

Count Summary Report

Printout Date: 2/28/2017

Count Name: Charleston	Count Code: WVCH	Count Date: 12/17/2016
Organizations & Sponsors: Handlan Chapter, Brooks Bird Club	# of Party Hours: 47.70	Species reported on count date: 67

Compiler(s)

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Start & End Times

Start time	End time
06:00 AM	10:00 PM

Effort

Observers	
In Field	Total Number: 33
	Minimum Number of Parties (daylight): 2
	Maximum Number of Parties (daylight): 11
At Feeders	Total Number: 4

Party Hours and Distance (excludes viewing at feeders and nocturnal birding)			
By	Hours	Distance	Units
Foot	26.00	12.50	Miles
Car	21.70	176.30	Miles
Air			
All-Terrain Vehicle			
Bicycle			
Dog Sled			
Golfcart			
Horseback			
Motorized Boat			
Non-Motorized Boat			
Skis/Xc-Skis			
Snowmachine			
Snowshoe			
Wheelchair			

Other Time and Distance			
	Hours	Distance	Units
At Feeders	0.00		

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Nocturnal Birding	3.00	0.00	
Total Party	47.70	188.80	Miles

Weather

Weather Summary			
Temperature	Minimum: 40.0 Fahrenheit	Maximum: 68.0 Fahrenheit	
Wind Direction	Southeast		
Wind Velocity	Minimum: 5.00 Miles/hour	Maximum: 25.00 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: Partly Clear	PM: Partly Cloudy	
AM Rain	None		
AM Snow	None		
PM Rain	None		
PM Snow	None		

Checklist

Species	Number or cw	Flags	Max Number	# Of Counts	Editor Comm.
Canada Goose	409		1498/103	35	
Gadwall	77	HC,	77/117	22	
American Wigeon	8		16/102	17	
Mallard	149		886/90	36	
Northern Shoveler	4		19/102	8	
Ring-necked Duck	16		16/117	12	
Lesser Scaup	2		6/94	9	
Hooded Merganser	5		40/114	21	
Red-breasted Merganser	1		5/111	6	
Ruddy Duck	6		9/115	10	
Wild Turkey	1		30/107	8	
Pied-billed Grebe	11		25/113	33	
Great Blue Heron (Blue form)	5		25/89	36	
Black Vulture	36	HC,	36/117	10	
Turkey Vulture	62		290/113	19	
Bald Eagle	2		2/117	2	
Red-shouldered Hawk	7		12/82	34	

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Red-tailed Hawk	17		17/117	34	
American Coot	58		155/114	33	
Killdeer	4		65/95	32	
Ring-billed Gull	1		99/111	20	
Rock Pigeon (Feral Pigeon)	304		942/108	36	
Mourning Dove	51		554/83	36	
Barred Owl	4		4/117	20	
Belted Kingfisher	4		18/85	34	
Red-headed Woodpecker	7		8/93	14	
Red-bellied Woodpecker	34		60/109	36	
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	5		14/109	32	
Downy Woodpecker	46		128/83	36	
Hairy Woodpecker	8		28/81	35	
Northern Flicker	8		34/106	12	
Pileated Woodpecker	13		33/94	36	
American Kestrel	1		42/83	34	
Merlin	1		2/115	3	
Peregrine Falcon	2		4/115	7	
Eastern Phoebe	1		7/82	28	
Blue Jay	57		513/82	36	
American Crow	6865	LC	12279/108	36	
Common Raven	1		1/117	2	
Carolina Chickadee	171		594/82	36	
Tufted Titmouse	141		354/82	36	
White-breasted Nuthatch	63		143/83	36	
Brown Creeper	3		16/82	34	
Winter Wren	9		9/117	6	
Carolina Wren	67		128/84	36	
Golden-crowned Kinglet	15		59/83	36	
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	2		6/95	22	
Eastern Bluebird	28		140/82	35	
American Robin	156		7775/109	36	
Brown Thrasher	1		10/84	9	
Northern Mockingbird	10		80/83	36	
European Starling	501		2282/85	36	
Cedar Waxwing	5		191/101	27	
Yellow-rumped Warbler	13		86/109	12	
Chipping Sparrow	5		39/106	15	
Field Sparrow	5		53/87	30	

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Fox Sparrow	cw		5/111	11	
Dark-eyed Junco	94		542/84	9	
White-throated Sparrow	42		564/84	36	
Song Sparrow	47		422/82	36	
Eastern Towhee	21		120/88	31	
Northern Cardinal	35		566/81	36	
Common Grackle	18		6327/93	21	
House Finch	50		302/84	36	
Pine Siskin	2		177/90	15	
American Goldfinch	69		270/84	36	
House Sparrow	71		219/81	36	
Total Individuals	9937				
Total Species Reported	67				

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

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Species

Special Aspects

This year's count for the crows was lower than usual, in part, because the location of the crow roost has moved somewhat and it is now much more difficult to get an accurate count. While it is believed that there were many more crows roosting than could be seen by observers, we have no basis to determine the total numbers of birds that may have been present at the roost site.

Also, a Peregrine Falcon was sighted by two different teams in relatively close proximity to each other (< 1 mile) so it is possible that these teams saw the same bird.