

Pomona, 22 Jun (KM+); 5, Pembroke Twp (Kankakee Co), 22 Jun (JBH); Braidwd L (5 males), 19-20 Jul (AA+); 4, Green R, 24 Jul (JEH); 4, LeVasseur P (Kankakee Co), 11 Jun (JBH); 4, Vermont (Schuyler Co), 3 Jul (RJ); 4, St. Morgan  $\bar{c}$ , 16 Jun (KM); 4, Beaucoup  $\bar{c}$ , 1 Jun (DMK); 4, Swanwick (Perry Co), 2 Jun (DMK); 4, Carl.L., 19 Jul (DMK); Cypress (Johnson Co) (4), 7 Jun (RJ); 4, Belknap  $\bar{c}$ , 13 Jun (VK). **Others:** Upper MS NWR (3), 12 Jul (SB); Amboy (Lee Co) (3), 27 & 28 Jun (SB); Garden Pr (2), 4 Jul (SB); IBSP (2 territories), 4 Jul-3 Aug (EW); Busse Wds (male), 6 Jun (AA); Chi (McKinley P), 23 Jun (AA); Plum Crk, 24 Jun (EW); *Kendall* (2), 2 Jun (DFS); Seville (Fulton Co) (3), 21 Jul (LLH); Dirksen P (Tazewell Co) (3), 1 Jun (TL); McNaughton P (Tazewell Co), 6 Jun (TL); L'Erable (Iroquois Co) (3), 25 Jun (SB); Redbud (Randolph Co) (3), 5 Jun (RJ); Johnston City (Williamson Co) (3), 4 Jun (SB); *Saline* (3), 6 Jun (SB); Smithland Dam (Pope Co) (3), 7 Jun (SB). **Comments:** Only singles or pairs at isolated southern Cook locations (WS).

#### Barn Owl

**Nesting:** Dongola (Union Co) (4 yg in nest-box), 3 May (SB). See photo.

#### Eastern Screech-Owl

**Nesting:** Belvidere (Boone Co) (3 fledglings), 7 Jun (MR); Lake Bluff (Lake Co) (pr w/ 2 juv), 28 Jul (EW); Homer (Champaign Co) (4 fledglings), Jun/Jul (JOS). **MC:** 12, Frisco (Franklin Co), 26 Jul (LS).

#### Great Horned Owl

**Nesting:** *De Kalb* (2 yg in nest), 27 Mar (DJS); Rantoul (Champaign Co) (ad on nest), 14 Apr (SB). **Others:** Carl.L. (3), 19 Jul (DMK).

#### Barred Owl

**Nesting:** *s.e. Pope* (2 ads, 2 yg), 6 Jun (SB). **MC:** 5, Beaverdam  $\bar{c}$ , 14 Jun (VK); 4 (see above); 4 (2 prs), MidFk FWA, 22 Apr-31 Jul (SB). **Others:** Stockton (pr), 12 Jul (SB); Thomson (Carroll Co) (pr), 9 Jul (SB); Upper MS NWR (pr), 11-12 Jul (SB); *Stephenson* (male), 2 Jul (SB); Waterfall Glen (heard), 21 Jun (REF); Johnston City (Williamson Co) (imm), 4 Jun (SB).

#### Common Nighthawk

**Nesting:** Ledford (Saline Co) (ad at ground nest w/ 2 downy yg), 5-6 Jun (SB). See photo. **Others:** Des Plaines (Cook Co) (heard), 18 Jun (AA); Chi (McKinley P), 23 Jun (AA); Braidwd L (2), 19 Jul (AA); LeVasseur P



*Young Barn Owls – four were present in old barn near Dongola, Union County, 3 May 2002. Photo by Steven D. Bailey.*



*Above: Adult Common Nighthawk near nest in Saline County, 6 June 2002.*

*Left: Recently hatched Common Nighthawk at grassland nest site in Saline County, 6 June. 2002.*

*Photos by Steven D. Bailey.*

(Kankakee Co) (6), 28 Jun (JBH). **Comments:** Noted in lower numbers in the Dundee (Kane Co) area territories declined from 4-5 to 2 in recent years (RM); poor summer numbers in southwestern Illinois (KM); Formerly conspicuous (at least by voice) in summer, but now almost never heard or seen in Hyde Park, Chicago residential areas. (PC).

