

IOS Listers Corner 2022

Yard Life Lists: Rural, Suburban & Urban

First-time submissions were received from Henry Meade, Jim Bowhay,

Jim Herkert, Mark Messerle, Owen Woodhouse and Scott Judd.

The number in the fourth column denotes the number of years at the site.

Key: *italics* = final tally at site

(50 minimum)

(updated 3/22/23)

Yard Life List-Suburban

Mark Messerle adds the first total for Kankakee, as did Eric Secker for Algonquin, and Owen Woodhouse for Wilmette. Before leaving his former residence in Sherman, Jarod Hitchings added 19 species to his yard list.

207	Richard Biss	Lake Villa	5	123	Donna Motherway	Riverwoods	14
200	Bob Fisher	Downers Grove	49	123	Richard Peiser	Glen Ellyn	14
199	<i>Karen Fisher</i>	<i>Downers Grove</i>	49	122	Jeff Reiter	Glen Ellyn	25
181	<i>Donnie Dann</i>	<i>Highland Park</i>	32	121	Denis Bohm	Mettawa	12
176	<i>Muriel Smith</i>	<i>West Chicago</i>	13	120	Carolyn Fields	Palatine	10
175	Jeff Donaldson	Rockford	33	119	Bruce Heimer	Elmhurst	31
174	Jill Anderson	River Forest	36	119	<i>Bob Vanderpoel</i>	<i>Des Plaines</i>	17
165	Doug Stotz	Westchester	24	118	Cyndi Lubecke	Prospect Heights	31
163	<i>Marilyn F. Campbell</i>	<i>Georgetown</i>	30	118	Alex Meloy	Evanston	30
160	Todd Anderson	Mundelein #2	12	118	<i>Eric Walters</i>	<i>Glen Ellyn</i>	5
160	<i>Laurence C. Binford</i>	<i>Glencoe</i>	48	116	Scott Latimer	Elmhurst	33
160	Mark Messerle	Kankakee	20	115	Roy Peterson	Lake Forest	42
156	<i>Kay Hanson</i>	<i>Hinsdale</i>	18	114	Steve Freed	Milan	16
154	Mike Madsen	Woodridge	40	114	Michael Hogg	Northbrook	32
153	Matthew Cvetas	Evanston	17	113	Larry L. Hood	Bushnell	12
152	<i>David Brenner</i>	Lincolnwood	42	112	Dick Young	Naperville	5
152	Robert Randall	Jacksonville	21	109	Colin Dobson	Jacksonville	17
149	Steve Bailey	Mundelein	21	107	Chris Bowman	Geneva	13
144	John McKee	Ottawa	31	107	Jackie Bowman	Geneva	13
143	Eric Walters	Zion	17	107	Joe Suchecki	Naperville	31
142	<i>Craig Miller</i>	<i>Lake in the Hills</i>	4	106	Julie Long	St. Charles	25
141	Oliver Burrus	Carpentersville	5	104	Sid Steele	Charleston	7
140	Jon J. Duerr	St. Charles	35	103	Joel Neylon	Rockford	12
140	Eric Secker	Algonquin	1	102	Suzanne Coleman	Park Ridge	8
139	Fran Morel	Evanston	18	101	<i>Jarod Hitchings</i>	<i>Sherman</i>	5
138	Judy Staberow	Palos Park	15	101	John P. Leonard	Glenview	22
137	Jeff Chapman	Woodridge	23	100	Amos Minor	Lake Bluff	18
135	Josh Engel	Evanston	14	98	Sue Friscia	Alsip	25
135	Matt Fraker	Bloomington	51	97	Marcia Lonergan	Lake Forest	18
135	<i>Wes Serafin</i>	<i>Orland Park</i>	28	95	Jerry Diederich	Morris	23
134	<i>Eric Secker</i>	<i>Wheaton</i>	19	95	<i>Mike Madsen</i>	<i>Lisle</i>	4
133	Melinda Born Chapman	Woodridge	19	94	<i>Randall Mains</i>	<i>Naperville</i>	4
133	Sheryl DeVore	Mundelein	40	93	Isoo O'Brien	Evanston	2
132	Jake Cvetas	Evanston	16	93	Jim Solum	Gurnee	21
129	Owen Woodhouse	Wilmette	3	92	Henry Meade	Elmhurst	5
128	Craig Taylor	La Grange	33	89	<i>Todd Anderson</i>	<i>Mundelein #1</i>	14
126	<i>Jeff Sundberg</i>	<i>Libertyville</i>	24	87	Cindy Alberico	Crest Hill	20
125	Tamima Itani	Evanston	8	87	Vera Miller	Downers Grove	10
125	Amanda Tichacek	Skokie	8	86	Bill A. Bertrand	Aledo	35
123	Cynthia McKee	Ottawa	10	86	Myrna Deaton	Decatur	11
				86	Al Dierkes	Quincy	5
				86	Urs Geiser	Woodridge	31
				85	John Baker	St. Charles	4
				85	Denis Kania	Naperville	12
				83	David B. Johnson	Buffalo Grove	34
				82	Jim Jarosz	Norridge	22
				82	Glenn Perricone	Aurora	2
				81	<i>Craig Litteken</i>	<i>Belleville</i>	3

