

2010 Triangle Area Christmas Bird Counts

— Chapel Hill Observer Party —

Species	12/18	12/19	1/2	1/4	1/5	12/26																
	Ral	Dur	JL	Kerr	Falls	CH	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
Snow Goose		3	1			5																
ROSS'S GOOSE						3																
Canada Goose	1141	1187	355	189	287	224	51	3			10	2	75	5			19	17	38		4	
Mute Swan	7																					
Wood Duck	10	172	53	15	5																	
Gadwall	40	20	56	1	31																	
American Wigeon	2				1																	
American Black Duck	41	53	20	99	6	1												1				
Mallard x Black Duck						1												1				
Mallard	277	453	65	61	36	84	37	2			2						6	30	7			
Northern Shoveler	69	21	4	2	1																	
Northern Pintail	1	3			4																	
Green-winged Teal	90	12	15			1	1															
Redhead					5																	
Ring-necked Duck	263	3	32	15	3	5					5											
Greater Scaup					5	1																
Lesser Scaup	21				5																	
BLACK SCOTER					1																	
Bufflehead	101		47	63	145																	
Common Goldeneye	1	2	2	2	1																	
Hooded Merganser	395	18	117	182	606	16	5							2				5	4			
Ruddy Duck	217		cw	2																		
Northern Bobwhite			8	1	1																	
Wild Turkey		12	26	16	11																	
PACIFIC LOON				1																		
Common Loon	1		2	134																		
Pied-billed Grebe	12	1	50	40	46	1														1		
Horned Grebe	2		5	120																		
Double-crested Cormorant	79	19	1214	88	46	1															1	
Great Blue Heron	49	77	71	46	51	18	3	1					1	1			1	3	8			
Black Vulture		55	62	321	93	43	12				3		1					12				15
Turkey Vulture	17	214	122	65	123	60	39	3			2	3	2					5				6
Osprey					1																	
Bald Eagle 4 ad., 1 imm.	4	14	21	19	19	5	1													4		
Northern Harrier	2	2	2	5																		
Sharp-shinned Hawk	3	4	3	2	2	1													1			
Cooper's Hawk	12	5	5	2	5	3	1	1		1												
<i>Accipiter</i> sp.	1		2																			
Red-shouldered Hawk	32	24	31	11	30	6	2		1			1							1			1
Red-tailed Hawk	11	27	21	12	12	8	2	2											3	1		
American Kestrel	5	11	7	3	3																	
Merlin				1	1																	
American Coot	37		1360		2																	
Killdeer	55	166	47	25	39	13	7						1					5				
Greater Yellowlegs		1																				
Lesser Yellowlegs				2	1																	
Least Sandpiper		85																				
DUNLIN		2		1																		
Wilson's Snipe		18	2	cw	1	0																
American Woodcock	5	1	1	3	3	2												1	1			
Bonaparte's Gull		8	162	222	1	2														2		
Ring-billed Gull	582	4062	65000	1802	4743	130	12	20			1	1	20				6	25	19	3	23	
Herring Gull	3	27	89	1	52	1											1					
Lesser Black-backed Gull		1			1																	
Great Black-backed Gull			1		1																	
Rock Pigeon	413	187	54	71	50	51	7				18		1							25		
White-winged Dove		cw																				
Mourning Dove	262	106	293	147	156	110	22	4	1	15	6	3	12	2		6	1	6	10	10	12	
Eastern Screech-Owl	2	1	3	2	2	3	3															
Great Horned Owl	3	3	3	9	7	cw	cw															
Barred Owl	1	4	5	9	3	5	2												1	1		1
Rufous Hummingbird					1																	
Belted Kingfisher	26	12	25	8	23	6		1						1			1	2	1			
Red-headed Woodpecker	1	55	22	1	21	10												9				1
Red-bellied Woodpecker	164	149	136	71	111	90	8	3	2	1	34	2	5		2	5	12	3	4	9		
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	33	40	38	18	31	23	7	2			1	2	1				3				7	
Downy Woodpecker	98	81	79	47	53	64	6	4	3	2	9	4	3	1	1	4	10		4	13		
Hairy Woodpecker	17	16	16	11	14	12	1		1		2	1	1		1	3		1	1		1	
N. (Yellow-shafted) Flicker	83	189	129	65	78	28	7				3	3	4				9			1	1	
Pileated Woodpecker	23	16	26	17	27	5							3		1				1			
Eastern Phoebe	28	36	22	13	14	16	3	2			2	1	1				6	1				
Loggerhead Shrike	4		1	1	3																	
Blue-headed Vireo	3				2	1							1									
Blue Jay	139	227	330	101	97	65	2	4	2	8	10	5	4		1	2	4	19	1	1	2	
American Crow	223	525	683	291	359	202	29	15	4	7	26	9	26	6			11	6	41	6	16	
Fish Crow	1		cw	4	3																	
Common Raven					5	2	2															
Carolina Chickadee	301	270	381	88	262	143	16	14	3	5	31	10	2	4	2	1	6	18	4	10	17	
Tufted Titmouse	193	255	343	113	264	156	11	13	2	5	26	18	9	3	4	1	7	21	1	10	25	

