

Buff-breasted Sandpiper

EA: 29 Jul (2), Carl.C (DMK). MC: 14, Dunham Road Sod Farms (McHenry Co), 27 Aug (DJS); 14, Rantoul Sanitary Plant (Champaign Co), 28 Aug (BG); 13, Cherry Valley (Boone Co), 26 Aug (DTW); 6, Sanganois CA (Mason Co) (SDB). LD: 1 Oct, HL (FRH).

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18-19 Jul, HL (JPZ:ph (videotape); FRH:ph; DMK:ph); 8 Aug, Chau (*SAC).

Short-billed Dowitcher

EA: 2 Jul (4), Carl.L (DMK); 4 Jul (3), LCal (WJM, JRRS). MC: 150, Chau, 17 Aug (SDB); 46, Clear L (Mason Co), 11 Aug (RGB, SNB). LD: 1 Oct, La Salle L (La Salle Co) (DJS).

Long-billed Dowitcher

EA: 23 Jul (ad.), Dunham Road Sod Farms (McHenry Co) (DFS). MC: 157, Chau, 6 Oct (RGB, SNB). LD: 23 Oct (30), Carl.L (KAM).

Wilson's Snipe

EA: 20 Jul, Two Rivers NWR (DMK). MC: 51, Carl.L, 23 Oct (KAM); 31, Chau, 6 Oct (RGB, SNB); 30+, Springbrook Pr. FP (Du Page Co), 15 Oct (UWG); 23, Dunham Road Sod Farms (McHenry Co), 1 Sep (SDB).

American Woodcock

EA: 19 Sep (2), IBSP (EWW). MC: 4, Carl.C, 29 Oct (DMK). LD: 14 Nov, Grant P (DFS).

Wilson's Phalarope

EA: 9 Jul, LCal (WJM); 20 Jul, Two Rivers NWR (DMK). MC: 10 & 7, Clear L (Mason Co), 27 Aug & 17 Aug resp. (SDB); 3, Chau, 4 Aug (DMK). LD: 18 Sep, Urbana (SDB).

Red-necked Phalarope

EA: 12 Aug, Rice L (KBR); 20 Aug, Two Rivers NWR (MST). MC: 16, Clear L (Mason Co), 27 Aug (TAM, SDB); 13, Rice L, 17 Aug (KBR).

Red Phalarope

22 Aug, Rice L (KBR).

Jaeger, sp?

4 Nov, Montrose H (RDH).

PARASITIC JAEGER

19-25 Sep, Heidecke L (Grundy Co) (*SAC, CMA:ph, m.ob.).

Laughing Gull

MC: 2, various dates Jul-Aug, Carl.C (DKM), with season total of at least 4 individuals. Others: 10-14 Sep (juv.), L Decatur (TAM); 7 Aug, Montrose H (KH:ph).

Franklin's Gull

EA: 17 Aug, Rice L (SDB); 26 Aug, Carl.C (DMK). MC: 10, Carl.C, 9 & 14 Oct (DMK); 5, Montrose H, 31 Oct (GAW). LD: 5 Nov, Carl.C (DMK et al.); 1 Nov (2), L Decatur (TAM).

Bonaparte's Gull

EA: 9 Aug (juv.), LCal (WJM). MC: 6800, Carl.L, 5 Nov (DFS, REF et al.); 1000, L Decatur, 11 Nov (TAM); 385, Heidecke L (Grundy Co), 21 Oct (DFS).

Ring-billed Gull

MC: 8000, Carl.C, 30 Sep-1 Oct (DMK).

California Gull

23 Oct (2nd yr), Carl.C (CLH); 29 Oct-11 Nov (1st yr), L Decatur (TAM:ph); 18 Nov (ad.), IBSP (*DFS).

Herring Gull

MC: 5600, Winthrop H, 18 Nov (DFS).

Thayer's Gull

EA: 29 Aug (ad.), Winthrop H (CSF:ph); 18 Oct, Grant P (DFS); 24 Oct (ad.), Montrose H (GAW). MC: 8, Winthrop H, 18 Nov (RDH).

Iceland Gull

EA: 18 Nov (ad.), Winthrop H (RDH). MC: 3, n. Cook/s. Lake Co lakefront, 11 Nov (GAW).

Lesser Black-backed Gull

EA: 29 Aug, Winthrop H (CSF:ph); 2 Sep, Wauk. (SDB); 12 Sep, Great Lakes Naval Training Center (Lake Co) (DRD); 21 Sep, Carl.C (KAM). MC: 9, Winthrop H, 18 Nov (RDH); 4, Carl.C, 18 Nov (DMK, JWE); 2, East Peoria (Tazewell Co), 15 Oct (MB); 2, Kirk Road landfill (Kane Co), 11 Nov (SAC).

Glaucous Gull

EA: 18 Nov, Winthrop H (RDH, UWG et al.).

Great Black-backed Gull

EA: 11 Nov, Kirk Road landfill (Kane Co) (SAC); 11 Nov (1st yr), Winthrop H (GAW).

Sabine's Gull

EA: 15 Sep, Carl.C (DKM); 19 Sep, L&D #14 (Rock Island Co) (SMF). MC: 2, Carl.C, 9 & 14 Oct (DMK). LD: 10 Nov (juv.), Montrose H (RDH); 28 Oct (ad.), Carl.C (DMK, CLH, RES, BR).

Black-legged Kittiwake

EA: 11-12 Nov, Carl.C (DMK, m.ob.); 25-26 Nov, L Shelbyville (Moultrie Co) (TAM, MFD, KF, TF). MC: 3 (1st yr), Gillson P, Wilmette (Cook Co), 15 Nov (RDH); 2, Winthrop H, 27 Oct (RE).

Least Tern

MC: 2, Fort Massac SP (Massac Co), 9 Aug (CLH). LD: 13 Aug (1st yr), East Fork L (Richland Co) (CLH, RES).

Caspian Tern

EA: 4 Jul (10), Carl.C (DMK); 8 Jul (3), East Fork L (Richland Co) (CLH); 13 Jul, Jasper Co (RES); 14 Jul, HL (FRH). MC: 50, Carl.C, 12 Aug (DMK); 36, Banner Marsh FWA (Fulton/Peoria Cos), 29 Aug (LLH); 29, LCal, 19 Aug (WJM). LD: 1 Oct (2), IBSP (EWW); 1 Oct (3), Chau (RLJ); 1 Oct (5), Carl.C (DMK).

Black Tern

EA: 2 Jul, L Decatur (TAM); 26 Jul, HL (FRH); 27 Jul (2), East Fork L (Richland Co) (CLH); 27 Jul (10), Carl.C (DMK); 1 Aug, Rantoul (Champaign Co) (SDB). MC: 40, Rice L, 22 & 26 Aug (KBR, SDB resp.); 40, Carl.C, 10 Sep (DMK); 25,



Wilson's Phalarope at Rollins Savanna FP, Lake County. 4 September 2006. Photo by Matthew Fletcher.



Laughing Gull at Montrose, Cook County. 7 August 2006. Photo by Kanae Hirabayashi.