

BIRD SIGHTINGS

MARCH 1993

SUMMARY



by Glenn d'Entremont and Robert H. Stymeist

March 1993 was a month most of us want to forget; it was cold, very wet, and very snowy. The temperature averaged 36.4 degrees, 3.2 degrees below average. The high mark was 60 degrees on March 27, while the low mark was 12 degrees on the 15th, which tied the record low for that date set in 1932. Precipitation totaled 7.67 inches, 3.98 inches more than normal. This was the sixth wettest March in 123 years of record. Snowfall accumulated to 38.9 inches in Boston, 31.5 inches more than normal, and a new record for the month of March. It was the second greatest snowfall total for any month, exceeded only by 41.2 inches in February 1969. This year snow covered the ground through March 26 in Boston, a rare event. There were five significant storms. The first storm of the month on March 4-6 left 9.2 inches. On March 13-14, 12.8 inches of snow fell, and the peak wind gust was 81 mph out of the northeast, the strongest gust recorded since 100 mph on August 31, 1954, during Hurricane Carol. Birds related to this windy storm included several Great Egrets and Laughing Gulls. More unusual were the reports of a dead Northern Parula on Martha's Vineyard and a dead Yellow-breasted Chat from Nantucket.

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LOONS THROUGH DOVES

On Martha's Vineyard large concentrations of waterbirds were counted on the 21st, following three days of northwest winds. Over 1500 Common Loons, 350 Horned Grebes, and specialties such as an Arctic/Pacific Loon, 60 Harlequin Ducks, 4 adult Lesser Black-backed Gulls, and over 500 Razorbills were seen. In Provincetown the Arctic/Pacific Loon returned to Race Point, where an alternate-plumage Eared Grebe was present at the end of the month. The big storm on March 13-14 was responsible for an unprecedented arrival of birds. On Martha's Vineyard, a Green-backed Heron and a Yellow-crowned Night-Heron were found, along with as many as 8 Great Egrets. Also on the Vineyard, a Western Sandpiper was carefully identified, along with 2 Semipalmated Plovers, 4 Red Phalaropes, and 12 Laughing Gulls. Nantucket also had its share of storm-related birds with Great Egret, Semipalmated Plover, and Red Phalarope sighted. The best bird of the storm was a Black Skimmer, which was picked up dead in a snowbank in Auburn. This bird had been banded in June 1989 in Maryland.

Normal March birding included the build-up of Red-necked Grebes in Hull and the expected arrival of Great Blue Herons, Wood Ducks, and Green and Blue-winged teals. Turkey Vultures and Ospreys were noted generally after March 20, and Red-shouldered Hawks were reported from nine locations. Shorebird movement was normal with the exception of the storm-related arrivals. Piping Plovers, Killdeers, and American Oystercatchers returned for the most part by the end of the month. A total of 46 American Woodcocks was noted, and most of them were displaying shortly after the storm. On Nantucket one observer picked up a dead Dovekie on March 14, and on March 30 dead Thick-billed and Common murre were found.

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Red-throated Loon

7	Rockport	2	G. d'Entremont#
21	Boston Harbor, M. V.	11, 22	TASL (M. Hall), V. Laux#
Arctic/Pacific Loon			
12, 16; 21	P'town; M. V.	1; 1	K. Jones; V. Laux#
Common Loon			
7, 8	Plymouth, Plum Island	26, 12	M. Lynch#, D. Chickering
20, 21	Nantucket, M. V.	300, 1500	P. Vennema, V. Laux#
Pied-billed Grebe			
14-31, 14	Wayland, Somerville	1, 1	J. Hoye + v. o., fide W. Petersen
20	Lakeville, Framingham	1, 2	SSBC (W. Petersen), K. Hamilton#
Horned Grebe			
7, 20	Plymouth, Martha's Vineyard	21, 350	M. Lynch#, V. Laux
21, 28	Boston Harbor, P.I.	145, 14	TASL (M. Hall), BBC (D + D. Oliver)

