

Black-crowned Night-Heron

Breeding: JPSP (pr w/2 fledglings), 16 Jul (PM); Danada FP (DuPage Co) (ad w/nestlings), 27 Jun (PM); Chi (Lincoln Pk, So. Pond) (13 nests, some w/downy yg, 40-45 birds), 11 Jul (GN:ph); LCal (Indian Ridge Marsh) (53 newly fledged yg; others heard), 15 July (WJM); LCal (in gull nesting colony) (9 nests), 8 May (DRL fide WJM); Alorton (150 nests), 16 Jun (VMK, DMK TM) – wind damage in early Jun killed small numbers of ad and yg (VMK). **MC:** 15 (mostly ad), AlmondM, 16 Jun (SDB); 15, NoP, 18 Jul (GAW); 12, Fermi, 26 Jul (REF); 12, HL, 21 Jul (DMK, IOS); 10, Dewey Helmik NP (Cook Co), 11 Jul (DR); 6, CanteenL (Madison Co), 28 Jun (KAM); 6, ESTL, 27 Jul (KAM). **Others:** Woodridge (DuPage Co) (2), 4 Jun (UWG); Burr Ridge (Harvester Pk, DuPage Co) (2), 12 Jun (PM); Danada FP (DuPage Co) (2 ad), 9 Jul (PM); JP (3 ad), 3 Jun (PRC); Bartonville (Peoria Co) (3), 30 Jul (JM); Middleport Twp (Iroquois Co) (2 ad, 1 juv), Jun (PM); Emiquon (3 ad), 3 Aug (SDB); Chau (4 & 2 ad), 4 Aug & 6 Jul (SDB & RGB, SNB resp); LDDP (ad & 2 imm), 24 Jun (TAM); Saugert (2), 15 Jun (KAM); RendL (Jefferson Co), 1 Jun & 25 Jul (RS, LH resp); MermertL (juv), 31 Jul (DMK).

Yellow-crowned Night-Heron

Breeding: Granite City (Madison Co) (9 nests w/downy yg), 9 Jun (DMK); Deer Pond NP (Union Co) (ad on nest), 5 May (SDB). **MC:** 8, MermertL, 10 Jun (DMK); 7 (3 ad, 4 imm), HL, 28 Jul (DMK, TAM). **Others:** LCal (2; ad & juv), 28 Jul (REF, UWG); Beaubien Wds FP (Cook Co), 12 Jun (DFS); Middleport Twp (Iroquois Co) (juv), Jun (PM); Miller Shrub Swamp NP (Marion Co) (ad), 15 June (RS, LH); Oakwood Bottoms (Jackson Co), 23 Jun (KAM); LtIBikSI, 10 Jun (DMK).

Black Vulture

MC: 30, Johnson, 24 Jun (KAM); 6, Belknap, 14 Jun (VMK); 6, Vienna (Johnson Co), 23 Jul (DMK, KAM); 4, Heron Pond NP (Johnson Co), 10 Jun (DMK); 4, Brookport (Massac Co), 6 Jun (SDB). **Other:** Alexander (2), 23 Jun (KAM).

Turkey Vulture

MC: 60, TwoRivers, 17 Jul (DMK); 60, Wildcat Bluff NP (Johnson Co), 19 Jul (DMK); 30, Vienna (Johnson Co), 23 Jul (DMK, KAM); 26, Belknap, 14 Jun (VMK); 20, Ogle, 16 Jun (DFS, IOS); 17, Sangamon, 31 Jul (DFS); 17, Jersey, 21 Jul (KAM); 15, LWds, 25 Jul (BC); 14, MBC, 30 Jun (MFr); 13, MidFork, 18 Jun (BC, et al.); 12, CarlL-F, 23 Jun (DMK); 12, Jackson, 12 Jun (KAM); 11, Bond, 3 Jun (DMK); 11, Alexander, 15 Jun (KAM); 10, ClearL (Mason Co), 6 Jun (RGB, SNB); 10, HL, 21 Jul (DMK); 10, Brookport (Massac Co), 6 Jun (SDB); 8 (roost), Geneva (Kane Co), Jul (DJS); 7, Kankakee, 16 Jul (JHH). **Other:** Grayslake (Lake Co) (4), 2 Jun (SDB); Alsip (Cook Co) (pr), 19 Jun (SF).