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Red-breasted Nuthatch		3	3	9	1	6	2														2						
White-breasted Nuthatch	77	49	48	30	66	28	8	2	1	2	3	3				1				1	2	5					
Brown-headed Nuthatch	66	80	141	30	137	33	6	7			4	2		2	1	1		2			2	6					
Brown Creeper	11	15	11	11	19	9			1	1	5										2						
Carolina Wren	218	226	290	85	139	118	12	4	3	3	26	9	7	4	3	2	6	18	2	2	17						
House Wren	1	2	2		2	cw	cw																				
Winter Wren		2	15		27	11		3					1					5		1	1						
Sedge Wren			1																								
Golden-crowned Kinglet	209	187	223	40	245	59	4				32	7		2				2	1	6	5						
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	80	64	84	24	103	20	2	1				1	2				1	7	4	1	1						
Eastern Bluebird	218	326	341	262	233	197	31		3	5	30	8	4	7		6	7	75	4		17						
Hermit Thrush	30	48	30	31	44	43	7	4	1	1	4	2						14	1	4	5						
American Robin	825	577	660	1570	135	196	18	38						6	25	5		43	1	1		59					
Gray Catbird					2	1												1									
Northern Mockingbird	108	117	92	49	66	51	14	1	1		3	4	1			1	1	6	4	2		13					
Brown Thrasher	34	46	14	10	16	13					5	1					1		6								
European Starling	338	412	619	313	223	93	15				18		45	1			6	8									
American Pipit	22	188		4	24	26	26																				
Cedar Waxwing	341	282	1386	299	90	182	33				2	30	4	15			53	5				40					
Orange-crowned Warbler					1																						
Myrtle Warbler	210	253	139	19	115	136	5	2	2	8	9	5	18	2	1	3	7	33	2	4	35						
Pine Warbler	23	54	37	19	35	38	4	6	3	1	2	2	1			2	1		8	8							
Palm Warbler	8																										
Common Yellowthroat		1			1																						
Eastern Towhee	88	165	134	76	116	50	1	5			15	1	2	5	1	1	1	9	7		2						
Chipping Sparrow	121	256	325	78	251	71	5	5			6	15							38	2							
CLAY-COLORED SPARROW			1																								
Field Sparrow	62	141	76	20	128	47						26	1					12	1			7					
VESPER SPARROW					1																						
Savannah Sparrow	70	98	42	57	48	9	9																				
Fox Sparrow	10	26	45	25	30	57	27	1			13	5						2	2	3	4						
Song Sparrow	338	789	392	103	312	158	27	1			2	17	30	3			5	55	14			4					
Swamp Sparrow	31	153	51	31	46	24						1	6					10	7								
White-throated Sparrow	866	963	799	380	662	616	178	10			49	56	27	10	1	6	33	125	75			46					
White-crowned Sparrow	1	17		3	1	2	2																				
Dark-eyed (Slt-col) Junco	506	708	1447	602	683	1044	133	42	30	5	148	126	77	73	1	8	95	120	70	60	56						
SUMMER TANAGER	cw																										
Northern Cardinal	342	335	415	127	260	251	17	20	2	7	44	17	10	10	2	7	39	21	23	6	26						
Red-winged Blackbird	82	176	1748	820	114	35													34			1					
Eastern Meadowlark	65	67	31	62	32	24	24																				
Rusty Blackbird		100																									
Common Grackle	61	1013	6000	152	14	2	1											1									
Brown-headed Cowbird	124		70	11	17	32	32																				
Baltimore Oriole	7		1		3						1					1	1										
Purple Finch	18	24	49	5	15	46	14	5		2	1	5						2		12	5						
House Finch	140	202	133	27	120	123	5	5			6	25	1	7		8	2		2	1	61						
Pine Siskin	13	33	276	7	60	357	7	1	150	3		60						5		25	106						
American Goldfinch	334	527	484	134	260	405	37	15	12	10	24	20	1	18		4		20	9	100	135						
House Sparrow	16	6	15	4	42	4								2			2										
TOTAL SPECIES	124	97	93	97	96	105	80	58	38	21	21	41	42	39	24	12	23	31	52	43	29	41					
TOTAL INDIVIDUALS	11726	17684	88354	10195	12947	6234	1003	272	228	93	642	520	437	189	19	67	381	797	482	293	811						
Number of Field Parties						10	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	1						
Number of Participants	55	35	56	19	27	19	1	2	0	0	2	2	1	1	0	0	2	2	3	0	3						
Start Time:						500	500	720			710	630	850				830	700	730			700					
End Time:						1745	1730	1250			1455	1530	1600				1500	1745	1130			1400					
Party Hours: Total	87.5	103.5	135.5	71.75	95.5	66.5	12.5	5.5	0	0	7.5	8.5	7	2.5	0	0	5.5	8	4	0	5.5						
Party Hours: On Foot						53.75	11	5			3	7.5	5.5	0.5			4.75	8	3		5.5						
Party Hours: By Car						12.75	1.5	0.5			4.5	1	1.5	2			0.75		1								
Party Miles: Total						157	23	7	0	0	22.5	8	30	18	0	0	7.5	5	32	0	4						
Party Miles: On Foot						35.5	2	4			3	3	5	1			4.5	5	4		4						
Party Miles: By Car						121.5	21	3			19.5	5	25	17			3		28								
Nocturnal Hours						2	1.5					0.5															
Nocturnal Miles						1	1					0															
Feeder Watchers						19			1	2	2			1	1	1					1	10					
Feeder Hours						53			4	4	7			4	2	4					5	23					

