

BIRD SIGHTINGS

September/October, 2004

After three months of below-normal temperatures, September was close to normal. At 65.2°, the temperature was just 0.5° above the average in Boston. The high was 85° on September 4; the low was 47° on September 19. Boston recorded 7.44 inches of rain, more than double the normal for September. This was the seventh wettest September in Boston since 1872. Despite the record precipitation, measurable amounts fell on just seven days. The unusually sunny weather was interrupted by tropical storms or remnants of tropical storms. The remains of Hurricane Frances on September 8 and 9 brought heavy rain to New England after exercising its wrath on Florida. The effects of Hurricane Ivan on September 18 again produced heavy rain; and on September 28-29 the region felt the effects of Hurricane Jeanne with still more heavy rain. Luckily there was no major damage in our area, though these storms brought significant damage to the Gulf States, especially Florida. The winds from these storms were not significant, and there were just a few birds noted from coastal areas.

October was also close to normal, with an average temperature of 53.8°, just 0.3° below average. In Boston the high of 74° was reached on October 8, and the low for the month was 38° on October 28. There was no killing frost in the Boston area, although some suburbs far to the west ended their growing season on October 6. Several suburbs closer to Boston did not freeze until October 28, about three weeks later than average. Precipitation totaled 1.90 inches in Boston, 1.89 inches under the average. There was no snow recorded in eastern Massachusetts.

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WATERFOWL THROUGH ALCIDS

The most exciting waterfowl sighting of the season was an adult **Ross's Goose** spotted at Turners Falls in late October. If accepted by the MARC, this would represent only the third record for the state. This species has been showing up with increasing regularity in the region, and more records should be expected in the near future. A count of 216 Wood Ducks at Bolton Flats in early October was one of the highest counts in the last ten years anywhere in the state. The male Harlequin Duck that spent the summer on Martha's Vineyard continued through September and October and was joined, at a more seasonal time, by small numbers at Scituate and Rockport in late October. A **Pacific Loon** was observed at Andrew's Point on October 22. In addition to Race Point in Provincetown, this location has proven to be one of the best places to see this species in Massachusetts. Although this is particularly true in the winter, over the last few years Pacific Loons have routinely been seen by diligent observers as they passed Andrew's Point during the fall migration. An **Eared Grebe** was observed on Martha's Vineyard at the end of October. Unfortunately, it did not stick around. Could this be the long-staying Gloucester bird, a little tardy in his return?

By October small numbers of Northern Fulmars were being spotted in Massachusetts waters. Shearwaters continued to be scarce in onshore and northern Massachusetts waters, although thousands of Cory's and Greater shearwaters were seen in early September 30 miles south of Martha's Vineyard. The pelagic highlight of the season was the nine **Audubon's Shearwaters** reported on a trip to Oceanographer Canyon October 2-3. A few storms brought decent numbers of Northern Gannets close to shore, with the best blow producing 7200 at Andrew's Point in Rockport on October 24. A sure sign of the changing status of the Double-crested Cormorant in the region was the count of 8000 from North Monomoy in Chatham at the end of September, which represented the highest single day count ever in Massachusetts.

The only Tricolored Heron report of the season came from Cape Cod (Orleans), where this species is traditionally much more uncommon than it is north of Boston. Also on Cape Cod was an adult Yellow-crowned Night-Heron which hung out for a few days in early September in West Falmouth. Black Vultures turned up at a number of western Massachusetts hawkwatches and their traditional sites in the southwest corner of the state. Stealing the show, perhaps, were the Turkey Vultures which were reported in good numbers throughout the period. Most impressive was the single day count of 174 which was tallied at Barre Falls on October 20. This represents the highest single-day count in Massachusetts of this southern species, which has been steadily expanding its range northwards through Massachusetts in the last 50+ years.

Most unusual was the report of a Rough-legged Hawk at Plum Island on the very early date of October 6. Rough-legged Hawks typically begin showing up in Massachusetts during the second half of October. In fact, the earliest previous record was October 16, 1998, on Nomans Land. On September 4, one lucky observer found nine Virginia Rails, one Sora, and a **Yellow Rail** in Rowley. **Common Moorhen** is a species which has struggled in Massachusetts during recent years, so it was encouraging to receive a report of an adult with two juveniles in Stockbridge on September 19. Three additional birds were reported in October at various sites throughout the state. **Sandhill Cranes** showed quite well at a number of locations around Massachusetts. The reports included a sighting of five Sandhill Cranes together in Carver, the most ever seen at one time in the state.

Western Massachusetts enjoyed more shorebirds than normal this year, thanks in part to the heavy rains brought on by several hurricanes and cold fronts that plowed through the region during the period. Sample counts included 60 American Golden-Plovers and 7 Buff-breasted Sandpipers at Northampton, 11 American Golden-Plovers, 20 Semipalmated Plovers, 52 Killdeer, 7 Lesser Yellowlegs, 1 Upland Sandpiper, 1 Hudsonian Godwit, 190 Semipalmated Sandpipers, 14 Least Sandpipers, and 40 White-rumped Sandpipers in Northfield. All told, some twenty-three species of shorebirds were found throughout the period in western Massachusetts, including eighteen species at various locations on September 9 alone! The five Red-necked Phalaropes sighted at Turners Falls represented only the second Western Massachusetts record in the last 15+ years. Not to be pushed too far out of the shorebird spotlight, coastal areas hosted a number of shorebird highlights. These included a **Pacific Golden-Plover** reported from Martha's Vineyard, unfortunately not in time for other observers to track this bird down, which was not seen again. Details of the sighting have been submitted to the MARC, and if accepted represent only the second record for Massachusetts and one of very few from eastern North America. Other shorebird highlights were an **American Avocet** in East Boston, two **Curlew Sandpipers** (one each reported in Chatham and Scituate), and two **Ruffs** on Cape Cod.

Two **South Polar Skuas** were reported south of Martha's Vineyard. Another uncommon pelagic larid, **Sabine's Gull**, was reported twice during the period. A decent number of Caspian Terns were observed during the period, probably due to the tropical disturbances that threatened us. These included a report of nine from Dorchester. More interesting was the report of a single bird in Northampton, which represents only the third fall record from western Massachusetts and the first since 1963. An impressive number of Forster's Terns were reported from Westport at the end of September and the beginning of October. On October 10, 150 Forster's Terns were counted there. This was one of the highest counts ever for Massachusetts. J. Trimble



