

IOS Listers Corner 2011

Miscellaneous Lists: The Kitchen Sink

Key: * = last updated 2010 # = last updated pre-2010 • = list submitted
(updated 5/26/12; compiled by Joe Lill)

Most Counties with 250+ Species

With the increased interest in county listing, it is expected that there will be a number of substantive changes to this list within the next few years.

(3 minimum)

9	Pete Moxon
5	Louise Augustine
5	Leroy Harrison
5	Mike Madsen
5	Jeff Sanders
4	Michael Baum
4	Robert Chapel
4	Travis Mahan
4	Kevin Richmond
4	Eric Secker
3	Steve Bailey
3	Thad Edmonds
3	Todd Fink
3	Vernon Kleen
3	Keith McMullen
3	Richard D. Palmer
3	Robert Q. Randall
3	Alan Stokie
3	Doug Stotz
3	Eric Walters
3	Dan Williams

Most Counties with 200+ Species

In a few years it might be necessary to raise the threshold for this list to a higher number of counties!

(5 minimum)

20	Pete Moxon
17	Eric Walters
14	Doug Stotz
13	Keith McMullen
13	Alan Stokie
12	Vernon Kleen
12	Mike Madsen
11	Jeff Sanders
10	Robert Chapel
10	Leroy Harrison
9	Michael Baum
8	Steve Bailey
8	Jeff Chapman
8	Todd Fink
8	Dan Williams
7	Doug Robinson
6	Maury Brucker
6	Richard D. Palmer
6	Kevin Richmond

6	Bob Shelby
5	Louise Augustine
5	Thad Edmonds
5	Bob Fisher
5	Urs Geiser
5	Travis Mahan
5	Eric Secker
5	Darrell Shambaugh
5	Craig Taylor

Most Counties with 150+ Species

The past two years have brought a record number of changes to this list. This year's addition of the regional TCPS lists should result in some interesting developments in this area in the near future.

(10 minimum)

52	Eric Walters
36	Jeff Chapman
34	Doug Stotz
27	Vernon Kleen
24	Michael Baum
22	Pete Moxon
20	Leroy Harrison
20	Mike Madsen
19	Keith McMullen
19	Alan Stokie
18	Dan Williams
17	Jeff Sanders
16	Kevin Richmond
16	Craig Taylor
15	Thad Edmonds
14	Richard Palmer
14	Darrell Shambaugh
13	Tim Kuesel
12	Robert Chapel
12	Jim Mountjoy
11	Bob Shelby
10	Doug Robinson
10	Eric Secker

Spring Bird Count - Life Lists

(100 minimum)

233	Eric Walters
223	Michael Baum (all but one in Knox Co.)
215	Travis Mahan
207	Doug Stotz
<u>204</u>	Frank Holmes (all in Madison Co.)
197	Jim Mountjoy (all in Knox Co.)
196#	Jim Solum
188#	Jeff Sanders
187	Bill A. Bertrand
184	Geoff Williamson (all in Cook Co.)
176#	Darrell Shambaugh (all in DeKalb Co.)
168	Thad Edmonds
168	Craig Taylor
158#	Jeff Chapman (all in Du Page Co.)
157	Mike Madsen (all in Du Page Co.)
151	Eric Secker (West DuPage Woods)
<u>150#</u>	Karen & Ted Forcum
137	Jeff Smith (all in Du Page Co.)
121#	Larry L. Hood

Christmas Bird Count - Life Lists

Steve Bailey updated his list, and he has set a new standard for this category!

(50 minimum)

165	Steve Bailey
<u>161#</u>	Vernon Kleen
149	David B. Johnson
145	Jeff Sanders
144	Eric Walters
131	Doug Stotz
130	Travis Mahan
130#	Rhonda Rothrock
128	Craig Taylor
127	Jeff Smith
125	Thad Edmonds
<u>125</u>	Geoff Williamson
117#	Jeff Chapman
116	Frank Holmes (all on Collinsville CBC)
115	Mike Madsen
112#	Michael Baum
<u>100#</u>	Darrell Shambaugh
99#	Joe Suchecki
89	Joan I. Norek
83	Bill A. Bertrand
71#	Jim Solum
65#	Larry L. Hood

IOS Field Trips - Life Lists

This is only the third year we've had this list so there's plenty of room for new members!

(100 minimum)

270	Craig Taylor
242	Thad Edmonds
216	Jeff Smith

Buddy Lists

The Fishers picked up two new Buddy Birds this year: the Mountain Bluebird and the Cassin's Sparrow. The increase in interest in this list could result in an raising of the threshold next year.

