

Count Summary Report

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Count Name: Pocahontas County	Count Code: WVPH	Count Date: 12/15/2018
Organizations & Sponsors: West Virginia Division of Natural Resources, Pocahontas Nature Club, Pocahontas County CVB	# of Party Hours: 36.50	Species reported on count date: 56

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Start & End Times

Start time	End time
08:00 AM	04:15 PM

Effort

Observers	
In Field	Total Number: 9
	Minimum Number of Parties (daylight): 3
	Maximum Number of Parties (daylight): 6
At Feeders	Total Number: 5

Party Hours and Distance (excludes viewing at feeders and nocturnal birding)			
By	Hours	Distance	Units
Foot	5.50	5.00	Miles
Car	31.00	194.50	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

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	Hours	Distance	Units
At Feeders	9.50		
Nocturnal Birding	0.00	0.00	
Total Party	36.50	199.50	Miles

Weather

Temperature	Minimum: 38.0 Fahrenheit	Maximum: 52.0 Fahrenheit	
Wind Direction	Unknown		
Wind Velocity	Minimum:	Maximum:	
Snow Depth	Minimum:	Maximum:	
Still Water	Open		
Moving Water	Open		
AM and PM Conditions			
Cloud Cover	AM: Cloudy	PM: Cloudy	
AM Rain	Light		
AM Snow			
PM Rain	None		
PM Snow			

Checklist

Species	Number or cw	Flags	Max Number	# Of Counts	Editor Comm.
Canada Goose	310		525/118	11	
Mallard	94		365/118	11	
Greater Scaup	1	US,	1/119	1	ed eo nc
Bufflehead	18	HC,	18/119	6	
Hooded Merganser	2		14/116	5	
Common Merganser	2		5/116	4	
Ruffed Grouse	1		5/113	7	
Wild Turkey	1		36/108	6	
Great Egret	1	US,	1/119	1	ed eo nc
Black Vulture	1	LC	51/110	10	
Turkey Vulture	1		4/109	7	
Golden Eagle	1		1/119	3	age unspecified
Northern Harrier	1		4/118	9	
Cooper's Hawk	1		2/112	7	
Bald Eagle	2		7/114	10	

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Red-tailed Hawk	14		17/118	11	
Rock Pigeon (Feral Pigeon)	42		54/114	8	
Mourning Dove	25		85/114	11	
Belted Kingfisher	5		6/114	9	
Red-headed Woodpecker	1		1/119	1	ed eo nc
Red-bellied Woodpecker	19		30/115	11	
Downy Woodpecker	19		51/115	11	
Hairy Woodpecker	3		15/118	11	
Northern Flicker	3		22/115	11	
Pileated Woodpecker	7		19/118	11	
American Kestrel	6		9/115	11	
Eastern Phoebe	2		6/118	6	
Blue Jay	52		134/109	11	
American Crow	149		296/118	11	
Common Raven	12		47/118	11	
Black-capped Chickadee	43		96/117	11	
Tufted Titmouse	56		76/117	11	
White-breasted Nuthatch	31		51/115	11	
Carolina Wren	60	HC,	60/119	11	
Golden-crowned Kinglet	5		31/118	11	
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	1	US,	1/119	1	ed eo nc
Eastern Bluebird	18		75/109	11	
Hermit Thrush	1		5/118	6	
American Robin	cw		13/114	8	
Northern Mockingbird	11		14/114	11	
European Starling	260		408/113	11	
American Tree Sparrow	2		2/119	1	nc
Field Sparrow	53	HC,	53/119	10	
Fox Sparrow	2		3/108	8	
Dark-eyed Junco	248		576/117	11	
White-crowned Sparrow	26		62/115	10	
White-throated Sparrow	32		48/114	11	
Song Sparrow	81	HC,	81/119	11	
Swamp Sparrow	10	HC,	10/119	11	
Eastern Towhee	13		40/114	11	
Northern Cardinal	27		55/112	11	
House Finch	7		29/113	11	
Purple Finch	5		15/109	11	
Pine Siskin	1		53/109	7	

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American Goldfinch	43		138/109	11	
Evening Grosbeak	3	US,	3/119	1	af eo nc
House Sparrow	11		77/110	11	
Total Individuals	1846				
Total Species Reported	56				
<p> cw = Reported count week US = Flagged as an unusual species HC = Flagged as an unusually high count LC = Flagged as an unusually low count </p>					

Species Requiring Rare Bird Reports to be Submitted to Regional Editor

Species
Greater Scaup [Aythya marila]
Great Egret [Ardea alba]
Ruby-crowned Kinglet [Regulus calendula]
Evening Grosbeak [Coccothraustes vespertinus]

Special Aspects

Eagles: Golden Eagle 1 age unspecified / Bald Eagle - 2 Adults.

Unusual species include great egret at the Marlinton sewage treatment ponds, evening grosbeaks at a feeder, and a ruby-crowned kinglet along the Greenbrier River trail. Weather and visibility were poor in the morning and may have depressed the total count #s.