

Orchard Oriole

Breeding: IBSP (No. Unit) (♂ feeding 2 yg), 11 Jul (JSS); LaSalleL (pr w/begging juv), 11 Jul (DJS); Midewin (pr incl 1st yr ♂ feeding yg), 15 Jun (AR); BraidwoodL (6 incl ♀ feeding 2 cowbird yg), 29 Jun (JHH); KankakeePks (4 incl ♀ w/food), 2 Jun (JHH); RiverBend (♀ on nest in same tree as EAKI nest), 4 Jul & (took food to nest), 9 Jul (CKA); LOWFP (pr carrying food to cowbird fledgling), 19 Jul (CKA); Williamson (pr incl 1st yr ♂ @ nest), 8 Jun (LS). **MC:** 24, Union, 10 Jun (VMK); 10, Levee Rd (Monroe Co), 19-20 Jun (DMK, MSS); 8 (2 ad ♂, 2 1st yr ♂, 4 ♀), IBSP (No. Unit), 30 Jun (BJS); 6, LostMound, 5 Jun (VMK et al.); 5, BraidwoodL, 14 Jun (JHH); 5, HL, 5 Jun (KAM). **Others:** Fort Sheridan FP (Lake Co) (1st yr ♂ & ♀), 14 Jul (R&SC); RollinsSav (2♂), 12 Jun (BJS); Shannon Twp (Carroll Co) (2♂), 12 Jun (SDB); Nachusa (2, ♂ & ♀), Jun/Jul (ABH); Campton FP (Kane Co) (♂), Jun (ABH); Elgin Shores FP (Kane Co) (♂), 10 Jun (SDB); Otter Crk FP (Kane Co) (♂), 6 Jul (SDB); Big Rock FP (Kane Co) (1st yr ♂), 6 Jun (SAC); Fermi (inside the Ring) (♂), 15 Jun (SDB); John J. Duffy FP (Cook Co), 5 Jun (RLS); Shaumburg Rd Grasslands FP (Cook Co) (1st yr ♂), 9 Jul (ABA); Palos (Bergman Sl field) (4), 10 Jun (RLS); Rock Island (juv), 16 Jun (TRE); Messenger Wds NP (Will Co) (♂), 7 Jun (SDB); Maz/Braid (Grundy Co) (pr & 2♂), 1 Jul (SDB); Maz/Braid (3♂), 1-30 Jun (SDB); Elmira Twp (Stark Co) (2♂), 17 Jun 9 Jul (SDB); Pembroke, 4 Jul (GAW); Mackinaw SF&WA (Tazewell Co), 6 Jun (MEF, MJW); EvergreenL (McLean Co) (2), 10 Jun (MJW); TwoRivers (4), 22 Jun (DMK, MSS); Kell_ (3♂) (one harassing a perched RTHA, flying around its head), 23 Jun (SDB); RendL (4), 3 Jul (DMK, MSS).

Baltimore Oriole

Breeding: Rckfd (ad w/juv), 21 Aug (DTW); Mundelein (Lake Co) (♀ building nest w/yarn provided for it, in same silver maple as 2009), 11 May (SDB); Mettawa (Lake Co) (♀ nestbuilding), 16 May (SDB, SLD); Castle Rock SP (Ogle Co) (♂ @ nest), 11 Jun (SDB); Buffalo Pk (Kane Co) (pr building mostly complete nest), 6 Jun (DFS); The Grove (Glenview, Cook Co) (ad feeding yg @ nest, 17 Jun, then feeding 2 fledged yg, 20 Jun) (SI); Maz/Braid (♂ feeding well-grown nestling on rim of nest), 30 Jun (SDB); MeadbrkPk (nest w/eg), 23 Jun (EJC). **MC:** 12, Palos, 10 Jun (DFS); 12 (♂), Calhoun, 10 Jun (TRE); 8, Dudleyville, 5 Jun (DMK, MSS); 8, Levee Rd (Monroe Co), 16 Jun (DMK); 5 (4♂), Sheridan (LaSalle Co), 18 Jun (SDB); 5 (4♂), Maz/Braid, 1-30 Jun (SDB); 4, CampPoint, 14 Jun (VMK); 4, Beaucoup, 6 Jun (DMK, MSS); 4, CarlL-C, 17 Jun (DMK).

LATE SPRING DEPARTURES

Black-bellied Plover

LD: 10 Jun, Emiquon (ThompsonL) (KBR).

Semipalmated Plover

LD: 10 Jun, Mason (KBR); 9 Jun, Sang (HDB).

Solitary Sandpiper

LD: 9 Jun, Sang (HDB). Latest ever county spring migrant.

Greater Yellowlegs

LD: 6 Jun, SantaFe (DMK).

Lesser Yellowlegs

LD: 3 Jun, Levee Rd (Union Co) (DMK, MSS).

Hudsonian Godwit

LD: 3 Jun, ThompsonL (Fulton Co) (KBR).

Semipalmated Sandpiper

LD: 19 Jun (2), Sang, but 9 Jun (12) (HDB); 10 Jun (6), Mason (KBR); 7 Jun (34), PrRdg-M (CLH); 3 Jun (6), Levee Rd (Union Co) (DMK, MSS).

