	Yes
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## Start & End Times

Start time	End time
12:00 AM	11:59 PM

## Effort

Observers	
In Field	Total Number: 79
	Minimum Number of Parties (daylight): 2
	Maximum Number of Parties (daylight): 17
At Feeders	Total Number: 10

Party Hours and Distance (excludes viewing at feeders and nocturnal birding)			
By	Hours	Distance	Units
Foot	68.00	62.50	Miles
Car	19.75	329.25	Miles
Air			
All-Terrain Vehicle	1.00	1.50	Miles
Bicycle			
Dog Sled			
Golfcart			
Horseback			
Motorized Boat			
Non-Motorized Boat			
Skis/Xc-Skis			
Snowmachine			
Snowshoe			

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Wheelchair			
Other Time and Distance			
	Hours	Distance	Units
At Feeders	23.25		
Nocturnal Birding	16.75	82.00	Miles
Total Party	88.75	393.25	Miles

## Weather

Weather Summary			
Temperature	Minimum: 28.0 Fahrenheit	Maximum: 60.0 Fahrenheit	
Wind Direction	Southeast		
Wind Velocity	Minimum: 0.00 Miles/hour	Maximum: 15.00 Miles/hour	
Snow Depth	Minimum: 0.00 Inches	Maximum: 0.00 Inches	
Still Water	Open		
Moving Water	Open		
AM and PM Conditions			
Cloud Cover	AM: Clear	PM: Clear	
AM Rain	None		
AM Snow	None		
PM Rain	None		
PM Snow	None		

## Checklist

Species	Number or cw	Flags	Max Number	# Of Counts	Editor Comm.
Snow Goose	1	US,	2/118	4	eo
Canada Goose	1051		1500/121	37	
Tundra Swan	19		53/116	16	
Wood Duck	2		9/113	20	
Gadwall	23	HC,	23/124	12	
American Black Duck	46		105/89	35	
Mallard	282		714/104	39	
American Black Duck x Mallard (hybrid)	2	US,	2/124	2	eo
Northern Shoveler	2		5/121	7	
Green-winged Teal	5	HC,	5/124	5	
Ring-necked Duck	1		52/112	20	
Bufflehead	74		120/121	34	
Hooded Merganser	102		158/121	37	

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Common Merganser	4		41/118	14	
Ruddy Duck	cw		201/109	24	
Ruffed Grouse	1		3/96	18	eo
Wild Turkey	53		131/121	35	
Common Loon	2		4/98	21	
Pied-billed Grebe	16		45/113	34	
Double-crested Cormorant	1		6/116	18	
Great Blue Heron (Blue form)	14		20/106	36	
Black Vulture	66		114/117	20	
Turkey Vulture	107		158/116	30	
Northern Harrier	1		2/121	9	
Sharp-shinned Hawk	3		4/121	31	
Cooper's Hawk	7		15/121	34	
Accipiter sp.	2		3/87	11	
Bald Eagle	6		10/121	23	2ad 4im
Red-shouldered Hawk	16		20/121	18	
Red-tailed Hawk	30		54/121	39	
Buteo sp.	1		1/124	4	
American Coot	31	HC,	31/124	25	
Killdeer	19		29/112	19	
Wilson's Snipe	1	US,	5/123	2	aq eo
Ring-billed Gull	cw		64/101	27	
Rock Pigeon (Feral Pigeon)	779	HC,	779/124	39	
Mourning Dove	170		288/121	39	
Eastern Screech-Owl	13		22/115	27	
Great Horned Owl	9	HC,	9/124	22	
Barred Owl	9		10/121	18	
Short-eared Owl	3	HC,	3/124	4	
Northern Saw-whet Owl	2		7/121	10	
Belted Kingfisher	27	HC,	27/124	38	
Red-bellied Woodpecker	79		85/121	39	
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	14		20/111	33	
Downy Woodpecker	73		88/123	39	
Hairy Woodpecker	27		29/121	39	
Northern Flicker (Yellow-shafted)	44		50/122	39	
Pileated Woodpecker	37	HC,	37/124	39	
American Kestrel	6		13/123	38	

