

Eastern Whip-poor-will

MC: 20, BRSE, 2 Jul (PR); 6, GreenR, 5 Jun (VMK et al.); 6, Cretaceous Hills NP (Pope Co), 5 Jul (DMK, TAM); 5, PereMar, 9 Jun (TRE); 4, CarlL-C, 17 Jun (DMK).

Others: IBSP (South Unit) (2), 7 Jun (DRD); Nachusa, 29 Jun (ABH). Haines Twp (Marion Co), 23 Jun (SDB).

Chimney Swift

Breeding: Batavia (Kane Co) (pr feeding noisy nestling chicks in residential chimney), 17 Aug (KS). MC: 80, Belleville (St. Clair Co), 23 Jun (DMK); 65, Chi (Rainbow Beach), 22 Jul (DFS); 62, Kankakee, 1 Aug (JHH); 52, NoP, 14 Jul (GAW et al.); 50, O'Fallon (St. Clair Co), 20 Jul (KAM); 27, Dudleyville, 5 Jun (DMK, MSS); 26, St. Morgan, 5 Jun (KAM); 25, Troy (Madison Co), 10 Jul (KAM); 22, ESTL, 28 Jun (KAM); 20, CarlL-C, 21 Jun (DMK).

Ruby-throated Hummingbird

Breeding: Rckfd, ♀ @ nest w/2 eggs, 27 Jul then hatched on 8-9 Aug; fuzzy chicks w/pin feathers 22 Aug & fledged 29 Aug (DTW); Highland Park (Lake Co) (♀ on backyard nest), 20 May (KF ph); Wright Wds FP (Lake Co) (nest w/2 nestlings), 4 Jul (LM); Urbana (♀ feeding newly hatched yg), 24 Jun (D&BR ph). MC: 167, Fults (backyard feeders, Monroe Co), 28 Jul (C&PD); 143 (113 newly banded, 23 returns), e. Adams, 10 Jul (VMK); 122 (102 newly banded, 20 returns), no. Calhoun, 26 Jul (VMK); 90 (newly banded), ne. Coles, 31 Jul (VMK); 89 (85 newly banded, 4 returns), w. Bond, 30 Jul (VMK); 76, Valmeyer (Monroe Co), 23 Jul (VMK); 73 (60 newly banded, 13 returns), w. Brown, 14 Jun (VMK); 60 (banded), e. Kellersville (Brown Co), 14 Jun (VMK); 56 (42 newly banded, 14 returns), w. Fulton, 7 Jul (VMK); 50 (at feeders), West Frankfort (Franklin Co), 19 Jul (LS). Others: Lake Arlington (Cook Co) (♂), Jun-25 Jul (JCB); River Forest (Cook Co) (4, 2 ad, 2 juv), 2 Aug (JSA); Dixon (Reynoldsville church camp) (2), 7 Jun (SDB); Table Grove (Fulton Co) (3), 20 Jun (KAM); St. Morgan (3), 5 Jun (KAM); TwoRivers (4), 24 Jul (DMK, MSS); Otter Crk Twp (Jersey Co) (8), 22 Jun (DMK, MSS); Dudleyville (8), 5 Jun (DMK, MSS); CarlL-F (4), 26 Jun (DMK, MSS); CarlL-C (4), 20 Jul (DMK); Heron Pond NP (Johnson Co) (4), 27 Jul (DMK); Johnson (5), 17 Jul (KAM, MSS); Cretaceous Hills NP (Pope Co) (4), 10 Jul (DMK, MSS); Massac (12), 17 Jul (CAT, et al.). **Notes:** Of the above banded birds, "there were considerably more hummingbirds present than captured". Also, there was unusual distribution this summer – some people that normally have "hundreds" of birds (such as PS in Union, NR in Monroe and JM in Moultrie) had extremely low numbers, some had "normal" numbers, while others had "above normal" numbers (such as DK in Brown and MH in Menard) (VMK).

Belted Kingfisher

MC: 12, TwoRivers, 24 Jul (DMK, MSS); 4, Jake Wolf Fish Hatchery (Mason Co), 16 Jul (RGB, SNB); 4, DogtoothI, 27 Jul (DMK). **Note:** Numerous reports of 1-2 birds throughout the state.

Red-headed Woodpecker

Breeding: Pecatonica (Winnebago Co) (ad w/3 imm), 24-31 Jul (DTW); Highland Park (Lake Co) (pr w/juv), 6 Aug (DRD); Algonquin (Kane Co) (pr w/2 fledglings near nest cavity in backyard), 9 Jul (CD ph); Heron CP (pr feeding 3 juv white grubs [?] & acorn meats), 4 Sept (CKA). MC: 14, Washington, 10 Jul (TRE); 12 (10 ad, 2 juv), Fort Sheridan FP (Lake Co), 25 Jul (DRD); 12, Mskota Sands (Kankakee Co), 12 Jun (JHH); 11, e. Kankakee, 17 Jun (DFS); 7, WagonL NP (St. Clair Co), 24 Jun (SDB); 5, Elmira Twp (Stark Co), 9 Jul (SDB). Others: FoxL (Lake Co) (4 juv), 23 Jul (DRD); Volo Bog SNA (Lake Co), 20 Jul (ND); BigBend (2), 8 Jul (SDB); Plum Crk FP (Will Co), 25 Jul (MMC, JCS); KRSP (Will Co) (3), 26 May (JHH); Aroma FP (Kankakee Co) (4), 29 Jul (JHH); Pembroke (4), 4 Jul (GAW); TwoRivers, 22 Jun & 24 Jul (DMK, MSS); Columbia (4), 13 Jun (KAM); Dudleyville (2), 5 Jun (DMK, MSS); Knobloch Wds (St. Clair Co) (2), 28 Jun (DMK); Germantown (Clinton Co), 21 Jun (DMK); Levee Rd (Monroe Co) (2), 23 Jun (DMK); BurntPrairie (3), 8 Jun (VMK);



Ruby-throated Hummingbird on nest. Highland Park, Lake County. 20 May 2010. Photo by Karen Franks.



