BIRD CHECKLIST

Chimney Rock SNA

MINNESOTA SCIENTIFIC AND NATURAL AREAS

Natural places worth knowing



	Sp	S	F	W
DUCKS, GEESE, AND SWANS				
Canada Goose		Х	Х	
Tundra Swan			Х	
Mallard		Х		
GROUSE, TURKEYS, AND PHEASANT	S			
Wild Turkey	Х	Х	Х	0
Ring-necked Pheasant			Х	
PIGEONS AND DOVES				
Rock Pigeon		Х	Х	
Eurasian Collared-Dove		Х	Х	0
Mourning Dove	Х	Х	Х	0
NIGHTJARS				
Common Nighthawk			Х	
SWIFTS				_
Chimney Swift	Х			
HUMMINGBIRDS		_		_
Ruby-throated Hummingbird	Х	Х	Х	
PLOVERS				
Killdeer	Х	Х		
HERONS AND EGRETS				
Great Blue Heron		Х		
Black-crowned Night-Heron	Х			
NEW WORLD VULTURES				
Turkey Vulture	Х	Х		
HAWKS AND EAGLES				
Sharp-shinned Hawk	Х		Х	
Cooper's Hawk	Х		Х	
Bald Eagle				0
Red-shouldered Hawk				0
Broad-winged Hawk	Х			
Red-tailed Hawk	Х	Х	Х	0
OWLS				
Eastern Screech-Owl	Х	Х	Х	0
Snowy Owl	Х			
Great Horned Owl	Х		Х	0
Barred Owl				0
WOODPECKERS				_
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	Х	Х		
Red-bellied Woodpecker	Х	Х	Х	U

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White-breasted Nuthatch	Х	Х	Х	U
CREEPERS				
Brown Creeper			Х	0
WRENS				
House Wren	Х	Х	Х	
Winter Wren			Х	
Sedge Wren			Х	
STARLINGS				
European Starling		Х	Х	0
MIMIDS				
Gray Catbird	Х	Х	Х	
Brown Thrasher	Х	Х		
THRUSHES				
Eastern Bluebird	Х	Х	Х	
Gray-cheeked Thrush			Х	
Swainson's Thrush	Х		Х	
Hermit Thrush	Х		Х	
American Robin	Х	Х	Х	
WAXWINGS				
Cedar Waxwing	Х	Х	Х	0
OLD WORLD SPARROWS				
House Sparrow		Х	Х	
FINCHES				
House Finch	Х	Х		
Common Redpoll				0
American Goldfinch	Х	Х	Х	0
SPARROWS				
Grasshopper Sparrow		Х		
Chipping Sparrow	Х	Х	Х	
Clay-colored Sparrow			Х	
Lark Sparrow	Х	Х		
American Tree Sparrow	Х		Х	0
Dark-eyed Junco	Х		Х	U
White-throated Sparrow	Х		Х	
Vesper Sparrow	Х	Х	Х	
Savannah Sparrow		Х	Х	
Song Sparrow	Х	Х	Х	
BLACKBIRDS				
Baltimore Oriole	Х	Х		

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Red-winged Blackbird	Х	Х	Х	
Brown-headed Cowbird	Х	Х		
Common Grackle		Х	Х	
WARBLERS				
Ovenbird	Х	Х		
Blue-winged Warbler		Х		
Black-and-white Warbler	Х		Х	
Tennessee Warbler	Х		Х	
Orange-crowned Warbler	Х		Х	
Nashville Warbler	Х		Х	
Mourning Warbler			Х	
American Redstart	Х	Х	Х	
Cape May Warbler	Х		Х	
Northern Parula	Х			
Magnolia Warbler			Х	
Blackburnian Warbler	Х			
Yellow Warbler		Х	Х	
Chestnut-sided Warbler	Х		Х	
Blackpoll Warbler	Х			
Palm Warbler	Х		Х	
Yellow-rumped Warbler	Х		Х	
Black-throated Green Warbler	Х			
Wilson's Warbler	Х			
CARDINALS, GROSBEAKS, AND BUN	TING	iS		
Scarlet Tanager	Х	х		
Northern Cardinal	Х	х	х	0
Rose-breasted Grosbeak	Х	х	х	
Indigo Bunting	Х	х		
Dickcissel		х		
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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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