(150 minimum)

374	Bob Fisher & Karen Fisher •
363	Louise Augustine & Kevin Richmond •
340	Tim Kuesel & Craig Taylor
328	Greg Neise & Jeff Skrentny
326	Leroy Harrison & Bob Shelby
317	Jeff Sanders & Al Stokie
313	Pete Moxon & Eric Secker
313	Pete Moxon & Jeff Smith
307	Dan Kassebaum & Travis Mahan
305	Michael Baum & Kevin Richmond
296	Ira Sanders & Jeff Sanders
293	Joe Lill & Jeff Sundberg
278	Josh Engel & Eric Walters
274	Jake Cvetas & Matthew Cvetas
272	Michael Baum & Jim Mountjoy
272	Rena Cohen & Jeff Sanders
264	Toby Brown & Eric Walters
264	Caitlin Lill & Joe Lill
263	Wes Serafin & Eric Walters
260	Jill Anderson & Walter Marcisz
259	Jill Anderson & Dan Anzia
256	Mark Agnor & Joe Lill
251	Michael Baum & Andy Sigler
232	Bonnie Duman & Jeff Sanders
231	Matthew Cvetas & Fran Morel
230	Joe Lill & Jeff Sanders
208	Matthew Cvetas & Jeff Thomas
190	Mike Kustka & Craig Taylor
177	Jill Anderson & Jeff Sundberg
168	Alan Anderson & Jill Anderson
168	Jill Anderson & Jeff Sanders
163	Jill Anderson & Doris Johanson

Regional Big Years

Seven birders managed to identify 250 or more species in this region during 2011. If this continues the threshold may be raised to 250 next year. Pete Moxon and Al Stokie continue to thoroughly bird the Northern region.

(200 minimum; 225 in the Northern region)

Northern

313	Pete Moxon	2011	Northern
308	Pete Moxon	2009	Northern
307	Pete Moxon	2010	Northern
296	Alan Stokie	2011	Northern
295	Eric Walters	2009	Northern
294	Alan Stokie	2009	Northern
292	Pete Moxon	2008	Northern
289	Alan Stokie	2010	Northern
286	Eric Walters	1990	Northeast
285	Mike Madsen	2009	Northern
283	Doug Stotz	2009	Northern
283	Eric Walters	2010	Northern
282	Alan Stokie	2008	Northern
282	Greg Neise	2011	Northern
280	Mike Madsen	2008	Northern
280	Greg Neise	2009	Northern
279	Eric Walters	2007	Northern
278	Doug Stotz	2005	Northern
277	Doug Stotz	2008	Northern
277	Eric Walters	2011	Northern
274	Doug Stotz	2010	Northern
273	Doug Stotz	1998	Northern
273	Eric Secker	2008	Northeast
272	Michael Baum	2009	Northern
272	Joe Lill	2011	Northern
271	Eric Walters	1997	Northeast
271	Joe Lill	2008	Northern
270	Doug Stotz	2007	Northern
269	Eric Walters	2008	Northern
268	Eric Walters	1991	Northeast
267	Eric Walters	2006	Northern
267	Mike Madsen	2010	Northern
267	Mike Madsen	2011	Northern
266	Scott Cohrs	2008	Northern
265	Eric Walters	1988	Northeast
264	Robert Hughes	1996	Cook Co.
264	Joe Lill	2009	Northern
263	Eric Walters	1989	Northeast
263	Craig Taylor	2010	Northern
262	Doug Stotz	2011	Northern
260	Sue Friscia	1992	Cook Co.
260	Wes Serafin	2003	Cook Co.
258	Scott Cohrs	2004	Northern
256	Craig Taylor	2008	Northern
255	Joe Lill	2010	Northern
245	Darrell Shambaugh	2009	Northern
244	Darrell Shambaugh	2000	Northern
241	Darrell Shambaugh	2004	Northern
241	Anthony Friend	2005	Northern
241	Darrell Shambaugh	2008	Northern

239	Darrell Shambaugh	2003	Northern
239	Darrell Shambaugh	2005	Northern
234	Craig Taylor	2009	Northern
234	Darrell Shambaugh	2010	Northern
233	Craig Taylor	2011	Northern
232	Craig Taylor	2007	Northern
230	Eric Walters	2005	Northern

Central

266	Jim Mountjoy	2009	Central
264	Michael Baum	2008	Central
247	Jim Mountjoy	2008	Central
245	Jim Mountjoy	2011	Central
236	Michael Baum	2006	Knox Co.
236	Thad Edmonds	2010	Central
235	Jim Mountjoy	2007	Central
232	Eric Walters	2008	Central
232	Jim Mountjoy	2010	Central
230	Mike Madsen	2011	Central
224	Craig Taylor	2009	Central
216	Mike Madsen	2010	Central
215	Eric Walters	2005	Central
205	Thad Edmonds	2011	Central
202	Craig Taylor	2010	Central

Southern

306	Dan Kassebaum	2008	Southern
301	Dan Kassebaum	2007	Southern
246	Eric Walters	2008	Southern
233	Craig Taylor	2010	Southern
228	Craig Taylor	2008	Southern
225	Craig Taylor	2007	Southern
225	Craig Taylor	2011	Southern
222	Craig Taylor	2009	Southern
203	Craig Taylor	2004	Southern

Green Life List

A 'Green Life List' is the total species found at one's residence combined with species seen when traveling from said residence without using fossil fuels (i.e. walking, running, biking, horseback riding or other similar activity).