79	Marie Nilsson	Evanston	4
76	Kevin Wright	Canton	7
73	Jay Jaeger	Minooka	11
71	Glenn Perricone	Elmhurst	17
71	Glenn Perricone	West Chicago	5
70	George Roberts	Lake Forest	3
69	Jean Lesniak	Niles	25
68	Patricia Andersen	Homewood	39
65	Vernon Kleen	Springfield	6
65	Ruth Lempert	Glenview	17
63	Jim Bowhay	La Grange	4
61	David Carlson	Orland Park	3
61	Regina McNulty	Geneva	16
57	David Irons	Fairmount	3
57	Marc Perkowitz	Arlington Hts.	39
55	Marjorie Rose	Woodstock	6

Yard Life List-Rural

Scott Harp leads the pack by adding 32 species since his last update. Jim Herkert provided the first-ever report from Petersburg.

205	Michael Baum	Dahinda	28
198	Dan Williams	Rockford	28
196	Michael Ward	Nortonville	12
187	Judy De Neal	Harrisburg	13
183	James O. Smith	Homer	50
178	Scott Harp	Princeton	17
173	Todd Fink	Ozark	11
168	Jim Herkert	Petersburg	10
164	Rhonda Rothrock	Pomona	19
162	Ethan Brown	Savanna	18
161	Darlene Fiske	Woodstock	44
161	Jeff Sundberg	Grayslake	6
160	Bob Shelby	West Salem #1	27
155	John Heneghan	Big Rock	12
148	Pete Fenner	East Peoria	26
147	Vernon Kleen	Athens	20
144	Todd Bugg	Lexington	7
141	Ted Hartzler	Minonk	47
140	Michael L. Retter	Colfax	5
139	Jeff Walk	Newton	3
139	Laraine Wright	Makanda Twp.	22
137	Dan Miller	Murphysboro	2
136	Thad Edmonds	Dunlap	9
118	Bob Shelby	West Salem #2	1
117	Renee Baade	Woodstock	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	11
70	Rosemarie Kirwan	Lake Villa	3
68	Marilyn Hougland	Pleasant Hill	18
51	Kathryn Schmid	Cissna Park	9

Yard Life List-Urban

Jim Mountjoy exceeded 150 species, and Dustin Holschuh submitted the first-ever report from Mapleton.

173	Beth Chato	Urbana	51
164	Simon Tolzmann	Chicago	4
151	Jim Mountjoy	Galesburg #2	19
138	Helen I. Wuestenfeld	Jerseyville	28
137	Scott Judd	Chicago	7
133	Keith McMullen	O'Fallon	21
130	Lawrence G. Balch	Rockford	18
121	Tom Schulenberg	Chicago	12
119	Aerin Tedesco	Champaign	2
116	Sigrid Schmidt	Chicago	36
115	Benjamin Murphy	Normal	10
113	Phred Benham	Champaign	2
113	Richard Biss	Franklin Park	11
113	Joe Gardner	Springfield	35
111	Alex Bloss	Chicago	28
107	Dustin Holschuh	Peoria	5
100	Dustin Holschuh	Mapleton	2
100	Tom Lally	Chicago	11
97	Brad Grover	Belvidere	5
97	Joe Lill	Chicago	33
92	Michelle Devlin	Chicago	9
92	Ronald C. Flemal	DeKalb	12
92	Frank Holmes	Granite City	25
90	Michael Baum	Galesburg	4
89	Mike Donahue	Danville	5
87	Jim Mountjoy	Galesburg #1	2
78	Vinod Babu	Chicago	3
77	Jane Pedersen	Chicago	18
74	John Longhenry	Chicago	30
73	Paul Quagliana	Chicago	6
66	Geoffrey Williamson	Chicago	7
64	Eric Ginsburg	Chicago	19
63	Randy Wade	Chicago	49
61	Roger Digges	Urbana	12
56	Jerry Arduino	Chicago	2
52	Colin Dobson	Champaign	2

Yard Life List-Household

Barbara & Dan Williams reached 200 species for their yard.

207	Bob & Karen Fisher	Downers Grove	49
200	Barbara & Dan Williams	Rockford	28
166	Chris & Jackie Bowman	Geneva	18
164	Karen & Ted Forcum	Mode	42
161	Binford Household	Glencoe	48
154	Steve Bailey/Sheryl DeVore	Mundelein	40
144	Jeff & Melinda Born Chapman	Woodridge	23
126	Jim & Beth Harris	St. Anne	6
125	Judy & Scott Pollock	Evanston	13
117	Joyce & Peter Boyle	Lake Forest	7
106	Charlotte Pavelka/Doug Reitz	Green Oaks	20
106	Don & Ferne Rogers	Charleston	40

103	Linda & Owen Youngman	Deerfield	34
95	Pete & Sally Fenner	East Peoria	12
87	Joel/Dorothy Orlinsky	Ingleside	4
83	Glenn & Melissa Perricone	Aurora	2

Yard Big Days

Aerin Tedesco had the lone submission for 2022.