DATE	LOCATION	NUMBER	OBSERVERS	AUGUST 1993
Red-necked Grebe 7, 20 27	Plymouth, Martha's Vineyard Hull	16, 12 75	M. Lynch#, V. Laux# M. Rines#	
Eared Grebe 27-31	Provincetown	1 alt pl	G. Martin, K. Jones	
Great Cormorant 8 20, 28	Nantucket Lakeville, Salisbury	41 15, 18	J. Papale SSBC (W. Petersen), J. Berry	
Double-crested Cormorant 28	Scituate	1	G. d'Entremont#	
American Bittern 2, 26	Nantucket	1, 1 heard	N. Brooks, E. Andrews#	
Great Blue Heron 8-31, 8 23, 25	Westboro, Nantucket Millis, E. Middleboro	7 max, 5 3, 1	E. Taylor, J. Papale P. Iarrobino, K. Anderson	
Great Egret 14-31, 16 27	Martha's Vineyard, Nant. S. Monomoy	6-8, 1 1 dead	V. Laux, E. Andrews B. Nikula#	
Green-backed Heron 22	Martha's Vineyard	1	G. Ben David	
Black-crowned Night-Heron thr	Boston (Muddy River)	5 max 3/2	T. Aversa	
Yellow-crowned Night-Heron 23	Martha's Vineyard	1 ad dead	J. Brown	
Mute Swan 2 7, 21 24, 28	Wayland/Sudbury Plymouth, Lynn Framingham, Scituate	2 9, 2 3, 25	R. Walton M. Lynch#, I. Lynch K. Hamilton, G. d'Entremont#	
Brant 7, 21 21	Plymouth, Harwich Nahant, Boston Harbor	200+, 157 14, 1778	M. Lynch#, M. Murphy I. Lynch, TASL (M. Hall)	
Canada Goose 21, 28	Bellingham-Watertown, Newbypt	405, 500	M. Lynch#, J. Berry	
Wood Duck 14 19, 20 22, 23 25, 27	Sudbury River Nantucket, Lakeville Framingham, W. Newbury Cumb. Farms, W. Roxbury	25 17, 20 32, 18 25, 22	J. Hoye# M. Dillon, K. Holmes K. Hamilton, R. Heil K. Anderson, T. Aversa	
Green-winged Teal 1 26, 28	Roslindale, Westport Cumb. Farms, Newbypt	19, 8 20, 43	T. Aversa, M. Boucher T. Aversa, BBC (D. + D. Oliver)	
American Black Duck 7, 9 20, 21	Plymouth, Cumb. Farms Newbypt-Salisbury, Boston H.	600, 180 700, 1198	M. Lynch#, K. Anderson M. Lynch#, TASL (M. Hall)	
Mallard 1, 21	Westport, Bellingham-Watertown	150, 309	M. Boucher, M. Lynch#	
Northern Pintail thr, 20 20, 22 25-26, 28 27	Beverly, Bridgewater Plum Island, New Bedford Cumb. Farms, Newbypt S. Monomoy	2 m, 3 m 2, 1 f 2, 11 7	N. Nash, T. Aversa M. Lynch#, M. Boucher v. o., BBC (D. + D. Oliver) B. Nikula#	
Blue-winged Teal 15	Eastham	1 m	P. Champlain	
Northern Shoveler 21 27	Boston Harbor S. Monomoy	1 3	TASL (M. Hall) B. Nikula#	
Gadwall 8-26, 19-31 22, 26 27	S. Dart., DWWS Boston (Muddy River), Dighton S. Monomoy	11 max, 7 max 1 m, 1 30	v. o. T. Aversa, K. Holmes B. Nikula#	
Eurasian Wigeon 7-20 19, 21	Nantucket (Polpis H.) Plymouth (B. Sea), Chatham	2 m 1 m, 1 m	B. Vigneau + v. o. D. Ludlow, K. Jones	
American Wigeon 25, 27 28; 28, 31	Cumb. Farms, Lexington Newbypt; Scituate, W. Bridgewater	2 m, 4 2; 4, 2	K. Anderson, D. Oliver J. Berry; G. d'Entremont	
Canvasback 14, 20 21, 23 26	Sudbury, Lakeville DWWS, W. Newbury S. Dartmouth (A. Pd.)	1 f, 110 1 m, 2 20	J. Hoye#, SSBC(W. Petersen) G. d'Entremont#, R. Heil T. Aversa	
Ring-necked Duck 7, 13	Gloucester, Brockton	2, 9	G. d'Entremont#, R. Stymeist#	