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Snow Goose					
9/26	GMNWR	1	G. Dysart#		
10/5	Granville	190	J. Weeks		
10/7	P.I.	5	T. Wetmore		
10/10	Maynard	12	L. Nachtrab		
10/22	Richmond	25	D. St James		
10/23	Mt. Watatic	12	T. Pirro#		
Ross's Goose	(details submitted) *				
10/21-23	Turners Falls 1 ph		M. Fairbrother + v.o.		
Brant					
10/3, 30	Plymouth2, 210		d'Entremont, Bowes		
10/9	Revere	56	P + F. Vale		
10/11, 16	Barre Falls 20, 28		B. Kamp#		
10/12	Amherst	1	B. Weeks		
10/25	Pittsfield (Pont.)	4	N. Purdy		
Wood Duck					
9/6	Wakefield	66	P + F. Vale		
9/12	Agawam	35	S. Kellogg		
9/15	Longmeadow	85	G. Kingston#		
9/19	Stockbridge	80	M. Lynch#		
10/4	Bolton Flats	216	T. Pirro		
10/17	IRWS	27	J. MacDougall		
10/20	Pittsfield	42	HBC (E. Neumuth)		
Gadwall					
9/20-10/20	Arlington Res.	1-6	J. Forbes		
10/1	GMNWR	2	S. Perkins#		
10/2	Wakefield	4	P + F. Vale		
10/4, 29	Woburn	6, 12	M. Rines		
10/9, 20	Ipswich	103, 137	J. Berry		
10/16, 30	Plymouth	8, 15	Anderson, Bowes		
10/26	P.I.	44	R. Heil		
10/27	Seekonk	54	R. Farrell		
Eurasian Wigeon					
10/18-19	Ipswich	1 m	R. Heil		
American Wigeon					
9/thr	P.I.	4-10	v.o.		
9/3	Pepperell	3	T. Pirro		
9/16	Marstons Mills	10	M. Keleher		
9/22-10/30	Arlington Res.	81 max	M. Rines		
10/8	Marstons Mills	51	M. Keleher		
10/9, 20	Ipswich	204, 247	J. Berry		
10/21	Turners Falls	2	W. Lafley		
10/27	Swansea	62	R. Farrell		
10/31	Berkshire Cnty	2	T. Tynning		
American Black Duck					
10/9	Ipswich	104	J. Berry		
10/26	P.I.	340	R. Heil		
10/31	Berkshire Cnty	192	T. Tynning		
Blue-winged Teal					
9/thr	P.I.	3-8	v.o.		
9/3	Pepperell	4	T. Pirro		
9/8-10/13	GMNWR	4-10	USFW (S. Koch)		
9/15, 10/1	Marstons Mills	6, 8	Foster, Keleher		
9/18, 29	Turners Falls	3, 2	Sumner, Allen		
10/3	Quabbin (G45)	1	M. Lynch#		
10/3	Boston	2	BBC (R. Stymeist)		
Northern Shoveler					
9/23	Boston	1	D. Hunneman		
9/27-10/31	P.I.	1-3	v.o.		
9/30-10/31	Arlington Res.	1-3	v.o.		
Northern Pintail					
9/19-10/31	GMNWR	20 max	v.o.		
9/19	Quincy Bay	5	G. d'Entremont#		
10/1, 26	P.I.	23, 102	R. Heil		
10/3	Plymouth	50	G. d'Entremont#		
10/8, 26	Egremont	3, 4	St James, Collins		
10/11	Turners Falls	2	H. Allen		
10/31	Westport	8	G. d'Entremont#		
10/31	Berkshire Cnty	3	T. Tynning		
Green-winged Teal					
9/thr	GMNWR	722 max	10/27 USFWS		
9/thr	P.I.	120 max	10/26 v.o.		
9/5, 10/26	Egremont	7, 45	St James, Collins		
9/19	Randolph	59	G. d'Entremont		
9/22, 10/5	Arlington Res.	24, 94	M. Rines		
10/19	Rockport (A.P.)	28	R. Heil		
10/31	Berkshire Cnty	68	T. Tynning		
Canvasback					
10/31	Cambr. (F.P.)	1	BBC (R. Petersen)		
Ring-necked Duck					
9/thr	Pittsfield	459 max	10/20 v.o.		
9/13-10/31	Cambr. (F.P.)	134 max	10/23 v.o.		
10/1-31	W. Newbury	730 max	10/28 v.o.		
10/2	Southborough	30	E. Taylor		
10/27	Southboro	40	E. Morrier		
10/31	Framingham	45	E. Morrier		
10/31	Middleboro	38	J. Sweeney		
10/31	Lakeville	248	J. Sweeney		
Greater Scaup					
10/8, 17	Lynnfield	5, 28	P + F. Vale		
10/10	Falmouth	27	R. Farrell		
10/25	Richmond	1	D. St James		
10/27	Cambr. (F.P.)	1 m	B. Miller		
10/30	P.I.	7	T. Wetmore		
10/31	Westport	33	G. d'Entremont#		
Lesser Scaup					
10/8	Lynnfield	11	P + F. Vale		
10/20	Pittsfield	2	HBC (E. Neumuth)		
10/29	Nahant	4	L. Pivacek		
10/30	Scituate	3	D. Furbish		
10/31	Westport	47	G. d'Entremont#		
10/31	Framingham	9	E. Morrier		
10/31	Berkshire Cnty	3	T. Tynning		
Common Eider					
9/4	Westport	32	M. Lynch#		
9/11	Stellwagen	20	W. Petersen#		
9/18, 10/19	Rockport (A.P.)	10, 1560	R. Heil		
9/29, 10/23	Dennis (Corp. B.)	17, 3500	Flood, Nikula		
10/16	Plymouth	200	K. Anderson#		
10/24	Barnstable (S.N.)	324	G. d'Entremont		
10/29	Nahant	48	L. Pivacek		
10/30	Scituate	90	D. Furbish		
Harlequin Duck					
9/thr	Chilmark	1 m	A. Keith		
10/19, 24	Rockport (A.P.)	1, 27	R. Heil		
10/30	Scituate	21	D. Furbish		
Surf Scoter					
9/18, 10/24	Rockport (A.P.)	7, 2850	R. Heil		
9/29	Dennis (Corp. B.)	375	P. Flood		
9/30	Eastham (F.E.)	200	M. Sampson#		
10/7	Orleans	150	G. Gove#		
10/20-28	Reports of 1-10 indiv.		from 7 inland loc.		
10/24	Barnstable (S.N.)	3032	G. d'Entremont		
10/29	Nahant	120	L. Pivacek		
10/30	Plymouth	125	R. Bowes		
White-winged Scoter					
9/3	Chapaquiddick	200	A. Keith#		
9/11	Stellwagen	25	W. Petersen#		
9/29	Dennis (Corp. B.)	250	P. Flood		
9/29	Eastham (F.E.)	350	M. Sampson		
10/7	Orleans	100	G. Gove#		
10/9	Revere	285+	P + F. Vale		
10/19	Rockport (A.P.)	325	R. Heil		
10/23	Cambr. (F.P.)	1 f	J. Crystal#		
10/28	Cheshire	1	T. Collins		
10/30	Scituate	200	D. Furbish		
Black Scoter					
9/29	Dennis (Corp. B.)	135	P. Flood		
10/7	Orleans	100	G. Gove#		
10/11, 24	Rockport (A.P.)	5, 690	R. Heil		
10/17	Sturbridge	12	M. Lynch#		
10/28	Lincoln	2	J. Forbes		
10/28	Pittsfield	37	T. Collins		
10/29	Woburn (H.P.)	2	R. LaFontaine		
10/30	Scituate	70+	D. Furbish		
10/30	Wachusett Res.	2 f	S. Sutton		
Scoter Species					
9/29	Eastham (F.E.)	5000	M. Sampson		
10/23	Dennis (Corp. B.)	9000	B. Nikula#		
10/29	Nahant	600+	L. Pivacek		
Long-tailed Duck					
10/12, 24	Rockport (A.P.)	4, 96	R. Heil		
10/20	Westfield	1	B. Bieda		
10/20	P.I.	17	T. Wetmore		
10/24	Barnstable (S.N.)	46	G. d'Entremont		

