

BIRD CHECKLIST

Hemlock Ravine SNA

MINNESOTA SCIENTIFIC AND NATURAL AREAS



Natural places worth knowing



	Sp	S	F	W
DUCKS, GEESE, AND SWANS				
<input type="checkbox"/> Canada Goose	X	X		
<input type="checkbox"/> Mallard	X			
<input type="checkbox"/> Bufflehead	X			
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Merganser	X			
GROUSE, TURKEYS, AND PHEASANTS				
<input type="checkbox"/> Ruffed Grouse	X			
<input type="checkbox"/> Ring-necked Pheasant	X			
PIGEONS AND DOVES				
<input type="checkbox"/> Mourning Dove	X	X		
HUMMINGBIRDS				
<input type="checkbox"/> Ruby-throated Hummingbird	X	X	X	
GULLS AND TERNS				
<input type="checkbox"/> Ring-billed Gull	X			
NEW WORLD VULTURES				
<input type="checkbox"/> Turkey Vulture	X		X	
OWLS				
<input type="checkbox"/> Barred Owl	X	X		
WOODPECKERS				
<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	X	X	X	
<input type="checkbox"/> Red-bellied Woodpecker	X		X	
<input type="checkbox"/> Downy Woodpecker	X	X	X	X
<input type="checkbox"/> Hairy Woodpecker	X			
<input type="checkbox"/> Pileated Woodpecker	X			X
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Flicker	X	X		
TYRANT FLYCATCHERS				
<input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Wood-Pewee	X	X		
<input type="checkbox"/> Least Flycatcher	X			
<input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Phoebe		X		
<input type="checkbox"/> Great Crested Flycatcher	X	X		
VIREOS				
<input type="checkbox"/> Blue-headed Vireo			X	
<input type="checkbox"/> Red-eyed Vireo	X	X	X	
JAYS, CROWS, AND MAGPIES				
<input type="checkbox"/> Blue Jay	X	X	X	
<input type="checkbox"/> American Crow	X	X	X	X
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Raven	X	X	X	X
CHICKADEES AND TITMICE				
<input type="checkbox"/> Black-capped Chickadee	X	X	X	X

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SWALLOWS				
<input type="checkbox"/> Tree Swallow	X			
KINGLETS				
<input type="checkbox"/> Ruby-crowned Kinglet	X		X	
<input type="checkbox"/> Golden-crowned Kinglet	X		X	
NUTHATCHES				
<input type="checkbox"/> Red-breasted Nuthatch	X	X	X	
<input type="checkbox"/> White-breasted Nuthatch	X		X	X
CREEPERS				
<input type="checkbox"/> Brown Creeper	X		X	
WRENS				
<input type="checkbox"/> House Wren	X			
MIMIDS				
<input type="checkbox"/> Gray Catbird	X			
THRUSHES				
<input type="checkbox"/> Veery	X	X		
<input type="checkbox"/> Hermit Thrush	X	X	X	
<input type="checkbox"/> Wood Thrush	X			
<input type="checkbox"/> American Robin	X	X	X	
WAXWINGS				
<input type="checkbox"/> Cedar Waxwing		X		
FINCHES				
<input type="checkbox"/> Purple Finch	X	X		
<input type="checkbox"/> Pine Siskin	X		X	X
<input type="checkbox"/> American Goldfinch	X	X	X	
SPARROWS				
<input type="checkbox"/> Chipping Sparrow	X		X	
<input type="checkbox"/> Clay-colored Sparrow	X			
<input type="checkbox"/> American Tree Sparrow			X	
<input type="checkbox"/> Dark-eyed Junco	X		X	
<input type="checkbox"/> White-throated Sparrow	X			
<input type="checkbox"/> Song Sparrow	X	X		
BLACKBIRDS				
<input type="checkbox"/> Red-winged Blackbird	X	X		
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Grackle	X			
WARBLERS				
<input type="checkbox"/> Ovenbird	X	X	X	
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Waterthrush			X	
<input type="checkbox"/> Golden-winged Warbler			X	

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<input type="checkbox"/> Black-and-white Warbler	X	X	X	
<input type="checkbox"/> Tennessee Warbler			X	
<input type="checkbox"/> Nashville Warbler	X	X	X	
<input type="checkbox"/> Mourning Warbler		X		
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Yellowthroat	X		X	
<input type="checkbox"/> American Redstart	X		X	
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Parula	X		X	
<input type="checkbox"/> Magnolia Warbler			X	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bay-breasted Warbler			X	
<input type="checkbox"/> Blackburnian Warbler			X	
<input type="checkbox"/> Chestnut-sided Warbler			X	
<input type="checkbox"/> Black-throated Green Warbler	X		X	
<input type="checkbox"/> Canada Warbler		X		
<input type="checkbox"/> Wilson's Warbler			X	

CARDINALS, GROSBEAKS, AND BUNTINGS

<input type="checkbox"/> Scarlet Tanager			X	
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Cardinal	X			
<input type="checkbox"/> Rose-breasted Grosbeak	X			
<input type="checkbox"/> Indigo Bunting	X			

Seasonal Occurrence Key

Sp - Spring (March through May)

S - Summer (June through July)

F - Fall (August through November)

W - Winter (December through February)

C - Common (seen every year/season)

U - Uncommon (seen every 2-3 years/season)

O - Occasional (seen every 4-9 years/season)

R - Rare (seen less than once every 10 years/season)

X - Observed during season, data insufficient for calculating occurrence

Bird Identification Tips

When you observe a bird, make note of at least **three** characteristics:

Location - Where did you see the bird (water, forest, feeder, lower branch, tree trunk)?

Body size and shape - Compare it to a known bird (smaller than a... bigger than a... plump like a... slender like a...). Looks at its tail, legs, and bill (long, short, thick, thin, curved, straight).

Colors and markings - Look on wings, tail, back, belly, rump, and head (stripe above eye, white spot on tail, etc.).

Sounds and movements - How does it act and sound (traveling alone or in groups, soaring, flapping, flap and glide, etc.)?

Data for this checklist were sourced from eBird as well as MNDNR staff and contractor observations. Checklist organization follows the most current Clements checklist and eBird taxonomy.

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