

IOS Listers Corner 2021

Year Lists: 2021, Regional & Alltime Big Years Progression of the Big Year Record; Most 300+ Big Years

Colin Dobson tops the Big Year list for the sixth time. The other 300+ Big Year birders have all reached that milestone in the past. However, there are many new names on this list this year, led by newcomer Audrey Carl, who just missed joining the 300 Club.

Final totals may change over time as listers make adjustments to their totals; for instance, in response to decisions by the Illinois Ornithological Records Committee related to sightings of review-list species.

Key: • = list submitted

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2021 Illinois Year List

320	Colin Dobson •
317	Ryan Jones •
317	Ted Wolff •
316	Keith McMullen •
315	Steve Huggins •
306	Scott Latimer •
300	Alan Stokie •
299	Audrey Carl
294	Ted Hartzler
293	Glenn Giacinto
292	Joe Lill
291	Dan Williams
287	Jude Vickery
281	Laurel Ross
279	Henry Meade
273	Matthew Cvetas
270	Jim Mountjoy
268	Scott Harp
265	Pete Fenner
260	Linda Radtke
258	Isoo O'Brien
257	Patricia Andersen
255	Jim Jarosz
254	Eric Secker
253	John Leonard
250	Glenn Perricone
250	Jeff Sundberg
249	Keith Bowers
248	Jeff Bilsky
248	Geoffrey A. Williamson
235	John Longhenry
220	Rhonda Rothrock
212	Sigrid Schmidt
211	Paul Quintas
207	Regina McNulty
205	Tom Colin
186	Jake Cvetas
180	Vernon Kleen

Alltime Big Year Lists (over 300)

341	Nathan Goldberg	2020•
340	Steve Huggins	2020•
337	Ted Wolff	2020•
336	Glenn Giacinto	2020•
336	Ryan Jones	2020•
334	Pete Moxon	2011•
330	Keith McMullen	2009•
330	Pete Moxon	2009•
329	Colin Dobson	2020•
328	Craig Taylor	2017•
328	Keith McMullen	2020•
325	Bob Fisher	2009•
325	Scott Latimer	2020•
324	Pete Moxon	2014•
324	Colin Dobson	2017•
323	Pete Moxon	2010•
322	Bob Fisher	2004•
322	Jeff Skrentny	2009•
322	Jude Vickery	2020•
320	Andy Sigler	2008•
320	Colin Dobson	2018•
320	Colin Dobson	2021•
319	Colin Dobson	2013•
319	Colin Dobson	2014•
319	Colin Dobson	2015•
319	Colin Dobson	2016•
319	Aerin Tedesco	2020•
318	Keith McMullen	2007•
318	Craig Taylor	2020•
317	Bruce Heimer	2008•
317	Michael Baum	2009•
317	Keith McMullen	2017•
317	Ted Wolff	2017•
317	Ryan Jones	2021•
317	Ted Wolff	2021•
316	Robert Chapel	1996•
316	Karen Fisher	2004•
316	Pete Moxon	2012•
316	Pete Moxon	2016•
316	Keith McMullen	2021•