Long-tailed Duck (continued)			9/22	Wellfleet	2	M. Sampson
10/28	Lincoln	1	J. Forbes	10/21, 24	Rockport (A.P.)15, 24	R. Heil
10/28	W. Newbury	1 m	J. Berry	10/28	W. Newbury	1
10/30	Scituate	4	D. Furbish	10/30	Scituate	64
Bufflehead			10/31	P.I.		50
10/20	P.I.	1 f	T. Wetmore	Pacific Loon	(no details) *	
10/25	Richmond	2	D. St James	10/22	Rockport (A.P.)	1
10/25	Lincoln	2	J. Forbes	Common Loon		
10/27	Cambr. (F.P.)	1 m	B. Miller	9/11	Stellwagen	8
10/28	Northampton	10	H. Allen	9/11, 10/20	P.I.	4, 25
10/30	Scituate	26	D. Furbish	9/18, 10/12	Rockport (A.P.)19, 19	
Common Goldeneye			9/20	Jeffrey's L.		9
10/17	Lynnfield	1 f	P. + F. Vale	9/23, 10/30	Wachusett Res. 5,	16
10/22	Turner's Falls	1	W. Petersen#	10/3	Quabbin	6
10/26	New Salem	1	W. Laflay	10/16	Plymouth	12
10/28	W. Newbury	1 imm m	J. Berry	10/19, 24	Rockport (A.P.)113, 63	
10/28	Eastham	1 m	M. Tuttle#	10/23	Dennis (Corp. B.)36	
10/31	Wachusett Res.	5	M. Lynch#	10/24	Barnstable (S.N.)	23
10/31	Berkshire Cnty	8	T. Tynning	10/24	New Salem	8
Hooded Merganser				Pied-billed Grebe		
9/4	Leicester	2	M. Lynch#	9/19	New Braintree	3
9/14	Northampton	4	R. Packard	9/19	Randolph	4
9/19	Randolph	2	G. d'Entremont#	9/19	Stockbridge	1ad+1juv
10/20	Ipswich	6	J. Berry#	9/21	GMNWR	1 juv
10/23	Arlington Res.	6	C. Floyd#	10/20	Pittsfield	21
10/29	Lynn	8	L. Pivacek	10/20	Cheshire	5
10/31	Ware	15	D. Norton	10/20	Richmond	3
Common Merganser				10/31	Westport	3
9/1	Westfield	10	S. Kellogg	Horned Grebe		
10/20	S. Quabbin	12	H. Allen	10/3	Boston	2
10/22	Ware	9	D. Norton	10/16	Plymouth	2
10/28	W. Newbury	2 f	J. Berry	10/17	Quabbin Pk	4
10/30	Wachusett Res.	13	S. Sutton	10/20	Richmond	1
10/31	Berkshire Cnty	10	T. Tynning	10/29	Manchester	3
Red-breasted Merganser				Red-necked Grebe		
9/12	Truro	4	BBC (R. Stymeist)	9/30	Eastham (F.E.)	8
10/7, 31	P.I.	7, 30	T. Wetmore	10/3	Dennis (Corp. B.)	2
10/23	Dennis (Corp. B.)	450	B. Nikula#	10/3	Boston	4
10/24	Wareham	48	R. Farrell	10/19	Rockport (A.P.)	4
10/24	Barnstable (S.N.)	192	G. d'Entremont	10/24	New Salem	1
10/24	Rockport (A.P.)	205	R. Heil	10/31	Berkshire Cnty	5
10/30	Scituate	40	D. Furbish	Eared Grebe	(details) *	
Ruddy Duck				10/24	Gay Head	1
9/1	P.I.	1 m	T. Wetmore	Northern Fulmar		
9/2, 28	W. Newbury	16, 120	Heil, Berry	9/30	Eastham (F.E.)	1
10/4-31	Melrose	27 max	D. + I. Jewell	10/1	Stellwagen	1
10/7	Marlboro	7	L. Nachtrab	10/2-3	Oceanographer C.47	
10/11, 31	Cambr. (F.P.)	35, 103	Miller, Petersen	10/4	Nomans Land	1
10/20	Pittsfield	7	HBC (E. Neumuth)	10/6	20 m E of Chatham	1
10/29	Arlington Res.	6	O. Spalding	10/22, 24	Rockport (A.P.)11, 18	
10/31	Berkshire Cnty	17	T. Tynning	Cory's Shearwater		
Ring-necked Pheasant				9/3	30 m. S of MV 1000s	
10/11	Belmont	3	D. Bates	10/2-3	Oceanographer C.45	
10/17	Gardner	1 f	T. Pirro	Greater Shearwater		
10/17	MBWMA	1	S. Walch	9/3	30 m. S of MV 1000s	
10/23	Deerfield	2	M. Lynch#	10/2-3	Oceanographer C.75	
Ruffed Grouse				10/21	Rockport (A.P.)	1
9/11	Quabbin	10	BBC (Lockwood)	Sooty Shearwater		
9/12	Ware R. IBA	3	M. Lynch#	9/3	30 m. s of MV	2
9/22	Ipswich	4	J. Berry	10/2-3	Oceanographer C.	2
10/3	Quabbin	5	T. Gagnon	10/24	Rockport (A.P.)	1
10/24	Mt. Watatic	1	T. McCullough#	Manx Shearwater		
Wild Turkey				9/11	Stellwagen	1
9/1	Leicester	29	M. Lynch#	9/18, 10/11	Rockport (A.P.)	4, 1
9/16	Mt. Watatic	33	T. Pirro	9/20	Jeffrey's L.	1
9/17	Sharon	6	G. d'Entremont#	10/2-3	Oceanographer C.	8
10/3	Quabbin	32	T. Gagnon	10/22, 24	Rockport (A.P.)	2, 2
10/3	Boston	5	BBC (R. Stymeist)	10/23	P.I.	1
10/10	M.V.	21	SSBC (Clapp)	Audubon's Shearwater	(no details) *	
10/31	Pepperell	10	E. Stromsted	10/2-3	Oceanographer C.	9
10/31	Hadley	20	H. McQueen	Wilson's Storm-Petrel		
Northern Bobwhite				9/3	30 m. s of MV	100+
9/21	Wellfleet	8	R. Heil	9/11	Stellwagen	325
9/21	Eastham	18	R. Heil	9/21	Chatham	23+
10/8	Cotuit	2	M. Keleher	10/2-3	Oceanographer C.60	
10/23	Barnstable	10	M. Keleher	10/24	Dennis (Corp. B.)	1+
Red-throated Loon				10/24	Sandwich	1+
9/18, 10/11	Rockport (A.P.)	1, 2	R. Heil	10/24	Barnstable (S.N.)	2

Leach's Storm-Petrel			10/7	Amherst	1	L. Therrian
9/20 Jeffrey's L.	1	MAS (Larson)	10/20	Chatham	1	D. Manchester
10/2-3 Oceanographer C.	2	R. Donovan	10/24	Amherst	1	H. Allen
10/21, 22 Rockport (A.P.)	2, 2	R. Heil		Black-crowned Night-Heron		
10/23, 26 Barnstable (S.N.)	14, 6	G. Gove#	9/3	GMNWR	5	S. Perkins#
10/24 Dennis (Corp. B.)	1	B. Nikula	9/3-5	Pittsfield	1	B. Bailey
10/24 Sandwich	6+	B. Nikula	10/8	Newbury	3	P. + F. Vale
10/24 Rockport (A.P.)	8	R. Heil	10/9, 18	Ipswich	18, 26	Berry, Heil
Northern Gannet				Yellow-crowned Night-Heron		
9/19, 10/24 Eastham (F.E.)	100, 1100	B. Nikula#	9/4-5	W. Falmouth	1 ad	J. Palmer#
9/29, 10/23 Dennis (Corp. B.)	63, 1300	Flood, Nikula		Glossy Ibis		
10/19, 24 Rockport (A.P.)	1410, 7200	R. Heil	9/5	P.I.	1	P. + F. Vale
10/23, 30 P'town	800, 800	B. Nikula#	9/6	S. Monomoy	1	J. Trimble#
10/24 Barnstable (S.N.)	775	G. d'Entremont	9/6	Squantum	10	G. d'Entremont
Double-crested Cormorant				Black Vulture		
9/21 N. Monomoy	8000	R. Heil	9/6, 14	Granville	1, 1	Hawkcount (JW)
9/22, 10/1 Chatham	800, 3500	D. Manchester	9/12	Mt. Tom	1	BBC (T. Gagnon)
10/9 Squantum	2000+	P. O'Neil	9/19	Sheffield	6	M. Lynch#
10/9 Ipswich	500	J. Berry	9/19	Great Barrington	2	M. Lynch#
10/10 Acoaxet	1099	M. Lynch#	10/1, 22	Granville	3, 3	Hawkcount (JW)
10/11 Newbypt/P.I.	537	S. Sutton	10/31	Granville	4	J. Weeks
10/11, 12 Rockport (A.P.)	385, 745	R. Heil		Turkey Vulture		
10/29 Dorchester	4500	R. Donovan#	9/5-21	Barre Falls	18	Hawkcount (BK)
Great Cormorant			9/5	Sheffield	50	T. Gagnon
9/11 Stellwagen	1	W. Petersen#	9/12	Mt. Tom	15	BBC (T. Gagnon)
9/12 Arlington	1 imm	M. Rines	9/19	Sheffield	17	M. Lynch#
9/18, 10/19 Rockport (A.P.)	7, 32	R. Heil	10/thr	Chatham	19	Hawkcount (DM)
9/19 Newbypt	3 1W	R. Heil	10/1-14	Barre Falls	253	Hawkcount (BK)
10/2 W. Falmouth	4	R. Farrell	10/4-28	Barre Falls	175	Hawkcount (JW)
10/19-28 Northampton	1	B. Bieda	10/18	Ipswich	14	R. Heil
10/31 Westport	4	G. d'Entremont#	10/20	Granville	47	Hawkcount (JW)
American Bittern			10/20	Barre Falls	174	Hawkcount (BK)
thr GMNWR	1	v.o.	10/31	Westport	14	G. d'Entremont#
9/3 Edgartown	1	M. Pelikan		Osprey		
9/4 W. Brookfield	1	S. Hedman#	9/thr	Granville	126	Hawkcount (JW)
9/26 Barnstable	1	G. d'Entremont	9/thr	Chatham	15	Hawkcount (DM)
9/30-10/20 P.I.	1	v.o.	9/thr	Barre Falls	159	Hawkcount (BK)
10/thr Edgartown	1	M. Pelikan#	9/11-22	Mt. Wachusett	117	Hawkcount (JS)
10/1 Salisbury	1	D. Chickering	9/11-25	Mt. Watatic	139	Hawkcount (TP)
10/10 Westport	1	M. Lynch#	9/11, 21	Mt. Watatic	22, 26	Hawkcount (TP)
10/20 Duxbury	1	R. Bowes#	9/12	Falmouth	21	CCBC (G. Hirth)
Great Blue Heron			9/13, 21	Mt. Wachusett	15, 47	Hawkcount (JS)
9/8 GMNWR	20	USFW (S. Koch)	9/13, 21	Barre Falls	23, 24	Hawkcount (BK)
9/15 Longmeadow	11	G. Kingston#	10/1-18	Granville	35	Hawkcount (JW)
9/25 Eastham (F. H.)	22	G. d'Entremont#	10/1-18	Chatham	9	Hawkcount (DM)
10/10 Sandwich	23	D. Furbish#	10/1-23	Barre Falls	42	Hawkcount (BK)
10/18 Ipswich	12	R. Heil	10/23	Barre Falls	3	Hawkcount (BK)
Great Egret			10/31	Princeton	1	M. Lynch#
9/thr P.I.	8-40	v.o.		Bald Eagle		
9/2-10/7 GMNWR	15 max 9/2	S. Perkins#	9/thr	Barre Falls	26	Hawkcount (BK)
9/4 Quincy	8	E. Taylor	9/thr	Granville	68	Hawkcount (JW)
9/4, 10/10 Westport	66, 78	M. Lynch#	9/11-19	Mt. Watatic	13	Hawkcount (TP)
9/5 Sheffield	3	T. Gagnon	9/12-21	Mt. Wachusett	11	Hawkcount (JS)
9/18 Turners Falls	7	S. Surner	9/21	Mt. Wachusett	6	Hawkcount (JS)
9/26 Barnstable	21	G. d'Entremont#	9/21	Barre Falls	7	Hawkcount (BK)
10/10 Acoaxet	61	M. Lynch#	9/26	Granville	10	Hawkcount (JW)
10/18 Ipswich	21	R. Heil	10/thr	Barre Falls	12	Hawkcount (BK)
10/23 Scituate	11	G. d'Entremont	10/thr	Granville	31	Hawkcount (JW)
Snowy Egret			10/31	Barre Falls	3	Hawkcount (BK)
9/4, 10/10 Westport	9, 6	M. Lynch#		Northern Harrier		
9/4, 10/31 P.I.	160, 1	Vale, Forbes	9/thr	Barre Falls	20	Hawkcount (BK)
9/5 E. Boston	53	BBC (S. Zende)	9/thr	Granville	33	Hawkcount (JW)
9/21 Eastham	19	R. Heil	9/11-21	Mt. Watatic	14	Hawkcount (TP)
9/25 Falmouth	31	R. Farrell	9/11-22	Mt. Wachusett	8	Hawkcount (JS)
10/18 Ipswich	4	R. Heil	9/12	N. Monomoy	5	B. Nikula
Little Blue Heron			9/15	Mt. Watatic	5	Hawkcount (TP)
9/5, 15 P.I.	1 imm, 1 ad	Moore, Sutton	9/19	Granville	6	Hawkcount (JW)
9/21 Manchester	3	S. Hedman	9/21	GMNWR	5	S. Perkins#
10/21 Duxbury	1 ad	R. Bowes	9/26	Bolton Flats	4	M. Lynch#
Tricolored Heron			10/thr	Barre Falls	21	Hawkcount (BK)
9/10 Orleans	1	F. Vale	10/thr	Granville	25	Hawkcount (JW)
Cattle Egret			10/thr	Chatham	10	Hawkcount (DM)
9/10 Magnolia	4	G. Gove#	10/20, 23	Barre Falls	5, 4	Hawkcount (BK)
9/21 Manchester	1	S. Hedman	10/26	P.I.	8	R. Heil
10/18, 31 P.I.	1	Bolton, Sherwood		Sharp-shinned Hawk		
Green Heron			9/thr	Barre Falls	460	Hawkcount (BK)
9/9 GMNWR	5	S. Perkins#	9/thr	Chatham	152	Hawkcount (DM)
10/1 Arlington	1	R. LaFontaine	9/thr	Granville	442	Hawkcount (JW)

