

## 2001 Triangle Area Christmas Bird Counts

— Chapel Hill Observer Party —

Species	Ral	Dur	Falls	JL	CH	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Common Loon			5	3																						
Pied-billed Grebe	21	7	27	109	11												4	6		1						
Horned Grebe			5	14																						
Double-crested Cormorant	14	190	190	1157	219									1		1	4	207		6						
Great Blue Heron	47	144	47	83	119		1		1	2	2	1	3	5	1	4	14	68	1	6	1	2	4		2	1
Great Egret																										
Black Vulture		167	185	33	101	37	3	1							2					50	6		1			1
Turkey Vulture	30	175	266	234	255	98	19	5	11	12	2	2	1		10	3		4	5	19	23	6	7	4		24
Canada Goose	1005	638	322	303	477	85	55		32	63		74	57	50		3	20	11	10				17			
<b>TUNDRA SWAN</b>				5	2												2	2								
Mute Swan																										
Wood Duck	28	25	7	9																						
Gadwall			1	7																						
American Wigeon	26		2																							
American Black Duck	6		52	1	2													2								
Mallard	242	54	102	128	207	12		2	27	5			71	31	21		2	2		9		2	6	7	4	6
Northern Shoveler	*	3																								
Northern Pintail																										
Green-winged Teal	*	16	3	1	27													27								
Canvasback	*																									
Redhead	*																									
Ring-necked Duck	51	38	16	311	7					4			3													
Greater Scaup																										
Lesser Scaup	6		10																							
Long-td Duck (Oldsquaw)																										
Bufflehead	33		16	97	1													1								
Common Goldeneye			3																							
Hooded Merganser	58	58	153	89	20								2			3	1	11					2			1
Red-breasted Merganser			1	1																						
Common Merganser				2																						
Ruddy Duck	55			2																						
Duck sp.				30																						
Bald Eagle 4 ad., 0 imm.	*	4	9	18	4													2	4							
Northern Harrier			1	2																						
Sharp-shinned Hawk	7	6	5	1	6	1	1					1		1				1								1
Cooper's Hawk	7	4	4	3	2		1														1					
Accipiter sp.	1	1		2				2																		
Red-shouldered Hawk	10	20	11	22	37	3	7		4	2	3	1	1	5	1		2			2		1	3		1	1
Red-tailed Hawk	30	34	29	48	38	4	3		2	3	3	3	2	1	2	3	3	1				1	4	1		2
American Kestrel	11	8	11																							
Merlin		1																								
Wild Turkey		3	19																							
Northern Bobwhite			5	3	2													2								
Virginia Rail	1																									
American Coot	33		32	537	1								1													
Killdeer	48	156	43	66	143	4	1			3	8		3			5	16	94	4	3				2		
<b>GREATER YELLOWLEGS</b>				1	1													1								
Least Sandpiper			1																							
Common Snipe	12	100	3	3	21													21								
American Woodcock	1	*	2		7													7								
Bonaparte's Gull		49	185	199	120													30	112							
Ring-billed Gull	98	734	14489	1856	349	2	11			15		5	4		37	34	10	96	1	62	2	1	36			33
Herring Gull		10	101	8	1													1								
<b>Lesser Black-backed Gull</b>			1	11																						
Great Black-backed Gull			12																							
Rock Dove	667	303	23	44	222	26	2			61	80		16				10								27	
Mourning Dove	158	227	78	219	489	3	89	18	35	15	45	7	4	57	8	14		8		37	66	7	21	3	52	
Eastern Screech-Owl	1	1	3	4	3		1										1						1			
Great Horned Owl	5	4	7	4	4									1				1		1		1				
Barred Owl	1	3	2	3	13	1							1			4	1		3	1			2			
Rufous Hummingbird																										
Belted Kingfisher	31	8	24	14	17	2	2	1	2			1	1				1	2	1	1			2			1
Red-headed Woodpecker	5	43	18	6	87		16					6	2	2	1	9	15	13	9	8						6
Red-bellied Woodpecker	99	81	84	112	218	7	19	4	24	1	7	10	14	27	18	18	1	11	8	8	6	10	7	1	3	14
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	7	27	31	59	90	3	13	2	7	7	7	2	4	6	6	5	1	4		4	2	4	1		3	9
Downy Woodpecker	65	57	49	104	144	6	11	3	6	5	6	7	3	9	16	17	1	8	10	11	2	4	6	1	3	9
Hairy Woodpecker	22	12	23	21	31	2	1	2	2	2		5		6	1	2				2	2	2	2		2	2
N. (Yellow-shafted) Flicker	92	70	57	84	175	1	22	3	11	7	3	12	7	30	14	7	2	9	3	10	7	13		2	6	6
Pileated Woodpecker	4	4	17	24	20	3					1	2					1	4		4	2		1	1		1
Eastern Phoebe	24	37	10	29	26	1	1		2	1	1	1		1	1	3	1	2	4	2	1	2				2
<b>Loggerhead Shrike</b>	3	2		1	1																		1			
<b>White-eyed Vireo</b>	1																									
Blue-headed Vireo			2	1																						
Blue Jay	97	172	94	263	417	12	50		33	11	7	25	26	31	35	26	6	33	7	53	8	14	10	3	8	19
American Crow	391	232	376	694	594	73	39	7	78	47	18	44	30	18	26	20	14	35	13	21	16	15	21	8	17	34
<b>Fish Crow</b>	5	1	21																							
Carolina Chickadee	233	165	297	322	519	41	32	17	56	27	30	22	19	23	23	38	2	27	30	10	10	22	27	15	21	27
Tufted Titmouse	180	142	207	263	416	6	28	11	49	17	17	13	21	22	20	47	4	21	25	10	6	15	32	2	14	36
Red-breasted Nuthatch	4	2			1																1					
White-breasted Nuthatch	62	25	44	45	124	8	6		4	6	10	3	5	10	15	11	1	5	7	4	2	6	6	3	1	11
Brown-headed Nuthatch	49	38	73	111	95	1	5	2	5	10	4	4	5	9	1		7	7	4	12	2	2			3	12

