

### BARN OWL

MC: 2, Cypress Creek NWR (Union Co), 17 Aug (FB).

### Eastern Screech-Owl

MC: 3, Pomona (Johnson Co), 28 Sep (RR).

### Great Horned Owl

MC: 7, southwest Franklin Co, 20 Sep (LS).

### Barred Owl

MC: 14, Franklin Co, 20 Sep & 18 Nov (LS). **Others:** 15 Sep, JP (SC, m.ob.)—first JP record.

### Long-eared Owl

EA: 13 Nov, Lincoln P, Chi (GW); 17 Nov, Carl.C (DK).

### Short-eared Owl

EA: 5 Oct (3), IBSP (EW; photo, see photo in this issue); 20 Nov, Pr.Rdg (LH, BS). MC: 5, IBSP, 19 Oct (EW). LD: 15 Nov, Wilmette (Cook Co) (JKo).

### Northern Saw-whet Owl

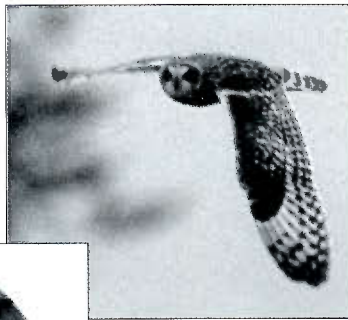
EA: 26 Oct, Hamilton Co (LS). **Others:** 16 Nov (found dead), Bloomington (McLean Co) (fide MF—specimen to Illinois State University); 17 Nov, Carl.C (DK); 22 Nov to end of period, M. Arb. (MBC, JC, m. ob); 24 & 29 Nov, Montrose (GW).

### Common Nighthawk

EA: 1 Aug, Evanston (JE)—the earliest fall migrant date in the recent Illinois journals, although migrants can perhaps be expected occasionally in late July; 14 Aug, M.Arb. (MBC). MC: 300+, 22-23 Aug, Orland P (Cook Co) (WS); 80, Evanston, 19 Aug (EW); 65, Madison Co, 16 Sep (FH). LD: 3 Oct, Madison Co (FH); 21 Sep, Downers Grove (Du Page Co) (UG); 21 Sep, IBSP (EW).

### Whip-poor-will

MC: 3, Pomona (Johnson Co), 11 Aug (RR); 2, SRSF (Mason Co), 9 Aug (JC).



*Short-eared Owl at Illinois Beach State Park. 5 October 2002. Photos by Eric Walters.*

### Chimney Swift

MC: 500, HL, 18 Sep (KM); 250, Galena (Jo Daviess Co), 29 Aug (DFS); 150, JP, 16 Aug (KC). LD: 11 Nov, McGinnis Slough, Palos (\*R&KF)—one of the few exceptional late dates for this highly predictable migrant; 19 Oct, IBSP (AS); 18 Oct, JP (SC); 15 Oct (2), Madison Co (KM). **Others:** albino, HL, 20 Sep (KM).

### Ruby-throated Hummingbird

MC: 70-100, West Frankfort (Franklin Co), 3 Aug-9 Sep (LS)—record fall high count; 5, Elgin (Kane Co), 20 Sep (fide EW). LD: 27 Oct, Glen Ellyn (Du Page Co) (JF)—record late date for northern Illinois; 27 Oct, Massac Co (FB); 25 Oct, West Frankfort (Franklin Co) (LS); 13 Oct, Downers Grove (Du Page Co) (UG).

### [SELASPHORUS, SP.

27 Sep-Dec (imm. male at feeder), Elgin, SDo.

This bird was likely a Rufous Hummingbird, but none of the photos seen are diagnostic.]

### RUFIOUS HUMMINGBIRD

14 Nov (female, banded), Mount Vernon (Jefferson Co), (CH;ph). IORC has published acceptance of eight Illinois records (all from fall and winter) through 2002. Late October-25 Dec, (ad. male), Pinckneyville (Perry Co) (BC).