DATE	LOCATION	NUMBER	OBSERVERS	AUGUST 1993
Ring-necked Duck (continued)				
22, 23	Framingham, W. Newbury	30, 43 (41 m)	K. Hamilton, R. Heil	
28, 31	Wayland, W. Bridgewater	42, 25	K. Hamilton, G. d'Entremont	
31	Concord (N.A.C.)	110	S. Perkins	
Greater Scaup				
21, 28	Boston H., Newbypt	819, 32	TASL (M. Hall), J. Berry	
Lesser Scaup				
12, 13	Marshfield, Lakeville	1, 6	D. Ludlow, G. d'Entremont#	
19, 21	Plymouth, Waltham	4, 1	D. Ludlow, M. Lynch#	
27	S. Monomoy	1	B. Nikula#	
Common Eider				
4, 7	Salisbury, Plymouth	1150, 800	D. Chickering, M. Lynch#	
20, 21	Plum Island, Sandwich	500, 2000	M. Lynch#, E. Taylor	
21	F. H., Boston H.	1500, 9821	J. Hoye#, TASL (M. Hall)	
King Eider				
20	Martha's Vineyard, P'town	1 m, 1 ad m	A. Keith#, K. Jones	
21	Eastham	1 imm m	W. Petersen	
Harlequin Duck				
thr, 7	Rockport, Plymouth	11 max, 2 m	N. Nash, M. Lynch#	
21	Martha's Vineyard	60	V. Laux#	
Oldsquaw				
21, 28	Martha's Vineyard, Newbypt	1500, 200	V. Laux#, J. Berry	
Black Scoter				
7	Plymouth	95	M. Lynch#	
Surf Scoter				
7, 13	Plymouth, Beverly	45, 4	M. Lynch#, J. Berry	
21	Boston Harbor	52	TASL (M. Hall)	
White-winged Scoter				
4, 8, 19	Plum Island	64, 94, 18	D. Chickering	
6, 21	Rockport, Boston H.	60, 652	J. Berry#, TASL (M. Hall)	
Common Goldeneye				
6, 7	Newbypt, Plymouth	350+, 120	S. Perkins#, M. Lynch#	
21, 23	Boston H., W. Newbury	1631, 200+	TASL (M. Hall), R. Heil	
28	Newbypt, Scituate	150, 40	J. Berry, G. d'Entremont#	
Barrow's Goldeneye				
2, 6	Wayland, Newburyport	1 m, 1 m	N. Patterson, G. Gove#	
20; 21	Newbypt; Nahant, M. V.	1 m; 1 m, 1	M. Lynch#; D. Lange#, V. Laux#	
Bufflehead				
16, 20	S. Carver, Newbypt	114, 120	J. Shaw, M. Lynch#	
21, 28	Boston H., Scituate	2134, 110	TASL (M. Hall), G. d'Entremont	
Hooded Merganser				
7, 13	Watertown, Wayland	14, 4	R. Stymeist, J. + C. Hepburn	
19, 21	Millis, Mendon-Watertown	5, 14	P. Iarrobino, M. Lynch#	
Common Merganser				
16, 20	S. Carver, Arlington	84, 22	J. Shaw, L. Taylor	
21, 22	Bellingham-Watertown, Framingham	49, 65	M. Lynch#, K. Hamilton	
31	GMNWR	88	S. Perkins	
Red-breasted Merganser				
7, 21	Plymouth, Boston H.	130, 1207	M. Lynch#, TASL (M. Hall)	
Ruddy Duck				
27	S. Monomoy	3	B. Nikula#	
Turkey Vulture				
5	GMNWR	1	S. Perkins	
22, 27	Randolph, Quab. (Shaft 12)	26, 9	N. Smith, M. Lynch#	
Several scattered reports of 1-3 individuals after March 20.				
Osprey				
22, 25	Martha's Vineyard, Dighton	2, 1	V. Laux, K. Holmes	
27	Westport, Nantucket	3, 1	E. Salmela#, J. Papale	
Bald Eagle				
7, 20	Cumb. Farms, Newbypt	1 imm, 6 imm	K. Anderson, M. Lynch	
23, 26	W. Newbury, Wellesley	5 (2 ad), 1 imm	R. Heil, R. Forster	
Northern Harrier				
4, 7	Salisbury, DWWS	3 (2 m), 2	D. Chickering, M. Lynch#	
26, 27	Cumb. Farms, W. Roxbury	5, 1	T. Aversa	
Sharp-shinned Hawk				
Reports of one to four individuals from ten locations (total 14).				
Cooper's Hawk				
thr, 5	Framingham, Ipswich	1 ad, 1	K. Hamilton, J. Berry	
1, 7	Nantucket	1, 1	M. Reindel, J. Papale	
6, 7	Newbury, Beverly	1, 1	P. + F. Vale, F. Bouchard	
21, 30-31	Norwell, Millis	1, 1	G. d'Entremont#, P. Iarrobino	

