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Birds of Flandrau State Park	Sp	Su	Fa	Wi
☐ Brown Creeper	С	0	С	U
☐ House Wren	С	С	С	
☐ Winter Wren	U		U	
☐ Sedge Wren	U	U	U	
☐ Marsh 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	
☐ Veery	U		U	
☐ Gray-cheeked Thrush	U		U	
Swainson's Thrush	U		U	
Hermit Thrush	С		С	
Wood Thrush	U	0	0	
American Robin	С	С	С	U
☐ Gray Catbird	С	С	С	
■ Brown Thrasher	С	С	С	
European Starling	С	С	С	С
Cedar Waxwing	С	С	С	U
Blue-winged Warbler	0	0	0	
Golden-winged Warbler	U	0	U	
☐ Tennessee Warbler	С		С	
Orange-crowned Warbler	U		U	
Nashville Warbler	С		С	
☐ Northern Parula	U		U	
Yellow Warbler	С	С	С	
Chestnut-sided Warbler	С	0	U	
Magnolia Warbler	U		U	
Yellow-rumped Warbler	С		С	
Black-throated Green Warbler	U		U	
Blackburnian Warbler	U		U	
Palm Warbler	С		С	
☐ Blackpoll Warbler	U		U	
Cerulean Warblera	0	0	R	
☐ Black-and-white Warbler	С		С	
American Redstart	С	С	С	
■ Ovenbird	С	U	С	
Northern Waterthrush	С		С	
☐ Connecticut Warbler	0		0	
☐ Mourning Warbler	U		U	
☐ Common Yellowthroat	С	С	С	

Birds of Flandrau State Park	Sp	Su	Fa	Wi
☐ Wilson's Warbler	U		U	
☐ Canada Warbler	U		U	
Scarlet Tanager	U	U	U	
☐ Eastern Towhee	U	U	U	
☐ American Tree Sparrow	С	O	С	С
☐ Chipping Sparrow	С	С	С	O
☐ Clay-colored Sparrow	U	U	U	
Field Sparrow	U	U	U	
☐ Vesper Sparrow	U	U	U	
☐ Savannah Sparrow	U	U	U	
☐ Grasshopper Sparrow	U	U	U	
☐ Fox Sparrow	С		С	
☐ Song Sparrow	С	С	С	
☐ Lincoln's Sparrow	U		U	
☐ Swamp Sparrow	U	U	U	
☐ White-throated Sparrow	С		С	
☐ Harris's Sparrow	U		U	
☐ White-crowned Sparrow	U		U	
☐ Dark-eyed Junco	С		С	U
→ Northern Cardinal	С	С	С	С
☐ Rose-breasted Grosbeak	С	С	С	
☐ Indigo Bunting	С	С	С	
☐ Dickcissel	U	U	0	
☐ Bobolink	С	С	С	
☐ Red-winged Blackbird	С	С	С	
☐ Rusty Blackbird	С		С	
☐ Common Grackle	С	С	С	
Brown-headed Cowbird	С	С	С	
Orchard Oriole	U	U	0	
■ Baltimore Oriole	С	С	С	
Purple Finch	U		U	U
☐ House Finch	С	С	С	С
Pine Siskin	U		U	U
American Goldfinch	С	С	С	U
☐ House Sparrow	С	С	С	С

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## FLANDRAU STATE PARK





Date:
Weather:
Observers:
Notes:



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## **Birding Opportunities at Flandrau State Park**

The many walking trails located along the Cottonwood River in Flandrau State Park are excellent for birding. This river corridor is especially attractive to warblers, flycatchers, vireos and thrushes. A variety of woodland forest undergrowth and wetlands provide excellent habitat for migrating and nesting birds. The white-eyed vireo and the cerulean warbler have been recorded in the park. Wild turkeys and red-shouldered hawks can be found in areas of wooded hillsides.

## 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 Flandrau State Park	Sp	Su	Fa	Wi
☐ Canada Goose	С	С	С	0
☐ Wood Duck	С	С	С	
☐ Mallard	С	С	С	U
☐ Blue-winged Teal	U	U	U	
☐ Common Merganser	0		0	
Ring-necked Pheasant	С	С	С	С
☐ Wild Turkey	U	U	U	U
☐ American White Pelican	0		0	
☐ Double-crested Cormorant	0		0	
☐ Great Blue Heron	С	С	С	
☐ Great Egret	0		0	
☐ Snowy Egret	R			
☐ Green Heron	U	U	U	
☐ Yellow-crowned Night Heron			R	
☐ Turkey Vulture	U	U	U	
☐ Osprey	U		U	
☐ Bald Eagle	U		U	0
☐ Northern Harrier	U	U	U	
☐ Sharp-shinned Hawk	U		U	0
☐ Cooper's Hawk	U	U	U	0
☐ Northern Goshawk	0		0	0
☐ Red-shouldered Hawk	U	U	U	0
☐ Broad-winged Hawk	U	0	U	
☐ Swainson's Hawk	0	0	0	
☐ Red-tailed Hawk	С	С	С	С
☐ Rough-legged Hawk	U		U	U
American Kestrel	С	С	С	U
■ Killdeer	С	С	С	
☐ Greater Yellowlegs	U		U	
☐ Lesser Yellowlegs	U	U	U	
Solitary Sandpiper	U	U	U	
Spotted Sandpiper	С	С	С	
American Woodcock	U	0	U	
☐ Franklin's Gull	0		0	
Ring-billed Gull	U		U	
☐ Forster's Tern	U		U	
■ Black Tern	U	U	U	
Rock Pigeon	С	С	С	С
■ Mourning Dove	С	С	С	0
■ Black-billed Cuckoo	U	U	U	
☐ Yellow-billed Cuckoo	U	U	0	

Bi	rds of Flandrau State Park	Sp	Su		Wi
_	Eastern Screech-Owl	U	U	U	U
_	Great Horned Owl	U	U	U	U
_	Barred Owl	U	U	U	U
=		U	U	U	
=	Common Nighthawk Chimney Swift	С	С	С	
	Ruby-throated Hummingbird	U	U	U	
	Belted Kingfisher	С	С	С	
	Red-headed Woodpecker	U	U	U	
	Red-bellied Woodpecker	U	U	U	U
	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	U	U	U	
_	Downy Woodpecker	С	С	С	С
	Hairy Woodpecker	С	С	С	C
_	Northern Flicker	С	С	С	
	Pileated Woodpecker	U	U	U	U
	Olive-sided Flycatcher	U	0	U	
	Eastern Wood-Pewee	С	С	С	
	Yellow-bellied Flycatcher	U	U	U	
	Alder Flycatcher	U	0	U	
	Least Flycatcher	С	С	С	
	Eastern Phoebe	С	С	С	
	Great Crested Flycatcher	U	U	U	
	Western Kingbird	0	0	0	
	Eastern Kingbird	С	С	С	
_	White-eyed Vireo	R			
	Yellow-throated Vireo	U	U	U	
	Blue-headed Vireo	U	-	U	
_	Warbling Vireo	С	С	С	
_	Philadelphia Vireo	U		U	
	Red-eyed Vireo	С	U	С	
	Blue Jay	С	С	С	С
	American Crow	С	С	С	С
=	Horned Lark	U	U	U	
=	Purple Martin	С	С	С	
	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	U
	White-breasted Nuthatch	С	С	С	С