

boxes), Mahomet (Champaign Co), season (JCo); MeadbrkPk (2 pr @ nests), season (BC et al.); New Athens (St. Clair Co) (30, nesting colony), 29 Jun (DMK); CarlL-C (200, nesting colony), 23 Jun (DMK). **MC:** 400, Griggsville (Pike Co), 17 Jul (DMK); 80, Monterey Mine (Clinton Co), 27 Jul (DMK); 67, JP, 29 Jul (PRC); 51, HennepinL, 24 Jun (DFS); 30, HL, 21 Jul (KAM); 25, Omaha (Gallatin Co), 20 Jun (SDB); 21, Royalton, 15 Jun (RR); 20, TwoRivers, 21 Jul (DMK); 20, Pomona, 19 Jul (DMK); 19, Campton Hills Pk (St. Charles, Kane Co), 30 Jun (DTW); 17, MontroseH, 28 Jun (GAW); 16, HCP, 16 Jun (GAW). **Note:** JP (growing population at houses erected in 2002) (PRC).

#### **IBROWN-CHESTED MARTIN**

*Grundy* (Collins Generating Plant), 30 Jun.] Potential first state record. If accepted by the IORC, this would only be the fourth accepted record for the ABA area, joining records from Arizona, Massachusetts, and New Jersey.

#### **Tree Swallow**

**Breeding:** OrlandGr (6 successful prs in nest boxes), Jun (WS); JP (nest with 2 lg nestlings), 8 Jul (PRC); Aroma FP (Kankakee Co) (ads @ 2 nest boxes), 11 Jun (JHH); Kankakee (3 pr @ boxes 20 Jun, & ad w/uv there 28 Jun) (JHH); MBC (2 nests in bluebird boxes; 1 successful), Jun/Jul (MFr); *Champaign* (nest building), 16 Apr (CA); MeadbrkPk (pr @ nest w/yg), 8 Jun (BC et al.). **MC:** 700, CarlL-B, 28 Jul (DMK, TAM); 400, Miller City (Alexander Co), 31 Jul (DMK); 120, RendL, 31 Jul (DMK); 110, *Grundy*, 30 Jun (DFS); 80, MermetL, 31 Jul (DMK); 40, TwoRivers, 21 Jul (DMK); 40, GLPSP, 1 Jul (DMK); 39, *Grundy*, 30 Jun (GAW); 38, BannerMarsh, 5 Jul (JHH).

#### **Northern Rough-winged Swallow**

**Breeding:** Chi (Ronan Pk), (carrying nest material), 16 Jun (CG); JP (3 nest sites w/7 pr), season (PRC); Kankakee (pr cop), 26 Jun (JHH); MBC (7-10 burrow colony), 30 Jun (MFr); HomerL (3 pr @ nests), 6 May (BC et al.); Carson Twp (Fayette Co) (12 ad @ nesting colony), 12 Jun (DMK); ESTL (12 ad @ nesting colony), 9 Jun (DMK). **MC:** 300, Quincy Bay (Adams Co), 20 Jul (AGD); 100, SwanL (Calhoun Co), 21 Jul (KAM); 58, Kankakee, 3 Jul (JHH); 50, JP, 20 Jul (KMC fide PRC); 44, MontroseH, 16 Jul (GAW). **Other:** GreeneValFP (leucistic bird), 15 Jul (JSm).

#### **Bank Swallow**

**Breeding:** Rockford (Apt quarry) (73 active nests), May-Jul (DTW); Northwestern Landfill (Cook Co) (35-45 nests), 22 Jun (fide SDB); JP (20 at nest colony), 25 May (PRC); LCal (golf course) (50 ad @ nest colony), 13 Jun (WJM); HCP (17, most @ nest colony), 16 Jun (GAW); RiverBend (50 @ nests; only known nesting colony in county), 11 Jun (BC et al.); Schun Bend, WabashR (Wabash Co) (colony of 100), 22 Jul (LH). **MC:** 5000 (one flock), Oak Bluff Savanna NP (Marshall Co), 26 Jul (MB); 150, Quincy Bay (Adams Co), 26 Jun (AGD); 130, *Tazewell*, 24 Jun (DFS); 100, *Wabash* (see above); 70, CarlL-F, 27 Jul (DMK); 50, SwanL (Calhoun Co), 15 Jul (KAM); 48, Martinsville, 29 Jun (SDB).