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Northern Goshawk				
2, 19	E. Middleboro, Brookline	1, 1 ad	K. Anderson, H. Wiggin	
20, 29	Rowley, E. Middleboro	1 imm, 1	H. Wiggin#, J. Brissette	
31	GMNWR	1 ad	S. Perkins	
Red-shouldered Hawk				
thr	E. Middleboro, Wellesley	pr, 1 ad	K. Anderson, R. Forster	
Reports of eight individuals from seven locations.				
Red-tailed Hawk				
6, 7	W. Roxbury, DWWS	6, 6	T. Aversa, M. Lynch#	
22, 23	Boston, W. Newbury	3 imm, 10	T. Aversa, R. Heil	
Rough-legged Hawk				
4	Salisbury, Braintree	2, 1	D. Chickering, K. Hamilton	
7	DWWS, Amesbury, Nant.	1 dk, 3, 1	M. Lynch#, J. Hepburn, J. Papale	
7, 22	P. I., Middleboro	1, 4	I. Lynch#, M. Boucher	
American Kestrel				
Reports of one to three individuals (14 total) from ten locations.				
Merlin				
Reports of ten individuals from eight locations.				
Peregrine Falcon				
thr, 20	Boston, Nantucket	1, 1	v. o., P. Vennema	
27	S. Monomoy	1 ad	B. Nikula#	
28, 31	Salisbury, Saugus	1, 1 ad	BBC (D. + D. Oliver), J. Berry	
Ring-necked Pheasant				
22, 23	Wellesley, W. Newbury	6, 9	R. Forster, R. Heil	
Ruffed Grouse				
19, 20	Marshfield, Holbrook	2, 1	T. Aversa, G. d'Entremont	
21	Marshfield, Boxford	3, 3	G. d'Entremont, T. Aversa	
Wild Turkey				
13, 27	Boxford, Barre	12, 18	J. Heeremans, M. Lynch#	
Virginia Rail				
8	Dighton	1 dead	K. Holmes	
American Coot				
3, 7	Milford, Plymouth	1, 10	R. Bradbury, M. Lynch#	
20, 21	Arlington, Lynn	8, 3	L. Taylor, I. Lynch	
Black-bellied Plover				
20	Nantucket	4	P. Vennema	
Semipalmated Plover				
18, 23	Nant., M. V. (West Tisbury)	1, 2	S. Reed, E. + M. Sibert	
Piping Plover				
26-27, 27-31	S. Dart. (A. Pd), Ipswich	2 max, 2	v. o., D. Rimmer	
28	M. V. (Gay Head), P'town	1, 1	V. Laux, fide M. Blasing	
Killdeer				
7, 12	Plymouth, N. A. C.	2, 3	M. Lynch#, R. Forster#	
13, 26	Cumb. Farms, Salisbury	4, 12	G. d'Entremont#, P.+ F. Vale	
27	Wellesley, West Roxbury	7, 9	R. Forster, T. Aversa	
General arrival during the last week of March.				
American Oystercatcher				
16; 28, 31	Martha's Vineyard; Nantucket	1; 1, 6	V. Laux; E. Andrews#, B. Perkins	
Greater Yellowlegs				
24, 26, 28	Harwich, Cumb. Farms, P.I.	3, 1, 1	K. Hamilton, T. Aversa, J. Berry#	
Ruddy Turnstone				
2	Rockport	1	N. Nash	
Sanderling				
19, 21	P. I., Revere	45, 325	D. Chickering, T. Aversa	
27	S. Monomoy	300	B. Nikula#	
Western Sandpiper				
20-31	M. V. (Edgartown)	1	V. Laux et al	
Purple Sandpiper				
6, 7	Rockport, Gloucester	30, 50	J. Berry, G. d'Entremont#	
20	Salisbury	10	M. Lynch#	
Dunlin				
21, 26; 27	Revere, S. Dart.; S. Monomoy	90, 86; 300	T. Aversa; B. Nikula#	
Common Snipe				
27	Westport, W. Roxbury	1, 3	E. Salmela#, T. Aversa	
American Woodcock				
Reports of several individuals (46 total) from 14 locations.				
Red Phalarope				
6-7, 15	Rockport, Eastham	1, 12	J. Berry + v. o., P. Champlain	
7	Dennis	1	S. Clifton#	
17	Nantucket, Martha's Vineyard	1, 4	J. Van Vorst, W. Manter	
Laughing Gull				
14-22, 15-31	Nantucket, M. V.	8 max, 12 max	P. Gardner#, V. Laux#	