Osprey

Breeding: Schaumburg (Cook Co) (pr @ nest), June (fide MPW); Palos (Bergman Slough) (nest), season (DFS); PowderhornL FP (Cook Co) (nest w/3 hatchlings; 2 fledged), 31 Mar – 29 Jul (WJM, CAM, m.ob.); CarlL-C (pr incubating, 5 Jun, w/3 yg 13 Jun & 27 Jul) (DMK); BannerMarsh (pr @ nest; 1+ nestling in Jul), 23 Jun – 12 Aug (JM, MS, SDB m.ob.); MermertL (adding nest lining; nest later failed), 10 Jun (DMK). **Others:** RollinsSav, 3 Jun (DRD, m.ob.); Oregon (Ogle Co), 16 Jun (DFS, IOS); Willow Springs to Romeoville canoe trip (Des PlainesR, Cook, DuPage & Will Cos) (2), 2 Jun (TK, m.ob.); Silver Springs SP (Kendall Co), 21 Jul (DFS); HennepinL, 3 Jul (DFS); Dresden Island L&D (Grundy Co), 5 Jul (JSm); Kankakee, 2 Jun (JHH); Jake Wolf Fish Hatchery (Mason Co), 26 Jul (RGB, SNB); KSP, 30 Jul (BL); EForkL, 30 Jul (LH).

Mississippi Kite

MC: 12, Miller City (Alexander Co), 31 Jul (DMK). **Others:** Quincy Bay (Adams Co) (2 juv), 28 Jul (AGD); PereMar (2), 21 Jul (DMK, KAM, IOS); HL, 2 Jun – 5 Jul (FRH); Oakwood Bottoms (Jackson Co), 23 Jun (KAM); TOT (2), 23 Jun (KAM); LtIBikSI, 23 Jul (DMK, KAM); Grassy Slough Pr (Johnson Co), 22 Jun (KAM); Carbondale (Williamson Co) (pr likely nesting in residential backyard in town. Birds seen throughout Jun/Jul, then juv plumaged kite found dead on road near house, 6 Aug (**CH, RR); Metropolis (Massac Co) (ad in town), 6 Jun (SDB, JWW); ECapeGir (2), 6 Jun (SDB, JWW); Thebes (Alexander Co), 6 Jun (SDB); Alexander (2), 15 Jun (KAM). **Overmigrants:** Old School FP (Lake Co), 30 Jun (CEG); Jubilee College SP (Peoria Co) (3 subad), 21-26 Jun (MB, JM, SDB, m.ob.) – noted feeding extensively on periodic cicadas (SDB, JM); Beall Wds SP (Wabash Co) (subad), 2 Jun (RS, LH).

Bald Eagle

Breeding: Lost Mound (active nest), 19 May (UWG); L&D 13 (nest w/2 yg), 7 Apr – 4 Jun (ASt); Magnolia Twp (Putnam Co) (pr on nest), 21 Jan (DJS); Senachwine Twp (Putnam Co) (ad on nest), 17 Mar (DJS); SenachwineL (Putnam Co) (ad on nest), 17 Mar (DJS); ne LaSalle (pr, w/ad feeding yg in nest along FoxR), 22 & 29 Apr (TK, DJS m.ob.); Marshall SF&WA (Marshall Co) (pr @ nest, then w/3 yg), 21 Jan & 15 Apr (DJS, JW:ph, resp); Snakeden Hollow SF&WA (Knox Co) (nest), (fide JM); Chau (2 nests; 1 yg fledged from one nest, 1 nest abandoned possibly due to large buffalo gnat outbreak) (RGB, SNB); ClearL (Mason Co) (nest abandoned, possibly coincident with buffalo gnat outbreak) (RGB, SNB); Newell Twp, No. Fork VermilionR (Vermilion Co) (pr @ nest), 5 Mar; one yg late Apr (BL); Quincy (Adams Co) (nest), Mar (fide CY); BigL (Brown Co) (ad on nest), 28 Apr (TW); Spfld (Sangamon Co) (pr @ nest w/one yg; 1st local nesting in recent times.), 9 Apr (CY); CoffeenL (Montgomery Co) (nest w/2 yg) (BTe); CarlL-B (pr incubating & pr w/2 yg), 8 Mar & 22 Apr (DMK); CarlL-C (pr incubating 24 Mar & w/2 yg on 15 Apr & 26 May but nest vacant 23 Jun) (DMK); EForkL (ad @ nest; 1st local nesting in recent times), 5 Jun (LH); RendL (Jefferson Co) (2ad w/2 yg), 14 Jul (LH); CypressCrk (pr @ nest), 19 Mar (KAM). **MC:** 4 (ad), Chau, 1 Jun (RGB, SNB). **Others:** Willow Springs to Romeoville canoe trip (Des PlainesR, Cook, DuPage & Will Cos) (imm), 2 Jun (TK, m.ob.); Little Red School House NC (Cook Co) (imm), 3 Jun (AA); Cap Sauers (imm), 10 Jun (JD); LCal (1st yr), 28 Jul (UWG, REF); KankakeeR SP (Will Co) (ad), 7 Jun (JHH); Kankakee (ad), 3 Jul (JHH); RiverBend (3rd yr), 11 Jun (BC); MidFork (ad), 26 Jul (BC); Jersey (IllinoisR) (ad), 21 Jul (DMK, KAM, IOS); Mount Erie Twp (Wayne Co) (ad), 19 Jun & 4 Jul (SDB, JWW & LH resp); Schun Bend, WabashR (Wabash Co) (imm), 22 Jul (LH); BaldwinL (Randolph Co) (ad), 29 Jun (DMK); Logan Hollow Fish Farm (Jackson Co) (ad), 24 Jun (KAM); MississippiR levee rd (Union Co) (3 ad), 10 Jun (DMK); Easter Slough (Pulaski Co) (ad), 31 Jul (DMK).

