

Count Summary Report

Printout Date: 2/10/2025

Count Name: Canaan	Count Code: WVCA	Count Date: 12/22/2024
Organizations & Sponsors: Canaan Valley National Wildlife Refuge	# of Party Hours: 40.75	Species reported on count date: 42

Compiler(s)

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Start & End Times

Start time	End time
08:00 AM	06:30 PM

Effort

Observers	
In Field	Total Number: 10
	Minimum Number of Parties (daylight): 2
	Maximum Number of Parties (daylight): 6
At Feeders	Total Number: 3

Party Hours and Distance (excludes viewing at feeders and nocturnal birding)			
By	Hours	Distance	Units
Foot	27.00	18.75	Miles
Car	13.75	95.00	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	12.25		

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Nocturnal Birding	1.50	0.00	
Total Party	40.75	113.75	Miles

Weather

Weather Summary			
Temperature	Minimum: 9.0 Fahrenheit	Maximum: 22.0 Fahrenheit	
Wind Direction	Variable		
Wind Velocity	Minimum: 0.00 Miles/hour	Maximum: 5.00 Miles/hour	
Snow Depth	Minimum: 2.00 Inches	Maximum: 6.00 Inches	
Still Water	Frozen		
Moving Water	Partly Open		
AM and PM Conditions			
Cloud Cover	AM: Partly 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.
Canada Goose	4		156/102	27	
Wood Duck	cw		1/119	8	
American Black Duck	4		16/122	19	
Mallard	18		136/114	32	
Hooded Merganser	4		25/122	22	
Golden Eagle	1		2/122	9	eo im ph
Cooper's Hawk	1		4/111	13	
Bald Eagle	1		11/122	19	eo im
Red-shouldered Hawk	3		6/121	22	
Red-tailed Hawk	4		9/117	28	
Rock Pigeon (Feral Pigeon)	27		161/114	28	
Mourning Dove	43		220/121	31	
Barred Owl	1		4/117	17	
Short-eared Owl	2	HC,	2/125	5	
Belted Kingfisher	1		7/116	24	
Red-bellied Woodpecker	7		19/116	26	
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	1		7/122	14	

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Downy Woodpecker	9		35/121	32	
Hairy Woodpecker	6		17/121	29	
Northern Flicker (Yellow-shafted)	cw		6/113	23	
Pileated Woodpecker	3		9/94	30	
American Kestrel	2		8/117	22	
Blue Jay	32		121/121	32	
American Crow	43		8638/101	32	
Common Raven	10		116/106	32	
Black-capped Chickadee	30		291/107	32	
Tufted Titmouse	31		90/119	32	
Red-breasted Nuthatch	3		27/119	28	
White-breasted Nuthatch	24		83/117	32	
Brown Creeper	1		7/106	25	
Winter Wren	7	HC,	7/125	10	
Golden-crowned Kinglet	2		22/112	29	
Eastern Bluebird	3		28/122	26	
American Robin	1		88/122	23	
European Starling	203		1358/112	32	
American Tree Sparrow	3		15/95	21	
Field Sparrow	cw		16/94	21	
Dark-eyed Junco (Slate-colored)	225		367/107	32	
White-throated Sparrow	8		72/122	26	
Song Sparrow	10		72/121	30	
Northern Cardinal	17		110/123	32	
Red-winged Blackbird	cw		67/121	15	
House Finch	5		70/106	28	
Purple Finch	4		33/122	20	
American Goldfinch	41		140/107	31	
House Sparrow	38		265/119	30	
Total Individuals	883				
Total Species Reported	42				

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

Special Aspects

Because of dangerous road conditions our count date was changed from December 15 to 22, and many of our regular participants were unable to count on the changed date.

GOEA 1 subadult

BAEA 1 subadult