Jim Herkert sent in two Big Days from past years.

(40 species minimum)

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
55	J. Herkert	Petersburg	05/14/20
51	J. Herkert	Petersburg	05/18/21
49	A. Tedesco	Champaign	09/23/22
47	J. Sundberg	Grayslake	04/25/20
42	E. Walters	Zion	05/15/15
41	D. Motherway	Riverwoods	05/16/02

Yard Big Years

Jim Herkert and Scott Judd submitted for the first time, as did Alyssa, Diana & Gene Rod.

Scott Harp added another top-four total.

(50 species minimum; top three totals per yard)

158	Richard Biss	Lake Villa	1997
148	Richard Biss	Lake Villa	1998
146	Scott Harp	Princeton	2020
143	Scott Harp	Princeton	2022
142	Richard Biss	Lake Villa	1999
142	Rhonda Rothrock	Pomona	2021
140	Eric Secker	Algonquin	2022
136	Rhonda Rothrock	Pomona	2020
135	Jim Herkert	Petersburg	2021
134	Ethan Brown	Savanna	2020
133	Karen/Bob Fisher	Downers Grove	2002
133	Jim Herkert	Petersburg	2022
132	Scott Harp	Princeton	2021
128	Jim Herkert	Petersburg	2020
127	Jill Anderson	River Forest	2017
125	Jeff Sundberg	Grayslake	2021
124	Jeff Sundberg	Grayslake	2020
124	Jeff Sundberg	Grayslake	2022
118	Scott Judd	Chicago	2022
115	Ethan Brown	Savanna	2019
115	Aerin Tedesco	Champaign	2021
115	Alyssa Rod	Mendota	2022
115	Diana Rod	Mendota	2022
115	Gene Rod	Mendota	2022
113	Mike Madsen	Woodridge	2020
108	Matthew Cvetas	Evanston	2012
107	Matthew Cvetas	Evanston	2013
106	Doug Stotz	Westchester	2011
106	Doug Stotz	Westchester	2020
104	Jill Anderson	River Forest	2003

103	Todd Anderson	Mundelein	2014
103	Tamima Itani	Evanston	2020
102	Matthew Cvetas	Evanston	2011
102	Mark Messerle	Kankakee	2022
101	Todd Anderson	Mundelein	2013
101	Ethan Brown	Savanna	2018
101	Mark Messerle	Kankakee	2021
97	Mike Madsen	Woodridge	2018
96	Doug Stotz	Westchester	2013
96	Jeff/Melinda Chapman	Woodridge	2020
95	Eric Secker	Wheaton	2002
93	Phred Benham	Champaign	2013
92	Dustin Holschuh	Mapleton	2022
91	Eric Walters	Zion	2016
91	Tamima Itani	Evanston	2021
91	Tamima Itani	Evanston	2022
90	Tom Schulenberg	Chicago	2006
90	Mike Madsen	Woodridge	2019
89	Tom Schulenberg	Chicago	2007
89	Eric Walters	Zion	2015
89	Eric Walters	Zion	2017
88	Darlene Fiske	Woodstock	2010
81	Jim Mountjoy	Galesburg #2	2019
80	Tom Schulenberg	Chicago	2005
80	Eric Secker	Wheaton	2005
80	Darlene Fiske	Woodstock	2009
79	Eric Secker	Wheaton	2003
78	Jim Mountjoy	Galesburg #2	2020
77	Pete Fenner	East Peoria	2008
77	Jim Mountjoy	Galesburg #2	2022
76	Jeff/Melinda Chapman	Woodridge	2009
72	Fran Morel	Evanston	2011
70	Cyndi Lubecke	Prospect Hts.	2018
70	Dustin Holschuh	Peoria	2020
68	Cyndi Lubecke	Prospect Hts.	2021
68	Cyndi Lubecke	Prospect Hts.	2022
68	Jeff/Melinda Chapman	Woodridge	2015
67	Suzanne Coleman	Park Ridge	2020
67	Sigrid Schmidt	Chicago	2021
66	Suzanne Coleman	Park Ridge	2021
66	Darlene Fiske	Woodstock	2011
65	Michelle Devlin	Chicago	2013
63	Suzanne Coleman	Park Ridge	2019
63	Suzanne Coleman	Park Ridge	2022
58	Todd Anderson	Mundelein	2009
56	Pete Fenner	East Peoria	2007
53	Vinod Babu	Chicago	2021

Updates & corrections?

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