

IOS Listers Corner 2015

Yard Life Lists: Rural, Suburban & Urban

Fran Morel added seven species to his suburban yard list in 2015. Jeff and Melinda Born Chapman combined to add eight species to the household list for their suburban home.

Key: italics = final tally at site

* = last updated in 2014
(50 minimum)

= last updated pre-2014
(updated 7/1/16)

Yard Life List-Suburban

207	Richard Biss	Lake Villa	5#		106	Craig Taylor	La Grange	28
196	Bob Fisher	Downers Grove	45		106	<i>Eric Walters</i>	<i>Glen Ellyn</i>	5
196	Karen Fisher	Downers Grove	45		104	Sid Steele	Charleston	7#
182	Donnie Dann	Highland Park	30		<u>100</u>	Amos Minor	Lake Bluff	18#
176	<i>Muriel Smith</i>	<i>West Chicago</i>	<i>13</i>		99	Bruce Heimer	Elmhurst	24#
175	Jeff Donaldson	Rockford	33#		97	John P. Leonard	Glenview	15
163	Marilyn F. Campbell	Georgetown	30#		97	Marcia Lonergan	Lake Forest	18#
160	<i>Laurence C. Binford</i>	<i>Glencoe</i>	<i>48</i>		95	Jerry Diederich	Morris	23#
158	Jill Anderson	River Forest	29		95	<i>Mike Madsen</i>	<i>Lisle</i>	4
156	<i>Kay Hanson</i>	<i>Hinsdale</i>	<i>18</i>		94	<i>Randall Mains</i>	<i>Naperville</i>	4
152	David Brenner	Lincolnwood	42#		93	Jim Solum	Gurnee	21#
<u>152</u>	Robert Randall	Jacksonville	21#		91	Joe Suchecki	Naperville	27#
148	Matthew Cvetas	Evanston	10		89	<i>Todd Anderson</i>	<i>Mundelein #1</i>	14
146	Doug Stotz	Westchester	15*		89	Sue Friscia	Alsip	21#
144	John McKee	Ottawa	31#		87	Cindy Alberico	Crest Hill	20#
142	<i>Craig Miller</i>	<i>Lake in the Hills</i>	<i>4</i>		86	Bill A. Bertrand	Aledo	35#
140	Jon J. Duerr	St. Charles	35*		86	Myrna Deaton	Decatur	11#
139	Todd Anderson	Mundelein #2	6		86	Al Dierkes	Quincy	5#
138	Judy Staberow	Palos Park	15#		85	John Baker	St. Charles	4#
135	Josh Engel	Evanston	14#		85	Denis Kania	Naperville	12#
135	Wes Serafin	Orland Park	28#		81	<i>Craig Litteken</i>	<i>Belleville</i>	3
134	Ted Hartzler	Minonk	40		79	Urs Geiser	Woodridge	24
134	Mike Madsen	Woodridge	32*		79	<i>Marie Nilsson</i>	<i>Evanston</i>	4
134	Eric Secker	Wheaton	19		76	Kevin Wright	Canton	7#
132	Matt Fraker	Bloomington	42*		73	Jay Jaeger	Minooka	11
131	Melinda Born Chapman	Woodridge	17		70	<i>George Roberts</i>	<i>Lake Forest</i>	3
126	Jeff Chapman	Woodridge	17		69	Jean Lesniak	Niles	25#
125	Jeff Sundberg	Libertyville	24		65	Vernon Kleen	Springfield	6#
123	Cynthia McKee	Ottawa	10#		65	Ruth Lempert	Glenview	17#
123	Donna Motherway	Riverwoods	14#		61	David Carlson	Orland Park	3*
123	Richard Peiser	Glen Ellyn	14#		57	<i>David Irons</i>	<i>Fairmount</i>	3
123	Eric Walters	Zion	10*		57	David B. Johnson	Buffalo Grove	9#
121	Denis Bohm	Mettawa	12*					
120	Carolyn Fields	Palatine	10#					
119	Jake Cvetas	Evanston	10		204	Michael Baum	Dahinda	27
119	<i>Bob Vanderpoel</i>	<i>Des Plaines</i>	<i>17</i>		196	Michael Ward	Nortonville	12#
118	Alex Meloy	Evanston	30#		192	Dan Williams	Rockford	21#
117	Fran Morel	Evanston	11		187	Judy De Neal	Harrisburg	13#
115	Roy Peterson	Lake Forest	42#		183	James O. Smith	Homer	50#
114	Michael Hogg	Northbrook	32#		173	<i>Todd Fink</i>	<i>Ozark</i>	11
113	Larry L. Hood	Bushnell	12#		161	Darlene Fiske	Woodstock	44#
112	Dick Young	Naperville	5#		<u>160</u>	<i>Bob Shelby</i>	<i>West Salem #1</i>	27
109	Cyndi Lubecke	Prospect Heights	26		147	<i>Vernon Kleen</i>	<i>Athens</i>	20
108	Scott Latimer	Elmhurst	26*		144	Todd Bugg	Lexington	7#
107	Chris Bowman	Geneva	13		140	Michael L. Retter	Colfax	5#
107	Jackie Bowman	Geneva	13		139	<i>Jeff Walk</i>	<i>Newton</i>	3
106	Colin Dobson	Jacksonville	12		139	Laraine Wright	Makanda Twp.	22#
106	Julie Long	St. Charles	25#		137	<i>Dan Miller</i>	<i>Murphysboro</i>	2