#### Chuck-will's-widow

Sand Rdg (male), May/Jun (RBj); Fox Ridge SP (Coles Co) (singing male), 4 & 5 Jul (fide BH); Ferne Clyffe SP (Johnson Co) (4), 22 Jun (KM+).

#### Whip-poor-will

**MC:** 134, Sand Rdg, 23-25 Jun (RBj). **Others:** Swanwick (Perry Co), 2 Jun (DMK); Ferne Clyffe SP (Johnson Co) (6), 22 Jun (KM+).

#### Chimney Swift

**MC** (25+): 125, *St. Clair*, 15 Jun (KM); 120, Carl.L., 19 Jul (DMK); 65, Beaucoup  $\bar{c}$ , 1 Jun (DMK); 36, Jamestown  $\bar{c}$ , 1 Jun (DMK). **Comments:** Noted in lower numbers in the Dundee (Kane Co) area.

#### Ruby-throated Hummingbird

**Nesting:** M.Arb. (female on nest), 25 May (EW++); Christopher L (Franklin Co) (nest), 28 May (LS). **MC:** 434 (banded), *Jackson/Union*, 16 Jun-31 Jul, and (700+ more banded) in August, plus 226 recaptures (returns) of birds banded in 2001 & 2002 (CH); 300+, Jonesboro (Union Co), 16-31 Jul+ (fide VK); 33 (banded), Trail of Tears State Forest (Union Co), 3-4 Aug (VK); 27 (banded), Makanda (Jackson Co), 16 Jun (CH); 9 (banded) New Salem Historic Site (Menard Co), 27 Jul (VK); 6 Pere Marq., 8 Jun (KM); 6, Cypress (Johnson Co), 7 Jun (RJ); 6, Shawnee/UCCA, 13-14 Jun (SB); 6, Bay City (Pope Co), 6 & 13 Jun (SB); 5, *Jackson*, 22 Jun (KM+). **Others:** Rockford (2 prs), Jun/Jul (DW); IBSP (2), 4 Jul-3 Aug (EW); Plum Crk (2 territories), 24 Jun (EW); Palos, 29 Jun (EW, KW); Brighton (Macoupin Co) (3), 30 May (RJ); Carl.L. (3), 30 Jun (DMK). **Comments:** Breeding season reports are increasing in *n.e. Kane* (RM) and *n.e. Illinois* (EW); ratio of 6:1 males:females in *Boone* all summer (AB); individual males at three *Du Page* locations, 28 Jun-24 Jul (UG).

#### Belted Kingfisher

**MC** (4+): 4, LCal, 23 Jun (WM); 4, Carl.L., 25 Jul (DMK). **Others:** Barrington Hills (Cook Co), 24 Jun (AA); Streamwood (Cook Co), 29 Jun (AA); Braidwd L, 19-20 Jun (AA).

#### Red-headed Woodpecker

**Nesting:** Almond M (6 incl. ad w/ food for yg), 18 Jun (SB). **MC** (4+): 25+, Levee Rd (*Monroe Co*), 8 Jun (JZ); 11, Upper MS NWR, 12 Jul (SB); 10, Lost Mound, 22 Jun (VK+); 10, New Boston (Mercer Co), 18 Jul (RJ); 6, Amboy (Lee Co), 27-28 Jun (SB); 6, *n.e. Adams*, 27 Jun (RJ); 4, MTwain, 27 Jul (KM); 4, Old Maeystown Crk, 8 Jun (DMK). **Others:** Carpentersville (Kane Co) (2 ad), 13 Jul (AA).