

Ovenbird

Nesting: Barrington Hills (Cook Co) (2 ads & fledgling), 29 Jun (AA); Bay City (Pope Co) (pr w/ 2 fledglings), 13 Jun (SB). **MC** (5+): 12, Shawnee/UCCA, 13-14 Jun (SB); 12 (9 males), Bay City (Pope Co), 13 Jun (SB); 11, Palos, 4 Jul (DFS); 6 (males), MS Palisades, 22 Jun (VK+); 6 (males), LdnMlr, 23 Jun (VK+); 5, Thomson (Carroll Co), 10 Jul (SB); 5 (incl. pr), Allerton P, 23 Jun (RC). **Others:** Amboy (Lee Co) (4 males), 27 Jun (SB); IBSP (3 territories), 4-13 Jul (EW); St. Francis Wds (Lake Co), 7-12 Jul (SH); Busse Wds (4 males), 6 Jun (AA); M.Arb. (2 males), 27 Jun (MC); Herrick L, 28 Jun (UG); Greene Vly (male), Jun 5 (MC); Macomb (McDonough Co), 10 Jul (RJ); *Woodford* (2), 2 Jul (LH); Sandy Crk Bluff (2), 26 Jun & 3 Jul (TL); Siloam Springs SP (Brown Co) (2), 12 Jun (KM, CL); Brownstown (Fayette Co), 13 Jun (LH).

Louisiana Waterthrush

Nesting: Bay City (Pope Co) (2 prs w/ 2 fledglings each), 6 & 13 Jun, resp. (SB). **Others:** Dirksen P (Tazewell Co) (2), 1 Jun (TL); McNaughton P (Tazewell Co) (2), 6 Jun (TL); Sandy Crk Bluff, 26 Jun & 3 Jul (TL); Brownstown (Fayette Co), 13 Jun (LH); Kell _ (2 males), 8 Jun (SB); Shawnee/UCCA (2 prs), 14 Jun (SB).

Kentucky Warbler

Nesting: MS Palisades (4, 3 males and pr w/ nearby fledglings), 22 Jun (VK+). **MC** (5+): 24 (males), Allerton P, 23 Jun (RC); 20 (14 males), Bay City (Pope Co), 13 Jun (SB); 19, Palos, 4 Jul (DFS); 15 (14 males), Shawnee/UCCA, 14 Jun (SB); 8, Pomona, 22 Jun (KM+). **Others:** Waterfall Glen (male), 1-21 Jun (REF); Macomb (McDonough Co) (male), 10 Jul (RJ); Dirksen P (Tazewell Co) (4), 7 Jun (TL); McNaughton P (Tazewell Co) (2), 6 Jun (TL); Sandy Crk Bluff, 26 Jun (TL); Mount Joy (Logan Co) (male), 17 Jun (RJ); *n.e. Adams* (pr), 27 Jun (RJ); Siloam Springs SP (Brown Co), 12 Jun (KM, CL); Fishhook (Pike Co) (male), 19 Jun (RJ); Santa Fe Btms, 7 Jun (DMK).

Mourning Warbler

Nesting: IBSP (n. unit) (male defending one territory), 22 Jun-10 Aug, and (second male w/ female), 4 Jul-3 Aug and (fledgling), 3-10 Aug (EW-photo in IORC file). See article in this issue. First confirmed breeding since 1985 (EW).

Common Yellowthroat

MC (10+): 96, Green R, 24 Jul (JEH); 42, Braidwd L, 20 Jul (AA et al); 33 (males), Amboy (Lee Co), 27-28 Jun (SB); 32 (males), Hoffm. Est., 15 Jun (AA); 30 (29 males), Mor.Hls, 23 Jun (SB); 25 (males), Kell _, 8 Jun (SB); 24 (males), *Lake/McHenry*, 20 Jun (SB); 22 (males), IBSP, 4 Jul (EW); 21, Royaltan _, 15 Jun (RR); 19, Belknap _, 13 Jun (VK); 18, Streamwood (Cook Co), 29 Jun (AA); 17 (males), Milford _, 9 Jun (SB); 15 (males), *Lake*, 18 Jun (SB); 14 (males), Rock Grove (Stephenson Co), 3 Jul (SB); 14, Cypress (Johnson Co), 7 Jun (RJ); 14, Beaverdam _, 14 Jun (VK); 13, Jamestown _, 2 Jun (DMK); 13, Columbia _, 15 Jun (KM); 13, Beaucoup _, 1 Jun (DMK); 12, Burnt Pr _, 28 Jun (VK); 12, *Johnson*, 23 Jun (KM+); 11 (10 males), Cotton Creek M (McHenry Co), 29 Jun (SB); 11 (males), Singing Hills FP (Lake Co), 29 Jun (SB); 11, Miller Meadow (Cook Co), 13 Jun (JA); 10, Old Maestown Crk, 8 Jun (DMK).

