

New Athens (St. Clair Co) (2), 20 Dec (TJD); *Rock Island* (2), 23 Dec (KJM, LB); *Jackson* (2), 1 Jan (KJM, MG). Fifteen other singles reported statewide.

#### Cooper's Hawk

**MC:** 5, Palos (Cook Co.), 20 Dec (WJM, CDH, WSS); 4, Urbana, 19 Dec (SDB, GSL, RK); 4, *Vermilion*, 16 Dec (SDB, et al.); 4, LShel, 2 Jan (KAM, MSS); 3, Wayne (Du Page Co), 19 Dec (GAW, CLW); 3, Ark, 14 Jan (LS, LBi); 3, *Alexander*, 28 Dec (SDB, PAM). **Others:** Bushnell (McDonough Co) (2), all winter (LLH); *Kankakee* (ad & imm), 13 Dec (JHH); CarlL (2), 14 Dec (KAM); QC (2), 20 Dec (KJM, SBH); *Rock Island* (2), 30 Dec (CDM, JLM, m.ob.); Seneca (La Salle Co) (2), 1 Jan (DJS, TW, BC); *Kane* (2), 15 Jan (DJS); *Gallatin* (2), 30 Jan (CAT); *Saline & Hamilton* (2), 31 Jan (CAT); *St. Clair* (2), 23 Feb (KAM). Thirteen other singles reported statewide.

#### Northern Goshawk

Rckfd (imm), 23-27 Feb (BCW); Chi (imm), 8 Dec & 21 Jan (\*SBB ph); Bemis Wds FP (Cook Co) (imm), 9 Jan (DFS); GreenR (imm), 3 Feb (MAM, APS); PRSNA (imm), 21 Dec (MPW, SDB).

#### Red-shouldered Hawk

**MC:** 9, MermetL, 31 Dec (KJM); 9, UCCA, 29 Dec (SDB, PAM); 6, CONWR, 20 Dec (KAM, MSS, RSR, SJ). **Others:** *Randolph* (4), 28 Feb (TJD); HLCA (4), 28 Dec (SDB, PAM); *Pulaski* (3), 28 Feb (KAM, MSS, DMK); *Edwards* (2), 12 Jan (RES); RendL (2), 31 Jan (KAM); PRKWA (2), 13 Feb (MT); *Richland* (pr), 22 Feb (CLH); Spring Bluff F.P. (Lake Co) (imm), 13 Dec (EWW); *Woodford*, 13 Dec (MEF, MJW); *Knox*, 14 Dec (MJB, PR, DH, CS); ClintonL, 20 Dec (MEF);

Barstow (Rock Island Co) (ad), 20 Dec (KJM, SBH); Spears Wds FP (Cook Co), 20 Dec (CDH, KKM, WJM); *Kankakee*, 29 Dec (UWG); GreenR, 31 Jan & 6 Feb (MJW & GAW, CLW, DKA resp); Sang (ad), 10 & 20 Dec & 29 Jan & (imm) 2-10 Jan (HDB); Kickapoo SP (Vermilion Co), 16 Dec (RDD, MML); *Edgar* (ad), 8 Feb (EWW); Chau, 19 Feb (RGB, SNB).

#### Red-tailed Hawk

**MC:** 60, *Vermilion*, 16 Dec (SDB, et al.); 52, *McLean & Woodford*, 7 Feb (MEF, MJW); 41, *Rock Island*, 4 Jan (KJM, DA, RS); 30, CarlL, 16-17 Jan (DMK, MSS); 28, *Mercer*, 30 Dec (KJM, WZ, m.ob.); 27, *Lee*, 6 Feb (GAW, CLW, DKA); 21, Ark, 14 Jan (LS, LBi). **Others:** QC (21), 20 Dec (KJM, SBH, m.ob.); *Whiteside & Carroll* (19), 21 Dec (KJM, LB, m.ob.); *Bureau* (17), 20 Dec (DJS); *McDonough & Fulton* (15), 19 Dec (LLH); *Jackson* (15), 1 Jan (KJM, MG).

**Other forms:** "Western Rufous" morph - Sang, 11-12 Jan (HDB); Urbana (Champaign Co), 19 Dec (SDB, GSL, RK). This is the 6<sup>th</sup> + year at this location.; "Harlan's" - Sang, 26 Jan (HDB); Cahokia (St. Clair Co), 13 Feb (MSTT). Mounds (Alexander Co) (mostly white, albino bird w/pale reddish tail), 28 Dec (SDB, PAM).