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Brown Creeper	25	9	13	16	18	3	1			1	2	1						2	4	1			1			2	
Carolina Wren	208	114	120	156	337	28	45	3	17	20	10	16	26	33	17	17		7	10	5	9	17	14	6	16	21	
House Wren		1	10	2	2									1											1		
Winter Wren	18	35	16	54	39	4	9	2			1	4		3		3		8	2	1			2				
<b>Sedge Wren</b>	2																										
Golden-crowned Kinglet	237	167	431	465	315	37	12	19	4		28	12		8	6	7	1	78	50	25		20	6			2	
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	218	189	280	447	266	32	24	8	8	9	7	10	1	15	11	37	1	36	33	6	6	5	4	1		12	
<b>Blue-gray Gnatcatcher</b>	2			1																							
Eastern Bluebird	105	165	152	426	335	28	55	8	30	14	24	8	41	20	9	11	4	6	5	15	13	15	8	2	6	13	
Hermit Thrush	20	25	33	94	53	1	12		2	2	2	3			2	4		9	3	3	4	3	2			1	
American Robin	126	63	190	242	384		13	2	48		11	35		80	113	14	2	6	4	2		11	21		3	19	
Gray Catbird			1		1										1												
Northern Mockingbird	67	39	36	77	155	18	18	4	8	8	4	7	4	11	9		2		1	8		8	16	2	9	18	
Brown Thrasher	17	9	13	14	22	1	4	1	3		2	1		3	2		1	3								1	
European Starling	398	300	236	248	1422	221	620		4	7	19	140	5	23	264	29	7			45			32			6	
American Pipit		18			400	400																					
Cedar Waxwing	184	61	72	94	462	9	127			12	30	5	3	5	4		8	32		117		62	15	25		8	
Yellow-rumped (Myrtle) Warbler	288	146	84	153	474	34	27	5	28	12	6	46	37	41	75	3		12		34	12	17	22		16	47	
Pine Warbler	21	56	35	139	40	6		1		1	2			1		4	1		6	4		5	6		1	2	
Palm Warbler	13	3		7																							
<b>Black-and-white Warbler</b>	1			2																							
Common Yellowthroat		4	1	2	2		2																				
Eastern Towhee	95	111	74	81	199	9	25	5	11	4	7	9	14	22	9	2		7	6	3	3	12	17	2	20	12	
Chipping Sparrow	137	54	183	102	142	36	1			5	13			2	1		11		17	30	10	5	6			5	
Field Sparrow	42	59	116	78	157	44	45	7			8	2	1	3	3			5		30	2	1	2			4	
Savannah Sparrow	42	5	6	26	4		1			1																2	
Fox Sparrow	10	36	6	32	23		14					1			1								3	2		1	
Song Sparrow	586	617	401	310	482	34	170	12	7	20	11	55	3	57	22	5	1	9	8	12	24	6	6	3		17	
<b>Lincoln's Sparrow</b>			1																								
Swamp Sparrow	143	190	86	33	174	45	95	4				5		4	1	3		2			4	8				3	
White-throated Sparrow	649	739	730	792	1115	84	265	20	21	28	33	120	17	99	106	25	6	72	27	28	34	37	42	3	14	34	
White-crowned Sparrow	2	21		1																							
Dark-eyed (Slate-colored) Junco	334	298	536	1503	1307	46	64	33	84	96	145	47	16	74	120	43	63	68	62	88	46	76	52	5	6	73	
Northern Cardinal	180	157	139	267	454	31	40	8	36	18	15	13	23	41	22	13	2	5	8	20	26	23	37	6	36	31	
Red-winged Blackbird	521	1077	7	233	1009	3	365				20	300		198	101			2		9		2				9	
Eastern Meadowlark	31	12	14	55	79	41	15		3									20									
Rusty Blackbird		13	82	1	20																20						
Common Grackle	105	627		95	745		8			12			201	19	4			2	1				12			486	
Brown-headed Cowbird	436	3			300						1	300															
Baltimore Oriole	*				1																1						
Purple Finch		6	1	47	4		2																	2			
House Finch	87	59	23	71	322	2	17	2	10	33	35	19	27	20	11					7	2		4		14	119	
Pine Siskin	3	1		8	4																4						
American Goldfinch	288	396	218	428	786	33	101	8	40	25	40	19	48	93	28	34	6	34	6	7	26	8	19	8	72	131	
Evening Grosbeak				1																							
House Sparrow	9	56	2	37	75		1				40	12	2	6									1	10		3	
<b>TOTAL SPECIES</b>	<b>117</b>	84	92	95	95	88	52	58	32	38	43	45	49	44	48	45	41	37	63	36	47	42	42	53	24	29	52
<b>TOTAL INDIVIDUALS</b>	9734	10248	22273	14649	18017	1672	2637	228	757	654	770	1441	776	1228	1203	529	283	1290	399	846	439	470	612	114	304	1392	
<b>Number of Groups</b>				23	21	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
<b>Number of Participants</b>	75	22	21	56	40	2	5	2	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	4	5	
<b>Party Hours: Total</b>	90.5	75.25	88.5	135.3	142.5	8.75	9.5	4	7	5.5	7.25	8	8	8.5	6	9	4	8	6.5	6.5	6.5	7	6	4.5	2.5	9.5	
Party Hours: On Foot	77			100	113.8	7	9.5	4	6.5	3.5	5.75	6	3	4.5	4	8.5	3	8	6	4	6	5	4	4	2.5	9	
Party Hours: By Car	13.5			35	28.75	1.75			0.5	2	1.5	2	5	4	2	0.5	1		0.5	2.5	0.5	2	2	0.5		0.5	
Party Hours: By Bicycle																											
Owling Hours	4			4	5						0.75			1		1		0.75					1	0.5			
Feeder Hours					17																						17
<b>Party Miles: Total</b>	201.5			280	311	23	7	4	3	12	16	45	15	33.5	26	7	10.5	10	10	7	8	24	33	7	2	8	
Party Miles: On Foot	64			82	88	4	7	4	2.5	5	6	5	3	3.5	2	6	1	10	6	2	3	4	3	2	2	7	
Party Miles: By Car	137.5			198	223	19			0.5	7	10	40	12	30	24	1	9.5		4	5	5	20	30	5		1	
Party Miles: By Bicycle																											
Owling Miles	13			13.5	7						0			1		0		0.5						5	0.5		

