

STATE PARK BIRDS
Sp S F W DATE
BLACKBIRDS, ORIOLES

	Sp	S	F	W	DATE
Bobolink	U	U	U		
Red-winged Blackbird	C	C	C		
Brown-headed Cowbird	C	C	C		
Brewer's Blackbird	U	U	U		
Common Grackle	U	U	U		

WARBLERS

	Sp	S	F	W	DATE
Ovenbird	C	C	C		
Black-and-white Warbler	C	C	C		
Nashville Warbler	C		C		
Common Yellowthroat	C	C	C		
American Redstart	C	C	C		
Northern Parula	U		U		
Magnolia Warbler	U	U	U		
Bay-breasted Warbler	O	O	O		
Blackburnian Warbler	U	U	U		
Yellow Warbler	C	C	C		
Chestnut-sided Warbler	U	U	U		
Palm Warbler	U		U		
Yellow-rumped Warbler	C		C		
Black-throated Green Warbler	U	U	U		

TANAGERS, CARDINALS, GROSBEAKS

	Sp	S	F	W	DATE
Rose-breasted Grosbeak	C	C	C		
Indigo Bunting	U	U	U		

Checklist created by Robert B. Janssen, Jerry Bonkoski and MNDNR. Data was gathered from MNDNR staff observations, public observations and Minnesota Ornithologist's Union records. Nomenclature and organization of checklist based off of the *Check-list of North American Birds* (7th edition) as currently supplemented.

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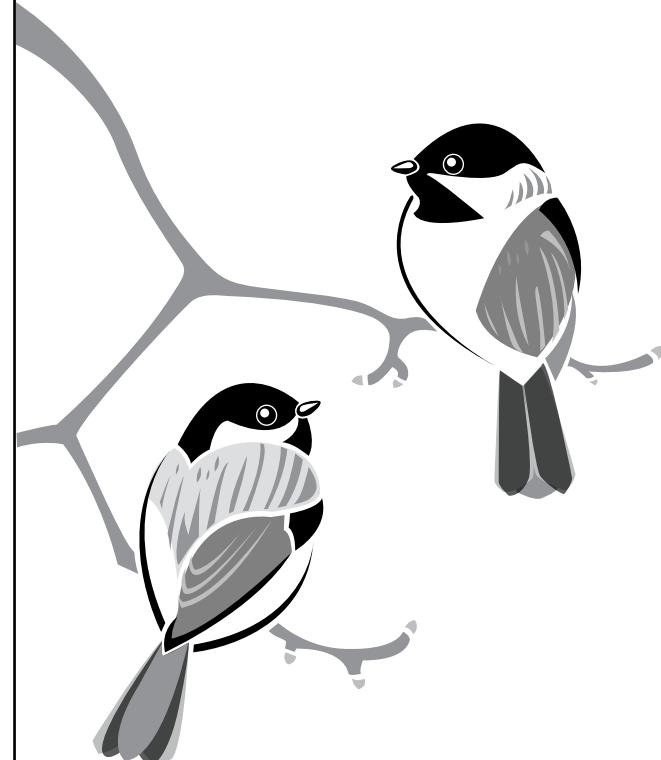
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NATURAL RESOURCES

BIRD CHECKLIST

FRANZ JEVNE STATE PARK



Birding at Franz Jevne State Park

Take a short walk from the picnic shelter to the Rainy River shoreline. There, below the Long Sault Rapids, look for American white pelicans, common goldeneye, common mergansers, wood ducks and bald eagles.

The Hiking Club trail near the river shoreline offers great habitat for migratory warblers, thrushes, flycatchers, hawks and waterfowl. Search for red-eyed vireos, belted kingfishers, eastern kingbirds, great crested flycatchers, black-billed cuckoos, ruffed grouse, gray jays and veeries.

Key

Occurrence

Sp - Spring (Mar—May)
S - Summer (Jun—Jul)
F - Fall (Aug—Nov)
W - Winter (Dec—Feb)

Abundance

C - Common (Present, relatively easy to find)
U - Uncommon (Present, not certain to be seen)
O - Occasional (Infrequent, may not return each year)
R - Rare (Observed at least once, may not return)

Date: Enter the date you saw the bird.

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, etc.)

Body size and shape: Compare to a known bird. (smaller than a...bigger than a...plump like a...slender like a...) Look at 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 do they act and sound? (travel alone or in groups, in-flight wing position - soaring, flapping, flap and glide, etc.)