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Common Black-headed Gull thr, 16, 20	Newbypt, Nant., Winthrop	2 ad, 1, 12	v. o., J. Papale, H. Wiggin#	
Bonaparte's Gull 13, 27	Newburyport, Lynn	10, 1	BBC (W. Drummond), J. Quigley	
Iceland Gull thr, 6 16, 20-26 20	P'town, Rockport Nantucket, Newbypt Martha's Vineyard, Lynn	16 max, 3 ad 10, 5 2, 3	K. Jones, J. Berry J. Papale, P. + F. Vale V. Laux, J. Quigley	
Lesser Black-backed Gull 16, 20 20-21, 21	P'town, Lynn M. V., Nahant	1 ad, 1 ad 4, 1 ad	fide M. McCaffery, J. Quigley V. Laux#, R. Stymeist#	
Glaucous Gull 7, 17 20, 21; 20-21	Manomet, S. Wellfleet M.V.; P'town	1 ad, 1 ad 1 1 W, 1 ad; 1	M. Lynch#, K. Jones V. Laux#; J. Hoye#	
Black-legged Kittiwake 6	Rockport	20	J. Berry#	
Black Skimmer 14	Auburn	1 ad b	D. Grocia	
Dovekie 14	Nantucket	1 dead	B. Perkins	
Common Murre 3, 30	Provincetown, Nant.	1, 1 dead	M. Lynch#, B. Perkins	
Thick-billed Murre 7, 21 30	Rockport, P'town Nantucket	1, 1 1 dead	G. d'Entremont# + v.o., J. Hoye# B. Perkins	
Razorbill 6, 27 20, 21	Rockport M. V.	3, 1 170, 500	J. Berry#, J. Hepburn# V. Laux#	
Black Guillemot 7	Gloucester, Rockport	8, 2	G. d'Entremont#	
Mourning Dove thr	Millis	66 max 3/3	P. Iarrobino	

CUCKOOS THROUGH FINCHES

A Black-billed Cuckoo, no doubt blown up from the March 13-14 storm, was found on March 30 in West Harwich. Other storm-related birds included a Northern Parula found dead on Martha's Vineyard.

