

woods), Litchfield (Montgomery Co), 24 July (EW); 4, Ashmore (Coles Co), 8 July (SB); 4 (3 males), KiddL, 5 July (TM, DK et al.); 4, Sefton, 8 July (DK). **Others:** MissPalis, 8 July (DE fide SB); Palos (Cap Sauers Woods), 15 June (SB) and 27 June & 3 July (DS); HerrickL, 14 June (ES); BurnidgeFP, 25 June (ES); SandPrNA, 8 July (RJ); Rinard (Wayne Co), 18 June (RJ); Columbia_, 18 June (KM); St. Morgan_, 19 June (KM); Dongola (Pulaski Co) (2 males), 27-28 May (SB).

Scarlet Tanager

MC: 21 (males), Palos (Cap Sauers Woods), 15-16 June (SB); 19, MissPalis, 8 July (DE fide SB); 18, Miller-And, 14 July (DE fide SB); 17, PereMar, 26 June (DE fide SB); 16, PineHills, 30 June (DE fide SB); 13, FoxRidge, 4 June (DE fide SB); 13, Sefton, 8 July (DK); 13, Lima (Adams Co), 10 July (RJ); 12 (9 males), Venedy, 1-2 July (SB); 11 (8 males), Lakewood FP (Lake Co), 19-21 June (SB); 11 (10 males), Marseilles (La Salle Co), 15-16 July (SB); 10 (9 males), Amboy (Lee Co), 14 July (SB); 10 (8 males), Woodstock, 24 June (SB); 9, LowdMil, 5 July (DS); 8 (7 males), Edwards (Peoria Co), 17 July (BR fide SB); 8 (7 males), Newton (Jasper Co), 15 July (RJ). **Others:** L Summerset_ (2), 20 June (DW); BusseWoods (male), 5 June (AA et al.); Barrington Hills (Cook Co) (female), 14 June (AA et al.); Port Byron (Rock Island Co) (5 males), 19 June (BR fide SB); Honey Creek Woods (McDonough Co) (3), 30 June (TL); Summum (Fulton Co) (2 males), 6 July (BR fide SB); Independence Park (Tazewell Co) (4), 14 June (TL); AllertonPk (5), 6 June (DE fide SB); Kankakee R SP (Kankakee Co) (2 males), 1 July (BR fide SB); Mt. Auburn (Christian Co) (2 males), 12 July (BR fide SB).

Eastern Towhee

Breeding: GreeneValFP (ad w/ fledgling), 25 July (MC). **MC:** 16, C'dale, 21 June (RR); 15, Mackinaw, 13 June (MF); 12, ChinBluffs, 6 June (MF); 12 (8 males), Venedy, 1-2 July (SB); 11 (8 males), Palos (Cap Sauers Woods), 15-16 June (SB); 11 (males), SandPrNA, 1 July (RJ); 10, CarlL, 10 July (KM); 9 (males), Tinley Park (Cook Co), 16 June (AA); 9 (8 males), HoffmanEst, 12 June (AA et al.); 9 (8 males), Barrington Hills (Cook Co), 14 June (AA); 8 (males), Fayetteville (St. Clair Co), 20 May - 2 July (SB); 8 (incl. 2 juvs), Quincy, 30 July (AD); 6, Oconee, 9 July (DK); 8 (7 males), HerrickL, 1 June (ES); 6+ (males), Flossmoor (Cook Co), 16 June (AA); 5, Litchfield (Montgomery Co), 5 June (RJ); 5, Bone Gap (Edwards Co), 17 July (RJ); 5, Columbia_, 18 June (KM); 4, Woodstock, 24 June (SB); 4, Marseilles (La Salle Co), 16 July (SB); 4, Black Partridge Park (Woodford Co), 1 June (TL); 4, Kell_, 5 June (SB); 4, Sefton, 8 July (DK).

