

Birding Checklist

- CHICKADEE**
Black-capped _____
- TITMOUSE**
Tufted _____
- NUTHATCHES**
Red-breasted _____
White-breasted _____
- CREEPER**
Brown _____
- WRENS**
House _____
Winter _____
Sedge _____
Marsh _____
Carolina* _____
- GNATCATCHER**
Blue-gray _____
- KINGLETS**
Golden-crowned _____
Ruby-crowned _____
- THRUSHES**
Eastern Bluebird _____
Veery _____
Gray-cheeked _____
Swainson's _____
Hermit _____
Wood _____
American Robin _____
- MIMIDS**
Gray Catbird _____
Brown Thrasher _____
No. Mockingbird* _____
- STARLING**
European _____
- WAXWINGS**
Bohemian* _____
Cedar _____
- OLD WORLD SPARROW**
House Sparrow _____
- PIPIT**
American* _____
- FINCHES**
Pine Grosbeak* _____
House Finch _____
Purple Finch _____
Red Crossbill* _____
White-w. Crossbill* _____
Common Redpoll _____
Pine Siskin _____
Am. Goldfinch _____
Eve. Grosbeak* _____
- WARBLERS**
Ovenbird _____
Worm-eating* _____
La. Waterthrush _____
No. Waterthrush _____
Golden-winged _____
Blue-winged _____
Black-and-white _____
Prothonotary _____
Tennessee _____
Orange-crowned _____
Nashville _____
Connecticut _____
Mourning _____
Kentucky* _____
Com. Yellowthroat _____
Hooded _____
Am. Redstart _____
Cape May _____
Cerulean* _____
No. Parula _____
Magnolia _____
Bay-breasted _____
Blackburnian _____
Yellow _____
Chestnut-sided _____
Blackpoll _____
Black-thr. Blue _____
Palm _____
Pine _____
Yellow-rumped _____
Prairie* _____
Black-thr. Green _____
Canada _____
Wilson's _____
Yellow-br. Chat _____

- TOWHEE**
Eastern _____
- SPARROWS**
Am. Tree _____
Chipping _____
Clay-colored _____
Field _____
Vesper _____
Savannah _____
Le Conte's* _____
Nelson's* _____
Fox _____
Song _____
Lincoln's _____
Swamp _____
White-throated _____
Harris's* _____
White-crowned _____
Dark-eyed Junco _____
- TANAGERS**
Summer* _____
Scarlet _____
- CARDINALS**
No. Cardinal _____
Rose-br. Grosbeak _____
Indigo Bunting _____
- BLACKBIRDS**
Bobolink* _____
Red-winged _____
E. Meadowlark _____
Rusty _____
Brewer's* _____
Common Grackle _____
Brown-h. Cowbird _____
Orchard Oriole _____
Baltimore Oriole _____

General Information

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Hours

9:00am—5:00pm Daily
Check website for spring birding hours

Admission

Free Admission to Members
Adults \$8 | Youth \$5 (ages 3–17)



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About Schlitz Audubon



Eastern Bluebird *Sialia sialis*

Once a farm for the Schlitz Brewery draft horses, Schlitz Audubon Nature Center is Milwaukee's comprehensive nature center. We offer six miles of trails that take visitors through 185 unique acres of forests, wetlands, restored prairies, ravines, bluffs and Lake Michigan shoreline.

A wide range of bird species can be observed at the Center because of these varied habitats and our location within a migratory flyway. Since 1974, 260 species have been seen at Schlitz Audubon. We are also a designated Important Bird Area because of the habitat provided by Lake Michigan for certain waterfowl, as well as our contiguous uplands which provide crucial habitat for migrants, breeding, and overwintering birds.

This list includes 238 species that are regular or casual visitors during migration, or are year-round residents at the Center. Rare species are marked with an asterisk.

