

locations, for the 1st time in 27 years”) (WJM). **MC:** 260, see above; 12, ESTL, 28 Jun (DMK, MSS). **Others:** RollinsSav (juv), 25 Jul (BJS); AlmondM (ad), 11 Jun (TLn); Fabyan FP (Kane Co) (2 & 4), 8 & 12 Jul (SF). 3 ad observed w/subad carrying sticks; Batavia (Kane Co) (ad), 27 Jun (MM); Meacham Grove FP (DuPage Co) (7), 12 Jul (SDB); Chi (Columbus Pk), 12 Jun (EGL); Chi (Rosehill Cem), 30 Jun (MD); JP (3 ads, imm), 29 Jun (KMC et al.); HennepinL (2), 16 Jun (BC, DHR, TH); BraidwoodL (ad), 13 Jul (JBH); Minonk (Woodford Co) (imm), 27 Jun (TH); Emiquon, 23 Jul (KAM); LVermlion (Vermilion Co) (ad), 3 Jul (JR); PrRdg-J (4), 1 Jun (RES); Cahokia Mounds SHS (St. Clair Co) (2), 24 Jun (DMK); PrRdg-M (ad), 1 Jun (CLH); Lawrence (4), 31 Jul (CLH); KaskaskiaR (New Athens, St. Clair Co) (juv), 20 Jul (TJD); Levee Rd (Monroe Co) (3), 24 Jul (DMK).

Yellow-crowned Night-Heron

Breeding: Johnson (4 nestlings), 24 Jun & (fledged), ~ 10 Jul (MML). **MC:** 4 & 3 (imm), Cahokia Mounds SHS (St. Clair Co), 11 Jun & 15 Jul resp (DMK:ph). **Others:** Evanston (No. Shore Channel, Cook Co) (ad & juv), 27 & 28-31 Jul (MMC & CBT resp); Chi (ChiR), 20 May-3 Jun Chi (RCw); Chi (So. Pond, Lincoln Pk) (1st yr), (JIN:ph); LCal (Heron Pond) (ad), 21 Jun & 15 Jul (WJM); Madison, 3&11 Jun (KAM & FRH resp); Mt. Erie Twp (Wayne Co) (ad), 18 Jul (CLH); Lawrence (juv), 31 Jul (CLH); MermetL, 12&26 Jun (KAM).

White-faced Ibis

NBSO: Levee Rd (Union Co), 11 Jul (KAM, GNe, JRRS).

WOOD STORK

NBSO: MidSav, 7 Jun (JF:ph).

Black Vulture

MC: 60, CRSNA (Johnson Co), 4 Jul (DMK); 5, Massac, 26 Jun (KAM). **Others:** Groat (Franklin Co) (3), 31 Jul (EWW); 18 Btms (Franklin Co) (2), 20 Jun (LWS); Levee Rd (Randolph Co), 9 Jun (DMK, MSS); Karnak (Pulaski Co) (4 perched on barn roof, indicative of breeding there), 30 Jul (EWW:ph).

Turkey Vulture

MC: 80, Freeport (Stephenson Co) (nightly roost on town water tower), 31 May (SDB); 67, Sang, 9 Jun (HDB); 66, Marissa (St. Clair Co), 10 Jun (TUM, VMK et al.); 40, CRSNA (Johnson Co), 4 Jul (DMK); 39, Lively Grove Twp (Washington Co) (using lg snag for roost), 25 Jun (TJD); 36, 18 Btms (Franklin Co), 20 Jun (LWS); 34, Kell, 29 May (SDB); 32 (roost), Sand Ridge Twp (Jackson Co), 30 Jul (RSR); 30, Levee Rd (Monroe Co), 9&21 Jun (DMK, MSS); 27, Union, 25 Jun (KAM). **Others:** Putnam (16), 2 Jun (SDB); LostMound (13), 24 Jun (EA et al.); IBSP (11 incl partial albino-winged bird), 26 Jul (EWW).

Osprey

Breeding: Chi Sanitary & Ship Canal atop electrical tower (DuPage Co) (pr @ & near & incubating on nest), 7 Apr-17 May+ (WJM:ph); Fermi (pr cop on nest), 21 Apr & (2-3 yg seen in nest), 25 Jun (PK); LCal (attempted [but failed] nest attempt atop nest platform @ Powderhorn Lake FP), w/ads noted near nest 4 Apr-21 Jun (WJM et al.); LCal (pr atop cell tower @ Cargill prop but also probably unsuccessful), 31 Mar-1 Jun (WJM et al.); Palos (3 successful nests at Bergman's Sl, John J. Duffy FP (1 yg in nest 4 Jun), and Little Red Schoolhouse NC), season (WSS); EvergreenL (McLean Co) (pr nest building atop wooden platform), 16 Apr (DWH); BannerM (ad @ nest), 20 May (KAM); CarlL-C (♂ @ nest 3, 16, 17, 21 & 25 Apr & 7 May; pr @ nest 23-24 Apr) (DMK); MermetL (pr @ nest atop lg utility tower), 13, 24 & 28 Apr (KAM, CAT, SDB), but gone, knocked down by storms, 12 Jun (KAM). **Others:** St. Mary'sL (Mundelein, Lake Co), 21 Jul (NM); LaSalleL, 29 Jun (SDB); Whispering Willows Pk (Kankakee Co), 27 Jul (MHB).