(100 minimum)

225	Michelle Devlin
190	Bernie Sloan
170	Jeff Sundberg

Big Green Big Year (BIGBY)

(100 minimum)

209	Michelle Devlin	2010
155	Michelle Devlin	2011
155	Joan Norek	2010
146	Jeff Sundberg	2011
120	Jeff Sundberg	2009
111	Jeff Sundberg	2010

Early Dates (top five)

EARLIEST DATE: 100 SPECIES IDENTIFIED

01/04/98 H. David Bohlen
01/04/04 Keith McMullen
01/29/00 Frank Bennett
01/29/00 Dan Kassebaum
01/29/00 Keith McMullen

EARLIEST DATE: 200 SPECIES IDENTIFIED

04/13/10 Pete Moxon
04/17/04 Keith McMullen
04/18/08 Keith McMullen
04/22/09 Craig Taylor
04/23/08 Craig Taylor

EARLIEST DATE: 250 SPECIES IDENTIFIED

05/03/08 Keith McMullen
05/08/09 Michael Baum
05/08/09 Craig Taylor
05/09/10 Eric Walters
05/12/08 Eric Walters
05/12/10 Craig Taylor

EARLIEST DATE: 300 SPECIES IDENTIFIED

05/10/11 Pete Moxon
05/28/10 Pete Moxon
05/30/09 Pete Moxon
07/09/09 Michael Baum
07/18/09 Bob Fisher

City Big Days

No new reports have been submitted in over six years. It is surprising that neither Rockford nor Springfield are listed, as both cities have ample variety of habitat to support a day tally of 100 or more species. As with all Big Days, a team effort is required for future submissions to this list.

(100 species minimum)

124	Chicago	05/19/97	J. Engel, E. Walters
113	Chicago	05/09/96	P. Clyne
112	Chicago	05/04/00	S. Carpenter, P. Clyne
109	Chicago	05/19/05	D. Stotz
108	Chicago	05/09/89	S. Suter
108	Evanston	05/08/99	J. Engel, E. Walters
107	Chicago	05/10/96	K. Hirabayashi
106	Chicago	05/18/08	S. Huggins, G. Neise & (Lincoln Park) K. Wysocki
104	Chicago	05/08/97	E. Walters
102	Chicago	05/20/94	W. Serafin
102	Chicago	05/20/02	E. Walters
102	Evanston	05/10/03	E. Walters

City Life List

Among the number of rare birds that appeared in Chicago last year was the Sage Thrasher, which allowed Jeff Sanders to move up by one species. (150 minimum)

328	Chicago	Jeff Sanders
314	Chicago	Eric Walters
311	Chiacgo	Owen McHugh
310	Chicago	Geoff Williamson
309	Chicago	Greg Neise
308	Chicago	Alan Stokie
301	Chicago	Doug Stotz
300	Chicago	Joe Lill
283	Evanston	Eric Walters
281	Chicago	Ken Wysocki
278	Chicago	David K. Antieau
269	Chicago	Craig Taylor
267	Chicago	Tom Lally
261	Chicago	Matthew Cvetas
257	Chicago	Tom Schulenberg
257	Wilmette	Eric Walters
253	Waukegan	Eric Walters
252	Evanston	Josh Engel
250	Peoria	Kevin Richmond
243	Chicago	Michelle Devlin
231	Naperville	Joe Suchecki
229	Chicago	Jeff Chapman
211	Evanston	Matthew Cvetas
210	Lake Forest	Roy Peterson
210	Zion	Eric Walters
205	Winnetka	Jeff Sanders
200	Galesburg	Jim Mountjoy
195	Chicago	Cyndi Lubecke
195	Galesburg	Michael Baum
195	Winthrop Harbor	Eric Walters
186	Arlington Heights	Joan Bruchman
171	Evanston	Jeff Sanders
171	Glencoe	Jeff Sanders
164	Waukegan	Jeff Sanders
158	Zion	Jeff Sanders
152	De Kalb	Jeff Sanders
150	Morton	Kevin Richmond

Updates & corrections?

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