White-rumped Sandpiper

LD: 10 Jun, Mason (KBR); 9 Jun, Sang (HDB); 7 Jun (20), RendL (CLH); 4 Jun (7), Whispering Willows Pk (Kankakee Co) (JHH).

House Finch

Breeding: Springbrook Pra FP (DuPage Co) (carrying nest material), 7 Mar (JLS). **MC:** 57 (feeding on wild thistle), CWRP, 16 Jul (WJM, APS); 50 (feeding on weed seeds), Alsip (Cook Co), 20 Jul (WJM); 40 (feeding on weed seeds), Chi (St. Casimir Cem), 20 Jul (WJM); 14, Sherburnville, 6 Jun (JHH); 13, Montrose, 10 Jul (GAW).

Pine Siskin

Homer Glen (Will Co) (2 @ feeder), 11-12 Jun (NB ph).

American Goldfinch

Breeding: Rckfd (pr w/2 juv begging food), 21 Aug (DTW); MidSav (several prs building nests), 14 Jul (SI). **MC:** 42, Stephenson, 19 Jul (DFS); 31, LowdMil, 10 Jul (DFS); 28, Fermi (inside the Ring), 16 Jun-2 Jul (SDB); 26, Sherburnville, 6 Jun (JHH); 19, RollinsSav, 1 Aug (GAW, CLW); 19, Maz/Braid (Grundy Co), 4 Jun-1 Jul (SDB); 19, Fairbury, 3 Jun (VMK); 18, Elgin Twp (Kane Co), 10 Jun-6 Jul (SDB); 16, BeaverdamL, 9 Jun (VMK); 14, Mackinaw SF&WA (Tazewell Co), 6 Jun (MEF, MJW); 14, St. Morgan, 5 Jun (KAM); 13, BraidwoodL, 2 Aug (JHH); 13, Maz/Braid, 30 Jun (SDB); 12, Pontiac, 4 Jun (VMK); 12, Stillwell, 15 Jun (VMK); 12, Levee Rd (Monroe Co), 19-20 Jun (DMK, MSS); 11, Dudleyville, 5 Jun (DMK, MSS); 10, TwoRivers, 24 Jul (DMK, MSS).

House Sparrow

Breeding: Oxford Twp (Henry County) (35+ large, weaver finch-type, active nests in many trees @ I-74 rest area, some w/3-4 nests per tree), 23 May (CKA); Champaign (added material to abandoned robin nest on house, & fledged 3 nestlings), 21 Jun (CKA). **MC:** 582, Jamestown, 7 Jun (DMK); 481, Beaucoup, 6 Jun (DMK, MSS); 200, ESTL, 25 Jun (DMK); 200, CarlL-C, 17 Jun (DMK); 200, Levee Rd (Monroe Co), 21 Jul (DMK); 166, Dudleyville, 5 Jun (DMK, MSS); 135, St. Morgan, 5 Jun (KAM); 114, Stephenson, 19 Jul (DFS); 99, Sherburnville, 6 Jun (JHH); 81, Columbia, 13 Jun (KAM); 63, Fairbury, 3 Jun (VMK); 60, CarlL-F, 26 Jun (DMK, MSS); 60, New Athens (St. Clair Co), 28 Jun (DMK, MSS); 50, RendL, 3 Jul (DMK, MSS); 45, Kell, 23 Jun (SDB); 42, Milford, 19 Jun (SDB); 41, Athens, 1 Jul (VMK); 40, TwoRivers, 24 Jul (DMK, MSS).

Eurasian Tree Sparrow

Breeding: HL (10+ incl 2 fledglings, pr cop & ad @ nest cavity), 24 Jun (EG). **MC:** 20, HL, 23 Jul (DMK); 18, CampPoint, 29 May (VMK). **Others:** Tazewell (5), 26 Jun (CAT, TLK); TwoRivers (2), 22 Jun (DMK, MSS). **Eastern edge of range:** Mt. Hope Twp (McLean Co), 27 Jun (DJM); Waynesville Twp (DeWitt Co), 27 Jun (DJM).



*Female Orchard Oriole.
Illinois Beach State Park North Unit,
Lake County. 12 July 2010.
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Baird's Sandpiper

LD: 10 Jun (6), Mason (KBR); McHenry, 5 Jun (CAT).

Dunlin

LD: 4 Jun (alt plum), Sang (HDB ph).

Forster's Tern

LD: 3 Jun, Levee Rd (Jackson Co) (DMK, MSS).

Olive-sided Flycatcher

LD: 12 Jun, IBSP (Sand Pond) (KKM); 11 Jun, Big River SF (Henderson Co) (DFS); 11 Jun, Hopedale Twp (Tazewell Co) (KBR); 9 Jun, Chi (ABB); 9 Jun, KankakeeR SP (JHH).

Eastern Wood-Pewee

LD: 14 Jun, JP, (PRC); 8 Jun (7), Chi (Field Museum) (DFS).

Yellow-bellied Flycatcher

LD: 15 Jun, Campton FP (Kane Co) (ABH); 2 Jun, Sang (HDB).

Orange-crowned Warbler

LD: 10 Jun, Spring Crk FP (Cook Co) (WP).

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