Sharp-shinned Hawk (continued)				10/23, 27	Barre Falls	23, 12	Hawkcount (BK)
9/11-22	Mt. Wachusett	172	Hawkcount (JS)	Rough-legged Hawk			
9/11-25	Mt. Watatic	340	Hawkcount (TP)	10/6, 26	P.I.	1 lt, 1 dk	Vale, Heil
9/11, 13	Mt. Watatic	42, 101	Hawkcount (TP)	10/22	Mt. Tom	1	R. Titus
9/13, 19	Granville	40, 82	Hawkcount (JW)	Golden Eagle			
9/14, 21	Mt. Wachusett	34, 27	Hawkcount (JS)	10/6, 18	Granville	1, 1	Hawkcount (JW)
9/14, 19	Mt. Watatic	51, 55	Hawkcount (TP)	10/17	Sunderland	1	D. Minner
9/22, 26	Granville	35, 60	Hawkcount (JW)	10/18	Barre Falls	1 juv	Hawkcount (BK)
9/19, 21	Barre Falls	46, 53	Hawkcount (BK)	10/18	Granville	1	Hawkcount (JW)
9/22-24	Barre Falls	116	Hawkcount (BK)	10/22	Mt. Tom	1	R. Titus
10/thr	Barre Falls	501	Hawkcount (BK)	10/26, 27	Barre Falls	1, 1	Hawkcount (BK)
10/thr	Chatham	440	Hawkcount (DM)	American Kestrel			
10/thr	Granville	397	Hawkcount (JW)	9/thr	Granville	250	Hawkcount (JW)
10/1, 11	Barre Falls	71, 60	Hawkcount (BK)	9/thr	Barre Falls	99	Hawkcount (BK)
10/11	Granville	58	Hawkcount (JW)	9/11-22	Mt. Wachusett	45	Hawkcount (JS)
10/12, 18	Barre Falls	42, 62	Hawkcount (BK)	9/11-23	Mt. Watatic	73	Hawkcount (TP)
10/23	Mt. Watatic	37	Hawkcount (TP)	9/14	Mt. Watatic	23	Hawkcount (TP)
Cooper's Hawk				9/19, 26	Granville	55, 32	Hawkcount (JW)
9/thr	Barre Falls	26	Hawkcount (BK)	9/21	Groton	12	T. Pirro
9/thr	Chatham	32	Hawkcount (DM)	9/21	Barre Falls	20	Hawkcount (BK)
9/thr	Granville	26	Hawkcount (JW)	10/1-21	Granville	140	Hawkcount (JW)
9/11-21	Mt. Wachusett	24	Hawkcount (JS)	10/1-23	Barre Falls	72	Hawkcount (BK)
9/11-21	Mt. Watatic	28	Hawkcount (TP)	Merlin			
9/13, 14	Mt. Wachusett	15, 7	Hawkcount (JS)	9/thr	Chatham	11	Hawkcount (DM)
10/thr	Granville	72	Hawkcount (JW)	9/thr	Barre Falls	10	Hawkcount (BK)
10/thr	Chatham	68	Hawkcount (DM)	9/4-30	Granville	5	Hawkcount (JW)
10/thr	Barre Falls	68	Hawkcount (BK)	9/11-14	Mt. Watatic	9	Hawkcount (TP)
10/3	Granville	17	Hawkcount (JW)	9/13-30	Barre Falls	10	Hawkcount (BK)
10/18, 20	Barre Falls	11, 21	Hawkcount (BK)	10/thr	Chatham	21	Hawkcount (DM)
10/23	Mt. Watatic	7	Hawkcount (TP)	10/1-19	Granville	16	Hawkcount (JW)
Northern Goshawk				10/1-23	Barre Falls	27	Hawkcount (BK)
9/5	Pepperell	1	E. Stromsted	10/18, 20	Barre Falls	5, 5	Hawkcount (BK)
9/10-10/26	Granville	7	Hawkcount (JW)	Peregrine Falcon			
9/11	Northampton	1	T. Gagnon	9/thr	Chatham	12	Hawkcount (DM)
9/12, 10/22	Mt. Tom	1, 1	Gagnon, Titus	9/20	Dorchester	2	R. Donovan
9/14-20	Mt. Wachusett	3	Hawkcount (JS)	9/23-24	Barre Falls	2	Hawkcount (BK)
9/15, 10/23	Mt. Watatic	1, 1	T. Pirro#	9/25	P.I.	2	L. Pivacek
9/17	Medford	1 imm	M. Rines	9/30	Nantucket	3	E. Ray
9/25	P.I.	1 imm	P. Roberts	10/thr	Chatham	70	Hawkcount (DM)
10/4	Groton	1 ad	T. Pirro	10/thr	Barre Falls	7	Hawkcount (BK)
10/17-28	Barre Falls	3	Hawkcount (BK)	10/2	Gay Head	4	A. Keith#
10/17	Arlington	1	K. Hartel	10/2-7	Granville	4	Hawkcount (JW)
10/20	S. Quabbin	1	H. Allen	10/3	Boston	2	BBC (R. Stymeist)
Red-shouldered Hawk				10/10	Rockport (H.P.)	3	T. Wetmore
9/2	Barre Falls	3	B. Kamp#	10/11, 14	Barre Falls	2, 2	Hawkcount (BK)
9/3	Scituate	2 ad	D. Furbish	10/13	Nomans Land	30+(2 b)	N. Smith#
9/16	Arlington	1 imm	M. Rines#	10/16	Chilmark	8+	A. Keith#
9/19	Lexington	1 imm	J. Forbes	10/20	Ipswich	2	J. Berry#
9/19, 21	Mt. Wachusett	1, 1	Hawkcount (JS)	Yellow Rail (no details) *			
9/19	Granville	2	Hawkcount (JW)	9/4	Rowley	1	M. Blazis#
10/thr	Granville	15	Hawkcount (JW)	Clapper Rail			
10/4	Bolton Flats	1	N. Paulson	10/10	Westport	1	M. Lynch#
10/5	GMNWR	1 migr	S. Perkins#	King Rail			
10/11-31	Barre Falls	44	Hawkcount (BK)	9/19	S. Egremont	1	M. Lynch#
10/20	Barre Falls	18	Hawkcount (BK)	Virginia Rail			
10/23	Mt. Watatic	9	Hawkcount (TP)	9/4	Rowley	9	M. Blazis#
Broad-winged Hawk				9/20, 10/18	Dorchester	1, 2	R. Donovan
9/thr	Barre Falls	3555	Hawkcount (BK)	9/25	Truro	1	G. d'Entremont
9/thr	Granville	2850	Hawkcount (JW)	9/26	Bolton Flats	1	M. Lynch#
9/11-22	Mt. Wachusett	2978	Hawkcount (JS)	9/26	Brewster	1	S. Finnegan#
9/11-25	Mt. Watatic	5305	Hawkcount (TP)	10/2	Westboro	1	M. Lynch#
9/12	Becket	125	R. Laubach	10/13	Nomans Land	1	A. Keith
9/13, 18	Granville	1084, 852	Hawkcount (JW)	Sora			
9/13, 21	Barre Falls	1201, 1094	Hawkcount (BK)	9/4	Rowley	1	M. Blazis#
9/13, 21	Mt. Wachusett	811, 1135	Hawkcount (JS)	9/19	Stockbridge	1	M. Lynch#
9/13, 14	Mt. Watatic	1908, 1816	Hawkcount (TP)	9/21, 10/4	GMNWR	1, 1	Mardis, Nachtrab
9/14	Deerfield	200	M. Taylor	9/22	Chilmark	1	A. Keith
9/17, 21	Mt. Tom	1016, 514	Hawkcount (TG)	10/6	Dorchester	1 ad	R. Donovan
9/19	Granville	1 dk	Hawkcount (JW)	10/10	Nantucket	2	E. Ray#
9/21	GMNWR	110 migr	S. Perkins#	Common Moorhen			
10/1-4	Barre Falls	54	Hawkcount (BK)	9/19	Stockbridge	1ad+2juv	M. Lynch#
10/1-6	Granville	5	Hawkcount (JW)	10/10	Nantucket	1	J. Carlson
Red-tailed Hawk				10/18-20	Ipswich	1 juv	R. Heil
9/thr	Barre Falls	29	Hawkcount (BK)	10/22-31	Chilmark	1	A. Keith
10/thr	Barre Falls	107	Hawkcount (BK)	American Coot			
10/3	GMNWR	17	S. Perkins#	10/9, 20	Ipswich	1, 4	J. Berry
10/17	Quabbin Pk	11	M. Lynch#	10/10	Nantucket	3	E. Ray#
10/23	Mt. Watatic	22	Hawkcount (TP)	10/11-27	GMNWR	4-13	USFWS

