

# BIRDS OF FRANKLIN, NC

## Franklin Bird Club



### Seasonal Status

PR	Permanent resident, breeds in area
SR	Summer resident, breeds in area
WR	Winter resident
M	Migrant
V	Visitant, various seasons, non-breeding

### Abundance Code

C	Common, present in proper habitat/season
U	Uncommon, a few sightings each year
O	Occasional, not seen every year
R	Rare, one or two sightings every few years

STATUS CODE

### WATER BIRDS

___ Double-crested Cormorant	M	U
___ Pied-billed Grebe	WR,M	U
___ Great Blue Heron	PR	U
___ Great Egret	V	U
___ Green Heron	SR	U
___ Cattle Egret	M	U

### GEESE & DUCKS

___ Snow Goose	M	R
___ Canada Goose	PR	C
___ Wood Duck	PR	C
___ Mallard	PR	C
___ American Black Duck	PR,M	R
___ Gadwall	M	R
___ Northern Pintail	M	R
___ American Wigeon	M	R
___ Blue-winged Teal	M	U
___ Green-winged Teal	M	R
___ Ring-necked Duck	WR,M	U
___ Lesser Scaup	M	U
___ Redhead	M	R
___ Bufflehead	WR,M	U
___ Ruddy Duck	M	R
___ Hooded Merganser	WR,M	U
___ Red-breasted Merganser	M	U

### DIURNAL RAPTORS

___ Turkey Vulture	PR	C
___ Black Vulture	PR	C
___ Northern Harrier	M	R
___ Sharp-shinned Hawk	PR	C
___ Cooper's Hawk	PR	C
___ Red-shouldered Hawk	PR	C
___ Broad-winged Hawk	SR	C
___ Red-tailed Hawk	PR	C
___ Golden Eagle	M	R
___ Bald Eagle	V,M	O
___ Osprey	V,M	U
___ Merlin	M	O
___ American Kestrel	PR	U
___ Peregrine Falcon	SR,M	U

### GAME BIRDS

___ Northern Bobwhite	PR	R
___ Ruffed Grouse	PR	C
___ Wild Turkey	PR	C

### COOTS

___ American Coot	M	C
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### SHOREBIRDS

___ Semi-palmated Plover	M	O
___ Killdeer	SR	C
___ Greater Yellowlegs	M	O
___ Lesser Yellowlegs	M	O
___ Solitary Sandpiper	M	U
___ Western Sandpiper	M	O
___ Spotted Sandpiper	SR	C
___ Least Sandpiper	M	O
___ Pectoral Sandpiper	M	O
___ American Woodcock	PR	O
___ Wilson's Snipe	M	O
___ Upland Sandpiper	M	R

### GULLS

___ Bonaparte's Gull	M	O
___ Ring-billed Gull	M	O

### PIGEONS & DOVES

___ Mourning Dove	PR	C
___ Rock Pigeon	PR	C
___ Eurasian Collared Dove	PR	C

### CUCKOOS

___ Yellow-billed Cuckoo	SR	C
___ Black-billed Cuckoo	M	O

### OWLS

___ Great Horned Owl	PR	U
___ Barred Owl	PR	C
___ Eastern Screech Owl	PR	C
___ Northern Sawwhet Owl	M	R
___ Barn Owl	PR	R

### NIGHTJARS & NIGHTHAWKS

___ Whip-poor-will	SR	U
___ Chuck-will's-widow	SR	O
___ Common Nighthawk	SR	U

### SWIFTS & HUMMINGBIRDS

___ Chimney Swift	SR	C
___ Ruby-throated Hummingbird	SR	C
___ Rufous Hummingbird	V	R

### KINGFISHERS

___ Belted Kingfisher	PR	C
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### WOODPECKERS

___ Red-headed Woodpecker	PR	R
___ Red-bellied Woodpecker	PR	C
___ Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	PR	C
___ Downy Woodpecker	PR	C
___ Hairy Woodpecker	PR	C
___ Northern Flicker	PR	C
___ Pileated Woodpecker	PR	C

### FLYCATCHERS

___ Eastern Wood-pewee	SR	C
___ Acadian Flycatcher	SR	C
___ Willow Flycatcher	SR	U
___ Alder Flycatcher	SR	U
___ Least Flycatcher	SR	C
___ Eastern Phoebe	PR	C
___ Great Crested Flycatcher	SR	C
___ Eastern Kingbird	SR	C

### VIREOS

___ Red-eyed Vireo	SR	C
___ White-eyed Vireo	SR	C
___ Yellow-throated Vireo	SR	U
___ Blue-headed Vireo	SR	C

### JAYS, RAVENS & CROWS

___ Blue Jay	PR	C
___ Common Raven	PR	C
___ American Crow	PR	C
___ Fish Crow	SR	U

**MARTINS & SWALLOWS**

___ Purple Martin	SR	C
___ N. Rough-winged Swallow	SR	C
___ Tree Swallow	SR	C
___ Barn Swallow	SR	C
___ Cliff Swallow	SR	U
___ Bank Swallow	M	R