*Loggerhead Shrike young, July 2007.  
Lost Mound National Wildlife Refuge, Carroll/Jo  
Davie County. Photos by Randy Nyboer.*

#### **Cliff Swallow**

**Breeding:** Hanover (Jo Davie Co) (15 pr @ bridge colony), 14-15 Jun (SDB); Savanna (Carroll Co) (100+ nests), 18 May (UWG); Independence Grove FP (Lake Co) (14 birds nest building), 4 Jul (JSS); CBG (10+ birds, 2 on nests, others nest building), 21 May (SDB, SLD); 42 birds (4 nest building 6 Jun, w/30 nests; ad feeding yg 20 Jul), Northwestern Landfill (Cook Co), (LM:ph); 50 birds (bridge colony), Elgin (Kane Co), Jun (EES); Arlington Heights (Busse Lk dam; colony), Jun/Jul (CMi); HiddenL FP (DuPage Co) ("breeding"), season (REF); Cal Sag Channel (bridge) (15 nests), 28 May (WS); Chi (Burnham H) (pr building nest), 11 Jun (DFS); JP (64<sup>th</sup> St beach) (10 nests, ads building), late May (later destroyed) (PRC); JP (Wooded Island - 2 sites, w/22 ad & 33 nests & juv), 17 Jun - 2 Jul (PRC); JP (bridge) (8 ad @ 16 nests 17 Jun, then 32 birds incl yg 25 Jul) (PRC); *Bureau* (3 colonies w/ at least 145 nests), 24 Jun (DFS); Beaverville (Iroquois Co) (breeding colonies of 12 & 6), 25 Jun (JHH); Sonora Twp (Hancock Co) (15 pr @ bridge colony), 28 Jun (SDB); Havana Twp (10 pr @ bridge colony), 21 Jun (SDB); Chau (47 nests), Jun (RGB, SNB); HomerL (34; nest building & on nests @ 2 locations under spillway & under bridge), 7 & 8 Jun (BC et al.); so. *Champaign* (15 @ nests under bridge), 6 May (BC et al.); EmbarrasR/WabashR confluence (Lawrence Co) (nesting colony of 40), 1 Jul (LH); Beaucoup (12, nesting colony), 1 Jun (DMK); Alton (Madison Co) (300, nesting colony), 7 Jul (DMK); CarlL-C (300, nesting colony), 23 Jun (DMK); *Wayne* (22, nesting colony), 3 Jul (DMK). **MC:** 800, Double T SF&WA (Fulton Co), 30 Jul (JM); 264, *Bureau*, 24 Jun (DFS); 150, ECapeGir, 15 Jun (KAM); 133, BeaverDam, 13 Jun (VMK); 120, TwoRivers, 21 Jul (DMK); 100, L&D 21 (Adams Co), 26 Jun (AGD); 80, Dresden CoolingL, 1 Jul (DMK); 70, *Randolph*, 15 Jun (KAM); 54, Waynesville, 25 Jun (VMK); 51, JP, 28 May (PRC); 50, *Jackson*, 23 Jun (KAM); 40, CarlL-B, 28 Jul (DMK, TAM); 35, Zion (Lake Co), 5 Jul (EWW); 35, Momence sod farms (Kankakee Co), 4 Jun (JHH); 35, HLCA, 15 Jun (KAM); 30 (15 pr), Palos (bridge), 28 May (WS); 25, HCP, 16 Jun (GAW). **Others:** Bates Fen NP (McHenry Co) (2), 12 Jun (SDB); HiddenL FP (DuPage Co) ("breeding"), season (REF); New Salem Twp (McDonough Co), 26 Jun (SDB); LDDP (2), 24 Jun (TAM); *Scott* (4), 15 Jul (KAM); Barnhill Twp (Wayne Co) (4), 22 Jun (DMK); Pomona (20), 19 Jul (DMK); Little Grand Canyon (Jackson Co), 10 Jun (KAM); Miller City (Alexander Co) (10), 31 Jul (DMK); MermetL (6), 31 Jul (DMK).

#### **Barn Swallow**

**Breeding:** IBSP (ad on nest), 10 May (EWW); JP (55 nests @ 2 locations, many inactive; one w/4 nestlings 17 Jun) (PRC); *Henry* (colony) (60 pr), 9 Jun (CAT, TK); MeadbrkPk (pr @ nest w/yg), 7 Jun (BC et al.). **MC:** 200, TwoRivers, 21 Jul (IOS fide DMK); 200, Monterey Mine (Clinton Co), 27 Jul (DMK); 150, MermetL, 31 Jul (DMK); 120, CarlL-B, 28 Jul (DMK, TAM); 120, RendL, 31 Jul (DMK); 120, Miller City (Alexander Co), 31 Jul (DMK); 100, *Bureau*, 24 Jun (DFS); 80, Grassy Slough Pr (Johnson Co), 31 Jul (DMK); 77, Belknap, 14 Jun (VMK); 61, JP, 15 Jul (PRC);