American Coot (continued)				9/9	Northampton	4	A. Magee
10/23	W. Newbury	6	D. Chickering	9/18	Newbury	97	R. Heil
Sandhill Crane				9/18	Northfield	7	C. Gentes
9/5	Granville	1	J. Weeks	9/25	P'town	7	G. d'Entremont#
9/14	GMNWR	1	S. Mardis	10/1	P.I.	7	R. Heil
10/5	Carver	5	L. Robinson	10/30	Scituate	1	D. Furbish
10/18-9	Ipswich	1 ad	R. Heil	Solitary Sandpiper			
10/21	Medford	1	R. LaFontaine	9/4	GMNWR	4	S. Mardis
Black-bellied Plover				9/8	Hatfield	3	C. Gentes
thr	P.I.	80-190	v.o.	9/10	Hadley	4	A. Magee
9/2	Chatham (S.B.)	4000	B. Nikula	9/11	Wellfleet	3	BBC (R. Stymeist)
9/5	Eastham (CGB)	325	B. Nikula	9/18	Newbury	5	R. Heil
9/7-12	Reports of 1-9 ind.	From 4 W. Mass. loc.		9/25	P'town	3	G. d'Entremont#
9/10	Edgartown	350	V. Laux#	9/26, 10/22	Arlington Res.	7, 1	M. Rines
9/29, 10/3	Hadley	4, 1	C. Gentes	9/29	Boston	3	G. Tepke
10/6	N. Monomoy	800	B. Nikula	10/9	Amherst	3	C. Gentes
10/26	New Salem	4	W. Lafley	Willet			
10/31	Westport	3	G. d'Entremont#	9/2	Chatham (S.B.)	30	B. Nikula
American Golden-Plover				10/3	Plymouth	2	E. Neumuth
9/1-10/16	P.I.	1-2	v.o.	Western Willet			
9/2-27	Chatham (S.B.)	2-4	v.o.	9/12	N. Monomoy	19	B. Nikula
9/8, 19	Hatfield	10, 2	C. Gentes	Spotted Sandpiper			
9/9, 28	Southwick	7, 18	S. Kellogg	9/3	Pepperell	2	T. Pirro
9/9, 12	Northampton	60, 6	Gagnon, Magee	9/4	Westport	3	M. Lynch#
9/10	Northfield	11	M. Taylor	10/2	Wachusett Res.	4	S. Sutton
9/10	Edgartown	3	V. Laux#	10/3	Quabbin	2	T. Gagnon
9/20	Wellfleet	4	M. Sampson	Upland Sandpiper			
10/6	N. Monomoy	2	B. Nikula	9/1	Leicester	1	M. Lynch#
10/30	P'town	1	B. Nikula#	9/3	Edgartown	1	M. Pelikan
Pacific Golden-Plover (details submitted) *				9/10	Northfield	1	M. Taylor
9/11	Edgartown	1	A. Keith	Whimbrel			
Semipalmated Plover				9/2	Chatham (S.B.)	28	B. Nikula
9/1, 8	Northfield	7, 20	C. Gentes	9/3	Scituate	2	S. Maguire#
9/2	Chatham (S.B.)	2600	B. Nikula	9/3-19	P.I.	4-8	v.o.
9/5, 27	Eastham 1100, 1200		Nikula, Gove	9/5	Ipswich (C.B.)	2	J. Berry#
9/5, 13	Ipswich (C.B.)	1160, 375	J. Berry#	9/10	Northampton	1	A. Magee
9/12	Essex	126	D. Brown#	9/12	Falmouth	1	CCBC (G. Hirth)
9/18	Deerfield	10	C. Gentes	9/13	Chatham	11	D. Manchester
9/25, 10/9	Revere	179, 64	P. + F. Vale	9/21	Eastham	5	R. Heil
10/1, 26	P.I.	460, 260	R. Heil	9/23	N. Monomoy	30	B. Nikula
10/6	N. Monomoy	150	B. Nikula	9/23	Wellfleet	14	M. Sampson
10/31	Westport	17	G. d'Entremont#	9/25	Westport	2	G. Gove#
10/31	Truro	12	J. Young	10/3	P.I.	1	BBC (I. Giriunas)
Piping Plover				Hudsonian Godwit			
9/2	Chatham (S.B.)	49	B. Nikula	9/4, 20	Chatham (S.B.)	26, 6	B. Nikula
9/4	Ipswich (C.B.)	4 juv	J. Berry	9/8	Hatfield	2	C. Gentes
9/30	Nantucket	2	E. Ray	9/8	Northfield	1	C. Gentes
Killdeer				9/9, 30	P.I.	20, 2	Gove, Wetmore
9/4	Northfield	52	C. Gentes	10/6	N. Monomoy	1	B. Nikula
9/9	Southwick	40	S. Kellogg	10/20	P.I.	2	MAS (Larson)
9/18	Newbury	58	R. Heil	Marbled Godwit			
9/19	Ipswich	85	R. Heil	9/12	Scituate	1	D. Crockett
9/30	Montague	40	R. Packard	9/13-10/31	Chatham (S.B.)	5-7	B. Nikula
10/3	Hadley	60	C. Gentes	Ruddy Turnstone			
10/21	Melrose	27	D. + I. Jewell	9/2	Chatham (S.B.)	60	B. Nikula
American Oystercatcher				9/8	Hatfield	4	C. Gentes
9/1-19	Squantum	2	G. d'Entremont#	9/11	GMNWR	1	D. Diggins#
9/2, 10/31	Chatham (S.B.)	195, 56	B. Nikula	10/3	Plymouth	8	E. Neumuth
9/5	Marblehead	1	P. + F. Vale	10/10	Sandwich	6	D. Furbish#
9/7	Falmouth	2	R. Farrell	10/30	Scituate	2	D. Furbish
9/10	Orleans	5	P. + F. Vale	Red Knot			
9/21	Eastham	7	R. Heil	9/10	Edgartown	48	V. Laux#
9/30	Nantucket	5	E. Ray	9/12	Essex	9	D. Brown#
10/10	Oak Bluffs	5	SSBC (Clapp)	9/20	Chatham (S.B.)	700	B. Nikula
American Avocet				9/25	Revere	10	P. + F. Vale
9/23-26	E. Boston	1	D. Hunneman + v.o.	10/1	Plymouth B.	480	J. Walker
Greater Yellowlegs				10/6	N. Monomoy	180	B. Nikula
9/5, 19	Eastham	200, 150	B. Nikula	10/31	P.I.	90	T. Wetmore
9/6	Squantum	50	G. d'Entremont#	Sanderling			
9/9	Southwick	6	S. Kellogg	9/2	Chatham (S.B.)	3200	B. Nikula
9/9	GMNWR	6, 2	S. Perkins#	9/5	Ipswich (C.B.)	315	J. Berry#
9/17	Edgartown	75	A. Keith	9/9	Turners Falls	1	A. Richards
9/18	Newbury	47	R. Heil	9/9, 10/19	Northampton	5, 1	Mako, Lafley
10/1, 26	P.I.	60, 75	R. Heil	9/25	Revere	791	P. + F. Vale
10/18	Ipswich	23	R. Heil	9/30	Nantucket	200	E. Ray
Lesser Yellowlegs				9/9-10	Southwick	1	S. Kellogg
9/5, 21	GMNWR	16, 14	S. Perkins#	10/6	N. Monomoy	800	B. Nikula
9/7	Chatham (S.B.)	75	E. Morrier	10/13, 24	P.I.	350, 170	Morrier, Wetmore