Yard Life List-Rural

136	Thad Edmonds	Dunlap	9#
136	Rhonda Rothrock	Pomona	3#
134	Pete Fenner	East Peoria	17
118	Bob Shelby	West Salem #2	1#
117	<i>Renee Baade</i>	<i>Woodstock</i>	6
116	John Heneghan	Big Rock	6
115	Ken Vail	Quincy	9#
113	Larry L. Hood	Bushnell	12#
108	Sean Carroll	Lakemoor	4#
99	Ken Heinze	Quincy	6#
98	Richard Funk	Charleston	25#
81	Wayne Wachholz	Prophetstown	8#
75	Wilda D. Sutherland	Pleasant Hill	23#
74	Dustin Holschuh	Rock Falls	8#
70	Rosemarie Kirwan	Lake Villa	3#
68	Marilyn Hougland	Pleasant Hill	18#
51	Kathryn Schmid	Cissna Park	9#

Yard Life List-Urban

173	Beth Chato	Urbana	51*
139	Jim Mountjoy	Galesburg #2	13
138	Helen I. Wuestenfeld	Jerseyville	28#
133	Keith McMullen	O'Fallon	21*
121	<i>Tom Schulenberg</i>	<i>Chicago</i>	12
113	Phred Benham	Champaign	2*
113	<i>Richard Biss</i>	<i>Franklin Park</i>	11
105	Alex Bloss	Chicago	22
100	Tom Lally	Chicago	11#
97	Brad Grover	Belvidere	5#
92	Michelle Devlin	Chicago	9*
92	Ronald C. Flemal	DeKalb	12#
92	Frank Holmes	Granite City	25#
91	Joe Lill	Chicago	26
90	<i>Michael Baum</i>	<i>Galesburg</i>	4
90	Benjamin Murphy	Normal	6
89	Mike Donahue	Danville	5#
87	<i>Jim Mountjoy</i>	<i>Galesburg #1</i>	2
77	Jane Pedersen	Chicago	18#
73	Paul Quagliana	Chicago	6#
66	<i>Geoffrey Williamson</i>	<i>Chicago</i>	7
63	Randy Wade	Chicago	49#
61	<i>Roger Digges</i>	<i>Urbana</i>	12
56	Jerry Arduino	Chicago	2#

Yard Life List-Household

203	Bob & Karen Fisher	Downers Grove	45
194	Barbara & Dan Williams	Rockford	23
164	Karen & Ted Forcum	Mode	42#
161	<i>Binford Household</i>	<i>Glencoe</i>	48
137	Jeff & Melinda Born Chapman	Woodridge	17
126	<i>Jim & Beth Harris</i>	<i>St. Anne</i>	6
125	Judy & Scott Pollock	Evanston	13#
117	Joyce & Peter Boyle	Lake Forest	7#
107	Chris & Jackie Bowman	Geneva	13
106	Don & Ferne Rogers	Charleston	40#
95	Pete & Sally Fenner	East Peoria	12#
87	Joel/Dorothy Orlinsky	Ingleside	4#

Yard Big Days

This is defined as the number of species identified from one's yard during the course of one day.

85	M. Baum	Dahinda	05/10/96
78	R. Biss	Lake Villa	05/13/98
66	K. & B. Fisher	Downers Grove	09/09/00
65	K. & B. Fisher	Downers Grove	05/10/02
55	R. Biss	Lake Villa	10/17/99
42	E. Walters	Zion	05/15/15
41	D. Motherway	Riverwoods	05/16/02

Yard Big Years

The Chapmans (Jeff & Melinda) and Mike Madsen live within a mile of each other in Woodridge. Their yard totals for 2015 turned out to be identical! (50 species minimum; top three totals per yard)

158	Richard Biss	Lake Villa	1997
148	Richard Biss	Lake Villa	1998
142	Richard Biss	Lake Villa	1999
133	Karen/Bob Fisher	Downers Grove	2002
108	Matthew Cvetas	Evanston	2012
107	Matthew Cvetas	Evanston	2013
106	Doug Stotz	Westchester	2011
104	Jill Anderson	River Forest	2003
103	Todd Anderson	Mundelein	2014
102	Matthew Cvetas	Evanston	2011
101	Todd Anderson	Mundelein	2013
96	Doug Stotz	Westchester	2013
95	Eric Secker	Wheaton	2002
93	Phred Benham	Champaign	2013
90	Tom Schulenberg	Chicago	2006
89	Tom Schulenberg	Chicago	2007
88	Darlene Fiske	Woodstock	2010
87	Doug Stotz	Westchester	2012
87	Doug Stotz	Westchester	2014
80	Tom Schulenberg	Chicago	2005
80	Eric Secker	Wheaton	2005
80	Darlene Fiske	Woodstock	2009
79	Eric Secker	Wheaton	2003
77	Pete Fenner	East Peoria	2008
76	Jeff/Melinda Chapman	Woodridge	2009
74	Eric Walters	Zion	2005
74	Mike Madsen	Woodridge	2008
72	Fran Morel	Evanston	2011
72	Eric Walters	Zion	2011
68	Jeff/Melinda Chapman	Woodridge	2015
68	Mike Madsen	Woodridge	2015
66	Eric Walters	Zion	2010
66	Darlene Fiske	Woodstock	2011
65	Michelle Devlin	Chicago	2013
64	Cyndi Lubecke	Prospect Hts.	2013
59	Cyndi Lubecke	Prospect Hts.	2009
58	Todd Anderson	Mundelein	2009
56	Pete Fenner	East Peoria	2007
55	Cyndi Lubecke	Prospect Hts.	2012

Updates & corrections?

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