

Count Summary Report

Printout Date: 2/24/2017

Count Name: Charles Town	Count Code: WVCT	Count Date: 12/17/2016
Organizations & Sponsors: Potomac Valley Audubon Society	# of Party Hours: 32.50	Species reported on count date: 62

Compiler(s)

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Start & End Times

Start time	End time
09:00 AM	05:00 PM

Effort

Observers	
In Field	Total Number: 16
	Minimum Number of Parties (daylight): 8
	Maximum Number of Parties (daylight): 8
At Feeders	Total Number: 4

Party Hours and Distance (excludes viewing at feeders and nocturnal birding)			
By	Hours	Distance	Units
Foot	14.50	9.00	Miles
Car	18.00	151.50	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	12.00		

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Nocturnal Birding	0.75	0.00	
Total Party	32.50	160.50	Miles

Weather

Weather Summary			
Temperature	Minimum: 24.0 Fahrenheit	Maximum: 36.0 Fahrenheit	
Wind Direction	Calm		
Wind Velocity	Minimum:	Maximum:	
Snow Depth	Minimum:	Maximum:	
Still Water	Partly Open		
Moving Water	Open		
AM and PM Conditions			
Cloud Cover	AM: Cloudy	PM: Cloudy	
AM Rain	Light		
AM Snow	None		
PM Rain	None		
PM Snow			

Checklist

Species	Number or cw	Flags	Max Number	# Of Counts	Editor Comm.
Canada Goose	1161		1624/102	41	
Wood Duck	1		28/94	22	
Gadwall	10		72/112	21	
American Black Duck	12		228/109	53	
Mallard	76		477/111	63	
Northern Shoveler	1		4/92	7	
Green-winged Teal	12	HC,	12/117	3	
Bufflehead	9		53/116	33	
Hooded Merganser	46		76/114	48	
Common Merganser	2		68/104	38	
Wild Turkey	47		101/100	25	
Horned Grebe	1		5/66	13	
Great Blue Heron (Blue form)	7		33/115	55	
Black Vulture	39		321/115	41	
Turkey Vulture	64		747/115	63	
Golden Eagle	1	US,	1/117	3	
Sharp-shinned Hawk	3		7/111	39	

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Cooper's Hawk	2		16/111	32	
Bald Eagle	5		15/116	21	
Red-shouldered Hawk	11		30/111	43	
Red-tailed Hawk	18		82/111	55	
Killdeer	cw		70/82	54	
Rock Pigeon (Feral Pigeon)	88		1171/85	43	
Mourning Dove	330		1097/98	60	
Eastern Screech-Owl	1		10/113	31	
Belted Kingfisher	8		24/82	64	
Red-bellied Woodpecker	50		95/115	64	
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	10		29/113	54	
Downy Woodpecker	54		112/82	64	
Hairy Woodpecker	12		30/82	62	
Northern Flicker	14		70/110	10	
Pileated Woodpecker	14		33/113	58	
American Kestrel	6		24/92	61	
Blue Jay	58		241/96	63	
American Crow	160		7500/71	64	
Fish Crow	2		29/87	27	
Common Raven	2		31/114	30	
Horned Lark	13		285/114	44	
Carolina Chickadee	166		322/111	64	
Tufted Titmouse	113		188/114	64	
Red-breasted Nuthatch	3		5/113	20	
White-breasted Nuthatch	47		75/115	63	
Brown Creeper	7		26/113	62	
Winter Wren	2		7/115	7	
Carolina Wren	90		155/114	62	
Golden-crowned Kinglet	13		62/113	60	
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	cw		14/107	47	
Eastern Bluebird	83		262/114	55	
Hermit Thrush	2		10/102	29	
American Robin	15		4417/108	53	
Northern Mockingbird	53		237/96	63	
European Starling	808		14484/99	64	
Yellow-rumped Warbler (Myrtle)	5		74/113	41	
American Tree Sparrow	cw		153/82	61	
Field Sparrow	cw		30/89	52	
Fox Sparrow	1		96/80	26	

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Dark-eyed Junco	209		603/114	10	
White-crowned Sparrow	21		196/77	64	
White-throated Sparrow	298		574/107	64	
Song Sparrow	33		148/110	64	
Swamp Sparrow	1		19/110	40	
Northern Cardinal	204		401/111	64	
Brown-headed Cowbird	1		2348/108	54	
House Finch	121		388/92	43	
American Goldfinch	143		424/112	64	
House Sparrow	103		4104/81	64	
Total Individuals	4892				
Total Species Reported	62				

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

Golden Eagle [*Aquila chrysaetos*]

Special Aspects

Roads were covered with thin ice until late morning. By 1:00 pm roads were all passable. Most participants didn't start until about that time, so the total party hours as well as species recorded are the lowest since I began compiling in 1986.