

13th Winter Eagle Survey

Bibbee Nature Club

January 6, 2018

Eagle Brigade of Southern West Virginia

Twenty-three participants located 50 Bald Eagles (8 adult - 42 immature) and 2 Golden Eagles (both immature)

Bertha- Bob Dameron, Allen & Mindy Waldron. 4- BAEA, 1 eagle species (1- 1st year, 1- 2nd year, 1- 3rd year, 1 undetermined age and 1 eagle of undetermined age & species

Mouth of the Bluestone River- Sharyn Ogden, Corey & Julie McQuade, Jeff Hajenga, Aaron New & Jim Fregonara. 14- BAEA*(2 adults, 10- 1st year & 2- 2nd year) and 2- GOEA**(both immatures)

Bluestone State Park- Jerry Gladwell. 1- BAEA(adult)

Rt. 20 Overlook (1 mile south of Bluestone Dam)- Kermit Stover, Brian & Tammy Hirt. 3- BAEA (1- 1st year, 2- 2nd year)

Rt. 20 Overlook next to Bluestone Dam- Beverly & Jim Triplett. 4 BAEA (1- 1st year, 1- 2nd year, 1- 3rd year & 1- 4th year)

Bellepoint Park- Charlie Kahle. 4- BAEA (2 adult, 1- 1st year & 1- 2nd year)

Brooks Overlook- Ron & Wendy Perrone. 5- BAEA (2 adult, 1- 1st year, 1- 2nd year & 1- 4th year)

Little Wolf Creek- Rodney Davis. 3- BAEA (1- adult, 1- 3rd year & 1- 4th year)

Barger Springs- Buck Price. No eagles

Rt. 122- David & Gene Shrewsbury. 13- BAEA (11- immature of unknown age, 2- 4th year birds)

Pipestem State Park- Jim Phillips(compiler). No eagles

*BAEA = Bald Eagle **GOEA = Golden Eagle

Conditions- 4-20 degrees, 10-75% cloud cover, 0-11mph NW wind gusting to 15mph, visibility 2-20 miles, trace of old snow on the ground.

"I hear that Rick Steelhammer has a Bald Eagle article in the Charleston Gazette, 1/7/2018 & there will be a Bald Eagle article in Wonderful West Virginia Magazine probably in March, 2018".

11th Spring Eagle Survey will be March 3, 2018