**TITMICE & CHICKADEES**

___ Tufted Titmouse	PR	C
___ Black-capped Chickadee	V	R
___ Carolina Chickadee	PR	C

**NUTHATCHES & CREEPERS**

___ Brown-headed Nuthatch	PR	O
___ Red-breasted Nuthatch	WR	U
___ White-breasted Nuthatch	PR	C
___ Brown Creeper	PR	U

**WRENS**

___ Carolina Wren	PR	C
___ House Wren	SR	C
___ Winter Wren	PR	U

**KINGLETS & GNATCATCHERS**

___ Golden-crowned Kinglet	WR	C
___ Ruby-crowned Kinglet	WR	C
___ Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	SR	C

**THRUSHES**

___ Eastern Bluebird	PR	C
___ American Robin	PR	C
___ Wood Thrush	SR	C
___ Veery	SR	C
___ Swainson's Thrush	M	U
___ Grey-cheeked Thrush	M	U
___ Hermit Thrush	WR	U

**THRASHERS**

___ Gray Catbird	SR	C
___ Northern Mockingbird	PR	C
___ Brown Thrasher	SR	C

**STARLINGS & WAXWINGS**

___ European Starling	PR	C
___ Cedar Waxwing	PR	C

**WOOD-WARBLERS**

___ Northern Parula	SR	C
___ Orange-crowned Warbler	M	R
___ Tennessee Warbler	M	C
___ Blue-winged Warbler	SR	R

___ Golden-winged Warbler	SR	U
___ Nashville Warbler	M	R
___ Yellow Warbler	SR	C
___ Chestnut-sided Warbler	SR	C
___ Magnolia Warbler	M	C
___ Cape May Warbler	M	U
___ Black-throated Blue Warbler	SR	C
___ Cerulean Warbler	M	R
___ Blackburnian Warbler	SR	C
___ Yellow-rumped Warbler	M	C
___ Black-throated Green Warbler	SR	C
___ Prairie Warbler	M	U
___ Palm Warbler	M	C
___ Pine Warbler	M	O
___ Bay-breasted Warbler	M	U
___ Blackpoll Warbler	M	U
___ Yellow-throated Warbler	SR	C
___ Worm-eating Warbler	SR	U
___ Black and White Warbler	SR	C
___ American Redstart	SR	C
___ Swainson's Warbler	M	R
___ Ovenbird	SR	C
___ Northern Waterthrush	M	U
___ Louisiana Waterthrush	SR	U
___ Kentucky Warbler	SR	R
___ Common Yellowthroat	SR	C
___ Wilson's Warbler	M	R
___ Canada Warbler	SR	C
___ Hooded Warbler	SR	C
___ Yellow-breasted Chat	SR	C

**TANAGERS**

___ Summer Tanager	SR	O
___ Scarlet Tanager	SR	C

**CARDINALS, GROSBEAKS & BUNTINGS**

___ Northern Cardinal	PR	C
___ Rose-breasted Grosbeak	SR	C
___ Indigo Bunting	SR	C
___ Blue Grosbeak	SR	U

**SPARROWS**

___ Eastern Towhee	PR	C
___ Field Sparrow	PR	C
___ Chipping Sparrow	SR	C
___ Savannah Sparrow	M	U
___ White-throated Sparrow	WR	C
___ Fox Sparrow	WR	U
___ Song Sparrow	PR	C
___ Swamp Sparrow	WR	U
___ Dark-eyed Junco	PR	C
___ White-crowned Sparrow	M	U

**MEADOWLARKS, BLACKBIRDS & ORIOLES**

___ Eastern Meadowlark	PR	U
___ Brown-headed Cowbird	SR	C
___ Red-winged Blackbird	SR	C
___ Common Grackle	SR,M	C
___ Baltimore Oriole	SR	U
___ Orchard Oriole	SR,M	C
___ Bobolink	M	U

**FINCHES**

___ Evening Grosbeak	V	R
___ Purple Finch	WR	U
___ House Finch	PR	C
___ Red Crossbill	PR	U
___ Pine Siskin	WR	U
___ American Goldfinch	PR	C

**OLD WORLD SPARROWS**

___ House Sparrow	PR	C
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**OTHER SPECIES & NOTES**


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This checklist is provided by the Franklin Bird Club; revised by John Sill, April 2014. The list contains those species most likely to occur in the area. Please report sightings of other species to the Club.

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Date \_\_\_\_\_

Location \_\_\_\_\_

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