

Gadwall

Breeding: LDDP (pr w/8 newly hatched yg), 11-14 Jul (TAM). **MC:** 10 (ad), RollinsSav, 20 Jun (JSS), incl 3 pr, 1 Jun (SLD). **Other:** LCal (drake), 5 Jun (WJM).

American Wigeon

LDDP (drake), **24 Jun** (TAM).

Mallard

Breeding: RollinsSav (hen w/7 juv), 3 Jul (SDB); Arlington Heights (Cook Co) (hen on nest w/5 eggs in rose bush of residential yard), 27 Apr (JBr); NoP (several broods), season (GAW); Lyman Wds FP (DuPage Co) (2 broods of 5 & 15 yg), 29 Apr (JCa); Woodridge (DuPage Co) (nest w/8 newly hatched yg in suburban backyard), 9 Jun (UWG); JP (first brood [4], 14 May), 14 May (PRC); JP (8 broods = 40 yg), May - Jul (last hatch 4 Jul) (PRC) - very high mortality of yg; LCal (hen w/6 yg), 2 Jul (RLS); Hancock Twp (Hancock Co) (pr w/10 yg), 27 Jun (SDB); LWds (2 broods), 30 Jun (BC, et al.); MidFork (2 broods), 2 Aug (BC, et al.); LDDP (169 ad, 75 yg), 24 Jun (TAM). **MC:** 244, LDDP (see above); 200, TwoRivers, 21 Jul (DMK); 176, Chau, 21 Jul (RGB, SNB); 102, Kankakee, 16 Jul (JHH); 80, CarlL-F, 27 Jul (DMK).

Blue-winged Teal

Breeding: Rockford (hen w/3 chicks), 1 Jul (DTW); RollinsSav (nest w/10 eggs), 13 May (JRS); RollinsSav (7 pr [incl hen w/4 yg 3 Jul] & "several broods"), 1 Jun - 7 Jul & 15 Jul (SLD, SDB & RDH resp); JPPSP (hen w/11 chicks), 25 Jun (PM); Afton FP (DeKalb Co) (brood of 4), 12 Jul (DJS); Fermi (ad w/ yg), 24 Jun (JSu); Techny Basin CA (Cook Co) (2 ad w/7 yg), 25 Jun (SG); Mendota (LaSalle Co) (pr), 27 May (EWW); Hooper Branch Savanna NP (Iroquois Co) (hen w/2 chicks), 8 Jul (JB); Emiquon (2 broods), mid-Jun (MPW); LDDP (hen w/4 yg) Aug (TAM); Sauguet (4 ad & 8 yg), 15 Jun (KAM). **MC:** 15 (ad), GreenR CA (Lee Co), 9 Jun (VMK et al.); 14 (7 drakes, 7 hens), LDDP, 24 Jun (but 3-5 there 7 Jul - 2 Aug) (TAM); 13 (ads & yg), Techny Basin CA (Cook Co), 6 Jul (SG); 5, Oneida (Knox Co), 18 Jul (JM). **Others:** AlmondM (3 ad, drake & 2 hens), 16 Jun (SDB); LCal (pr), 5 & 30 Jun & 6 Jul (WJM); Lockport Pra NP (Will Co), 22 Jul (REF); Hancock Twp (Hancock Co) (3), 27 Jun (SDB); HL (2), 9 Jun (DMK); CarlL-F, 27 Jul (DMK).

Northern Shoveler

Coal City sewage plant (Grundy Co) (2), 22 Jul (DFS).

Northern Pintail

TwoRivers (male), 21 Jul (DMK, KAM, IOS).

Green-winged Teal

GLNTC (2), 3 Jul (DRD); RollinsSav, 4 & 15 Jul (MFI & RDH resp); LDDP (3 - 2 drakes, hen), 7-11 Jul but one there 2 Aug (TAM).

Canvasback

L&D 12, UMRNWR (Jo Daviess Co) (drake), 14 Jul (DW, DLT); LDDP, 24 Jun (TAM).

Redhead

Fremont Twp (Lake Co) (drake), 13 Jun (SDB, MPW); HennepinL (7), 16 Jun (GAW).