STATE PARK BIRDS	Sp	S	F	W	DATE
GEESE, SWANS, DUCKS					
Canada Goose					
	U	U	U		
Wood Duck	U	U	U		
	U	U	U		
Mallard	C	C	C		
	C	C	C		
Bufflehead	U		U		
	U		U		
Common Goldeneye	C	C	C		
	C	C	C		
Common Merganser	U	U	U		
	U	U	U		
PARTRIDGE, PHEASANTS, GROUSE, TURKEYS					
Ruffed Grouse					
	C	C	C	C	
PIGEONS, DOVES					
Mourning Dove					
	U	U	U		
CUCKOOS					
Black-billed Cuckoo					
	U	U	U		
HUMMINGBIRDS					
Ruby-throated Hummingbird					
	C	C	C		
PLOVERS					
Killdeer					
	C	C	C		
SANDPIPIERS AND ALLIES					
Wilson's Snipe					
	U	U	U		
Spotted Sandpiper	C	C	C		
	C	C	C		
GULLS, TERNS					
Bonaparte's Gull					
	U		U		
Ring-billed Gull	U		U		
	U		U		
Herring Gull	U		U		
	U		U		
PELICANS					
American White Pelican					
	C	C	C		
BITTERNS, HERONS, EGRETS, NIGHT-HERONS					
Great Blue Heron					
	U	U	U		
KITES, HAWKS, EAGLES					
Northern Harrier					
	U	U	U		
Cooper's Hawk	U	U	U		
	U	U	U		
Bald Eagle	C	C	C		
	C	C	C		
Broad-winged Hawk	U	U	U		
	U	U	U		
Red-tailed Hawk	U	U	U		
	U	U	U		
TYPICAL OWLS					
Barred Owl					
	C	C	C	C	
KINGFISHERS					
Belted Kingfisher					
	C	C	C		

STATE PARK BIRDS	Sp	S	F	W	DATE
WOODPECKERS					
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker					
	C	C	C		
Downy Woodpecker	C	C	C	C	
	C	C	C	C	
Hairy Woodpecker	C	C	C	C	
	C	C	C	C	
Northern Flicker	C	C	C		
	C	C	C		
Pileated Woodpecker	U	U	U	U	
	U	U	U	U	
FALCONS					
Merlin					
	U	U	U		
FLYCATCHERS					
Great Crested Flycatcher					
	C	C	C		
Eastern Kingbird	C	C	C		
	C	C	C		
Eastern Wood-Pewee	C	C	C		
	C	C	C		
Alder Flycatcher	U	U	U		
	U	U	U		
Least Flycatcher	C	C	C		
	C	C	C		
Eastern Phoebe	C	C	C		
	C	C	C		
VIREOS					
Yellow-throated Vireo					
	U	U	U		
Warbling Vireo	U	U	U		
	U	U	U		
Red-eyed Vireo	C	C	C		
	C	C	C		
JAYS, MAGPIES, CROWS, RAVENS					
Gray Jay					
	O	O	O	O	
Blue Jay	C	C	C	C	
	C	C	C	C	
Black-billed Magpie	O		O	O	
	O		O	O	
American Crow	C	C	C	C	
	C	C	C	C	
Common Raven	U	U	U	U	
	U	U	U	U	
MARTINS, SWALLOWS					
Bank Swallow					
	U	U	U		
Tree Swallow	C	C	C		
	C	C	C		
Northern Rough-winged Swallow	C	C	C		
	C	C	C		
Purple Martin	U	U	U		
	U	U	U		
Barn Swallow	C	C	C		
	C	C	C		
CHICKADEES, TITMICE					
Black-capped Chickadee					
	C	C	C	C	
NUTHATCHES					
Red-breasted Nuthatch					
	C	C	C	U	
White-breasted Nuthatch	C	C	C	O	
	C	C	C	O	
CREEPERS					
Brown Creeper					
	U	U	U		

STATE PARK BIRDS	Sp	S	F	W	DATE
WRENS					
House Wren					
	C	C	C		
Winter Wren	U	U	U		
	U	U	U		
KINGLETS					
Golden-crowned Kinglet					
	C	C			
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	C	C			
	C	C			
THRUSHES					
Eastern Bluebird					
	U	U	U		
Veery	U	U	U		
	U	U	U		
Swainson's Thrush	U				
	U				
Hermit Thrush	U				
	U				
American Robin	C	C	C		
	C	C	C		
STARLINGS					