Birds of Kilen Woods State Park	Sp	Su	Fa	Wi
☐ Yellow-throated Vireo	U	U	U	
☐ Blue-headed Vireo	U		U	
■ Warbling Vireo	U	U	U	
☐ Philadelphia Vireo	0		0	
Red-eyed Vireo	С	U	С	
☐ Blue Jay	С	С	С	С
☐ American Crow	С	С	С	С
☐ Horned Lark	С	С	С	U
☐ Purple Martin	U	U	U	
☐ Tree Swallow	С	С	С	
☐ Northern Rough-winged Swallow	С	С	С	
☐ Bank Swallow	С	С	С	
☐ Cliff Swallow	С	С	С	
☐ Barn Swallow	С	С	С	
☐ Black-capped Chickadee	С	С	С	С
☐ Red-breasted Nuthatch	U		U	0
☐ White-breasted Nuthatch	С	С	С	С
■ Brown Creeper	С		С	0
☐ House Wren	С	С	С	
☐ Winter Wren	0		0	
Marsh Wren	0		0	
■ Sedge Wren	U	U	U	
Golden-crowned Kinglet	С		С	0
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	С		С	
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	U	U	U	
Eastern Bluebird	С	С	С	0
■ Veery	U		0	
Gray-cheeked Thrush	U		U	
Swainson's Thrush	U		U	
Hermit Thrush	С		С	
Wood Thrush	U		0	
American Robin	С	С	С	U
□ Gray Catbird	С	С	С	
Brown Thrasher	С	С	С	
European Starling	С	С	С	С
Bohemian Waxwing				R
Cedar Waxwing	С	С	С	U
Blue-winged Warbler	0	0	0	
Golden-winged Warbler	0		0	
☐ Tennessee Warbler	С		С	

Birds of Kilen Woods State Park	Sp	Su	Fa	Wi
		ou .		VVI
Orange-crowned Warbler	С		С	
Nashville Warbler	С		С	
Northern Parula	U		U	
Yellow Warbler	С	С	С	
Chestnut-sided Warbler	С	U	U	
Magnolia Warbler	U		U	
Cape May Warbler	0		0	
Yellow-rumped Warbler	С		С	
Black-throated Green Warbler	U		U	
Blackburnian Warbler	U		U	
Palm Warbler	С		С	
Bay-breasted Warbler	U		U	
Blackpoll Warbler	U		U	
Cerulean Warbler	0			
Black-and-white Warbler	С		С	
American Redstart	С	С	С	
Ovenbird	С	U	С	
Northern Waterthrush	U		U	
Connecticut Warbler	0		0	
Mourning Warbler	U		U	
Common Yellowthroat	С	С	С	
Wilson's Warbler	U		U	
Canada Warbler	U		U	
☐ Scarlet Tanager	U	U	U	
Eastern Towhee	U	U	U	
American Tree Sparrow	С		С	С
Chipping Sparrow	С	С	С	
Clay-colored Sparrow	U	U	U	
☐ Field Sparrow	U	U	U	
Vesper Sparrow	С	С	С	
☐ Lark Sparrow	0	0		
Savannah Sparrow	С	С	С	
Grasshopper Sparrow	U	U	0	
☐ Henslow's Sparrow	R	R		
Le Conte's Sparrow	U		U	
☐ Nelson's Sharp-tailed Sparrow	R		R	
Fox Sparrow	С		С	
Song Sparrow	С	С	С	
Lincoln's Sparrow	U		U	
Swamp Sparrow	С	С	С	

Birds of Kilen Woods State Park	Sp	Su	Fa	Wi
☐ White-throated Sparrow	С		С	
☐ Harris's Sparrow	С		С	
☐ White-crowned Sparrow	U		U	
☐ Dark-eyed Junco	С		С	С
☐ Lapland Longspur	С		С	U
☐ Snow Bunting	U		U	U
☐ Northern Cardinal	U	U	U	U
Rose-breasted Grosbeak	С	С	С	
Indigo Bunting	С	С	С	
□ Dickcissel	U	U		
■ Bobolink	С	С	С	
Red-winged Blackbird	С	С	С	0
Eastern Meadowlark	R	R	R	
Western Meadowlark	С	С	С	
Yellow-headed Blackbird	0	0	0	
Rusty Blackbird	С		С	
Brewer's Blackbird	U	U	U	
Common Grackle	С	С	С	0
Brown-headed Cowbird	С	С		
Orchard Oriole	U	U	U	
Baltimore Oriole	С	С		
Purple Finch	U		U	U
House Finch	С	С	С	U
Red Crossbill				0
☐ Common Redpoll				0
☐ Pine Siskin	U	_	U	U
☐ American Goldfinch	С	С	С	С
☐ Evening Grosbeak			0	0
☐ House Sparrow	С	С	С	С

August 2007

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Birding Opportunities at Kilen Woods State Park

The Des Moines River running through Kilen Woods State Park provides a natural migration corridor. Although the park is small, the wooded hillsides and flood plain areas provide excellent nesting, resting and feeding areas. Twenty-five species of neotropical warblers have been recorded in the park. The prairie areas of the uplands provide habitat for grassland birds The cerulean warbler and Henslows sparrow have been recorded in the park. The 226 species recorded in the park is an outstanding total count, showing the value of small habitat preservation.

Season and Abundance Key

The **seasons** in the checklist are defined as follows

Sp (Spring) = March, April, May

Su (Summer) = June, July

Fa (Fall) = August, September, October, November

Wi (Winter) = December, January, February Abundance codes are defined as follows:

C = Common — present, relatively easy to find **U** = Uncommon — observed, may be difficult to find

O = Occasional — may or may not be present in any year

R = Rare — has occurred at least once, may or may not be expected to recur

The names and taxonomic arrangement of species follows that of the Checklist of the Birds of Minnesota (January, 2001), prepared by the Minnesota Ornithological Records Committee.