Sanderling (continued)			9/17	Scituate	1	D. Furbish#
10/23	Dennis (Corp. B.)	500	B. Nikula#	Stilt Sandpiper		
Semipalmated	Sandpiper		9/2, 11	GMNWR	1, 3	M. Rines#
9/2	Chatham (S.B.)	2200	B. Nikula	Edgartown	1	L. McDowell
9/5, 10/17	Eastham	1400, 125	B. Nikula	9/11, 26	20, 1	Wetmore, Vale
9/5	Ipswich (C.B.)	1300	J. Berry#	9/20	1	E. Banks
9/6	S. Monomoy	250	B. Nikula#	9/26	3	BBC (S. Zende#)
9/8	Northfield	190	C. Gentes	10/29	1	L. Pivacek
9/9	Southwick	70	S. Kellogg	Buff-breasted Sandpiper		
9/9	Northampton	50	T. Gagnon	9/3, 10/4	7, 2	P. Flood#
9/17, 10/3	Revere	1445, 465	P. + F. Vale	9/3-12	2-4	v.o.
9/25	Revere	468	P. + F. Vale	9/6	2	B. Nikula#
10/1, 26	P.I.	95, 21	R. Heil	9/6	1	S. Carey
Western Sandpiper			9/8-10	Hatfield	1	C. Gentes
9/5	Lynn B.	1	S. Hedman	9/9-11	4-7	T. Gagnon
9/5, 25	Revere	3, 3	P. + F. Vale	9/11	1	C. Gentes
9/5	Eastham (CGB)	10	B. Nikula	9/18	1	R. Heil
9/6, 26	Squantum	2, 1	GdE, Donovan	10/1	2 juv	T. Wetmore
9/11	Sandwich	2	M. Tuttle#	Ruff		
9/11	P.I.	12	J. Trimble	9/8-9	1	C. Goodrich
9/23	E. Boston	3	J. Hoye#	9/12	1 juv	B. Nikula
9/25	Monomoy/S.B.	10+	B. Nikula	Short-billed Dowitcher		
Least Sandpiper			T. Pirro	9/2	250	B. Nikula
9/3	Pepperell	15	S. Perkins#	9/5	2	P. + F. Vale
9/5, 21	GMNWR	90, 5	C. Gentes	9/5, 19	80, 50	B. Nikula
9/5	Hatfield	15	R. Farrell	9/11, 10/9	20, 2	T. Wetmore
9/7	Falmouth	14	C. Gentes	9/19	50	R. Heil
9/11	Northfield	14	L. Therrien	Long-billed Dowitcher		
9/15	Hatfield	10	G. d'Entremont#	9/5	1	B. Nikula
9/25	P'town	11	G. d'Entremont#	10/1, 26	11, 20	R. Heil
10/3	Cumb. Farms	4	J. Forbes	10/10	3	A. Keith
10/20	Arlington Res.	1	A. Keith	10/10	1	M. Lynch#
10/22	Edgartown	1	A. Keith	10/10	1	J. Sardell#
White-rumped Sandpiper			A. Keith	10/16	4	SSBC (GdE)
9/2	Chilmark	7	B. Nikula	Wilson's Snipe		
9/2	Chatham (S.B.)	250	J. Berry#	9/3, 21	5, 5	S. Perkins#
9/5, 13	Ipswich (C.B.)	6, 3	P. + F. Vale	9/10, 10/28	2, 2	Magee, Allen
9/5, 17	Revere	8, 5	S. Perkins#	9/18	4	R. Heil
9/5, 21	GMNWR	4, 3	B. Nikula#	9/25	3	G. d'Entremont#
9/5, 10/23	Eastham	40, 4	C. Gentes	10/2	17	M. Maurer#
9/6	S. Monomoy	120	S. Kellogg	10/4	5	T. Pirro
9/8	Northfield	40	M. Taylor	10/26	2	R. Heil
9/9	Southwick	4	R. Heil	American Woodcock		
9/10	Hatfield	2	C. Gentes	9/25	1	R. Packard
10/1, 26	P.I.	17, 6	B. Nikula	10/2	2	C. Gentes
Baird's Sandpiper			V. Laux	10/6	1	M. Taylor
9/1	Northfield	2	J. Trimble	10/20	1	D. + I. Jewell
9/2	Chatham (S.B.)	1	E. Nielsen	10/31	1	M. Lynch#
9/10	Wasque Pt	2	J. Hoye#	Wilson's Phalarope		
9/11	P.I.	5	B. Nikula#	9/4-10	1	S. Mardis + v.o.
9/11	Northfield	1	C. Gentes	Red-necked Phalarope		
9/18	S. Dart.(A.Pd)	1	E. Nielsen	9/9	1 juv	T. Allison#
9/23	E. Boston	1	J. Hoye#	9/9	5	A. Richards
10/30	P'town	1 juv	B. Nikula#	9/11	78	W. Petersen#
Pectoral Sandpiper			S. Perkins	9/19	7	B. Nikula#
9/1-10/7	GMNWR	22 max	E. Morrier	9/20	52	MAS (Larson)
9/7	Chatham (S.B.)	2	Gentes, Stymeist	9/30	5	M. Sampson#
9/8, 10/24	Northfield	18, 1	T. Gagnon	10/2-3	C.65	R. Donovan
9/9	Northampton	8	A. Magee	Red Phalarope		
9/10	Hadley	8	A. Keith	9/20	1	MAS (Larson)
9/17, 10/22	Edgartown	2, 4	L. Therrien	10/2-3	3	R. Donovan
9/18	Hatfield	6	G. d'Entremont	Phalarope species		
9/19	Randolph	5	M. Lynch#	9/19	20+	B. Nikula#
10/10	Westport	4	R. Heil	9/20	8	MAS (Larson)
Purple Sandpiper			D. Furbish	9/30	3	T. Wetmore
10/24	Rockport (A.P.)	1	S. Perkins#	South Polar Skua (no details) *		
10/30	Scituate	1	B. Nikula	9/3	1	P. Harrington
Dunlin			S. Kellogg	10/2-3	1	R. Donovan
9/19	GMNWR	1 juv	R. Heil	Pomarine Jaeger		
9/20	Chatham (S.B.)	700	E. Neumuth	9/3	12	V. Laux#
9/28	Southwick	9	B. Nikula	9/19	4+	B. Nikula#
10/1	P.I.	170 juv	R. Heil	10/2-3	1	R. Donovan
10/3	Plymouth	300	B. Nikula	10/7	1	G. Gove#
10/6	N. Monomoy	700	MAS (Larson)	10/19, 24	1, 1	R. Heil
10/6	Newbypt	200	P. + F. Vale	10/23	7	B. Nikula#
10/9	Revere	96		Parasitic Jaeger		
Curlew Sandpiper *			B. Nikula + v.o.	9/1, 20	15, 12	Nikula, Flood
9/1-7	Chatham (S.B.)	1 partial alt		9/6	6	B. Nikula#

