

Red Knots. 63rd Street Beach, Chicago, Cook County. 28 March 2013. Photo by Wes Serafin.



Spotted Sandpiper

EA: 10 Apr, se. Illinois (CLH); 10 Apr, L Charleston (Coles Co) (TDF); 10 Apr, Evergreen L (McLean Co) (TH); 14 Apr, Cook (TBL). MC: 20, LCal, 4 May (WJM, MLB, SBB, CAM, JIN); 20, Montrose, 26 May (JIE, NM); 16, Sangamon, 24 May (HDB); 14, Wauk, 4 May (RB, GHn).

Solitary Sandpiper

EA: 25 Mar, CarlL-C (DMK:ph); 7 Apr, se. Illinois (CLH); 8 Apr, Sangamon (HDB); 10 Apr, Arcola Marsh (Douglas Co) (MM-L); 12 Apr (2), Bellrose Rsv (MM-L); 13 Apr (2), Spfld (KB); 15 Apr (2), DuPage (JL). MC: 52, LCal, 4 May (WJM, MLB, SBB, CAM, JIN); 22, Bellrose Rsv, 18 Apr (KAM). LD: 9 Jun, LSpfld (HDB); 21 May, Greenview Wetland (Woodford Co) (TH); 20 May (2), Morgan (TDF); 18 May, Sangamon (HDB); 17 May, LCal (WJM).

Greater Yellowlegs

EA: 7 Mar, SantaFe (DMK); 11 Mar (4), Eldon Hazlet SP (Clinton Co) (KAM); 16 Mar, Chau (TB); 30 Mar, Upper Mississippi R NWR (Carroll Co) (DTW). MC: 100, Sangamon, 27 Apr (HDB); 75, sw. Champaign, 22 Apr (MM-L); 60, Vandalia (Fayette Co), 29 Apr (EWW); 58, Fishhook WMA, 7 Apr (TAM); 50, CarlL-C, 14 Apr (DMK). LD: 24 May, Whiteside (DH); 23 May, Kendall (ASA); 21 May, CarlL-C (DMK).

Willet

EA: 18 Apr, MermetL (KAM); 18 Apr, L&D 14 (AGu); 24 Apr, IBSP (PWS); 24-30 Apr, Bolinbrook (Will Co) (REF, MAM). MC: 41 & 11, Farina Wetland (Fayette Co), 29 & 28 Apr (EWW & SDB resp); 39, Woodford, 10 May (TH); 34, CarlL-C, 21 May (DMK); 21, Montrose, 29 Apr (DKA); 18, Tazewell, 9 May (MJW). LD: 2 Jun, WinthropH (BJS); 21 May, Montrose (DKA, MD, JIE); 21 May, JP (RLS); 18 May (2), Wauk (JBU); 18 May, Fermi (GP). Others: 29 Apr (8), Modena (Stark Co) (EWW).

Lesser Yellowlegs

EA: 9 Mar, se. St. Clair (TJD); 10 Mar (10), CarlL-F (DMK); 11 Mar, Eldon Hazlet SP (Clinton Co) (KAM); 23 Mar (21), Wayne (RES); 30 Mar, Upper Mississippi R NWR (Carroll Co) (DTW). MC: 458, Fishhook WMA (Moultrie Co), 14 Apr (TDF, TAM); 347, Sangamon, 27 Apr (HDB); 200, CarlL-C, 14 Apr (DMK); 200, sw. Champaign, 22 Apr (MM-L); 175, Bellrose Rsv, 18 Apr (KAM). LD: 4 Jun, LCal (WJM); 2 Jun, AMAX Wabash Mine (CLH); 1 Jun, Fermi (PAM); 25 May (2), HennepinL (ASA, JL); 20 May, LSpfld (HDB).

Upland Sandpiper

EA: 10 Apr, PrRdg-J (CLH); 17 Apr, Sangamon (HDB); 20 Apr, Mari-on (TDF, TAM, RES); 20 Apr (2), Rckfd (DTW); 25 Apr (2), Monticello Rd FS (Champaign Co) (SDB). MC: 4, Champaign, 3 May (TDF); 4, Manteno (Kankakee Co), 13 Mar (SZ); 4, McLean, 19 May (PB).



Whimbrel

EA: 22 May, Montrose (DBJ, AFS, LM, m.ob.).

Hudsonian Godwit

EA: 18 Apr, Bellrose Rsv (KAM); 19 Apr, see below; 21 Apr, Mercer (DJM). MC: 4, Big L (Brown Co), 19 Apr (BR); 4, Tazewell, 27-28 Apr (AGI, MJW, KBR); 2, Mason, 28 Apr (ML). LD: 23 May (2), Winnebago (SG); 18 May, Morgan (CD); 12 May (2), Monroe (C&PD).

Marbled Godwit

EA: 13 Apr (8), Hoppe Heritage Farmstead (DeKalb Co) (MA, KML:ph, ASA, m.ob.); 16 Apr, see below; 26 Apr (2), McLean (BM:ph, JP, SA); 26-7 Apr, Rckfd (BGr, LGB, DTW, BCW); 28 Apr (3), Farina Wetland (Fayette Co) (SDB). MC: 11, Bailey Wetland (Richland & Wayne Cos), 16 Apr (CLH, RES); 9, Farina Wetland (Fayette Co), 16 Apr (CLH, RES); 8, See above. LD: 6-9 May, SpringL (MJW).

Ruddy Turnstone

EA: 10 May, Montrose (JIE, BMW, JDW, m.ob.); 18 May, HennepinL (ASA). MC: 7, see below; 4, Montrose, 18 May (LGM); 3, CarlL-C, 4 May (DMK). LD: 7 Jun, Montrose (LGM); 2 Jun (5), Wauk (BJS); 2 Jun, WinthropH (BJS); 28 May (7), Montrose (MD, WSS); 25 May, LSpfld (HDB); 24 May, Lawrence (CLH).

Red Knot

EA: 22 May, Montrose (DBJ, AFS, LM, m.ob.). MC: 5, JP, 28 May (WSS, MC:ph, m.ob.). LD: 28 May (5), see above.

RUFF

EA: 3 May (♂), Whiteside (*DH:ph, CK, MTw:ph).

Stilt Sandpiper

EA: 28 Apr (2), Tazewell (MJW); 30 Apr, LCal (WJM). MC: 10, Alexander, 11 May (KAM); 9, Kinlou Road Wetland (Marion Co), 5 May (TAM). LD: 21 May (4), PrRdg-M (CLH); 21 May (4), Greenview Wetland (Woodford Co) (TH); 18 May (2), CarlL-C (DMK).

Sanderling

EA: 30 Apr, Montrose (NG); 2 May, LSpfld (HDB). MC: 16, Montrose, 22 May (AG). LD: 7 Jun (2), Montrose (JG); 2 Jun, HennepinL (DTW, BCW, SG); 2 Jun (4), Wauk (BJS); 2 Jun (3), WinthropH (GAW).

Marbled Godwits. Genoa, DeKalb County. 13 April 2013. Photo by Karen Lund.