Birds of Temperance River State Park	Sp	Su	Fa	Wi
Golden-winged Warbler	0		0	
☐ Tennessee Warbler	U		U	
☐ Nashville Warbler	С	U	С	
Northern Parula	U	U	U	
☐ Yellow Warbler	0	0	0	
☐ Chestnut-sided Warbler	С	С	С	
Magnolia Warbler	С	С	С	
Cape May Warbler	U		U	
lacksquare Black-throated Blue Warbler	U	U	U	
Yellow-rumped Warbler	С	С	С	
☐ Black-throated Green Warbler	С	С	С	
Blackburnian Warbler	U	U	U	
Palm Warbler	U		U	
lacksquare Bay-breasted Warbler	U		U	
☐ Blackpoll Warbler	U		U	
☐ Black-and-white Warbler	С	С	С	
American Redstart	С	С	С	
Ovenbird	С	С	С	
☐ Connecticut Warbler	0	0	0	
Mourning Warbler	С	С	С	
☐ Common Yellowthroat	С	С	С	
☐ Wilson's Warbler	U		U	
Canada Warbler	U	U	U	
☐ Scarlet Tanager	U	U	U	
American Tree Sparrow	С		С	
Chipping Sparrow	С	С	С	
☐ Clay-colored Sparrow	U	U	U	
☐ Vesper Sparrow		0	0	
Savannah Sparrow	U	U	U	

Birds of Temperance River State Park	Sp	Su	Fa	Wi
☐ Song Sparrow	С	С	С	
☐ Lincoln's Sparrow	U		U	
☐ Swamp Sparrow	U	U	U	
☐ White-throated Sparrow	С	С	С	
☐ White-crowned Sparrow	U		U	
☐ Dark-eyed Junco	С		С	U
☐ Lapland Longspur			С	
☐ Snow Bunting			С	
Rose-breasted Grosbeak	С	С	С	
Red-winged Blackbird	U	U	U	
☐ Brewer's Blackbird	0			
☐ Common Grackle	U	U	U	
☐ Purple Finch	С	0	С	U
☐ White-winged Crossbill			0	0
☐ Common Redpoll	U		U	U
☐ Hoary Redpoll	0			0
☐ Pine Siskin	U	0	U	U
American Goldfinch	С	С	С	

June 2005

TEMPERENCE RIVER STATE PARK

Checklist



Date:
Weather:
Observers:
Notes:



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Birding Opportunities at Temperence River State Park

Temperance River State Park contains 534 acres, which includes the scenic Temperance River, rocky Lake Superior shoreline and boreal woodlands. Over 20 species of warblers breed within the park boundaries. The black-throated blue warbler can be found along the upper reaches of the river. Chestnut-sided, magnolia, yellow-rumped, black-throated green and black and white warblers are common. Horned and red-necked grebes, common loons, and red-breasted mergansers gather in April at the mouth of the Temperance River to feed. Merlins regularly nest near the campground. In October, flocks of snow buntings, mixed with Lapland longspurs and American pipits can be seen along the roads, trails and shoreline.

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 documented in the park by reliable observers. It was constructed by Robert B. Janssen and the MN DNR-Division of Parks & Recreation using observations of Mr. Janssen, 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 651-297-1158 or by mail at MNDNR-Parks, 500 Lafayette Road, Box 39 St. Paul, MN 55155-4039.

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Birds of Temperance River State Park	Sp	Su	Fa	Wi
🖵 Canada Goose	U		U	
American Black Duck	0		0	
☐ Mallard	U		U	
☐ Blue-winged Teal	U		U	
Green-winged Teal	U		U	
☐ Long-tailed Duck	U		U	
Common Goldeneye	U		U	
☐ Common Merganser	U	U	U	
Red-breasted Merganser	U	U	U	
Ruffed Grouse	С	С	С	С
☐ Common Loon	С	U	С	
☐ Horned Grebe	С		U	
Red-necked Grebe	С		U	
Double-crested Cormorant	U		U	
☐ Turkey Vulture	U	U	U	
☐ Bald Eagle	U	U	U	U
☐ Broad-winged Hawk	U	U	С	
☐ Merlin	U	U		
☐ Killdeer	С	С	С	
☐ Spotted Sandpiper	С	С	С	
Ring-billed Gull	С	С	С	
☐ Herring Gull	С	С	С	U
☐ Mourning Dove	U	U	U	
Common Nighthawk	U		U	
Ruby-throated Hummingbird	С	С	С	
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	С	С	С	
Downy Woodpecker	С	С	С	С
☐ Hairy Woodpecker	С	С	С	С
☐ Northern Flicker	С	С	С	

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☐ Pileated Woodpecker	U	U	U	U
Olive-sided Flycatcher	U	U	U	
☐ Eastern Wood-Pewee	С	С	С	
☐ Alder Flycatcher	U	U	U	
☐ Least Flycatcher	С	С	С	
☐ Eastern Phoebe	С	С	С	
☐ Great Crested Flycatcher	0	0	0	
☐ Philadelphia Vireo	U	0	U	
Red-eyed Vireo	С	С	С	
☐ Blue Jay	С	С	С	С
☐ American Crow	С	С	С	С
☐ Common Raven	С	С	С	С
☐ Tree Swallow	0	0	0	
☐ Black-capped Chickadee	С	С	С	С
lacksquare Red-breasted Nuthatch	С	С	С	С
☐ White-breasted Nuthatch	0	0	0	
☐ Brown Creeper	U	U	U	
☐ House Wren	U	U	U	
☐ Winter Wren	U	U	U	
$oxed{\Box}$ Golden-crowned Kinglet	С	U	С	
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	С	U	С	
☐ Veery	С	С	U	
☐ Swainson's Thrush	U		U	
☐ Hermit Thrush	С	С	С	
☐ Wood Thrush		0		
American Robin	С	С	С	
American Pipit			U	
☐ Bohemian Waxwing	U		U	U
☐ Cedar Waxwing	С	С	С	U