**Party Areas**  
 1 1, 2  
 2 3, 5, 20  
 3 4  
 4 6, 7  
 5 8, 13  
 6 9, 10  
 7 11, 12  
 8 14, 17  
 9 15, 18  
 10 21  
 11 22 N

**Party Members**  
 Pam Timmons, Perry Haaland  
 Will Cook, Maryscot Mullins, Sam O'Kane,  
 Judy Teague, Anssi Vahatalo  
 Magnus Persmark, Roger Rittmaster  
 Amalie Lewis Tuffin  
 John Frederick  
 Norm Budnitz  
 Kent Fiala  
 Barbara Roth, Betty King  
 Bob Chase, Jane Cumming  
 Ken Lundstrom, Harriet Sato, Diane Hardy  
 Stephen Perry

**Party Areas**  
 12 22 S  
 13 24 N a  
 14 24 N b  
 15 24S  
 16 23, 25  
 17 26  
 18 27, 28  
 19 30  
 20 31  
 21 32

**Party Members**  
 Anson Cooke  
 Doug Shadwick  
 Sandy Cash  
 Alan Johnston, Edith Tatum, Dan Goetz, Robert Johnston  
 Shelley Theye  
 Josh Rose  
 Marsha Stephens  
 Glenn Simon  
 Roger & Nancy Gorham, Audrey Booth, Oliver Orr  
 Maurice & Marie Graves, Steven Graves, David Murdock,  
 Barbara Roth, Feeder watchers: Fred & Eleanor Kilgour,  
 Paul Ferster, James Lansing, Malcolm Robinson, Elvin Strowd

Raleigh count date: 12/15/01; compiler: John Connors  
 Falls Lake count date: 12/29/01; compiler: Brian Bockhahn; temp: 35-55, pc  
 Chapel Hill count date: 12/23/01; compiler: Will Cook

Durham count date: 12/16/01; weather: low 35, high 55, partly cloudy, no rain; compiler: Mike Schultz  
 Jordan Lake count date: 12/30/01; weather: low 28, high 42, clear; compiler: Norm Budnitz  
 Chapel Hill weather: low 29 high 60; E 0-5; partly cloudy-cloudy; trace precip; still water open; running water open