

Count Summary Report

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Count Name: Morgantown	Count Code: WVMO	Count Date: 12/14/2024
Organizations & Sponsors: Mountaineer Chapter of National Audubon, Avian Conservation Center of Appalachia	# of Party Hours: 83.50	Species reported on count date: 97

Compiler(s)

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Start & End Times

Start time	End time
12:00 AM	06:00 PM

Effort

Observers	
In Field	Total Number: 57
	Minimum Number of Parties (daylight): 2
	Maximum Number of Parties (daylight): 13
At Feeders	Total Number: 6

Party Hours and Distance (excludes viewing at feeders and nocturnal birding)			
By	Hours	Distance	Units
Foot	60.75	51.25	Miles
Car	14.25	193.50	Miles
Air			
All-Terrain Vehicle	1.50	1.50	Miles
Bicycle	7.00	8.00	Miles
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	25.75		
Nocturnal Birding	8.75	49.50	Miles
Total Party	83.50	254.25	Miles

Weather

Temperature	Minimum: 21.0 Fahrenheit	Maximum: 45.0 Fahrenheit	
Wind Direction	Northeast		
Wind Velocity	Minimum: 0.00 Miles/hour	Maximum: 9.00 Miles/hour	
Snow Depth	Minimum: 0.00 Centimeters	Maximum: 1.00 Centimeters	
Still Water	Partly Frozen		
Moving Water	Open		
AM and PM Conditions			
Cloud Cover	AM: Clear	PM: Partly 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.
Ross's Goose	1	US,	1/125	2	eo ph
Canada Goose	945		1500/121	38	
Mute Swan	1		3/111	5	
Tundra Swan	5		53/116	17	
Wood Duck	4		9/113	21	
Gadwall	7		23/124	13	
American Wigeon	5		10/121	10	
American Black Duck	40		105/89	36	
Mallard	216		714/104	40	
Northern Shoveler	2		5/121	8	
Northern Pintail	3		5/116	10	
Green-winged Teal	7	HC,	7/125	6	
Redhead	cw		8/117	10	

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Ring-necked Duck	20		52/112	21	
Lesser Scaup	cw		6/120	15	
Greater/Lesser Scaup	12		65/104	6	
Bufflehead	51		120/121	35	
Hooded Merganser	81		158/121	38	
Common Merganser	21		41/118	15	
Ruddy Duck	5		201/109	25	
duck sp.	14		14/125	3	
Wild Turkey	30		131/121	36	
Common Loon	2		4/98	22	
Pied-billed Grebe	33		45/113	35	
Double-crested Cormorant	2		6/116	19	
Great Blue Heron (Blue form)	16		20/106	37	
Green Heron	1	US,	1/125	2	ad ed eo mo nc ps
Black Vulture	60		114/117	21	
Turkey Vulture	117		158/116	31	
Northern Harrier	1		2/121	10	
Sharp-shinned Hawk	4	HC,	4/125	32	
Cooper's Hawk	7		15/121	35	
Bald Eagle	13	HC,	13/125	24	7ad 6im
Red-shouldered Hawk	18		20/121	19	
Red-tailed Hawk	55	HC,	55/125	40	
American Coot	2		31/124	26	
Killdeer	38	HC,	38/125	20	
Wilson's Snipe	1		5/123	3	
Rock Pigeon (Feral Pigeon)	337		779/124	40	
Mourning Dove	153		288/121	40	
Eastern Screech-Owl	12		22/115	28	
Great Horned Owl	4		9/124	23	
Barred Owl	9		10/121	19	
Short-eared Owl	cw		3/124	5	
Northern Saw-whet Owl	2		7/121	11	
Belted Kingfisher	26		27/124	39	
Red-bellied Woodpecker	82		85/121	40	
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	15		20/111	34	
Downy Woodpecker	61		88/123	40	
Hairy Woodpecker	22		29/121	40	

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Northern Flicker (Yellow-shafted)	52	HC,	52/125	40	
Pileated Woodpecker	40	HC,	40/125	40	
American Kestrel	8		13/123	39	
Merlin	2		3/121	13	
Peregrine Falcon	2	HC,	2/125	8	
Eastern Phoebe	3		8/123	19	
White-eyed Vireo	1	US,	2/122	10	eo
Blue Jay	208		232/120	40	
American Crow	1250	HC,	1250/125	40	es
Common Raven	29		41/114	27	
Carolina Chickadee	128		231/123	37	
Black-capped Chickadee	25		70/88	39	
chickadee sp.	38		126/87	34	
Tufted Titmouse	173		211/121	40	
Red-breasted Nuthatch	7		13/121	23	
White-breasted Nuthatch	101		104/123	40	
Brown Creeper	6		26/123	36	
Winter Wren	6		10/122	14	
Marsh Wren	2	US,	2/125	2	aq eo
Carolina Wren	152		201/124	40	
Golden-crowned Kinglet	57		72/120	35	
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	7	HC,	7/125	14	
Eastern Bluebird	108		155/124	40	
Hermit Thrush	23	HC,	23/125	21	
American Robin	143		2650/122	38	
Brown Thrasher	1		2/124	5	
Northern Mockingbird	52		56/121	40	
European Starling	550		5783/111	40	es
American Pipit	4		79/110	10	
Cedar Waxwing	41		662/122	33	
Yellow-rumped Warbler (Myrtle)	3		59/114	38	
American Tree Sparrow	3		25/124	31	
Chipping Sparrow	9	HC,	9/125	12	
Field Sparrow	21		41/107	34	
Fox Sparrow	2		5/124	9	
Dark-eyed Junco (Slate-colored)	270		417/86	40	
White-crowned Sparrow	41	HC,	41/125	17	
White-throated Sparrow	173		204/124	40	

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Savannah Sparrow	2	HC,	2/125	7	
Song Sparrow	215		257/124	40	
Lincoln's Sparrow	2	US, HC,	2/125	3	aq eo
Swamp Sparrow	11		27/124	18	
Eastern Towhee	7		20/122	27	
sparrow sp.	2		10/122	5	
Northern Cardinal	244		336/121	40	
Red-winged Blackbird	12		172/123	11	
Common Grackle	1		5/117	12	
Brown-headed Cowbird	16		133/123	19	
House Finch	96		401/88	40	
Purple Finch	28		42/121	19	
Pine Siskin	1		109/121	16	
American Goldfinch	188	HC,	188/125	40	
House Sparrow	132		415/121	40	
Total Individuals	7261				
Total Species Reported	97				

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

- Ross's Goose [Chen rossii]
- Green Heron [Butorides virescens]
- White-eyed Vireo [Vireo griseus]
- Marsh Wren [Cistothorus palustris]
- Lincoln's Sparrow [Melospiza lincolnii]

Special Aspects

Editor's notes:
 HC BAEA (13) adult (7) subadult (6).
 Other HC species RTHA (55); RTHA (55); PIWO (40); HETH (23).
 Rare MAWR (2); LISP (2).
 Rare, but now found regularly on the WVMO CBC, WEVI (1).