Hooded Warbler

Nesting: Shawnee/UCCA (male feeding 2 fledglings), 14 Jun (SB). **Others:** LdnMlr (2 males), 23 Jun (VK+); Palos (6 males), 24-29 Jun (EW); Plum Crk (male), 24 Jun (EW); M.Arb. (male), 26-28 Jun (MC); *Union* (3), 22 Jun (KM+).

Yellow-breasted Chat

MC (5+): 9, Pulaski _, 12 Jun (VK); 8, Beaverdam _, 14 Jun (VK); 7, Ledford (Saline Co), 6 Jun (SB); 7, Belknap _, 13 Jun (VK); 5, Creal Springs (Williamson Co), 5 Jun (SB); 5, *Johnson*, 23 Jun (KM+). **Others:** Amboy (Lee Co) (male), 27-28 Jun (SB); Rock Cut SP (Winnebago Co), 30 Jun (DW, AS); Burnidge M FP (Kane Co), 1 Jun (AS); Plum Crk (male), 15-24+ Jun (EW);

Braidwd (2), 6 Jul (AS) and 20 Jul (AA); *Putnam* (3), 6 Jun (DFS); Pembroke Twp (Kankakee Co) (3), 22 Jun (JBH); Fairmount (Vermilion Co) (male), Jun/Jul (JOS); Allerton P (4), 23 Jun (RC); Bluff Springs (Cass Co) (3), 22 Jul (RJ); Vermont (Schuyler Co) (3), 3 Jul (RJ); St. Morgan _, 16 Jun (KM); Old Maestown Crk (4), 8 Jun (DMK); Columbia _, 15 Jun (KM); Rend L (2), 3 Jul (DMK); Redbud (Randolph Co) (4), 5 Jun (RJ).



Summer Tanager young – one of three young in nest. Shawnee National Forest near Union County Conservation Area. 14 June 2002. Photo by Steven D. Bailey.

Summer Tanager

Nesting: Shawnee/UCCA (pr at nest w/ 3 eggs), 14 Jun (SB) See photo. **MC** (5+): 9 (6 males), Shawnee/UCCA, 14 Jun (SB); 6, Beaverdam _, 14 Jun (VK); 5 (males), Bay City (Pope Co), 13 Jun (SB). **Others:** Greene Vly (male), 29 Jun (MC); Waterfall Glen (males) in Jun and (female), 3 Jul (REF); Iroquois County CA (pr), 22 Jun (AS); *w.c. Adams* (2 males, female & 4 yg), 26 Jun (RJ); Allerton P (2), 23 Jun (RC); Pere Marq. (3), 7 Jun (KM); Redbud (Randolph Co) (2), 5 Jun (RJ); Swanwick (Perry Co) (2), 2 Jun (DMK).

Scarlet Tanager

Nesting: Red-Wing Slough area (Lake Co) (male feeding cowbird), 24 Aug (DW). **MC** (5+): 21 (20 males), Allerton P, 23 Jun (RC); 11, Palos, 4 Jul (DFS); 10 (males), Shawnee/UCCA, 14 Jun (SB); 7 (males), Bay City (Pope Co), 13 Jun (SB); 6 (males), Thomson (Carroll Co), 9-10 Jul (SB); 6 (5 males), LdnMlr, 23 Jun (VK); 6, Palos, 29 Jun (EW); 6, Macomb (McDonough Co), 10 Jul (RJ); 6, Sandy Crk Bluff, 3 Jul (TL); 6, *w.c. Adams*, 26 Jun (RJ). **Others:** Stockton (Jo Daviess Co) (3 males), 13 Jul (SB); Upper MS NWR (male), 12 Jul (SB); Freeport (Stephenson Co) (2 males), 2 Jul (SB); Poplar Grove (Boone Co) (male), 4 Jul (SB); Mor.Hls (3 males), 23 Jun (SB); M.Arb. (2 males), Jun/Jul (MC); Argonne National Laboratory Reservation (Du Page Co), 12 Jun (UG); Herrick L (3), 28 Jun (UG); Waterfall Glen (2), 24 Jul (UG); Wood Ridge FP (Du Page Co) (orange male), 1 Jun (REF); New Boston (Mercer Co) (4 males), 18 Jul (RJ); McNaughton P (Tazewell Co) (4), 6 Jun (TL); Mount Joy (Logan Co) (2 males), 17 Jun (RJ); Bluff Springs (Cass Co) (2 males), 22 Jul (RF).

Eastern Towhee

MC (5+): 61, Green R, 24 Jul (JEH); 20, Allerton P, 23 Jun (RC); 19 (18 males), Hoffm. Est., 15 Jun (AA); 19 (16 males, 3 females), Braidwd L, 20 Jul (AA+); 13, Palos, 9 Jun (DFS); 11, Plum Crk, 24 Jun (EW); 11, Beaverdam _, 14 Jun (VK); 10, Carl.L, 23 & 25 Jul (DMK); 10, Bay City (Pope Co), 13 Jun (SB); 9, Belknap _, 13