Mississippi Kite

Breeding: Rckfd (2 prs returned to their Bloom School nesting territories and were noted building 2 nests, 20 May. On 26 Jun, ♂ was at one nest & 2nd nest abandoned due to nest damage due to strong winds 30 May. ♂ perched w/♀ in nest, 9 Jul. Eggs in active nest apparently hatched



Wood Stork. Middlefork Savannah, Lake County. 7 June 2011.

Photo by Jeff Fox.

by 23 Jul w/ad feeding CHSW prey to nestling and chick seen in nest 29 Jul (DTW, LGB et al.). Four ad & one juv regularly seen until early to mid Sept (DTW, m.ob.:ph). **MC:** 12, Mound City (Pulaski Co), 5 Jul (DMK); 7 (ads hunting dragonflies), ECapeGir, 30 Jul (EWW); 6, TOT, 11 Jun (KAM); 6, Dixon Springs SP (Pope Co), 8 Jun (VMK, TRE). **Others:** Madison (2), 12 Jun (FRH); Jackson (2), 11 Jul (KAM); CRSNA (Johnson Co) (4), 4 Jul (DMK:ph); Heron Pond NP (Johnson Co) (2), 12 Jun (KAM); Levee Rd (Union Co), 16 Jul (DMK, TAM); Bellrose Waterfowl Reserve (Pulaski Co), 30 Jul (EWW); Karnak (Pulaski Co) (2), 30 Jul (EWW); HLCA (2), 25 Jun (KAM).

Bald Eagle

Breeding: Durand (Winnebago Co) (pr @ nest w/2 chicks), 6 Mar (DTW); Rckfd (Apt quarry) (pr ads), 24 Jul (DTW); Freeport (Stephenson Co) (pr @ nest w/2 chicks), 6 Mar (DTW); GrassL (Lake Co) (ad on nest), 17 Apr (M&LF) but nest blew down in a June storm BS). Nest moved to nearby location; Batavia (Mooseheart, Kane Co) (ad on nest), 26 Mar & (pr @ nest w/2 downy yg), 29 Apr (RD:ph), & (nest fell from tree during storm), 29 May (RD:ph), & eaglets placed in new, wire-mesh nest), 31 May (RD:ph), but then removed on 2 Jun when ads failed to attend to yg, and raised at rehab center until fledge; L&D 13 (ad on nest), 31 Mar (AS et al.); Cattail Crk SI (Union Grove Twp, Whiteside Co) (pr & 3 yg, w/2 fledged by 26 Aug; newly discovered nest, w/lots of corn stalks used in nest construction) (RN); Letcher Basin Pr (Woodford Co) (pr cop on 13 Feb, w/ad on nest, 17 Feb, w/1st yg noted 30 Mar, then 3 yg, 18 Apr, though 3rd nestling not seen after 21 May. Sibicide?) (MJA); Chau (none of 3 nest sites here were active), season (RGB, SNB); ClearL (Mason Co) (two nest sites here hatched eaglets), season (RGB, SNB); LSpfld (pr fledged 2 yg), 21 Jun (HDB); Heron CP (Vermilion Co) (ad w/just-fledged juv), season (JR); Middlefork R near Kennekuk CP (Vermilion Co) (2 yg fledged), season (fide SDB). 2nd county nest/breeding pr; BigL (Brown Co) (pr @ nest), 17 Apr (TW); so. Clinton (pr of ads @ nest), 4 Mar & SantaFe (3 incl nest w/yg), 12 Jun (KAM & DMK resp). Same nest?; Johnson (ad @ nest), 12 Mar (KAM); UCCA (LyerlaL) (pr @ nest), 17 Mar (KAM). **Others:** Coral (McHenry Co) (imm), 25 Jun (RAM, ALM); Alba Twp (Henry Co) (ad), 25 Jun (DFS); HennepinL (2 imm & ad), 16 & 2 Jun



Bald Eagle at nest with young. Mooseheart, Kane County. 10 May 2011.

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