#### Rough-legged Hawk

**MC:** 15 (3 dark morphs) & 10, Nachusa, 13 Feb & 19 Dec (EWW & GN, JRRS resp); 10, *Mercer*, 30 Dec (TM, RS, m.ob.); 9, *Ogle & Lee*, 21 Feb (KAM); 8, *McLean & Woodford*, 7 Feb (MEF, MJW);



*Prairie Falcon. Ogle County.  
10 January 2010.  
Photo by Greg Neise.*



*Northern Harrier. Montrose, Chicago, Cook  
County. 10 December 2009.  
Photo by Steve Spitzer.*

4, IBSP, 10 Dec (JSS); 3, CarlL, 3 Jan (DMK, MSS). **Others:** *Whiteside & Carroll* (8), 21 Dec (EAA, RN, m.ob.); Sang (5), 31 Jan (HDB); *McHenry* (4), 19 Dec (ASSt et al.); GreenR (4), 31 Jan (MJW); Richardson Wildlife Foundation (Lee Co) (4), 16 Feb (EWW); *McDonough & Fulton* (3), 19 Dec (LLH); *Bureau & Putnam* (3), 20 Dec (DJS); *Rock Island* (3), 26 Dec (KJM, LB, SAV, m.ob.); *Piatt* (3), 13 Feb (DTW); Blount Twp (Vermilion Co) (2; on lg dead animal carcass), 15 Dec (SDB); *Iroquois*, 21 Dec (CAT, TLK); *Adams*, 16 Jan (CAT); *Cumberland*, 18 Dec (CAT, TLK); *Clay* (dark morph), 1 Feb (MJB, APS); PRSNA, 17 Dec & 26 Feb (RES, CLH); *Edwards*, 14 Jan (RES).

#### Golden Eagle

*Cook*, 11 Dec (BCS); Nachusa (imm), 19 Dec - 21 Feb (GN, JRRS, \*EWW ph, KML); Groveland Twp (Tazewell Co) (ad), 1 Feb (KR); UCCA (ad), 29 Dec (\*KJM).

#### American Kestrel

**MC:** 25, CarlL, 12 Dec (DMK, MSS); 18, *Perry & Jackson*, 31 Jan (KAM); 16, *Cass, Brown, Adams, Pike, & Morgan*, 16 Jan (CAT); 14, *Vermilion*, 16 Dec (SDB, et al.); 12, *McHenry*, 19 Dec (ASSt et al.); 9, *Massac*, 31 Dec (KJM); 9, *Randolph*, 26 Jan (KAM); 8, QC, 20 Dec (BL, CR, m.ob.); 8, *Rock Island*, 4 Jan (CDM, JLM, m.ob.); 6, *Alexander*, 28 Dec (KJM, GL). **Others:** *Cass* (14), 25 Feb (TRE); *Mercer* (13), 30 Dec (CDM, JLM, m.ob.); *St. Clair* (12), 30 Dec (KAM); ClintonL (11), 27 Feb (MEF); *Stark* (6), 22 Jan (CAT, TLK); *La Salle* (5), 13 Dec (DJS); *Effingham & Clay* (5), 18 Dec (CAT, TLK); *Whiteside & Carroll* (5), 21 Dec (KJM, LB, m.ob.); *Tazewell* (5), 1 Jan (CAT, TLK); *Logan* (5), 17 Jan (CAT); *Wayne* (5), 21 Feb (CAT, TLK).

#### Merlin

UMRNWR, 5-6 Dec (BJS, ASSt); Rckfd, 19 Dec (DTW); Forreton Twp (Ogle Co) (ad ♂), 19 Dec (ASSt); Zion (Lake Co), 20 Feb (SBB); Niles (Cook Co) (St. Adelbert's Cem), 14 Feb (JWL); Chi (Columbus Pk), 20 Dec (EDG, EG, AG); JP, 17 Jan (PRC et al. ph); Saganashkee Sl. (Cook Co.), 20 Dec (CDH, \*WJM, WSS, SC); *Kankakee*, 19-27 Jan (JHH); EvergreenL (Woodford Co), 30 Dec (MJW); Sang, 2 Jan & 14 Feb (HDB); *Wabash*, 20 Dec (CLH); New Athens (St. Clair Co), 12 Feb (TJD); *Richland*, 19 Dec (RES); UCCA, 28 Dec (VBI ph).

**Other forms:** Oregon (Ogle Co) (ad ♂ "columbarius"), 20 Dec (DTW);

#### Peregrine Falcon

LCal (pr), 1 Dec (WJM); *Winnebago & Ogle*, 27 Dec (DTW); Chi (2), 13 Jan (GAW); *s. Grundy*, 12 Dec (DB); Peoria (Peoria Co) (ad ♂), 13 Dec - 3 Jan (KR, UWG); Sang (ad tundrius), 30 Jan (HDB); Champaign (Champaign Co), 19 Dec (SDB, GSL, RK); L*Vermilion* (Vermilion Co), 16 Dec (MJE, VB); Madison (ad), 17 Jan (MT); Rckfd, 27 Jan-20 Feb (LGB, DTW, m.ob.); Zion (Lake Co), 24 Feb (EWW); *Kankakee* R SP (ad), 28 Feb (JHH, \*GS).

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Nachusa & Taylor Twps (Ogle Co), 10-30 Jan (GN ph, JRRS, BAH, RE, APS).