

Scissor-tailed Flycatcher. Shirland Township, Winnebago County. 28 September 2012. Photo by Dan Williams.



Scissor-tailed Flycatcher with grasshopper. Northbrook, Cook County. 20 October 2012. Photo by Jane and Phil Hauck.

Eastern Kingbird

MC: 120, CarlL-C, 10 Aug (DMK); 50, Eldon Hazlet SP (Clinton Co) 20 Aug (KAM); 14 Fermilab, 25 Aug (CAT); 12, Lake Storey Park (Knox Co.) 12 Aug (CY); 12, Grundy Co., 4 Aug. (DFS). **LD:** 25 Sep, Prairie Path, Bilter area (DuPage Co) (DL).

Scissor-tailed Flycatcher x2

27-30 Sep, Boswell & Yale Bridge Rd, Rockton (Winnebago Co.) (D & MCr, DTW:ph, KML, ATB: ph, SW). **LD:** 19-21 Oct (1st yr male), Willow Hill Golf Course, Northbrook (Cook Co), (GR, m.obs.: phs.).

Loggerhead Shrike

21 Sep, Perry Co (MSS); 30 Sep, near Magnolis (Putnam Co) (EWW); 4 Oct, Wabash Co; 20 Oct, Richland (MSS, APS); 21 Oct, Marion Co.; 29 Oct, Perry Co (MSS); 25 Aug, Arnold Rd, (Montgomery Co). Six reports.

Park Golf Course, Chicago (LGM:ph); 18 Oct, Riverside Park (Sangamon Co) (HDB, ph).

Yellow-bellied Flycatcher

EA: 10 Aug, Bowen Park, Waukegan (BJS); 11 Aug, JacksonP (RLS); 11 Aug, Montrose (LGM,ph); 12 Aug, Bemis Woods FP (DFS). **MC:** 3, Burnham Nature Sanctuary, Burnham Park, 11 Sep (DFS); 3, Crystal Lake Park (Champaign Co) 29 Aug (TBs).

Acadian Flycatcher

MC: 4, Beall Woods SP (Wabash Co) 26 Aug (ES). **LD:** 28 Sep, Busey Woods, Urbana (Champaign Co) (AT, OP). Reported in 15 counties.

Alder Flycatcher

EA: 1 Aug(2), Heron Creek Forest Preserve (Lake Co.) (AV). Reported in 6 counties.

Willow Flycatcher

EA: 22 Aug, Grant Park. **LD:** 20 Sep, Wolf Rd. Prairie (calling bird) (DFS); 22 Sep, Burnham Park--McCormick Nature Area (Chicago) (CAT); 27 Sep, Springbrook Prairie FP (calling bird) (DuPage Co) (MN). Reported in at least 17 counties.



White-eyed Vireo. Washington Park, Springfield, Sangamon County. 22 October 2012. Photo by H. David Bohlen, Illinois State Museum.

Least Flycatcher

MC: 8, Lincoln Park (Montrose & Jarvis) 26 Aug (GAW). **EA:** 1 Aug, Lincoln Park Golf Course (LGM); 1 Aug (2), O'Brien Lock & Dam (Cook Co) (JIN). **LD:** 16 Oct, Jarvis (LGM).

Eastern Phoebe

MC: 10, HL 5 Aug (EC); 10, Banner Marsh FWA-- East Access (Peoria Co) 6 Sep (EC). **LD:** 17 Nov, Douglas Park (Cook Co) (AG, EDG).

Say's Phoebe

30 Aug, IBSP-N Unit (RDJ, PWS, JSw). The third record for IBSP.

Ash-throated Flycatcher

21-24 Aug, Greene Valley FP (DuPage Co) (MAM, REF, audio tape, m. obs.). Another reported 14-17 Aug, Lee Co (DHh, CMcK, ph, et.al).

Great Crested Flycatcher

MC: 7, Big Bend State FWA (Whiteside Co.) 2 Aug (DHh). **LD:** 30 Sep, Rainbow Park (Cook Co) (GAW, CLW).

Western Kingbird

25 Sep, Nygren Weltands (Winnebago Co.) (DTW, BCW, et. al); 1 Oct, Rockford International Airport (Winnebago Co.) (TL).

Northern Shrike

EA: 18 Oct, DuPage Tech Park (KW, GP); 20 Oct, (IBHW) (ASI, PSW, m.obs.); 22 Oct, Songbird Slough F.P. (DuPage) (AFS); 23 Oct (ad), LIB CA (Boone Co) (DTW). **Others:** 27 Oct-23 Nov, Glacial Park Conservation Area (McHenry Co) (RG, BD, m.obs.); 8 Nov, Pleasant Valley F.P. McHenry Co (AFS); Nov 6, GreeneVal, along the entrance road to the Thunderbird Youth Camp area (MAM); Nov. 25 Banner Marsh (Peoria Co)(MAM, APS); 31 Oct (imm) PRSNA (Marion Co.) (the southernmost) (CLH, ph., RES); 2 Nov. Forbes SP (Marion Co) (Leroy Harrison, ph.); 20 Nov LCal (Wolf Lake/Powers Fish & Wildlife Area, Chicago) (WEM); 24 Nov, Chicago Botanic Garden (GAW, CLW); 30 Nov, Horseshoe Pond (Marshall County) (TH). An excellent fall irruption, even into southern Illinois. Reported in 11 counties.

White-eyed Vireo

MC: 5, CarlL-C, 23 Sep (EGL, NG); 5, Rock Springs Municipal Park (O'Fallon) (St Clair Co) 1 Oct (GH); 5, Monroe Co, 20 Sep (C & PDh). **LD:** 22 Oct, Spfld (Washington Pk) (HDB:ph); 8 Oct, Mermet Lake (Massac Co.) (CCd).



Monk Parakeet. Chicago, Cook County. 10 August 2012. Photo by Steve Spitzer.