Over 2800 American Crows and only 20 Fish Crows were noted at an evening roost in Framingham early in the month. Numbers fell off rapidly by the end of the month, as crows dispersed to find breeding territories. Carolina Wrens were seen in many towns, despite the especially snowy winter.

The more unusual sightings included feeder birds such as **Painting Buntings** from Eastham and Brewster and a **Western Tanager** from Berkley. At least two Dickcissels were found on Nantucket, and three White-crowned Sparrows were noted from Edgartown. Two reports of Evening Grosbeaks from central Massachusetts were the only winter finch sightings.

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Black-billed Cuckoo 30	W. Harwich	1	K. Hamilton
Eastern Screech-Owl thr, 13-31 2, 16; 13	Mt. A., Salem Ipswich; Marshfield	2 (1 red), 2 red pr; 3 gray	v. o., I. Lynch# J. Berry; D. Ludlow
Great Horned Owl	Reports of one to two individuals (10 total) from seven locations.		
Snowy Owl 6, 12-13 21; 29	Newbypt, Duxbury B. M. V. (2 sites); Nant.	1, 1 1, 1; 1	P. + F. Vale, D. Ludlow fide V. Laux; D. Rimmer
Barred Owl 9-11	Marblehead	1	A. Hogarty
Long-eared Owl 6, 12-17	W. Roxbury, Marshfield	1, 1	T. Aversa#, v. o.
Short-eared Owl 7-20, 12-27 6, 12	Salisbury, Cumb. Farms Newburyport, Saugus	2 max, 5 max 2, 1	v. o. B. Malcolm#, J. Berry
Northern Saw-whet Owl 7-9	Ipswich	1 calling	J. Berry
Belted Kingfisher 19, 26 27, 31	Marshfield, S. Dart. Manomet, Millis	1, 3 1, 1	T. Aversa T. Aversa, P. Iarrobino
Red-bellied Woodpecker 12, 23 26, 27	DWWS, W. Newbury S. Dart., Lakeville	1 m, 2 1 m, 1	D. Ludlow, R. Heil T. Aversa, K. Holmes