Chipping Sparrow

MC: 88, Ogle, 5 July (DS); 59 (42 males), Tinley Park (Cook Co), 16 June (AA); 54, Sheffield_, 18 June (DS); 48 (42 males), HoffmanEst, 12 June (AA et al.); 25 (18 males), PlumCreek, 28 May (AA et al.); 25 (21 males), BurnidgeFP, 22 June (AA et al.); 24, Sangamon, 24 July (DS); 23, Fairbury_, 24 June (VK); 22+, LostMound, 17 July (AA et al.); 22 (18 males), Flossmoor (Cook Co), 16 June (AA); 21 (16 males), Barrington Hills (Cook Co), 14 June (AA et al.); 21, Martinsville_, 6 June (SB); 19, Columbia_, 18 June (KM); 17, St. Morgan_, 19 June (KM); 16, Putnam, 3 June (DS); 15, Milford_, 13 June (SB); 10, Kell_, 5 June (SB).

Clay-colored Sparrow

Breeding: Aurora West FP (Kane Co) (ad female w/ 3 yg), 11 & 23 July (JD,ES); Lakewood FP (Lake Co) (2 males), 13 May, pr. 19 June (2nd male gone) and (used nest), 17 July (SB); Poplar Creek FP (Cook Co) (pr. feeding yg), 26 June (JM). Second year in a row at this location.; Springbrook Prairie FP (DuPage Co) (ad feeding 2 fledglings), 26 June (JS). Second year in a row at this location. **Others:** Winslow Twp (Stephenson Co) (male), 3 July (BR fide SB); Aurora West FP (Kane Co) (2 males), 9 July (SC); Timber Ridge FP (DuPage Co) (male), June (JS); Springbrook Prairie FP (DuPage Co) (2 pr & 2 other males), June/July (but 7 males 11 May) (JS); Orland Grasslands (Cook Co) (male chasing Field Sparrows), 26 June (WS).

Field Sparrow

Breeding: Lakewood FP (Lake Co) (2 nests with eggs), 21 June (SB); 20+ (incl. yg), HerrickL, 28 June (ES); Cisco (Piatt Co) (abandoned nest w/ 2 eggs), 7 July (SB) and 15 birds (11 males & 2 fledglings), 9 July (SB). **MC:** 63 (males), PrRidge (Jasper Co) (est. pop. = 215 prs), 13-15 June (JW, SS);

54 (45 males), MidewinPr, 17-18 June (SB); 50 (43 males), SandPrNA, 1 July (RJ); 37 (32 males), LostMound, 12 June (SB); 20+ (see breeding record); 20, GRCA, 11 June (DE fide SB); 20, GLPSP, 13 June (DS); 20, Mackinaw, 13 June (MF); 19, Kell_, 5 June (SB); 19 & 18, ChinBluffs, 19 & 6 June, resp. (MF); 18, Martinsville_, 6 June (SB); 17, Saline, 16 July (DE fide SB); 16, NachusaGr, 10 July (EW); 15, MidewinPr, 4 July (DS); 15, Columbia_, 18 June (KM); 14 (males), Lakewood FP (Lake Co), 19-21 June (SB); 13 (9 males), Matteson (Cook Co), 15 June (SB); 13 (9 males), Bone Gap (Edwards Co), 17 July (RJ); 10, Ogle, 12 June (DS); 9 (males), PrRidge (Marion Co) (est. pop. = 54 prs), 23 June (JW, SS); 9 (8 males), Atkinson (Henry Co), 14 July (BR fide SB); 8, Lenzburg (St. Clair Co), 25 June (DK); 9, C'dale, 21 June (RR); 6, Canton (Fulton Co), 13 July (DE fide SB); 6, Quincy, 25 June (AD); 6, Pyramid SP (Perry Co), 17 June (DE fide SB); 4, CarlL, 12 June & 10 July (DK).

Vesper Sparrow

MC: 27, Milford_, 13 June (SB); 14, Sheffield_, 18 June (DS), 11, Atkinson_, 19 June (DS); 8 (males), LostMound, 11 & 12 June (SB); 8, Ogle, 15 July (DS); 6+, w. Macon, 10 July (TM); 6, Boone, 11 July (DS); 6, Waynesville_, 19 June (VK). **Others:** Stark (3), 10 July (EW); Martinsv. _ (4), 6 June (SB); Jewett (Cumberland Co.) (male), 3 June (SB); Swanwick (Perry Co.) 5 (males), 3 June (SB).