CH: Chapel Hill count date: 12/26/10; compiler: Will Cook; 28-30 F; N 5-10 mph; heavy snow in am; light snow in pm

Ral: Raleigh count date: 12/18/10; compiler: John Connors

Kerr: Kerr Lake count date: 1/4/11; compiler: Brian Bockhahn

Falls: Falls Lake count date: 1/5/11; compiler: Brian Bockhahn

Dur: Durham count date: 12/19/10; compiler: Mike Schultz

JL: Jordan Lake count date: 1/2/11; compiler: Norm Budnitz

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	Ral	Dur	JL	Kerr	Falls	CH	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
	Party Areas	Party Members						Party			Areas			Party Members								
1	1,4	Derb Carter																				
2	2,7	Pam Timmons, Perry Haaland						13			22 S			Anson Cooke, Dwayne Cooke, Phil Warren								
3	4-yard	Cynthia Fox						14			25-yard			Shelley Theye								
4	7-yard	Susan & Bill Stone																				
5	8, 13	Tom Driscoll, Bo Howes; Feeder watchers: Barbara Driscoll, Diane Meyer																				
6	9, 10	Norm Budnitz, Gene Kingsley						15			32			Steven Graves, David Murdock, Marge Miles								
7	11, 12	Kent Fiala												Feeder watchers: Mary Floyd, Sara Johnson								
8	14,15,18	Nathan Swick												Lynn Ogden, Candace Owens, Harry & Caroline								
9	14-yard	Julia Shields												Pederson, Joan Redmann, Jerrold & Joan Walecka,								
10	17-yard	Judy Murray												Bobbie Hahn								
11	16, 29	David Smith, Judy Hinderliter Smith																				
12	20	Will Cook, Andrew Thornton																				