### Belted Kingfisher

EA: 7 Jul (2), JP (PRC). MC: 4, Hennepin L, 12 Nov (DFS).

### Red-headed Woodpecker

EA: 11 Sep, JP (SC). MC: 41, Table Grove (Fulton Co), 12 Oct (KM). LD: 27 Nov (imm.), Wilmette (Cook Co) (EW).

### Red-bellied Woodpecker

MC: 13, Salt Creek (Cook Co), 18 Aug (DFS); 11, Carl.L, 6 Sep (KM). LD: 8-9 Oct, JP (PRC, SC).

### Yellow-bellied Sapsucker

EA: 21 Sep, Montrose (UG); 28 Sep (2), Carl.L (DK). MC: 6, GrantP, 8 Oct (DFS); 3, Carl.L, 12 Oct (KM).

### Downy Woodpecker

MC: 19, Salt Creek (Cook Co), 18 Aug (DFS); 10, Carl.L, 6 Sep (KM).

### Hairy Woodpecker

MC: 7, Salt Creek (Cook Co), 18 Aug (DFS); 4, Carl.L, 7 Oct (KM).

### Northern Flicker

MC: 34, JP, 29 Sep (PRC, KC); 25, Thatcher Woods FP (Cook Co), 12 Oct (DFS); 12, Carl.L, 7 Oct (KM). **Others:** Yellow-shafted x Red-shafted Flicker, 19 Oct, Carl.L (\*DK).

### Pileated Woodpecker

30 Aug (2), Chau (R&SBj); 7 Sep, Starved Rock SP (La Salle Co) (C&JMc); 11 Oct, Madison Co (FH); 12 Oct, Carl.F (DK).

### Olive-sided Flycatcher

EA: 8-10 Aug., SRSF (SB, IOS); 24 Aug, Lake Co (KD). LD: 25 Sep, Fulton Co (LLH). Only singles reported.

### Eastern Wood-Pewee

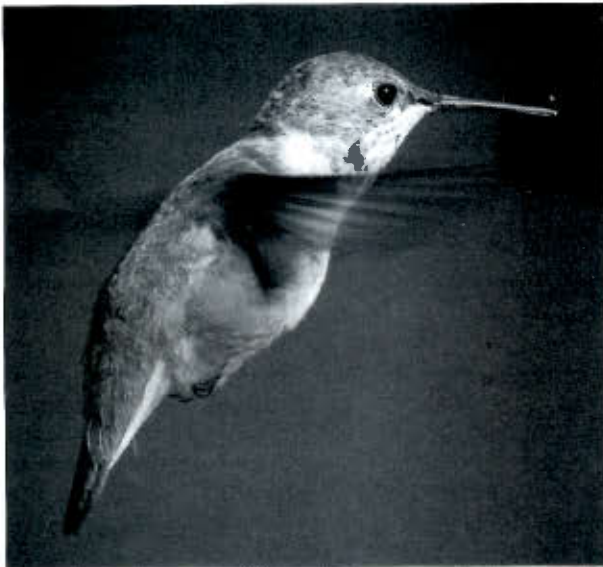
EA: 25 Aug, JP (PRC). MC: 12, Carl.L, 29 Aug (KM); 10, M.Arb., 22 Sep (MBC). LD: 12 Oct (2), Carl.L (DK, KM); 10 Oct, M.Arb. (MBC).

### Yellow-bellied Flycatcher

EA: 10 Aug, IBSP (EW). LD: 15 Sep, Fox Run Conservation Area (Putnam Co) (UG); 14 Sep, Carl.L (DK, KM, IOS).

### Acadian Flycatcher

EA: 10 Aug, IBSP (EW). LD: 3 Oct, New Columbia (Massac Co) (FB)—record late date; 21 Sep, Montrose (UG, JS).



*Selasphorus Hummingbird, seen 27 Sep through Dec 2002, immature male at feeder. Elgin, Illinois. Photo by Mary Kay Rubey.*