When you're finished birding for the day, head into the Great Hall and mark your sightings on our birding chart. These observations are entered into eBird and are added to our legacy of observations that have been collected since 1974. Because of these observations, Schlitz Audubon has one of the longest-running citizen science birding projects in the region.

If you observe any species that are not on this list, please email Zoe Finney, zfinney@schlitzaudubon.org. We would love to add such observations and expand our Center's birding list!

GEESE

Snow _____
Cackling _____
Canada _____

SWANS

Mute _____
Trumpeter _____

DUCKS

Wood Duck _____
Gadwall _____
Am. Wigeon _____
Am. Black Duck _____
Mallard _____
Blue-winged Teal _____
Northern Shoveler _____
Northern Pintail _____
Green-winged Teal _____
Canvasback _____
Redhead _____
Ring-necked _____
Greater Scaup _____
Lesser Scaup _____
Harlequin* _____
Surf Scoter _____
White-w. Scoter _____
Black Scoter _____
Long-tailed Duck _____
Bufflehead _____
Com. Goldeneye _____
Bar. Goldeneye* _____
Hood. Merganser _____
Com. Merganser _____
Red-br. Merganser _____
Ruddy _____

TURKEY

Wild _____

GREBES

Pied-billed _____
Horned _____
Red-necked _____
Eared _____
Western* _____

DOVES

Rock Pigeon _____
Mourning _____

CUCKOOS

Yellow-billed _____
Black-billed _____

GOATSUCKERS

Com. Nighthawk _____
E. Whip-poor-will _____

SWIFT

Chimney _____

HUMMINGBIRD

Ruby-throated _____

RAILS

Virginia _____
Sora _____

GALLINULE

American Coot _____

CRANE

Sandhill _____

AVOCET

American _____

PLOVERS

Black-bellied* _____
Semi-palmated* _____
Killdeer _____

SHOREBIRDS

Ruddy Turnstone _____
Sanderling _____
Spotted _____
Solitary _____
Greater Yellowlegs _____
Willet _____
Lesser Yellowlegs _____
Wilson's Snipe _____
Am. Woodcock _____

GULLS

Bonaparte's _____
Ring-billed _____
Herring _____
Iceland* _____
Glaucous _____
Gr. Black-backed _____

TERNs

Caspian _____
Common _____
Forster's _____

LOONS

Red-throated _____
Common _____

CORMORANT

Double-crested _____

PELICAN

American White _____

BITTERNS

American _____
Least* _____

HERONS

Great Blue _____
Great Egret _____
Green _____
Black-cr. Night _____

VULTURE

Turkey _____

HAWKS

Osprey _____
Bald Eagle _____
Northern Harrier _____
Sharp-shinned _____
Cooper's _____
No. Goshawk* _____
Red-shouldered* _____
Broad-winged _____
Red-tailed _____
Rough-legged _____
Golden Eagle* _____

OWLS

E. Screech Owl _____
Great Horned _____
Barred _____
Long-eared* _____
Short-eared* _____
No. Saw-whet* _____

KINGFISHER

Belted _____

WOODPECKERS

Red-headed _____
Red-bellied _____
Yel.-bell. Sapsucker _____
Downy _____
Hairy _____
Northern Flicker _____
Pileated _____

FALCONS

American Kestrel _____
Merlin _____
Peregrine Falcon _____

FLYCATCHERS

Olive-sided _____
E. Wood-Pewee _____
Yellow-bellied _____
Acadian* _____
Alder _____
Willow _____
Least _____
Eastern Phoebe _____
Great Crested _____
E. Kingbird _____

SHRIKE

Northern _____

VIROES

White-eyed _____
Yellow-throated _____
Blue-headed _____
Philadelphia _____
Warbling _____
Red-eyed _____

CORVIDS

Blue Jay _____
American Crow _____

LARK

Horned _____

SWALLOWS

Purple Martin _____
Tree _____
No. Rough-winged _____
Bank _____
Cliff _____
Barn _____