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Red-bellied Woodpecker (continued)				
27, 28	Westport, Plymouth	2, 1	E. Salmela#, A. Hirschkop	
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker				
18-31	Nantucket	1	E. Andrews#	
"Red-shafted" Northern Flicker				
14	Nantucket	1	L. Van Duyne	
Pileated Woodpecker				
13, 27	Wayland, Quab. (Shaft 12)	2, 4	J. Hepburn#, M. Lynch#	
31	Sherborn	pr	E. Taylor	
Eastern Phoebe				
27	Quab. (Shaft 12), Hingham	1, 1	M. Lynch#, M. Rines	
28, 30	Bolton, Wenham	1, 1	M. Lynch#, N. Nash	
31	Millis, E. Middleboro	1, 1	P. Iarrobino, K. Anderson	
Horned Lark				
thr	P. I., Cumb. Farms	23 max, 50 max	v. o.	
4, 20; 27	Salisbury; W. Roxbury	23, 18; 2	D. Chickering, M. Lynch#; T. Aversa	
Tree Swallow				
14, 25	M. V., Cumb. Farms	3, 1	R. Culbert, K. Anderson	
27	N. Dartmouth, Arlington	1, 1	M. Boucher, D. Oliver	
American Crow				
21, 31	Framingham	2800, 1600	E. Taylor	
Fish Crow				
thr, 2	Framingham, Millis	20, 2	E. Taylor, P. Iarrobino	
11, 27	Wellesley, Braintree	1, 1	R. Forster, R. Stymeist#	
31	Wellesley, E. Middleboro	2, 1	R. Forster, K. Anderson	
Black-capped Chickadee				
23	W. Newbury	73	R. Heil	
Red-breasted Nuthatch				
thr	Ipswich, Brookline	4 max 3/6, pr	J. Berry#, H. Wiggin	
3, 13	Lexington, Middleboro	3, 1 f	J. Hepburn, G. d'Entremont#	
16, 23	S. Carver, E. Middleboro	1, 1	J. Shaw, K. Anderson	
Brown Creeper				
thr, 3	Millis, Newton	3 max, 1	P. Iarrobino, M. Murphy	
10, 13	E. Middleboro, Lakeville	1, 1	K. Anderson, S. Arena#	
Carolina Wren				
13, 20, 27, 28	51 towns	67	R. Stymeist#	
1, 16; 6	Westford; Rockport	1; 2	S. Selesky; J. Berry#	
26, 31	S. Dart., BMB	17, 1	T. Aversa, K. Mills	
Winter Wren				
thr, 6	E. Middleboro, Brookline	1, 1	K. Anderson, T. Aversa	
7, 13	Westport, Walpole	1, 1	M. Boucher, R. Stymeist#	
23, 27-31	W. Newbury, Wellesley	1, 1	R. Heil, R. Forster	
Marsh Wren				
26	S. Dartmouth (DLSP)	1	T. Aversa	
Ruby-crowned Kinglet				
1-31, 28	E. Orleans, Marshfield	1, 1	S. Thompson#, G. d'Entremont#	
Eastern Bluebird				
thr, 6	Millis, Westboro	7 max 3/19, 5	P. Iarrobino, M. Lynch#	
7, 10	Boxford, Wayland	3, 4	G. Lynch, S. Arena	
20-25, 21-31	Lakeville, DWWS	4, 2	K. Holmes#, G. d'Entremont#	
22, 31	E. Middleboro, BMB	4, 2	K. Anderson, K. Mills	
Hermit Thrush				
1, 6	N. Dartmouth, Brookline	1, 1	M. Boucher, T. Aversa	
6, 19	P. I., Nantucket	1, 5	P. + F. Vale, J. Van Vorst	
Reports of single individuals from five locations after March 13.				
Gray Catbird				
8; 8, 19	Boston (A.A.); Nant.	2; 1, 5	T. Aversa; E. Andrews	
8, 19	N. Dart., Dedham	1, 1	M. Boucher, S. Arena	
20, 27	Ipswich, Braintree	1, 1	J. Berry, R. Stymeist#	
Brown Thrasher				
2, 9	Newbury, Eastham (F.H.)	1, 1	D. Chickering, K. Jones	
American Pipit				
13-20	Cumb. Farms	12 max	G. d'Entremont#	
Cedar Waxwing				
thr, 12-17	Taunton, Millis	125 max, 20 max	G. d'Entremont, P. Iarrobino	
13, 20	Wakefield, Sudbury	200, 120	P. + F. Vale, R. Forster#	
Northern Shrike				
9, 24	Hingham, Lynnfield	1, 1	K. Hamilton, C. Leahy	
26	Sudbury	1 ad	W. Petersen	
Northern Parula				
15	Martha's Vineyard	1 m dead	J. Barrett	