Parasitic Jaeger (continued)				10/26	Barnstable (S.N.)	40+	G. Gove#
9/7	N. Monomoy	15	B. Nikula	10/28	Wellfleet	4	M. Tuttle#
9/13	Ipswich (C.B.)	1 juv	J. Berry#	Caspian Tern			
9/16, 10/17	Chatham	25, 5	Flood, Nikula	9/10	Northampton	1	H. Allen
9/18, 10/24	Rockport (A.P.)	2, 1	R. Heil	9/20	Dorchester	9	R. Donovan
9/30, 10/23	Eastham (F.E.)	2, 8	Sampson, Nikula	9/21	Edgartown	2	A. Keith
10/23	P'town	1	B. Nikula#	9/22, 10/2	P.I.	1, 1	Larson, Haydock
Jaeger species				9/22	Chatham (S.B.)	1 ad	B. Nikula
9/16	Chatham	5	P. Flood	9/29	Mattapoisset	3	M. Sylvia
9/18, 10/24	Rockport (A.P.)	5	R. Heil	10/2	Lakeville	1	G. Gove#
9/19	Eastham (F.E.)	25+	B. Nikula#	10/2	Newbypt H.	2	BBC (S. Grinley)
9/29	Dennis (Corp. B.)	12	P. Flood	10/6	Nantucket	3	E. Ray
Laughing Gull				Royal Tern			
9/5, 13	Ipswich (C.B.)	29, 9	J. Berry#	9/3	Edgartown	1	E. Bogle
9/11	Wellfleet	250	BBC (R. Stymeist)	Roseate Tern			
9/26	Woods Hole	120	R. Farrell	9/5	Eastham (CGB)	600	B. Nikula
9/29, 10/10	Edgartown	500, 300	Pelikan, Keith	9/21	Chatham	300	R. Heil
10/3, 16	Plymouth B.	70, 40	GdE, Anderson	9/21	P'town	30	R. Heil
10/10	Acoaxet	250+	M. Lynch#	Common Tern			
10/19	Rockport (A.P.)	84	R. Heil	9/10	Orleans	200+	P. + F. Vale
10/30	P'town	200	B. Nikula#	9/11	Plymouth B.	600	W. Petersen#
10/30	Brewster	400	B. Nikula#	9/13, 10/18	Ipswich	40, 1	Berry, Heil
Little Gull				9/18	Rockport (A.P.)	158	R. Heil
9/4-10/7	Newbypt H.	2	C. Floyd#	9/21	Eastham	550+	R. Heil
9/20	Jeffrey's L.	1	MAS (Larson)	9/21, 10/31	Chatham	8000, 50	Heil, Nikula
10/12	S. Boston	1 1st yr	R. Donovan#	10/2	P'town	2000+	C. Floyd
10/30	Brewster	3 1W	B. Nikula#	10/26	P.I.	2	R. Heil
10/30	Orleans	1 1W	B. Nikula#	10/30	Truro	11	J. Young
10/30	P'town	1 1W	B. Nikula#	Forster's Tern			
10/30	Eastham	1 1W	B. Nikula#	9/5, 10/23	Eastham	5, 6	B. Nikula
Black-headed Gull				9/23	N. Monomoy	4	B. Nikula
10/10-11	Newbypt H.	1 ad	T. Wetmore	9/25	Revere	15	M. Garvey#
10/21	S. Boston	1 ad	R. Donovan#	9/25	Newbypt H.	7	T. Wetmore
Bonaparte's Gull				9/27, 10/10	Westport	75, 150	Cole, Lynch
9/20	Newbypt H.	800+	MAS (Larson)	10/11, 31	Chatham (S.B.)	5, 1	Clem, Nikula
10/3	Revere	236	P. + F. Vale	10/30	Orleans	2	B. Nikula#
10/9	Revere	350+	P. + F. Vale	10/30	Wellfleet H.	18+	B. Nikula#
10/12	S. Boston	60	R. Donovan#	Least Tern			
10/30	Brewster	300+	B. Nikula#	9/6	Edgartown	1	W. Lee
Lesser Black-backed Gull				9/7	Chatham (S.B.)	3	E. Morrier
9/3, 10/6	N. Monomoy	7, 8	B. Nikula	9/11	Duxbury Beach	2 imm	W. Petersen#
9/6	S. Monomoy	7	J. Trimble#	9/11	Wellfleet	3	BBC (R. Stymeist)
9/6, 10/11	P.I.	1, 1	Grinley, Roberts	9/21	Eastham	1 ad	R. Heil
9/10	Edgartown	1	V. Laux#	Black Tern			
9/10	Gay Head	1	A. Keith	9/2, 16	Chatham	5, 1	Gove, Flood
9/20-10/31	Boston	1 ad	R. Stymeist#	9/21	Eastham	1	R. Heil
9/20, 10/4	Chatham (S.B.)	9, 2	B. Nikula#	Black Skimmer			
9/30	Nantucket	1	E. Ray	9/2, 22	Chatham (S.B.)	1, 2,	B. Nikula
10/16	P'town	1 3W	SSBC (GdE)	9/4	Acoaxet	2 ad	M. Lynch#
Sabine's Gull				Razorbill			
9/11	Stellwagen Bank	1 ad	B. Nikula#	10/11, 12	Rockport (A.P.)	1, 2	R. Heil
10/2-03	Oceanographer C.	1 ad	R. Donovan	10/22, 24	Rockport (A.P.)	6, 10	R. Heil
Black-legged Kittiwake				Black Guillemot			
9/1	Chatham (S.B.)	1 imm	B. Nikula	10/19	Rockport (A.P.)	5	R. Heil
9/11	S. Stellwagen	2	W. Petersen#	Atlantic Puffin			
9/18, 10/24	Rockport (A.P.)	7, 420	R. Heil	9/20	Jeffrey's L.	1 juv	MAS (Larson)
9/19, 30	Eastham (F.E.)	10, 150	Nikula, Sampson	10/22, 24	Rockport (A.P.)	5, 1	R. Heil
9/29	Dennis (Corp. B.)	1 ad, 1 juv	P. Flood				

CUCKOOS THROUGH FINCHES

Over the past few years we have begun to learn more about the incredible magnitude of the fall migration of the Northern Saw-whet Owl. For the second year, Strickland Wheelock set up a banding site in Uxbridge specifically to capture these little owls. Using a battery-operated audio call of a Northern Saw-whet Owl to lure them into the nets, Strickland and his team caught and banded a total of **87** saw-whets from October 13-31. It is interesting to see that the first birds banded in each year are females, and that the first male was not caught until October 25. Last year 100 females were caught and banded before the first male was banded. The winds subsided enough to band Halloween night. With the clocks turned back, they were able to start catching owls by 6:00 p.m., and by 11:00 p.m. they had banded twenty-one owls! Halloween

was a great night for Saw-whets elsewhere: Mark Lynch noted eleven in the Ware River Important Bird Area.

Most Common Nighthawks migrate during the last two weeks of August, but this year there was significant movement during the first week of September: in Northampton 210 nighthawks on the 7th was the highest count for such a late date. A single Whip-poor-will was noted in Southwick on September 2, the first September date in western Massachusetts since 1994. As many as 2300 Chimney Swifts were roosting in a chimney in Hanover, down from 5000 last year at the same time.

A single *Selasphorus* hummingbird showed up at a feeder in Ashfield on October 20, and it was later caught and banded and determined to be a female **Rufous**. Last year there were six noted during the period. September was a banner month for numbers of Ruby-throated Hummingbirds, many of which were noted from hawk watch locations. It was a great fall for Red-headed Woodpeckers: no fewer than thirteen were noted as compared with just five during the same period last year.

A **Say's Phoebe** was closely studied at Wasque Point on Martha's Vineyard on October 3, just the third record for the island, the most recent just last September 10, 2003. A second Say's Phoebe was photographed in Lunenburg. A total of five Eastern Wood-Pewees was noted on September 21 on the outer Cape, one of which was still feeding a young bird. A Western Kingbird first found on August 31 on Plum Island continued through September 5. Another, or possibly the same bird, was noted from the island on September 12, and other Western Kingbirds were noted from Westport and Edgartown. Northern Shrikes are irregular migrants and an irruptive species, and in flight years the first ones are usually encountered during the last week of October. A total of six Northern Shrikes was noted from October 25-31, unlike last year when none were noted during the period. A total of at least thirty-one Philadelphia Vireos was reported during the period, including a very late individual on October 26 on Plum Island. Only two Philadelphia Vireos have been reported later in Massachusetts: one banded at Manomet on November 5, 1979, and one carefully described on the Plymouth Christmas Bird Count December 23, 2003.

