

### Sedge Wren

**MC** (5+): 20, Carl.L., 19-30 Jul (DMK); 16, Hampshire (Kane Co), 5 Jul (SB); 13 (11 singing males), Nachusa Grasslands (Ogle Co), 17 Aug (EW); 12, LeVasseur P (Kankakee Co), 11 Jun (JBH); 8, Green R., 24 Jul (JEH); 7, Streamwood (Cook Co), 13 Jul (AA); 7, Green River (Henry Co), 17 Jul (RJ); 6, Plum Crk., 24 Jun (EW); 5, Herrick L., 28 Jun (UG); 5 (males), Frankfort (Will Co), 24 Jun (SB). **Others:** Stockton (Jo Daviess Co) (4 males), 13 Jul (SB); *Stephenson* (6 males at 2 locations), 2-3 Jul (SB); Green R. (male), 22 Jun (VK et al); Rockford (4 males), 20 Jun-3 Jul (DW); Poplar Grove (Boone Co) (3 males), 27 Jun-31 Jul (AB); *n.w. Kane* (several males), 8 Jun, still present, 28 Jul (RM); Thompson Rd Sedge Meadow (McHenry Co) (2 males), 18-19 Jun (SB); Bates M (McHenry Co) (3 males), 2 May-20 Jun (SB); Mor.Hls (2 males), 23 Jun (SB); Singing Hills FP (Lake Co) (2 males), 19 Jun (SB); Busse Wds (3 males), 20 Jun (AA); Springbrook Prairie FP (Du Page Co), 1 Jun (UG); Afton P (Du Page Co), 6 Jul (UG); PrattsWWds, 14 Jul (UG); *Henry*, (2-3), 10 Jul (LH); L'Erable (Iroquois Co) (male), 25 Jun (SB); *Adams* (present), 13 Jul (LH); PrRdg (present), 13 Jul (LH).

### Marsh Wren

**Nesting:** Almond M (active nest), 18 Jun (SB). **MC** (5+): 21 (males), LCal, 23 Jun (WM); 18 (17 males), Mor.Hls, 23 Jun (SB); 12 (males), Singing Hills FP (Lake Co), 29 Jun (SB); 8 (7 males), Almond M, 18 Jun (SB); 8 (males), Schaumburg (Cook Co), 13 Jul (AA); 5, Pecatonica (Winnebago Co), 30 Jun (DW); 5 (males), Wolf Rd Prairie NPsv (Cook Co), 1 Jul (SB). **Others:** Green R. (male), 22 Jun (fide VK) and (2), 24 Jul (JEH); Garden Pr (3 males), 4 Jul (SB); Woodstock (2 males), 18-19 Jun (SB); Long Grove (Lake Co) (3 males), 17 Jun (SB); Streamwood (Cook Co) (3 males), 29 Jun & 13 Jul (AA); Plum Crk (4 males), 24 Jun (EW); Turtlehead L. FP (Cook Co) (4 males), 19 Jul (AA); Wilkinson M (De Kalb Co), 6 Jul (UG); Blackwell FP (Du Page Co) (male), 7 Jul (MC); PtattsWW, 16 Jun (UG); Songbird Sl., 24 Jul (UG); Watseka (Iroquois Co) (2 males), 26 Jun (SB).