Lark Sparrow

Breeding: LostMound (2 juv), 11 July (EW); ChinBluffs (pr w/ fledgling), 6 June (MF); s.w. Tazewell (pr. & 3 yg), 2 July (EW). **MC:** 16 (11 males, 4 pr. w/one pr. copulating), LostMound, 9-12 June (SB) and 13 (incl. yg); 6, Quincy, 2 July (AD). **Others:** Whiteside (2), 19 June (DS); Two, GRCA, 11 June (DE, fide SB); male, near Atkinson (Henry Co.), 14 July (BR, fide SB); LowdMil (2), 26 June (DW); Hancock (4), 18 June (DS); Fishhook (imm), 10 July (TM); SandPrNa (4 males), 1-5 July (RJ); Big Creek (Fayette Co) (2), 8 July (DK); Columbia_ (2), 18 June (KM).

Savannah Sparrow

MC: 27 (16 males), SongBird, 24 June (AA et al.); 19 (17 males), Lakewood FP (Lake Co), 19 June (SB); 15 (14 males), Coles airport, 30 June (SB); 12 (males), Palatine, 9 July (AA); 10, NachusaGr, 12 June (DS); 9 (8 males), PlumCreek, 28 May (AA et al.); 8, BusseWoods, 5 June (AA et al.); 8, LCal area, 9 July (DS) and 6 (males), 13 June (WM, JA). **Others:** GreeneValFP ("many"), 6 June (UG); PrattsWW (+), 27 June (UG); Songbird (+), 24 July (UG); Saline (3), 16 July (DE fide SB).

Grasshopper Sparrow

Breeding: LostMound (two nests with 5 & 6 eggs & another female carrying caterpillar), 11 June (SB, DT); IBSP (ad. feeding yg), 28 July (EW); s.w. Tazewell (nest w/ 3 yg & 1 egg), 2 July (EW); Coles (airport), (nest w/ 4 eggs), 30 June (SB). **MC:** 132 (115 males), LostMound, 12 June (SB) and (115 males), 17 July (AA et al.); 53 (males), PrRidge (Jasper Co) (est. pop. = 193 prs), 13-15 June (JW, SS); 50 (45 males), MidewinPr, 17-18 June (SB); 33, HennepinL, 2 July (DS); 33 (32 males), SandPrNA, 1-8 July (RJ); 32 (26 males), PlumCreek, 28 May (AA et al.); 26 (14 males and prs feeding yg), SongBird, 24 June (AA et al.); 25 (incl. juv), Canton (Fulton Co), 13 July (DE fide SB); 23 (20 males), Coles (airport), 30 June (SB); 21, Pyramid SP (Perry Co), 17 June (DE fide SB); 20 (males), Site M (Cass Co), 23-29 June (RJ); 19 (17 males), Atkinson (Henry Co), 14 July (BR fide SB); 18, GRCA, 11 June (DE fide SB); 16, Beaucoup_, 1 June (DK); 15 (males), Martinsville_, 6 June (SB); 11, Orland Grasslands (Cook Co), 3 June (WS); 11, Royalton_, 5 June (RR); 10, NachusaGr, 10 July (EW); 10 (males) PrRidge (Marion Co) (est. pop. = 69 prs), 23 June (JW, SS); 9, Rockford (airport), 5 July (DW); 8, MidewinPr, 4 July (DS); 8 (7 males), Cisco (Piatt Co), 9 July (SB); 8, Columbia_, 18 June (KM); 7 (6 males), BusseWoods, 5 June (AA et al.); 7, Saline, 16 July (DE fide SB); 6 (males), Perdueville, 29 June (SB); 5, Keithsburg (Mercer Co), 18 June (DS); 4, Jamestown_, 2 June (DK). **Others:** PrattsWW (3), 27 June (UG).

Henslow's Sparrow

Breeding: Lakewood FP (Lake Co) (ads feeding recent fledgling), 17 July (SB, SD); BusseWoods (pr feeding yg), 18 June (AA); 126 (males & 2



Lark Sparrow at Fishhook Wildlife Management Area, Moultrie County. 10 July 2004. Photo by Travis A. Mahan.



Grasshopper Sparrow with a meal, Mason County. 2 July 2004. Photo by Eric Walters.