BIRD CHECKLIST

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DUCKS, GEESE, AND SWANS				
Common Goldeneye		Χ		
Common Merganser		Χ		
GROUSE, TURKEYS, AND PHEASAI	NTS			
Ruffed Grouse		Χ		
GULLS AND TERNS				
Ring-billed Gull		Χ		
Herring Gull		Χ		
LOONS				
Common Loon		Χ		
PELICANS				
American White Pelican		Χ		
OSPREYS				
Osprey		Χ		
HAWKS AND EAGLES				
Bald Eagle		Χ		
Broad-winged Hawk		Χ		
OWLS				
Barred Owl		Χ		
WOODPECKERS				
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker		Χ		
Hairy Woodpecker		Χ		
Pileated Woodpecker		Χ		
TYRANT FLYCATCHERS				
Alder Flycatcher		Χ		
Least Flycatcher		Χ		
Great Crested Flycatcher		Χ		
VIREOS				
Yellow-throated Vireo		Χ		
Red-eyed Vireo		Χ		
JAYS, CROWS, AND MAGPIES				
Blue Jay		Χ		
American Crow		Χ		
KINGLETS				
Ruby-crowned Kinglet		Χ		
NUTHATCHES				
Red-breasted Nuthatch		Χ		
WRENS				
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Rose-breasted Grosbeak X	Scarlet Tanager		Χ	
	Rose-breasted Grosbeak		Χ	

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.)?

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