315	Robert Chapel	2000•	306	Keith McMullen	2010•
315	Keith McMullen	2013•	306	Fran Morel	2014•
315	Pete Moxon	2013•	306	Alan Stokie	2015•
315	Colin Dobson	2019•	306	Alan Stokie	2018•
315	Pete Moxon	2019•	306	Ted Wolff	2018•
315	Steve Huggins	2021•	306	Scott Latimer	2021•
314	Kevin Richmond	1986•	305	Kevin Richmond	1985
314	Alan Stokie	2003•	305	Robert Chapel	1995•
314	Keith McMullen	2004•	305	Craig Taylor	2008
314	Bob Fisher	2014•	305	Rob Erickson	2009
314	Pete Moxon	2015•	305	Greg Neise	2009•
313	Keith McMullen	2011•	305	Eric Walters	2009
313	Aaron Gyllenhaal	2012•	305	Joseph Phipps	2017•
313	Keith McMullen	2012•	305	Pete Moxon	2018•
313	Craig Taylor	2015•	305	Adam Sell	2020•
313	Ted Wolff	2016•	304	Andrew Aldrich	2015•
313	Davida Kalina	2017•	304	Steve Huggins	2018•
313	Pete Moxon	2017•	303	Robert Chapel	1997
313	Keith McMullen	2019•	303	Keith McMullen	2001
312	Jeff Smith	2009•	303	Keith McMullen	2006
312	Craig Taylor	2010•	303	Bob Fisher	2010•
312	Scott Latimer	2016•	303	Andrew Aldrich	2012•
312	Alan Stokie	2016•	303	Alan Stokie	2012•
311	Keith McMullen	2008•	303	Scott Latimer	2015•
311	Mike Madsen	2009•	303	Dan Williams	2017•
311	Ted Wolff	2015•	303	Andrew Aldrich	2019•
311	Keith McMullen	2016•	303	Pete Moxon	2020•
311	Scott Latimer	2017•	303	Simon Tolzmann	2020•
310	Louise Augustine	1986•	302	Louise Augustine	1988•
310	Alan Stokie	2004•	302	Eric Walters	1989
310	Keith McMullen	2014•	302	Eric Secker	2004
310	Keith McMullen	2015•	302	Keith McMullen	2005
310	Dan Williams	2016•	302	Alan Stokie	2011
310	Keith McMullen	2018•	302	Joan Norek	2014•
310	Alan Stokie	2019•	302	Joan Norek	2016
309	Jude Vickery	2014•	302	Jeff Smith	2014•
309	Eric Walters	1990	302	Dan Williams	2015•
309	Robert Chapel	1998	302	Vicky Sroczynski	2017•
309	Michael Retter	1999•	302	Dan Williams	2020•
309	Travis Mahan	2003•	301	Myrna Deaton	1988
309	Alan Stokie	2005•	301	Todd Fink	1994
309	Joshua Little	2014•	301	Keith McMullen	2003
309	Alan Stokie	2017•	301	Mike Madsen	2005•
308	Richard Biss	1978	301	Tim Kuesel	2010•
308	Davida Kalina	2016•	301	Greg Neise	2011
308	Amanda Tichacek	2019•	301	Beau Schaefer	2011
308	Ted Wolff	2019•	301	Bob Fisher	2012•
307	Tom Pucelik	1983	301	Alan Stokie	2014•
307	Bob Fisher	2013•	301	Ted Hartzlet	2020•
307	Scott Latimer	2018•	301	Isoo O'Brien	2020•
307	Scott Latimer	2019•	301	Alan Stokie	2020•
306	Robert Chapel	1999	300	Myrna Deaton	1994
306	Adam Reyburn	1999	300	Keith McMullen	1999•
306	Keith McMullen	2000	300	Alan Stokie	1999
306	Robert Chapel	2001	300	Keith McMullen	2002
306	Karen Fisher	2009•	300	Bob Fisher	2008
306	David B. Johnson	2010	300	Alan Stokie	2021•

Most 300+ Illinois Big Years

(3 minimum)

23	Keith McMullen
14	Alan Stokie
12	Pete Moxon
9	Colin Dobson
7	Robert Chapel
7	Bob Fisher
7	Scott Latimer
7	Ted Wolff
5	Craig Taylor
4	Dan Williams
3	Andrew Aldrich
3	Eric Walters

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
341	Nathan Goldberg	2020

Regional Big Years

(200 minimum; 250 in the Northern region)

Audrey Carl and Pete Fenner make their first appearances on this list.

Northern

313	Pete Moxon	2011	Northern
308	Pete Moxon	2009	Northern
307	Pete Moxon	2010	Northern
305	Pete Moxon	2014	Northern
303	Pete Moxon	2016	Northern
301	Pete Moxon	2015	Northern
300	Pete Moxon	2012	Northern
300	Alan Stokie	2012	Northern
300	Nathan Goldberg	2020	Northern
296	Alan Stokie	2011	Northern
296	Pete Moxon	2013	Northern
295	Eric Walters	2009	Northern
294	Alan Stokie	2009	Northern
294	Alan Stokie	2014	Northern
294	Audrey Carl	2021	Northern
292	Pete Moxon	2008	Northern
291	Alan Stokie	2013	Northern
289	Alan Stokie	2010	Northern
286	Eric Walters	1990	Northeast
285	Mike Madsen	2009	Northern
284	Joan Norek	2015	Northern
283	Doug Stotz	2009	Northern
283	Eric Walters	2010	Northern
282	Alan Stokie	2008	Northern
282	Greg Neise	2011	Northern
282	Andy Stewart	2017	Lake Co.
281	Aaron Gyllenhaal	2013	Cook Co.
280	Greg Neise	2009	Northern