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Merlin	1		3/121	12	
Peregrine Falcon	2	HC,	2/124	7	
Eastern Phoebe	1		8/123	18	
White-eyed Vireo	1	US,	2/122	9	eo ml ps
Blue Jay	199		232/120	39	
American Crow	419		708/115	39	
Fish Crow	2	US, HC,	2/124	1	eo nc ps
Common Raven	29		41/114	26	
Carolina Chickadee	229		231/123	36	
Black-capped Chickadee	10		70/88	38	
Tufted Titmouse	160		211/121	39	
Red-breasted Nuthatch	2		13/121	22	
White-breasted Nuthatch	77		104/123	39	
Brown Creeper	7		26/123	35	
Winter Wren	6		10/122	13	
Carolina Wren	201	HC,	201/124	39	
Golden-crowned Kinglet	47		72/120	34	
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	5		7/122	13	
Eastern Bluebird	155	HC,	155/124	39	
Hermit Thrush	17	HC,	17/124	20	
American Robin	531		2650/122	37	
Gray Catbird	3	HC,	3/124	10	
Brown Thrasher	2	HC,	2/124	4	
Northern Mockingbird	53		56/121	39	
European Starling	3900		5783/111	39	es
Cedar Waxwing	37		662/122	32	
Pine Warbler	1	US, HC,	1/124	2	eo gd ml
Yellow-rumped Warbler (Myrtle)	42		59/114	37	
American Tree Sparrow	25		25/124	30	
Chipping Sparrow	7	HC,	7/124	11	
Field Sparrow	6		41/107	33	
Fox Sparrow	5	HC,	5/124	8	
Dark-eyed Junco (Slate-colored)	141		417/86	39	
White-crowned Sparrow	26		31/115	16	
White-throated Sparrow	204	HC,	204/124	39	
Savannah Sparrow	1		2/119	6	
Song Sparrow	257	HC,	257/124	39	
Lincoln's Sparrow	1	US,	1/124	2	ed eo rt
Swamp Sparrow	27	HC,	27/124	17	

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Eastern Towhee	7		20/122	26	
Northern Cardinal	256		336/121	39	
Red-winged Blackbird	43		172/123	10	
Eastern Meadowlark	2		4/122	6	
Rusty Blackbird	4	US, HC,	4/124	2	aq eo
Common Grackle	2		5/117	11	
Brown-headed Cowbird	48		133/123	18	
House Finch	161		401/88	39	
Pine Siskin	17		109/121	15	
American Goldfinch	125		146/123	39	
House Sparrow	172		415/121	39	
Total Individuals	10959				
Total Species Reported	95				

cw = Reported count week  
 US = Flagged as an unusual species  
 HC = Flagged as an unusually high count  
 LC = Flagged as an unusually low count

### Species Requiring Rare Bird Reports to be Submitted to Regional Editor

**Species**

- Snow Goose [*Chen caerulescens*]
- American Black Duck x Mallard (hybrid) [*Anas rubripes* x *platyrhynchos*]
- Wilson's Snipe [*Gallinago delicata*]
- White-eyed Vireo [*Vireo griseus*]
- Fish Crow [*Corvus ossifragus*]
- Pine Warbler [*Setophaga pinus*]
- Lincoln's Sparrow [*Melospiza lincolni*]
- Rusty Blackbird [*Euphagus carolinus*]

### Special Aspects

BAEA (6) Adult 2, subadult 4.  
 20 HC species: GADW, GWTE, AMCO, ROPI, GHOW, SEOW, BEKI, PIWO, PEFA, CARW, EABL, HETH, GRCA, BRTH, CHSP, FOSP, WTSP, SOSP, SWSP, RUBL.  
 Rarer species for WVMO found: WISN (1), FICR (2), PIWA (1), LISP (1).