This checklist contains the names of all birds that have been document in the park by reliable observers. It was constructed by Robert B. Jansse Jerry Bonkoski, and the MN DNR-Division of Parks & Recreation using observations of the above, park staff and other observers, as well as Minnesota Ornithologist's Union records and data contained in research reports. If you are interested in the specific sources used for a particular park, contact the Parks Division Resource Management Program Coordinator by telephone at 651-259-5594 or by mail at MN DNR-Parks. 500 Lafavette Road, Box 39, St. Paul, MN 55155-4039

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	Birds of Kilen Woods State Park	Sp	Su	Fa	Wi
	☐ Greater White-fronted Goose	0			
	☐ Snow Goose	0		0	
	☐ Canada Goose	С	С	С	0
1	☐ Tundra Swan	0		0	
e	☐ Wood Duck	С	С	С	
C	☐ Gadwall	U		U	
ave	☐ American Wigeon	U		U	
on	☐ Mallard	С	С	С	
S.	☐ Blue-winged Teal	С	С	С	
	☐ Northern Shoveler	U		U	
	☐ Northern Pintail	U		U	
Š	☐ Green-winged Teal	U		U	
t	☐ Canvasback	U		U	
	☐ Redhead	U		U	
	☐ Ring-necked Duck	U		U	
	☐ Greater Scaup	U		U	
/S:	☐ Lesser Scaup	U		U	
	■ Bufflehead	U		U	
	☐ Common Goldeneye	U		U	
er	☐ Hooded Merganser	С	С	U	
	☐ Common Merganser	U		U	
	☐ Red-breasted Merganser	U		U	
	☐ Ruddy Duck	U		U	
b	☐ Gray Partridge	U	U	U	U
	☐ Ring-necked Pheasant	С	С	С	С
	■ Wild Turkey	0	0	0	0
	☐ Common Loon	0		0	
£	☐ Pied-billed Grebe	С	С	С	
f Oy	☐ Horned Grebe	0		0	
	■ Red-necked Grebe	0		0	
nted en,	■ Eared Grebe	0		0	
	■ Western Grebe	0		0	
ch	☐ American White Pelican	С	U	С	
ar	■ Double-crested Cormorant	С	С	С	
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	☐ Least Bittern	0		0	
ent of ional	☐ Great Blue Heron	С	С	С	
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'-1158.	☐ Black-crowned Night-Heron	U	U	U	
·	☐ Turkey Vulture	С	U	С	

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Osprey
☐ Bald Eagle
☐ Northern Harrier
Sharp-shinned Hawk
☐ Cooper's Hawk
Northern Goshawk
Red-shouldered Hawk
Broad-winged Hawk
Swainson's Hawk
Red-tailed Hawk
Rough-legged Hawk
American Kestrel
☐ Merlin
Peregrine Falcon
Yellow Rail
Virginia Rail
Sora
American Coot
☐ Black-bellied Plover
American Golden-Plover
☐ Semipalmated Plover
☐ Killdeer
☐ American Avocet
☐ Greater Yellowlegs
Lesser Yellowlegs
☐ Solitary Sandpiper
☐ Spotted Sandpiper
☐ Upland Sandpiper
☐ Hudsonian Godwit
☐ Marbled Godwit
☐ Ruddy Turnstone
☐ Sanderling ☐ Saminal mated Sandainer
Semipalmated SandpiperLeast Sandpiper
☐ White-rumped Sandpiper
☐ Pectoral Sandpiper
Dunlin
☐ Short-billed Dowitcher
☐ Long-billed Dowitcher
☐ American Woodcock
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■ Wilson's Phalarope	0	0		
Red-necked Phalarope	R		R	
☐ Franklin's Gull	U	0	U	
■ Bonaparte's Gull	0		0	
Ring-billed Gull	U	U	U	
☐ Herring Gull	U		U	
Caspian Tern	0	0	0	
Common Tern	0		0	
☐ Forster's Tern	0	0	0	
■ Black Tern	0	0	0	
🖵 Rock Pigeon	С	С	С	С
Mourning Dove	С	С	С	0
■ Black-billed Cuckoo	U	U	U	
☐ Yellow-billed Cuckoo	U	U	0	
■ Eastern Screech-Owl	U	U	U	U
□ Great Horned Owl	U	U	U	U
☐ Snowy Owl				0
■ Barred Owl	U	U	U	U
■ Long-eared Owl	0		0	0
■ Short-eared Owl	0		0	0
Common Nighthawk	С	С	С	
☐ Chimney Swift	С	С	С	
☐ Ruby-throated Hummingbird	U	U	U	
■ Belted Kingfisher	С	С	С	0
☐ Red-headed Woodpecker	U	U	U	0
☐ Red-bellied Woodpecker	U	U	U	U
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	U	U	U	
Downy Woodpecker	С	С	С	С
☐ Hairy Woodpecker	С	С	С	С
Northern Flicker	С	С	С	U
Pileated Woodpecker	U	U	U	U
☐ Olive-sided Flycatcher	U		U	
🖵 Eastern Wood-Pewee	С	С	С	
☐ Yellow-bellied Flycatcher	U		U	
☐ Least Flycatcher	С	С	С	
☐ Eastern Phoebe	С	С	С	
☐ Great Crested Flycatcher	U	U	U	
■ Eastern Kingbird	С	С	С	
☐ Loggerhead Shrike	0		0	
☐ Northern Shrike	0		0	0