

Jun (SDB); 23, Table Grove (Fulton Co), 7 Jul (SDB); 19, LdnMlr, 19 Jun (ABA et al.); 19, *Clay*, 7 Jul (DMK); 18, Bay Crk, 17 Jun (RLJ); 17, *Fayette*, 23 Jun (DMK); 15, Miss. Pal., 17-18 Jun (ABA et al.); 13, Siloam Springs (Adams Co), 23 Jun (RLJ); 13, Linc. Trail SP, 23 Jun (SDB); 13, *Jersey*, 15 Jun (DMK); 12, Chinq. Bluffs, 24 Jun (MF); 12, Black Partridge P, 24 Jun (TVL); 10, Ldn Mlr, 2 Jun (SDB); 10, Mackinaw FWA, 18 Jun (MF).

Brown Creeper

Breeding: LdnMlr (3; male & 2 yg), 2 Jun (SDB); LIB CA (Boone Co) (family group of 5), 2 Jun (fide DTW). **Others:** JP (juv), 27 Jul—first JP summer occurrence and (1), 17 Aug (PRC, KMC); Colona (Hennepin Canal, Henry Co) (ad), 17 May (VMK).

Carolina Wren

MC: 37 (32 males), Beall Wds, 23-24 Jun (SDB); 27 (24 males), Section 8, 16 Jun (SDB); 19, Pulaski B, 17 Jun (VMK); 18, Elmira Twp (Stark Co), 20 Jun (BR fide SDB); 17, Kell B, 12 & 18 Jun (SDB); 17, Beaverdam B, 15 Jun (VMK); 16, Lost Mound, 10 Jun (SDB); 15, LdnMlr, 2 Jun (SDB); 14, Martinsville B, 19 Jun (SDB); 14, Mascoutah B, 26 Jun (DMK); 14, St. Morgan B, 18 Jun (KAM); 13, Funk's Grove, 21-22 Jun (SDB); 13, Athens B, 30 Jun (VMK); 13, Columbia B, 12 Jun (KAM); 13, Belknap B, 16 Jun (VMK); 12, Richland Twp (Marshall Co), 29 Jun (BR fide SDB); 11, *Jasper*, 1 Jul (DMK); 10 (males), Linc. Trail SP, 23 Jun (SDB); 10, *Clay*, 7 Jul (DMK); 10, Burnt Pr B, 14 Jun (VMK); 9, Button Twp (Ford Co), 20 Jun (SDB); 9, *Adams*, 27 Jul (AGD); 9, *Fayette*, 23 Jun (DMK); 9, Boskydell (Jackson Co), 15 Jun (SDB); 8, Dixon (Lee Co), 16 Jun (BR fide SDB); 8, Carrollton (Greene Co), 1 Jul (RLJ); 7, Rockton Twp (Winnebago Co), 9 Jun (SDB). **Others:** LdnMlr (male), 19 Jun (ABA et al.); IBSP (South Unit) (pr), 16-30 Jul (just arrived in mid-Jul; only 2nd time in park in 20 years) (AFS); Plum Crk FP (male), 10 Jun (ABA, CN); King's Grove FP (Cook Co) (ad & yg), 10 Jun (ABA); River Forest (Cook Co), 24-25 Jul (JSA).

House Wren

Breeding: Midlothian (Cook Co) (feeding yg), 12 Jun (ABA); M.Arb. (8 fledged from boxes), thru 31 Jul (MBC); Metropolis (Massac Co) (2 ad, 3 imm), 9 Jul (FKB). **MC:** 62, Funk's Grove, 21-22 Jun (SDB); 41, Sheffield B, 16 Jun (DFS); 40, *Ogle*, 10 Jul (DFS); 30, e. *Kankakee*, 11 Jun (DFS); 28, Hoffman Est., 13 Jun (ABA); 23, Sanganois CA, 9 Jul (RLJ); 22 (17 males), LdnMlr, 19 Jun (ABA); 21, Chinq. Bluffs, 24 Jun (MF); 18, *Grundy*, 3 Jul (DFS); 17, Distillery CA (Boone Co), 23 Jul (ABA); 16, Blackhawk Springs FP (Winnebago Co), 22 Jul (ABA); 15, LIB CA (Boone Co), 23 Jul (ABA); 15, Athens B, 30 Jun (VMK); 14, Mascoutah B, 26 Jun (DMK); 13, Busse Wds FP, 9 Jun (ABA); 13, Palos, 13 Jun (DFS); 11 (males), Nachusa, 29 Jun (SDB); 11 (10 males), Barrington Hills (Cook Co), 8 Jun (ABA); 11, Tinley Park (Cook Co), 12 Jun (ABA, SP); 11, Fair-bury B, 6 Jun (VMK); 10, Kinnikinnick Crk CA (Boone Co), 23 Jul (ABA); 10, Waynesville B, 24 Jun (VMK); 9, Pontiac B, 7 Jun (VMK); 9, Camp Pt B, 2 Jun (VMK); 9, St. Morgan B, 18 Jun (KAM); 9, Mt. Auburn (Christian Co), 8 Jun (RLJ); 8, *Madison*, 7 Jun (DMK); 8, Jamestown B, 3 Jun (DMK).

