

# ***IOS Listers Corner 2014***

## **Year Lists: 2014, Regional & Alltime Big Years Progression of the Big Year Record; Most 300+ Big Years**

Pete Moxon again appears at the top of the Big Year category, and last year's leader Colin Dobson puts in another impressive showing for second place! It is also noteworthy that four birders (led by Jude Vickery) broke 300 for the first time. In the category of 'Most 300+ Big Years' Keith McMullen extends his streak to 16, while Bob Fisher and Al Stokie join the late Bob Chapel with the second-most number of years over 300.

*Final totals are subject to change pending approval of sightings of review-list species by the Illinois Ornithological Records Committee.*

**Key:** • = list submitted

*(updated 3/27/15)*

### **2014 Illinois Year List**

324	Pete Moxon •
319	Colin Dobson •
314	Bob Fisher •
310	Keith McMullen •
310	Jude Vickery •
309	Joshua Little •
306	Fran Morel •
304	Joan Norek •
302	Jeff Smith •
301	Alan Stokie •
295	Andrew Aldrich
293	Jeffrey Sanders
290	Dan Williams
289	Scott Latimer
276	Matthew Cvetas
275	Joe Lill
274	Karen Fisher
274	Ted Hartzler
274	Craig Taylor
273	Doug Stotz
270	Jeff Sundberg
268	Jim Mountjoy
265	Urs Geiser
265	John P. Leonard
263	Tim Kuesel
263	Geoffrey A. Williamson
259	Phred Benham
249	Jake Cvetas
245	Anthony Friend
242	Cole Wolf
232	Christine Williamson
221	Darrell Shambaugh
211	Jake Bartecki
202	Vernon Kleen

### **Alltime Big Year Lists (over 300)**

334	Pete Moxon	2011•
330	Keith McMullen	2009•
330	Pete Moxon	2009•
325	Bob Fisher	2009•
324	Pete Moxon	2014•
323	Pete Moxon	2010•
322	Bob Fisher	2004•
322	Jeff Skrentny	2009•
320	Andy Sigler	2008•
319	Colin Dobson	2013•
319	Colin Dobson	2014•
318	Keith McMullen	2007•
317	Bruce Heimer	2008•
317	Michael Baum	2009•
316	Robert Chapel	1996•
316	Karen Fisher	2004•
316	Pete Moxon	2012•
315	Robert Chapel	2000•
315	Keith McMullen	2013•
315	Pete Moxon	2013•
314	Kevin Richmond	1986•
314	Alan Stokie	2003•
314	Keith McMullen	2004•
314	Bob Fisher	2014•
313	Keith McMullen	2011•
313	Aaron Gyllenhaal	2012•
313	Keith McMullen	2012•
312	Jeff Smith	2009•
312	Craig Taylor	2010•
311	Keith McMullen	2008•
311	Mike Madsen	2009•
310	Louise Augustine	1986•
310	Alan Stokie	2004•
310	Keith McMullen	2014•
310	Jude Vickery	2014•
309	Eric Walters	1990•
309	Robert Chapel	1998
309	Michael Retter	1999•
309	Travis Mahan	2003•
309	Alan Stokie	2005•

309	Jeffrey Sanders	2009•
309	Joshua Little	2014•
308	Richard Biss	1978
307	Tom Pucelik	1983
307	Bob Fisher	2013•
306	Robert Chapel	1999
306	Adam Reyburn	1999
306	Keith McMullen	2000
306	Robert Chapel	2001
306	Jeffrey Sanders	2008•
306	Karen Fisher	2009•
306	David B. Johnson	2010
306	Keith McMullen	2010•
306	Fran Morel	2014•
305	Kevin Richmond	1985
305	Robert Chapel	1995•
305	Craig Taylor	2008
305	Rob Erickson	2009
305	Greg Neise	2009•
305	Eric Walters	2009
304	Joan Norek	2014•
303	Robert Chapel	1997
303	Keith McMullen	2001
303	Keith McMullen	2006
303	Bob Fisher	2010•
303	Andrew Aldrich	2012•
303	Alan Stokie	2012•
303	Jeffrey Sanders	2013•
302	Louise Augustine	1988•
302	Eric Walters	1989
302	Eric Secker	2004
302	Keith McMullen	2005
302	Jeffrey Sanders	2005•
302	Alan Stokie	2011
302	Jeff Smith	2014•
301	Myrna Deaton	1988
301	Todd Fink	1994
301	Keith McMullen	2003
301	Mike Madsen	2005•
301	Tim Kuesel	2010•

301	Greg Neise	2011
301	Beau Schaefer	2011
301	Bob Fisher	2012•
301	Alan Stokie	2014•
300	Myrna Deaton	1994
300	Keith McMullen	1999•
300	Alan Stokie	1999
300	Keith McMullen	2002
300	Bob Fisher	2008

### Progression of the IL Big Year Record

75+	Robert Kennicott	c.1855
100+	F. Dayton	c.1895
117	Herbert & Alice Walter	1897
162+	Benjamin T. Gault	c.1925
170	William Dreuth	1932
182	William Dreuth	1933
187	William Dreuth	1937
203	William Dreuth	1938
225+	Charles C. Clark	c.1960
241	Betty & Harry Shaw	1970
290	Larry Balch	1971
308	Richard Biss	1978
314	Kevin Richmond	1986
316	Robert Chapel	1996
322	Bob Fisher	2004
330	Keith McMullen	2009
330	Pete Moxon	2009
334	Pete Moxon	2011

### Most 300+ Illinois Big Years

(3 minimum)

16	Keith McMullen
7	Robert Chapel
7	Bob Fisher
7	Alan Stokie
6	Pete Moxon
4	Jeffrey Sanders
3	Eric Walters

### Regional Big Years

Pete Moxon broke 300 species in the Northern Region this year, and five other Northern birders also submitted year lists of 250+ species. Outside of the Northern Region, Jim Mountjoy exceeded 250 in the Central Region, but no birder has submitted a 200+ Big Year from the Southern Region since 2011 – a challenge for some enterprising birder?

