

### Sandhill Crane

E.A.: 9 Sep., w. Jackson Co (CS).  
M.C.: 500+, Palos, 24 Sep. (WS). L.D.:  
28 Nov. (110), CNC (DJ); 20 Nov.  
(22), Homer (JS). Others: 27 Oct. (3),  
Charleston (BH). Others (summering  
bird departure): 25 Oct., Palos (CT).

### Black-bellied Plover

E.A.: 7 Aug. (8), LCal (JL); 11 Aug.  
(ad.), Spfld (DB); 11 Sep. (1st imm.),  
LCal (JL). M.C.: 27, LCal, 14 Aug.  
(JL); 20, Decatur, 2 Oct. (RC, EC).  
L.D.: 16 Nov. (imm.), Wauk (DJ).

### Lesser Golden Plover

E.A.: 14 July (ad.), Spfld (DB); 28  
Aug. (5), Cherry Hill (Boone Co)  
(ABr); 11 Sep. (imm.), LCal (JL); 12  
Sep. (imm.), Spfld (DB). M.C.: 200+, Galesville (Piatt Co), 13  
Oct. (RC); 126, n.w. Will Co, 6 Oct. (JM). L.D.: 8 Nov., Chi  
(KH); 24 Oct., Decatur (RP).

### Semipalmated Plover

E.A.: 9 July, Decatur (MD); 26 July (4), Monroe Co (KM); 31  
July, LCal (JL); 11 Sep. (imm.), LCal (JL). M.C.: 30, Decatur,  
8 Sep. (MD). L.D.: 12 Oct., Decatur (RP).

### Piping Plover

E.A.: 30 June, Decatur (RP, MD); 28 July, Monroe Co (KM).  
L.D.: 28 Aug. (winter plum.), IBSP (AS).

### Killdeer

M.C.: 550+, Centerville, 7 Aug. (RC, MD); 275, Decatur (RP);  
200+, Dickson Mounds, 18 Oct. (KR); 142, NW Will Co, 13 Sep.  
(JM); 82, Monroe Co, 15 Aug. (KM). L.D.: 4-5 Dec., CBG (AS,  
m.ob.); 29 Nov., Evanston (EW); 25 Nov. (11), Homer (JS); 25  
Nov., Spfld (DB).

### Black-necked Stilt

M.C.: 4, w. Jackson Co, 21 Aug. (\*CS). Others: 26 July (2),  
Monroe Co (KM).

### American Avocet

E.A.: 14 Aug., Starved Rock S.P. (CMc, JMc); 20 Aug. (female),  
Decatur (MD). M.C.: 8, CONWR, 21 Oct (TF); 5, Spfld, 4 Sep.  
(DB). L.D.: 24 Oct., LCNP (CMc, JMc). Others: 22 Aug. - 27  
Sep. (male, lame leg), Decatur (MD, m.ob.); 26 Aug. - 6 Sep. (up  
to 4), west Jackson Co (CS, RP, TF); 12 Oct. (male), Decatur  
(RP).

### Greater Yellowlegs

E.A.: 23 June, Decatur (MD); 4 July, LCal (JL); 4 July (2), north  
Will Co (AS); 12 July (6), Havana (KR); 25 July, Monroe Co  
(KM); 12 Sep. (imm.) LCal (JL). M.C.: 25, Banner Marsh C.A.,  
15 Oct. (MD). L.D.: 1 Nov. (5), near Mundelein (DJ); 29 Oct.,  
CBG (LB), 16 Oct. (10), Decatur (RP).

### Lesser Yellowlegs

E.A.: 22 June, LCal (JL); 23 June, Decatur (MD); 6 July, Monroe  
Co (KM); 31 July (imm.), LCal (JL). M.C.: 117, LCal, 21 Aug.  
(JL); 25, Decatur, 24 Sep. (RP); 21, Monroe Co (KM). L.D.: 16  
Oct., Decatur (RP).



*Lesser Golden Plover with Black-bellied Plovers, 25 Sept. 1993, Montrose Beach, Chicago. Note the thicker bill of the Lesser Golden Plover. Photo by Kanae Hirabayashi.*

### Solitary Sandpiper

E.A.: 29 June, Decatur (RP, MD); 30 June, LCal (JL); 12 July,  
Monroe Co (KM). M.C.: 21, LCal, 7 July (JL). L.D.: 9 Oct.,  
Centerville (Piatt Co) (RC); 21 Aug. (7), LCal (JL).

### Willet

E.A.: 25 June (4), Decatur (RP, MD); 5 July (7), IBSP (AS); 6  
July (2), Monroe Co (KM). L.D.: 30 Aug., Jackson Co (RP); 29  
Aug., Chi (DM).

### Spotted Sandpiper

E.A.: 7 July, Spfld (DB); 16 July, Havana (KR). M.C.: 20, LCal,  
12 Aug. (WS). L.D.: 5 Oct., Spfld (DB); 1 Oct., Braidwood &  
Heidecke L., resp. (JM); 30 Sep., Skokie Lagoons (EW).

### Upland Sandpiper

E.A.: 30 July, Spfld (DB); 31 July, Centerville (Piatt Co) (RC);  
3 Aug., Sibley (Ford Co) (LD); 15 Aug., LCal (JL). M.C.: 14,  
Decatur (airport), 25 July (RP); 14, Decatur (airport), 28 Aug.  
(RC); 11, Spfld (airport), 3 & 14 Aug. (DB). L.D.: 28 Aug. (2),  
Cherry Hill (Boone Co) (ABr); 26 Aug., west Jackson Co (CS).  
Others: 4 July (displaying), LCal (JL).

### Whimbrel

E.A.: 29 Aug., IBSP (BE). L.D.: 23 Sep., Chi (Lincoln Park)  
(KH); 8 Sep., w. Jackson Co (\*CS).

### Hudsonian Godwit

E.A.: 2-4 Oct. (imm.), LCal (JO, m.ob.).

### Marbled Godwit

EA: 14-15 Aug. (6, then 3 ad.), Carman (Henderson Co) (AR,  
m.ob.). L.D.: 28 Sep. - 2 Oct., Decatur (RP, m.ob.).

### Ruddy Turnstone

E.A.: 27 July, LCal (SF, et al.); 21 Aug. (imm.), LCal (AS); 3  
Sep. (2), LChau (KR). M.C.: 13, west Jackson Co, 6 Sep. (CS);  
5, Heidecke L., 30 Aug. (JM). L.D.: 23 Oct. (2), IBSP (AS); 10  
Oct. (2), Wilmette (AS).

### Red Knot

E.A.: 23 Aug., LCal (JL); 5 Sep. (3 imm.), LCal (JL); 19 Sep.,  
Rend L (TF). L.D.: 12-19 Oct., Wauk (DJ). Others: 2 Oct. (2 ad.),  
Winnebago Co (2nd Co record) (\*ABr, JD).