



Checklist of Birds

This checklist contains 190 species that have been sighted at the Rye Nature Center during the last decade. Please report sightings of any unusual species to the staff at 967-5702.

The notation following the name of each bird indicates the status of the species through the seasons. The symbols refer to the legend below.

Status

C= Common
 O= Occasional
 R= Rare
 S= Seen in Warm Months

Season

W= Winter Visitor
 M= Seen in Migration
 P= Permanent Resident

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Loon, Common (OM) | <input type="checkbox"/> Gull, Herring (CP) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cormorant, Double Crested (RM) | <input type="checkbox"/> Gull, Great Black-Backed (RP) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Heron, Great Blue (OM) | <input type="checkbox"/> Dove, Rock (CP) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Egret, Great (RS) | <input type="checkbox"/> Dove, Mourning (CP) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Egret, Snowy (RS) | <input type="checkbox"/> Cuckoo, Black Billed (OS) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Heron, Green-Backed (OS) | <input type="checkbox"/> Cuckoo, Yellow Billed (OS) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Night-Heron, Black Crowned (OS) | <input type="checkbox"/> Screech-Owl, Eastern (OP) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Swan, Mute (RS) | <input type="checkbox"/> Owl, Great-Horned (OW) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Goose, Snow (RM) | <input type="checkbox"/> Owl, Snowy (RW) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Goose, Canada (OM) | <input type="checkbox"/> Owl, Barred (RW) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Duck, Wood (OS) | <input type="checkbox"/> Owl, Northern Sawwhet (RS) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Duck, American Black (RP) | <input type="checkbox"/> Nighthawk, Common (CS) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mallard (CP) | <input type="checkbox"/> Chuck-Will's-Widow (RM) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Vulture, Turkey (RM) | <input type="checkbox"/> Whip-Poor-Will (OM) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Osprey (OM) | <input type="checkbox"/> Swift, Chimney (CS) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Harrier, Northern (RM) | <input type="checkbox"/> Hummingbird, Ruby-Throated (OS) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hawk, Sharp-Shinned (CM) | <input type="checkbox"/> Kingfisher, Belted (OS) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hawk, Cooper's (RM) | <input type="checkbox"/> Woodpecker, Red-Bellied (RP) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Goshawk, Northern (RW) | <input type="checkbox"/> Sapsucker, Yellow Bellied (OM) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hawk, Red-Shouldered (OW) | <input type="checkbox"/> Woodpecker, Downer (CP) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hawk, Broad-Winged (CM) | <input type="checkbox"/> Woodpecker, Hairy (CP) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hawk, Red-Tailed (OP) | <input type="checkbox"/> Flicker, Northern (CS) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hawk, Rough Legged (RM) | <input type="checkbox"/> Woodpecker, Pileated (OP) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Eagle, Golden (RM) | <input type="checkbox"/> Flycatcher, Olive-Sided (RM) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Kestrel, American (OP) | <input type="checkbox"/> Wood-Pewee, Eastern (CS) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pheasant, Ring-Necked (CP) | <input type="checkbox"/> Flycatcher, Yellow-Bellied (OM) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Killdeer (OS) | <input type="checkbox"/> Flycatcher, Acadian (RM) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sandpiper, Solitary (OM) | <input type="checkbox"/> Flycatcher, Willow (RM) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sandpiper, Spotted (RM) | <input type="checkbox"/> Flycatcher, Least (OM) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dowitcher, Short-Billed (RS) | <input type="checkbox"/> Phoebe, Eastern (CM) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Snipe, Common (RM) | <input type="checkbox"/> Flycatcher, Great Crested (CS) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Woodcock, American (OM) | <input type="checkbox"/> Kingbird, Eastern (CS) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gull, Laughing (RS) | <input type="checkbox"/> Martin, Purple (RS) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gull, Ring-Billed (RP) | <input type="checkbox"/> Swallow, Tree (CM) |