Ring-necked Duck

TwoRivers (GilbertL) (drake & hen), 9 Jun (MT); GaskinL (Clay Co) (drake), 14 Jun (LH); LDDP (2), 24 Jun (TAM); LDDP (drake), 7 Jul - 5 Aug (TAM, MFD, DMK).

Lesser Scaup

L&D 12, UMRNWR (Jo Daviess Co) (pr; drake injured), 14 Jul (DW:ph, DLT); LDDP (2), 24 Jun - 5 Aug (TAM, MFD, DMK); EForkL (drake), 22 Jun (LH).

Greater Scaup

NBSO: GLNTC (drake; injured?), **31 May** (DRD).

Surf Scoter

NBSO: L&D 12, UMRNWR (Jo Daviess Co) (hen), **14 Jul** (DW:ph, DLT).

Bufflehead

BREEDING: Black-crown Marsh (McHenry Co) (hen w/2-3yg), early Jun - 15 Jun (BS). **1st Illinois breeding record!** **Other:** Braidwood (Will Co) (hen), 10 Jun (DFS).

Common Goldeneye

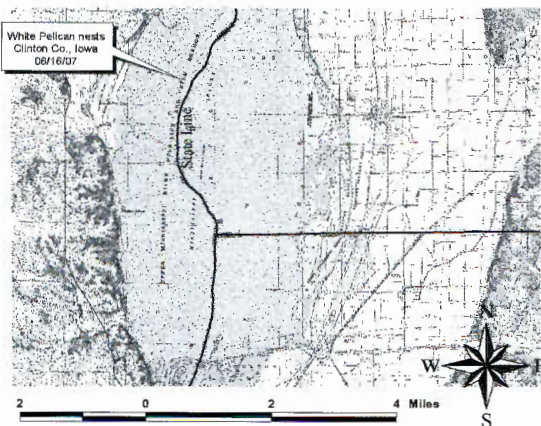
NBSO: Chi (hen; injured), **3 May-7 Jun** (SSp:ph).

Hooded Merganser

Breeding: MoraineHills (female w/8 yg), 30 Jun (MFI); ShabbonaL SP (DeKalb Co) (hen w/6 yg), 3 Jun (DJS); Danada FP (DuPage Co) (pr & 2 juv), 9 Jul (PM); Erie (Rock Island Co) (hen w/6 yg), 27 May (EWW); SpoonL (Knox Co) (hen w/4 full-grown yg), 20 Jun (JM); Coal City sewage plant (Grundy Co) (hen w/7 yg), 1 Jul (DFS, FMS); Emiquon (hen w/10 yg & hen w/3 yg), 24 Jun & 1 Jul (DFS, JM resp); Dickson Mounds (Fulton Co) (hen w/9 yg), 15 May (KR); Chau (6 hen w/28 yg), 22 Jun (RGB, SNB); Miller Shrub Swamp NP (Marion Co) (hen w/4 yg), 15 Jun (LH). **MC:** 34, Chau, see above; 12, TwoRivers (Gilbert L), 9 Jun (MT). **Others:** MoraineHills (2 hen/juv), 11 Jun (SDB); AlmondM (hen), 3 & 16 Jun (SDB); GLNTC (2), 13 Jul (fide DRD); Techny Basin CA (Cook Co) (hen), 27 Jul (SG); Chi (Columbus Pk) (juv), 17 Jun (EG); Chi (BurnhamH) (hen), 11 Jun & (imm), 14 Jun (DFS); NoP (imm), 18 Jul (GAW); Fermi (2), 15 Jul (JSu); Mendota (LaSalle Co) (hen), 27 May (EWW); GLPSP (2 & hen), 20 Jun & 1 Jul (GAW, JC resp); Middleport Twp (Iroquois Co)

American White Pelican nest site map by Randy Nyboer.

White Pelican (*Pelecanus erythrorhynchos*)
Iowa nesting site
June 2007



American White Pelican nestlings less than one mile west of the Illinois state line in the large Pool 13 in Clinton Co Iowa, about four miles due west of Thomson (Carroll Co), IL, north of L&D 13, on an island used mainly by a Double-crested Cormorant nesting colony. Eggs and 50-75 young pelicans were found on the island on 16 June 2007. Photo by Randy Nyboer.