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Yellow-rumped Warbler				
3, 6	Nantucket, P.I.	55, 18	J. Papale, P. + F. Vale	
16, 21	Nantucket, Marshfield	175, 5	J. Papale, G. d'Entremont	
27, 28	Wellesley, Hingham	1, 3	R. Forster, G. d'Entremont#	
Yellow-breasted Chat				
14	Nantucket	1 dead	L. Van Duyne	
Western Tanager thr	Berkley	1 m	J. Katner + v. o.	
Painted Bunting thr	Eastham (F.H.), Brewster	1 f, 1 m	fide D. Samson, A. Furman	
Dickcissel				
18-31, 18	Nantucket	1, 1	B. Vigneau, F. Reed	
Rufous-sided Towhee thr, 1-16	Nant., S. Acton	2, 1	E. Andrews#, B. Jaquet	
7, 15	N. Dartmouth, Wayland	3, 5	M. Boucher, S. Arena	
20, 26	Braintree, S. Dart. (DLSP)	1, 9 m	G. d'Entremont, T. Aversa	
American Tree Sparrow thr, 6	Millis, W. Roxbury	41 max 3/3, 45	P. Iarrobino, T. Aversa	
6, 13	Harvard, Cumb. Farms	25, 15	M. Lynch#, G. d'Entremont#	
20, 28	Lakeville, DWWS	5, 5	K. Holmes, G. d'Entremont#	
Chipping Sparrow				
19	Hopkinton	1	R. Forster#	
Field Sparrow				
2-31, 7	Millis, Brookline	6, 1	P. Iarrobino, H. Wiggin#	
13, 31	Middleboro, Worcester (BMB)	1, 3	G. d'Entremont#, K. Mills	
Savannah Sparrow				
13, 20	Cumb. Farms, M. V.	15, 60	G. d'Entremont#, V. Laux#	
21, 26	E. Boston, S. Dart.	1, 10	T. Aversa	
"Ipswich" Sparrow				
20, 21	Salisbury, Lynn	1, 1	P. Iarrobino, R. Stymeist#	
27	S. Dart., N. Monomoy	1, 3	E. Salmela#, B. Nikula#	
Fox Sparrow				
1-21, 27	Millis, Scituate	1, 1	P. Iarrobino, R. Stymeist#	
28	DWWS, Pepperell	4, 1	G. d'Entremont#, M. Lynch#	
28, 29	Brewster, W. Newbury	1, 1	R. Stymeist#, R. Heil	
30, 31	Brookline, Boston (F. Pk.)	1, 3	H. Wiggin, T. Aversa	
Swamp Sparrow				
thr, 23	Nantucket, W. Newbury	1-2, 3	E. Andrews#, R. Heil	
26, 31	S. Dart. (DLSP), Wellesley	2, 1	T. Aversa, R. Forster	
White-throated Sparrow thr	Ipswich, Brookline	26 max 3/5, 7	J. Berry, B. Rielly#	
White-crowned Sparrow thr	Edgartown	3	V. Laux	
Dark-eyed Junco thr	Ipswich, Brookline	15 max, 25 max	J. Berry, B. Rielly#	
Lapland Longspur				
20, 21	Salisbury, Chatham	6, 5	H. Wiggin#, K. Jones	
28	Plum Island	3	BBC (D. + D. Oliver)	
Snow Bunting				
13, 16	P. I., S. Wellfleet	20, 14	BBC (W. Drummond), K. Jones	
21, 27	Nahant, Hardwick	6, 2	R. Stymeist#, R. Bradbury	
Red-winged Blackbird				
28	Harvard, Bridgewater	200, 600	M. Lynch#, E. Taylor	
Eastern Meadowlark				
7, 8	DWWS, Nantucket	1, 10	M. Lynch#, J. Papale#	
17, 22	Nantucket, Middleboro	5, 13	J. Papale#, M. Boucher	
Rusty Blackbird				
6, 8	Lynnfield, Millis	15, 1	P. + F. Vale, P. Iarrobino	
13; 26	Avon, Brockton; Wakefield	1, 2; 1	R. Stymeist#, P. + F. Vale	
27, 28	Wellesley, Ipswich	12, 2	R. Forster, J. Berry	
Common Grackle				
13, 27	several towns, Framingham	small flocks, 300	R. Stymeist#, E. Taylor	
Brown-headed Cowbird				
8	Bridgewater	50	K. Anderson	
Purple Finch				
2, 3	Acushnet, W. Roxbury	9, 1 m	M. Bossiere, M. Murphy	
13, 27	E. Middleboro, Wellesley	10, 1 m	G. d'Entremont#, R. Forster	
Evening Grosbeak				
27, 28	Quab. (Shaft 12), Lunenburg	2, 5	M. Lynch#	