280	Mike Madsen	2008	Northern
280	Greg Neise	2009	Northern
280	Andrew Aldrich	2013	Northern
279	Eric Walters	2007	Northern
279	Joe Lill	2020	Northern
278	Doug Stotz	2005	Northern
277	Doug Stotz	2008	Northern
277	Eric Walters	2011	Northern
275	Michelle Devlin	2012	Northern
274	Doug Stotz	2010	Northern
274	Steve Mulhall	2017	Lake Co.
273	Doug Stotz	1998	Northern
273	Eric Secker	2008	Northeast
273	Doug Stotz	2012	Northern
273	Craig Taylor	2017	Northern
273	Joe Lill	2021	Northern
272	Michael Baum	2009	Northern
272	Joe Lill	2011	Northern
272	Doug Stotz	2014	Northern
271	Eric Walters	1997	Northeast
271	Joe Lill	2008	Northern
270	Doug Stotz	2007	Northern
269	Eric Walters	2008	Northern
269	Joan Norek	2013	Northern
269	Joe Lill	2017	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
265	Joe Lill	2012	Northern
265	Fran Morel	2012	Northern
265	Michelle Devlin	2013	Northern
265	Doug Stotz	2013	Northern
264	Robert Hughes	1996	Cook Co.
264	Joe Lill	2009	Northern
264	Joe Lill	2019	Northern
264	Doug Stotz	2017	Northern
264	Andy Stewart	2018	Lake Co.
263	Eric Walters	1989	Northeast
263	Craig Taylor	2010	Northern
262	Doug Stotz	2011	Northern
261	Mike Madsen	2012	Northern
261	Beau Schaefer	2012	Lake Co.
261	Mike Madsen	2013	Northern
261	Glenn Perricone	2020	Northern
261	Craig Taylor	2020	Northern
260	Sue Friscia	1992	Cook Co.
260	Wes Serafin	2003	Cook Co.
260	Joe Lill	2016	Northern
259	Joe Lill	2015	Northern
258	Scott Cohrs	2004	Northern
258	Doug Stotz	2016	Northern
256	Craig Taylor	2008	Northern
256	Joe Lill	2014	Northern
255	Joe Lill	2010	Northern
255	Doug Stotz	2018	Northern
254	Craig Taylor	2015	Northern
253	Joe Lill	2018	Northern
253	Doug Stotz	2019	Northern
253	Patricia Andersen	2021	Northern
252	Patricia Andersen	2020	Northern
250	Beau Schaefer	2014	Lake Co.
250	Mike Madsen	2017	Northern
250	Glenn Perricone	2021	Northern

Central

276	Joseph Phipps	2017	Central
269	Andy Gilbert	2017	Central
266	Jim Mountjoy	2009	Central
264	Michael Baum	2008	Central
264	Jim Mountjoy	2009	Central
264	Jim Mountjoy	2013	Central
264	Benjamin Murphy	2020	Central
262	Jim Mountjoy	2014	Central
262	Dustin Holschuh	2017	Central
260	Benjamin Murphy	2016	Central
259	Pete Fenner	2021	Central
253	Jim Mountjoy	2021	Central
252	Craig Taylor	2017	Central
250	Benjamin Murphy	2013	Central
249	Jim Mountjoy	2016	Central
248	Jim Mountjoy	2008	Central
248	Benjamin Murphy	2015	Central

247	Jim Mountjoy	2012	Central
245	Jim Mountjoy	2011	Central
245	Jim Mountjoy	2017	Central
241	Evan Carlson	2015	Central
236	Michael Baum	2006	Knox Co.
236	Thad Edmonds	2010	Central
235	Jim Mountjoy	2007	Central
233	Mike Madsen	2012	Central
232	Eric Walters	2008	Central
232	Jim Mountjoy	2010	Central
231	Jim Mountjoy	2015	Central
231	Jim Mountjoy	2018	Central
230	Mike Madsen	2011	Central
230	Craig Taylor	2014	Central
226	Cole Wolf	2014	Central
226	Brady Colin	2020	Central
224	Craig Taylor	2009	Central
220	Craig Taylor	2016	Central
217	Tom Colin	2020	Central
216	Mike Madsen	2010	Central
215	Eric Walters	2005	Central
212	Craig Taylor	2015	Central
207	Craig Taylor	2018	Central
207	Craig Taylor	2020	Central
205	Thad Edmonds	2011	Central
205	Thad Edmonds	2012	Central
205	Tom Colin	2021	Central
202	Craig Taylor	2010	Central

Southern

252	Craig Taylor	2019	Southern
246	Eric Walters	2008	Southern
233	Craig Taylor	2010	Southern
231	Craig Taylor	2020	Southern
229	Craig Taylor	2017	Southern
228	Craig Taylor	2008	Southern
225	Craig Taylor	2007	Southern
225	Craig Taylor	2011	Southern
222	Craig Taylor	2009	Southern
216	Craig Taylor	2015	Southern
214	Craig Taylor	2018	Southern
204	Rhonda Rothrock	2020	Southern
203	Craig Taylor	2004	Southern

Updates & corrections?

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