Juvenile Red-headed Woodpecker. Algonquin back yard, Kane County. 9 July 2010. Photo by Claire Dassy.

Pulaski (3), 11 Jun (VMK). **Note:** "Not recorded at all on 7 of 10 of my BBS routes this year" (VMK).

Red-bellied Woodpecker

Breeding: Shaumburg Rd Grasslands FP (Cook Co) (pr w/juv), 9 Jul (ABA); LOWFP (♀ w/food @ nest cavity), 1 Aug (CKA). MC: 21, Columbia, 13 Jun (KAM); 21, Dudleyville, 5 Jun (DMK, MSS); 17, Elmira Twp (Stark Co), 17 Jun (SDB); 17, Athens, 1 Jul (VMK); 17, BeaverdamL, 9 Jun (VMK); 16, Palos, 10 Jun (DFS); 16, Belknap, 10 Jun (VMK); 16, Pulaski, 11 Jun (VMK).

Yellow-bellied Sapsucker

LastMound, 5 Jun (VMK et al.).

Downy Woodpecker

Breeding: Anna Page Pk, Rckfd (pr feeding yg @ nest), 31 May (DTW); Ryerson CA (Lake Co) (ad feeding yg in nest cavity), 23 May (SDB); Nachusa (pr feeding yg @ nest), 5 Jun (DTW); NoP (ad @ nest hole 2 May, carrying food to yg 2 & 16 Jun & fecal sac 2 Jun, but nest tree later destroyed in storm) (JIN, GAW ph, et al.); LCal (Deadstick Pond) (ad at nest w/1+ yg), 14 Jun (WJM). MC: 35, Palos, 10 Jun (DFS); 13, Lyman Wds FP (DuPage Co), 28 Jun (SDB); 12 (3 pr & 6 juv), River Forest (backyard; Cook Co), 7 Jun (JSA); 10, Elmira Twp (Stark Co), 17 Jun – 9 Jul (SDB); 7, KRSP (Will Co), 26 May (JHH).

Hairy Woodpecker

Breeding: IBSP (nest w/yg), 5 Jun (EWW); River Forest (backyard; Cook Co) (pr feeding 2 juv), 27 Jun-4 Jul (JSA); Salt Crk NP (Cook Co) (2 nests w/lg yg being fed by ads), 23 May (DFS). MC: 5, LowdMil, 10 Jul (DFS).

Northern Flicker

MC: 9, Shaumburg Rd Grasslands FP (Cook Co) (incl pr w/juv), 9 Jul (ABA); 7, Elmira Twp (Stark Co), 9 Jul (SDB); 6, Mskota Sands (Kankakee Co), 12 Jun (JHH); 5, Fermi (inside the Ring), 15-16 Jun (SDB); 5, KankakeePks, 2 Jun – 28 Jul (JHH).

Pileated Woodpecker

MC: 7, BeaverdamL, 9 Jun (VMK); 6, Orient Btms (Franklin Co), 21 Jun (LS); 5, RendL, 20 Jun (LS). Others: KRSP (Will Co) (2), 26 May (JHH); Mackinaw SF&WA (Tazewell Co), 6 Jun (MEF, MJW).

Eastern Wood-Pewee

Breeding: Christopher Res (Franklin Co) (Ad feeding 3 yg), 9 Jul (LS). MC: 49, Palos, 10 Jun (DFS); 30, Cretaceous Hills NP (Pope Co), 5 Jul (DMK, TAM); 29, LowdMil, 10 Jul (DFS); 16, Mackinaw SF&WA (Tazewell Co), 6 Jun (MEF, MJW); 14, Dudleyville, 5 Jun (DMK, MSS); 11, Columbia, 13 Jun (KAM); 10, PereMar, 22 Jun (DMK, MSS); 9, Kell, 23 Jun (SDB).

Acadian Flycatcher

Breeding: Dixon (Lowell Pk) (pr feeding 1+ yg @ nest & other ♀s incubating), 26 Jun (DTW); Dixon (Reynoldsville church camp) (♀ incubating 3 ACFL eggs), 11 Jun (SDB); Johnson, Pulaski, & Union (269 nests found & monitored for bird research), May-Jul (MML et al.). MC: 20, Cretaceous Hills NP (Pope Co), 5 Jul (DMK, TAM); 14, Orient Btms (Franklin Co), 30 Jun (LS); 12, PereMar, 22 Jun (DMK, MSS); 11, Mackinaw SF&WA (Tazewell Co), 6 Jun (MEF, MJW); 10, Dixon (Lowell Pk), 26 Jun (DTW); 7 (4♂), Dixon (Reynoldsville church camp), 7 Jun-8 Jul (SDB); 5, LowdMil, 10 Jul (DFS). Others: Lake Le-Aqua-Na SP (Stephenson Co), 19 Jul (DFS); Sugar River FP & RockCut (2) (Winnebago Co), 6 Jun (DTW); IBSP (♂), 5 Jun (EWW); Franklin Crk SNA (Lee Co), 19 Jun (GN, JRRS, RLS); (Campton FP (Kane Co) (♂), 7-18 Jun (ABH, JJD); Bliss Wds FP (Kane Co) (4 territories), 6 Jun (SAC); Les Arends FP (Kane Co) (♂), 6 Jun (CLC); McClaughry Springs FP (Cook Co) (♂), 4 & 13 Jun (AAA &