### Blue-gray Gnatcatcher

**Nesting:** Poplar Grove (Boone Co) (ad feeding yg), 4 Jul (SB); IBSP (fledglings), 4 Jul (EW); Hoffm. Est. (3 prs, one w/ fledglings), 15 Jun (AA); Streamwood (Cook Co) (pr feeding fledgling), 29 Jun (AA); Palos (fledglings), 29 Jun (EW). **MC** (5+): 30+, Allerton P, 23 Jun (RC); 14, Dirksen P (Tazewell Co), 7 Jun (TL); 14, Shawnee/UCCA, 13-14 Jun (SB); 13, Palos, 9 Jun (DFS); 11, Heron Pond, 23 Jun (KM+); 11, *Union*, 23 Jun (KM+); 10, McNaughton P (Tazewell Co), 31 May (TL); 10, Pere Marq., 27 Jul (KM); 10, Johnson City (Williamson Co), 4 Jun (SB); 9, Waterfall Glen, 24 Jul (UG); 8, Plum Crk., 24 Jun (EW); 8, *Kendall*, 2 Jun (DFS); 7, Barrington Hills (Cook Co), 24 Jun (AA); 7, Bay City (Pope Co), 13 Jun (SB); 6 (3 prs), Poplar Grove (Boone Co), 3-4 Jul (SB); 5, MidFk FWA, 31 May (SB); 5, Royalton \_\_, 15 Jun (RR). **Others:** IBSP (3 territories), 4 Jul (EW); Almond M (3), 17-18 Jun (SB); PrattsWWds, 16 Jun (UG); Herrick L (3), 28 Jun (UG); Greene Vly, 30 Jun (UG); Sparta (Randolph Co) (4), 6 Jun (RJ); several singles and pairs in s.w. Illinois (DMK).

### Eastern Bluebird

**Nesting:** Homer (Champaign Co) (141 nests, 514 eggs, 257 fledglings), Apr/Jul (JOS). **MC** (10+): 20, Carl.L., 19 Jul (DMK); 18, *Union*, 22 Jun (KM+); 12, Royalton \_\_, 15 Jun (RR); 11, Carl.L., 24 Jul (KM); 10, St. Morgan \_\_, 16 Jun (KM).

### Veery

**Nesting:** IBSP (fledglings), 7 Jul-10 Aug (EW). **MC:** 12, IBSP, 4 Jul (EW); 5 (3 males), Amboy (Lee Co), 28 Jun (SB). **Others:** LdnMlr (2 males), 22 Jun (VK+); Woodstock (male), 18 Jun (SB); Thatcher Wds (Cook Co), 15 Jun (JA). None reported from Cook this year (AA).

### Wood Thrush

**MC** (5+): 22, Shawnee/UCCA, 14 Jun (SB); 19, Palos, 4 Jul (DFS); 13, Allerton P, 23 Jun (RC); 13 (11 males), Bay City (Pope Co), 6 & 13 Jun (SB); 9, *w.c. Adams*, 26 Jun (RJ); 7 (males), Thomson (Carroll Co), 10 Jul (SB); 7, *Kendall*, 2 Jun (DFS); 6, Belknap \_\_, 13 Jun (VK); 6 (males), Mount Joy (Logan Co), 17 Jun (RJ); 5 (males), Amboy (Lee Co), 27-28 Jun (SB); 5, Des Plaines CA (Will Co), 7 Jul (DJS); 5, McNaughton P (Tazewell Co), 6 Jun (TL); 5, Camp Pt \_\_, 7 Jun (VK); 5, Sparta (Randolph Co), 6 Jun (RJ). **Others:** Stockton (Jo Daviess Co) (4 males), 13 Jul (SB); Rock Grove (Stephenson Co) (2 males), 3 Jul (SB); Green R. (4), 24 Jul (JEH); Harmon (Lee Co) (2 males), 27 Jun (SB); Carpentersville (Kane Co), 13 Jul (AA); IBSP (2), 4-13 Jul (EW); Riverwoods (Lake Co), 24 Jul (EW); *Cook* (9 males from 5 sites), 7 Jun-13 Jul (AA); Braidwd L. (2 males), 20 Jul (AA+); M.Arb. (2 males), 1 Jun-16 Jul (MC); Herrick L. (4), 28 Jun (UG); Greene Vly (2 males), 1-29 Jun (MC); Waterfall Glen, 24 Jul (UG); Watseka (Iroquois Co) (2 males), 25 Jun (SB); Milford \_\_ (2 males), 9 Jun (SB); Vermont (Schuyler Co) (4), 3 Jul (RJ); *n.e. Adams* (4), 27 Jun (RJ); Pere Marq. (4), 7 Jun (KM); *Union* (4), 22 Jun (KM+).