Sedge Wren

MC: 42 (two locations) & 12, Carl L., 27 Jul & 13 Jul, resp. (DMK); 18, Goose L Pr, 26 Jun (JRH); 17, Rockton Twp (Winnebago Co), 9 Jun (SDB); 14, Rock Cut SP & Kieselburg FP (Winnebago Co), Jun/Jul (DTW); 12+, Pr Rdg, Jun/Jul (CLH); 11, Burnham Pr (Cook Co), 22 Jun (WJM); 10 (males), Busse Wds FP, 9 Jun (ABA); 6

(males), Nachusa, 29 Jun (SDB); 4, Pecatonica FP (Winnebago Co), 19 Jul (DTW); 4, Hennepin L, 22 Jun (DE fide SDB); 4, Pr Rdg (Marion Co), 29 Jun (CLH); 3, Hennepin L, 28 Jul (DFS); 3, Chauncey M (Lawrence Co), 9 Jul (RES, CLH). **Others:** Shannon (Carroll Co) (2 males), 2 Jun (SDB); *Whiteside* (2 males), 16 Jun (BR fide SDB); Green R CA (Lee Co) (2), 11 Jun (VMK et al.); Chain-O-Lakes SP (Lake Co) (5 pr), May/June (MPW); Rollins Savanna (Lake Co), 3 Jun (DRD); Palatine (male), 11 Jun (ABA, CAW); Fermi (3 males), 1 Jul (SDB); Bonfield (Kankakee Co) (male), 6 Jun (BR fide SDB); Delong (Knox Co) (male), Jun (BR fide SDB); Chinq. Bluffs and Mackinaw FWA—none (very unusual) (MF); Middle Fork FWA (Vermilion Co) (pr), Aug (MPW); Fisher (Champaign Co) (male), 1 Jun (SDB).

Marsh Wren

Breeding: Carl L. (2 nests), 2 Jun (DMK).

MC: 12, LCal, 16-17 Jul (WJM); 11 (males), Hoffman Est., 13 Jun (ABA); 10 (males), Palatine, 11 Jun (ABA); 10 (males), Hennepin L, 22 Jun (DE fide SDB); 8 (males), Fermi, 29 Jun & 1 Jul (SDB); 7, Goose L Pr, 11 Jul (JRH); 6, Carson Slough (Kane Co), 26 Jun (DFS); 6 (males), Lyman Wds FP (Du Page Co), 5 Jul (SDB); 5, Hennepin L, 28 Jul (DFS). **Others:** Spring L (Carroll Co) (2 males), 18 Jun (ABA et al.); Deer L FP (male), 18 Jun (EWW).

Golden-crowned Kinglet

Breeding: Lyons Wds (Lake Co) (4), 25 Jun (DFS); Lyons Wds (Lake Co) (nest—1st confirmation for *Lake*), 5 Jul, then (ad w/ food for) yg and removal of fecal sacs), 16 Jul and (family group of 5 or 6), 26 Jul (EWW). **Others:** M.Arb., 28 Jun - 2 Jul (EWW).

Blue-gray Gnatcatcher

Breeding: Sugar R FP (Winnebago Co) (2 large yg), 2 Jun (SDB); Plum Crk FP (2 fledglings), 10 Jun (ABA); Hoffman Est. (2 fledglings), 13 Jun (ABA); Busse Wds FP (yg in nest), 15 Jul (ABA); La Bagh Wds FP (Cook Co) (pr feeding 2 fledglings), 16 Jul (GAW); Meadowbrook P (Champaign Co) (pr w/ 3 yg), 28 Jun (EJC); New Columbia (Massac Co) (3 prs w/ yg), Jun/Jul (FKB). **MC:** 51, Section 8, 16 Jun (SDB); 40, Beall Wds, 23-24 Jun (SDB); 24, Palos, 13 Jun (DFS); 21, Linc. Trail SP, 18 & 23 Jun (SDB); 14, Miss. Pal., 17-18 Jun (ABA et al.); 12, Funk's Grove, 21-22 Jun (SDB); 12, Black Partridge P, 17 Jun (TVL); 12, *Jersey*, 15 Jun (DMK); 12, Independence P, 14 Jun (TVL); 12, Broughton (Hamilton Co), 3 Jun (RLJ); 12, Boskydell (Jackson Co), 15 Jun (SDB); 11, Distillery CA (Boone Co), 23 Jul (ABA); 11, Plum Crk FP, 10 Jun (ABA); 10, Castle Rock SP (Ogle Co), 10 Jul (DFS); 10, Mackinaw FWA, 19 Jun (MF); 9, Hoffman Est., 13 Jun (ABA); 9, M.Arb., 9 Jul (DFS); 9, *Fayette*, 23 Jun (DMK); 8, Mascoutah B, 26 Jun (DMK); 8, Table Grove (Fulton Co), 6-7 Jul (SDB); 7, *Jasper*, 1 Jul (DMK); 7, *Clay*, 7 Jul (DMK); 6, Carrollton (Greene Co), 1 Jul (RLJ).

Eastern Bluebird

Breeding: M.Arb. (27 fledged from boxes), thru 31 Jul (MBC); Palos/Orland Park (Cook Co) (5 successful nests), May/Jul (WSS); Homer (Champaign Co) (359 eggs produced 217 fledglings), Apr - Jul (JOS).

MC: 29, *Clay*, 13 Jul (DFS); 20, *Marion*, 13 Jul (DFS); 19, *Ogle*, 10 Jul (DFS); 19, *Union*, 25 Jun (KAM); 18, Pembroke Twp, 4 Jul (DFS); 18, Chinq. Bluffs, 6 Jul (MF); 18, Belknap B, 16 Jun (VMK); 17, Mascoutah B, 26 Jun (DMK); 16, Dongola (Union Co), 16-17 Jun (SDB); 15, Kell B, 12 & 18 Jun (SDB).



Blue-gray Gnatcatcher at nest. Morton Arboretum, DuPage County. 18 May 2005. Photo by Jerry Kumery.



Eastern Bluebird in a natural nest cavity, Zion, Lake County. 21 May 2005. Photo by Eric Walters.