- Swallow, Northern Rough-Winged (OS)
- Swallow, Bank (RM)
- Swallow, Cliff (RS)
- Swallow, Barn (CS)
- Jay, Blue (CP)
- Crow, American (CP)
- Crow, Fish (OS)
- Chickadee, Black-Capped (CP)
- Titmouse, Tufted (CP)
- Nuthatch, Red-Breasted (RW)
- Nuthatch, White-Breasted (CP)
- Creeper, Brown (CM)
- Wren, Carolina (OP)
- Wren, House (CS)
- Wren, Winter (OM)
- Kinglet, Golden-Crowned (CM)
- Kinglet, Ruby-Crowned (CM)
- Gnatcatcher, Blue-Gray (OM)
- Bluebird, Eastern (RM)
- Veery (CM)
- Thrush, Gray Cheeked (OM)
- Thrush, Swainson's (CM)
- Thrush, Hermit (CM)
- Thrush, Wood (CS)
- Robin, American (CP)
- Catbird, gray (CS)
- Mockingbird, Northern (OP)
- Thrasher, Brown (CM)
- Pipit, Water (RS)
- Waxwing, Cedar (CM)
- Starling, European (CP)
- Vireo, White-Eyed (OS)
- Vireo, Solitary (CM)
- Vireo, Yellow-Throated (RM)
- Vireo, Warbling (OM)
- Vireo, Philadelphia (RM)
- Vireo, Red-Eyed (CS)
- Warbler, Blue-Winged (CM)
- Warbler, Brewster's Hybrid (RM)
- Warbler, Lawrence's Hybrid (RM)
- Warbler, Golden-Winged (RM)
- Warbler, Tennessee (CM)
- Warbler, Orange-Crowned (RM)
- Warbler, Hashville (CM)
- Parula, Northern (CM)
- Warbler, Yellow (CM)
- Warbler, Chestnut-Sided (CM)
- Warbler, Magnolia (CM)
- Warbler, Cape May (OM)
- Warbler, Black-Throated Blue (CM)
- Warbler, Yellow-Rumped (CM)
- Warbler, Black Throated Green (CM)
- Warbler, Blackburnian (CM)
- Warbler, Yellow-Throated (RM)
- Warbler, Pine (OM)
- Warbler, Prairie (OM)
- Warbler, Palm (CM)
- Warbler, Bay-Breasted (CM)
- Warbler, Blackpoll (CM)
- Warbler, Cerulean (RM)
- Warbler, Black and White (CM)
- Redstart, American (CM)
- Warbler, Prothonotary (RM)
- Warbler, Worm-Eating (OM)
- Ovenbird (CS)
- Waterthrush, Northern (CM)
- Waterthrush, Louisiana (OM)
- Warbler, Kentucky (OM)
- Warbler, Connecticut (RM)
- Warbler, Mourning (RM)
- Warbler, Hooded (OM)
- Yellowthroat, Common (CS)
- Warbler, Wilson's (CM)
- Warbler, Canada (CM)
- Chat, Yellow-Breasted (OS)
- Tanager, Summer (RM)
- Tanager, Scarlet (CM)
- Cardinal, Northern (CP)
- Grosbeak, Rose-Breasted (CS)
- Grosbeak, Blue (RM)
- Bunting, Indigo (OM)
- Towhee, Rufous-Sided (CS)
- Sparrow, American Tree (CW)
- Sparrow, Chipping (OM)
- Sparrow, Field (OM)
- Sparrow, Savannah (RM)
- Sparrow, Henslow's (RM)
- Sparrow, Fox (CW)
- Sparrow, Song (CP)
- Sparrow, Lincoln's (RS)
- Sparrow, Swamp (OM)
- Sparrow, White-Throated (RW)
- Sparrow, Dark-Eyed (CW)
- Bobolink (OM)
- Blackbird, Red-Winged (CS)
- Grackle, Common (CS)
- Cowbird, Brown Headed (CS)
- Oriole, Orchard (RM)
- Oriole, Northern (CS)
- Finch, Purple (CW)
- Finch, House (CP)
- Redpoll, Common (RW)
- Siskin, Pine (OW)
- Goldfinch, American (CP)
- Grosbeak, Evening (OW)
- Sparrow, House (CP)

Additions to Checklist

- Glossy Ibis
- Bald Eagle
- Brant
- Green-Winged Teal
- Northern Pintail
- White-Winged Scoter
- Hooded Merganser
- Merlin
- Black-Bellied Plover
- Greater Yellowlegs
- Lesser Yellowlegs
- Red-Headed Woodpecker
- Alder Flycatcher
- Blue Winged Teal
- Yellow Crowned Night Heron
- Little Blue Heron
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