### American Robin

**MC** (40+): 261, *Beaucoup* \_\_, 1 Jun (DMK); 204, Jamestown \_\_, 2 Jun (DMK); 140, *Putnam*, 6 Jun (DFS); 140, *Flora* \_\_, 8 Jun (RC); 139, St. Morgan \_\_, 16 Jun (KM); 105, Burnt Pr \_\_, 28 Jun (VK); 91, Pontiac \_\_, 18 Jun (VK); 90, Milford \_\_, 9 Jun (SB); 88, Stillwell \_\_, 6 Jun (VK); 83, Buda \_\_, 21 Jun (VK); 83, Royalton \_\_, 15 Jun (RR); 81, Waynesville \_\_, 8 Jun (VK); 81, Fairbury \_\_, 19 Jun (VK); 65, Columbia \_\_, 15 Jun (KM); 61, Belknap \_\_, 13 Jun (VK); 40, Camp Pt \_\_, 7 Jun (VK).

### Gray Catbird

**Nesting:** Mundelein (Lake Co) (2 fledglings), 6 Jul (SB, SD). **MC** (5+): 51, Green R., 24 Jul (JEH); 24, Plum Crk., 24 Jun (EW); 23, Amboy (Lee Co), 27-28 Jun (SB); 23, LCal, 23 Jun (WM); 20, Lost Mound, 22 Jun (VK+); 20, LdnMlr, 23 Jun (VK+); 20, *Putnam*, 6 Jun (DFS); 18, Hoffm. Est., 15 Jun (AA); 16, Braidwd L., 20 Jul (AA et al); 13, Barrington Hills (Cook Co), 24 Jun (AA); 12, Stockton, 12-13 Jul (SB); 12, Carl.L., 24 Jul (KM); 11, Rock Grove (Stephenson Co), 3 Jul (SB); 11, Upper MS NWR, 12 Jul (SB); 8, McNaughton P (Tazewell Co), 6 Jun (TL); 7, Watseka (Iroquois Co), 26 Jun (SB).

### Northern Mockingbird

**MC** (5+): 27, *s. Pope/Massac*, 7 Jun (SB); 19, Royalton \_\_, 15 Jun (RR); 19, Belknap \_\_, 13 Jun (VK); 18, *Flora* \_\_, 8 Jun (RC); 17, Columbia \_\_, 15 Jun (KM); 15, *Mason*, 8-10 Aug (SB); 15, Jamestown \_\_, 2 Jun (DMK); 13, Burnt Pr \_\_, 28 Jun (VK); 13, St. Morgan \_\_, 16 Jun (KM); 10, Kell \_\_, 8 Jun (SB); 10, *Jackson*, 22 Jun (KM+); 10, Cypress (Johnson Co), 7 Jun (RJ); 9, *Union*, 22 Jun (KM+); 6, Creal Springs (Williamson Co), 5 Jun (SB); 6, Beaverdam \_\_, 14 Jun (VK); 5, Carl.L., 27 Jul (DMK). **Others:** Lost Mound (2), 22 Jun (VK+); Midewin Pr (3), 15 Jun (JBH); Havana (Mason Co) (4), 7 Jun (RJ).

### Brown Thrasher

**MC** (5+): 30, Lost Mound, 22 Jun (VK); 12, *Putnam*, 6 Jun (DFS); 10, St. Morgan \_\_, 16 Jun (KM); 9, Jamestown \_\_, 2 Jun (DMK); 8, Columbia \_\_, 15 Jun (KM); 6, Belknap \_\_, 13 Jun (VK).

### European Starling

**MC** (100+): 464, *Beaucoup* \_\_, 1 Jun (DMK); 272, Jamestown \_\_, 2 Jun (DMK); 247, *Yale* \_\_, 14 Jun (RC); 200, Carl.L., 25 Jul (DMK); 134, Fairbury \_\_, 19 Jun (VK); 127, St. Morgan \_\_, 16 Jun (KM).

### Cedar Waxwing

**Nesting:** Poplar Grove (Boone Co) (ad w/ fledgling), 22 Jul (AB); IBSP (8 prs), 4 Jul (EW); Riverwoods (Lake Co) (2 prs), 9-11 Jul (EW); Highland P (Lake Co) (1 pr), 8 Jul-2 Aug (EW); Wilmette and Evanston (Cook Co) (1 pr each), 21 & 30 Jun, resp. (EW); Chi