Northern Harrier

OrlandGr, 28 May (WS); se Princeton (Bureau Co) (female), 3 Jul (DFS); St. Joseph (Champaign Co), 17 Jul (MPW); PrRdg-M (female), 13 Jun (JWW, et al.); PrRdg-M (male), 23 Jul (RS); Dundas (Richland Co), 17 Jul (RS); Richland (female), 1 Jun (LH); Wabash, 23 Jun (RS).

Cooper's Hawk

Breeding: nw Rockford (pr carrying food to nest), Jun (DTW); Wauk (Bowen Pk, pr @ nest), 9 May (EWW); Hawthorn Woods (Lake Co) (pr @ nest in yard), Apr – Jun (LAK, SLD, SDB); Evanston (Cook Co) (ad on nest), 16 Apr (fide SDB); Batavia (Kane Co) (pr @ nest w/4 yg), 19 Jun (CC); MARb (ad on nest), 24 Mar (PD); Palatine (Cook Co) (nest), Apr-May (PP); Chi (Beverly) (nest), Jun (JH); Forest Park, Concordia Cem (Cook Co) (3-4 yg fledged from nest), 15 Jul (ALM, RAM); Chi (North Park Village NC) (ad on nest), 18 Mar (JV); Cap Sauers (ad@nest), 10 Jun (JD); Columbia Wds FP (Cook Co) (nest; failed), 7 May (WS); JP (imm female nest building but left unfinished), 21-22 Apr – early May (KDA, ND resp); Kankakee (ad on nest), 14 Mar (JHH); BuseyWds (pr nest building), 11 Mar (BC, et al.); St. Joseph (Champaign Co) (pr w/ yg), Jun/Jul (MPW); Mattoon, Douglas-Hart NC (Coles Co) (nest w/3 nestlings 21 Jun w/two fledging 25 Jun & other a few days later) (ph, DM, LBH); Mt. Vernon (Jefferson Co) (male in territorial display), 15 Jun (DMK); so. Jackson (ad w/2 fledglings), 3 Aug (RR). **MC:** 4, Kankakee, 2 Jul (JHH). **Others:** MissPalis (pr on territory), 26 May & 9 Jun (EWW, MT resp); MoraineHills, 17 Jun (SDB); Winthrop H (ad female), 24 Jul (EWW); IBSP (pr), May – 17 Jul (EWW); Zion (Shiloh Pk, Lake Co) (pr), 1 Jun (EWW); Lyons Wds FP (Lake Co) (pr), May – 6 Jul (EWW); GriswoldL (McHenry Co), 17 Jun (SDB); RollsSav, 3-16 Jun & 20 Jul (EWW, SDB resp); St. Charles, Campton Hills Pk (Kane Co), 11 Jul (DJS); GreeneValFP, 24 Jun (JSm); Lombard (DuPage Co) (ad), 31 May (FA); Techny Basin CA (Cook Co), 19 Jun (SG); Berwyn (Cook Co), Jun (GN); Alsip (Cook Co) (2), season (SF); Henry, 9 Jun (CAT, TK); Kankakee (2; carrying food several dates; near nest site?), 14 Jun-16 Jul (JHH); Pontiac (Livingston Co), 1 Jul (DMK); Sonora Twp (Hancock Co), 28 Jun (SDB); MeadbrkPk, 23 Jul (BSI); Edgar, 19 Jun (DMK); SwanL (Calhoun Co), 21 Jul (KAM); HL (2), 21 Jul (DMK, IOS); ESTL, 21 Jul (KAM); St. Morgan, 3 Jun (KAM); Collinsville (Madison Co), 7 Jun (KAM); CarlL-B (2), 27 Jul (DMK); Breeze (Clinton Co), 28 Jul (DMK); Kell, 8 Jun (SDB); O'Fallon (St. Clair Co) (2), 12 Jul (KAM); Fairview Heights (St. Clair Co), 14 Jun (KAM); Shiloh & Swansea (St. Clair Co), 1, 22 & 7 Jul resp (DMK,