(200 minimum; 225 in the Northern region)

#### Northern

313	Pete Moxon	2011	Northern	296	Pete Moxon	2013	Northern
308	Pete Moxon	2009	Northern	295	Eric Walters	2009	Northern
307	Pete Moxon	2010	Northern	294	Alan Stokie	2009	Northern
305	Pete Moxon	2014	Northern	294	Alan Stokie	2014	Northern
300	Pete Moxon	2012	Northern	292	Pete Moxon	2008	Northern
300	Alan Stokie	2012	Northern	291	Alan Stokie	2013	Northern
296	Alan Stokie	2011	Northern	289	Jeff Sanders	2009	Northern

289	Alan Stokie	2010	Northern	244	Darrell Shambaugh	2000	Northern
287	Jeff Sanders	2014	Northern	244	Joe Lill	2013	Northern
286	Eric Walters	1990	Northeast	241	Darrell Shambaugh	2004	Northern
285	Mike Madsen	2009	Northern	241	Anthony Friend	2005	Northern
285	Jeff Sanders	2013	Northeast	241	Darrell Shambaugh	2008	Northern
283	Doug Stotz	2009	Northern	239	Darrell Shambaugh	2003	Northern
283	Eric Walters	2010	Northern	239	Darrell Shambaugh	2005	Northern
282	Alan Stokie	2008	Northern	234	Craig Taylor	2009	Northern
282	Greg Neise	2011	Northern	234	Darrell Shambaugh	2010	Northern
281	Jeff Sanders	2008	Northern	233	Craig Taylor	2011	Northern
280	Greg Neise	2009	Northern	232	Craig Taylor	2007	Northern
280	Mike Madsen	2008	Northern	230	Eric Walters	2005	Northern
280	Greg Neise	2009	Northern				
280	Andrew Aldrich	2013	Northern				
279	Eric Walters	2007	Northern	266	Jim Mountjoy	2009	Central
278	Doug Stotz	2005	Northern	264	Michael Baum	2008	Central
277	Doug Stotz	2008	Northern	264	Jim Mountjoy	2009	Central
277	Eric Walters	2011	Northern	264	Jim Mountjoy	2013	Central
275	Michelle Devlin	2012	Northern	262	Jim Mountjoy	2014	Central
274	Doug Stotz	2010	Northern	250	Benjamin Murphy	2013	Central
273	Doug Stotz	1998	Northern	248	Jim Mountjoy	2008	Central
273	Eric Secker	2008	Northeast	247	Jim Mountjoy	2012	Central
273	Doug Stotz	2012	Northern	245	Jim Mountjoy	2011	Central
272	Michael Baum	2009	Northern	236	Michael Baum	2006	Knox Co.
272	Joe Lill	2011	Northern	236	Thad Edmonds	2010	Central
272	Doug Stotz	2014	Northern	235	Jim Mountjoy	2007	Central
271	Eric Walters	1997	Northeast	233	Mike Madsen	2012	Central
271	Joe Lill	2008	Northern	232	Eric Walters	2008	Central
270	Doug Stotz	2007	Northern	232	Jim Mountjoy	2010	Central
269	Eric Walters	2008	Northern	230	Mike Madsen	2011	Central
269	Joan Norek	2013	Northern	230	Craig Taylor	2014	Central
268	Eric Walters	1991	Northeast	226	Cole Wolf	2014	Central
267	Eric Walters	2006	Northern	224	Craig Taylor	2009	Central
267	Mike Madsen	2010	Northern	216	Mike Madsen	2010	Central
267	Mike Madsen	2011	Northern	215	Eric Walters	2005	Central
266	Scott Cohrs	2008	Northern	205	Thad Edmonds	2011	Central
265	Eric Walters	1988	Northeast	205	Thad Edmonds	2012	Central
265	Joe Lill	2012	Northern	202	Craig Taylor	2010	Central
265	Fran Morel	2012	Northern				
265	Michelle Devlin	2013	Northern				
265	Doug Stotz	2013	Northern	246	Eric Walters	2008	Southern
264	Robert Hughes	1996	Cook Co.	233	Craig Taylor	2010	Southern
264	Joe Lill	2009	Northern	228	Craig Taylor	2008	Southern
263	Eric Walters	1989	Northeast	225	Craig Taylor	2007	Southern
263	Craig Taylor	2010	Northern	225	Craig Taylor	2011	Southern
262	Doug Stotz	2011	Northern	222	Craig Taylor	2009	Southern
261	Mike Madsen	2012	Northern	203	Craig Taylor	2004	Southern
261	Beau Schaefer	2012	Lake Co.				
261	Mike Madsen	2013	Northern				
260	Sue Friscia	1992	Cook Co.				
260	Wes Serafin	2003	Cook Co.				
258	Scott Cohrs	2004	Northern				
256	Craig Taylor	2008	Northern				
256	Joe Lill	2014	Northern				
255	Joe Lill	2010	Northern				
250	Beau Schaefer	2014	Lake Co.				
245	Darrell Shambaugh	2009	Northern				

**Central**

**Southern**