As many as twenty-eight Common Ravens were counted on Mt. Watatic in late October, the most ever noted from that location. American Crows, victims of West Nile virus, continued to be somewhat scarce in eastern Massachusetts. However, a count of over 2500 from Mt. Watatic was encouraging. Migrating flocks of Blue Jays were noted from a number of places, including hawk watch sites such as Morris Island in Chatham, where nearly 1700 were tallied from September 21 through October 4. Tree Swallows continued to stage in impressive numbers from many coastal locations, especially in early September. There were four reports of **Sedge Wrens** during the period, the most ever during the September-October migration months.

The fall migration is well underway during September; all the thrushes were noted, including a Bicknell's banded in Brewster. A **Northern Wheatear** was discovered on Plymouth Beach on October 1, where it remained through October 3. This is a very rare migrant with almost all records from coastal locations. This is the first record since one noted on Plum Island on September 10, 2001. Banding locations recorded good results: the station on Plum Island banded 831 individual birds during September; their previous record was 675 individuals. Thirty-three species of warblers were noted during the period, one more than during the same period last year. Seth Kellogg, the record guru of western Massachusetts, reported that this season had the most ever for Orange-crowned and Palm warblers, and the most reports of Cape May Warblers since 1995. For the first time since this same period in 1995 there were no Golden-winged Warblers noted during September or October. Noteworthy warbler reports

included a **Yellow-throated Warbler** from Chilmark, a **Prothonotary Warbler** on Chappaquiddick, a Worm-eating Warbler in Wellfleet, and two reports each of Kentucky and Hooded warblers. There were seven Cape May Warblers noted during the period, whereas just one was recorded during the same period last year. Connecticut Warblers were noted from thirteen locations, and eleven were banded on Plum Island. Brian Johnson of the Joppa Flats Bird Banding Station on Plum Island reported the recapture of an adult male Connecticut Warbler originally banded on September 21, 2003. Recaptures of transient migrants are thought to be exceedingly rare, far more unusual than even foreign recoveries (birds originally banded at another station). Considering how uncommon Connecticut Warblers are in Massachusetts, the distance from their nearest breeding grounds, and their general scarcity in even optimal breeding habitat, it becomes easy to realize just how phenomenal this recapture is.

Sparrow migration is well underway during October. A total of eighteen species plus "Ipswich" Savannah Sparrow and "Gambell's" White-crowned Sparrow were noted during the period. Clay-colored Sparrows, considered as a rare fall migrant as recently as 1993 (Veit and Petersen), continue to be reported in increasing numbers, and this period saw reports of at least twenty-two individuals. A total of eight Lark Sparrows was reported, and other noteworthy reports included eight Grasshopper, three Nelson's Sharp-tailed, and twenty-three Vesper sparrows. Dickcissels were very much in evidence: a total of at least twenty-eight individuals was noted during the period.

The winter finch outlook was encouraging, at least during the last two weeks of October, when large flocks of Pine Siskins and Purple Finches were noted from several areas. There was a steady flight of Pine Siskins during the morning of October 26 on Plum Island; these birds were flying north along the dunes in flocks of five to twenty-five birds. A total of forty-five Purple Finches was noted migrating past the Gay Head cliffs on October 26; there were just two reports of Evening Grosbeaks during the period.

R. Stymeist

Black-billed Cuckoo			10/17	Boston (Long I.)	1	R. Donovan#
9/11 Salem	1	BBC (de la Flor)	Northern Saw-whet Owl			
9/12 Longmeadow	1	J. Hutchison#	10/10 M.V.	1	SSBC (Clapp)	
9/12 P.I.	1	T. Wetmore#	10/13-31 Uxbridge	87 b	S. Wheelock#	
9/26 Bolton Flats	1	J. Hoye#	10/29, 31 Uxbridge	20 b, 21 b	S. Wheelock	
9/27 Granville	1	J. Weeks	10/31 Ware R. IBA	11	M. Lynch#	
10/1 Maynard	1	L. Nachtrab	Common Nighthawk			
10/9 ONWR	1	S. Sutton	9/1-6 Leicester	316	M. Lynch#	
Yellow-billed Cuckoo			9/1-6 Northampton	390 total	T. Gagnon	
9/21, 10/3 P.I.	2, 1	Forbes, Chickering	9/3 GMNWR	30	S. Perkins#	
9/23 Chilmark	1	A. Keith	9/3 Ware	24	D. Norton	
9/30 Newbury	1	T. Wetmore	9/4 Worcester	30	M. Lynch#	
Eastern Screech-Owl			9/7, 12 Northampton	210, 8	T. Gagnon	
thr Reports of indiv. From	16	locations	9/7 Gardner	21	T. Pirro	
9/2 Southwick	2	J. Wojtanowski	9/12 Mt. Tom	8	BBC (T. Gagnon)	
9/26 Bolton Flats	2	M. Lynch#	9/13 Barre Falls	4	B. Kamp#	
10/3 Boston	3	BBC (R. Stymeist)	9/13 Southwick	1	S. Kellogg	
10/9 Winchester	2	M. Rines	9/27 E. Boston (B.I.)	1	S. Hedman	
10/22 Northampton	2	C. Gentes	Whip-poor-will			
Great Horned Owl			9/2 Southwick	1	J. Wojtanowski	
9/7 Southwick	2	J. Wojtanowski	Chimney Swift			
9/11 Pepperell	2	E. Stromsted	9/1 Leicester	7	M. Lynch#	
9/15 Wayland	3	J. Hoye#	9/3, 10/1 GMNWR	150, 1	Perkins, Forbes	
9/16 Waltham	2	R. Haaseth#	9/25 Granville	2	J. Weeks	
9/21-10/31 Reports of indiv. from	7	locations	9/25 Groveland	4	D. Chickering	
Barred Owl			9/26 Hanover	2300	W. Petersen#	
9/6 Boxford	1	S. Haydock	10/9 Cumb. Farms	1	G. d'Entremont#	
9/7 Pepperell	3	E. Stromsted#	10/18 Gay Head	1	V. Laux#	
9/13 Hancock	2	R. Laubach	Ruby-throated Hummingbird			
9/20 Southwick	2	S. Kellogg	9/1-16 Granville	23	J. Weeks	
10/16 Ipswich	1	J. Berry	9/1 Gay Head	8	V. Laux#	
10/31 Ware R. IBA	2	M. Lynch#	9/2 Chilmark	20-30	E. Waldron	
Long-eared Owl			9/2-6, 29 Northampton	21, 1	T. Gagnon	
10/29 DWWS	2	N. Smith	9/6, 12 Barre Falls	8, 4	B. Kamp#	
Short-eared Owl			9/11 Mt. Wachusett	4	J. Stein#	
10/6 Nantucket	1	E. Ray	9/15 Mt. Watatic	2	T. Pirro#	

Ruby-throated Hummingbird (continued)	9/19	PI.	1	BBC (S. Moore#)
9/25 Groveland	1	D. Chickering	1 b	S. Finnegan#
Rufous Hummingbird (no details) *	9/24	Brewster		
10/20-31 Ashfield	1 imm m b	E. Stewart + v.o.		
Belted Kingfisher	9/6	Northampton	2	T. Gagnon
9/3 Ware	3	D. Norton		
9/25 Wellfleet	3	G. d'Entremont#		
9/26 P.I.	4	P. + F. Vale		
10/2 Wachusett Res.	3	S. Sutton		
10/6 Chatham	4	D. Manchester#		
10/25 Manchester	3	S. Hedman		
Red-headed Woodpecker	9/15	Longmeadow	1	G. Kingston#
9/17 Essex	1 ad	J. Berry	1	G. d'Entremont#
10/2, 6 Granville	1, 1	J. Weeks	1	CCBC (G. Page)
10/4 Canton	1 imm	M. Post		
10/6 Chatham	1	D. Manchester#		
10/7, 8 Gay Head	1 ad, 1 imm	A. Keith		
10/7 Springfield	1	R. Titus		
10/9 Nantucket	1 imm	R. Kennedy		
10/9 Medford	1 juv	P. Devaney#		
10/10, 18 Woburn (H.P.)	1, 1	Ippolito, Wright		
10/16 Savoy	1	J. Williams		
10/16 Mashpee	1 ad	C. Gilpatric		
10/31 Barre Falls	1	D. Manchester		
Red-bellied Woodpecker	9/11	Pittsfield	2	N. Purdy
9/21, 10/16 Ipswich	3, 5	J. Berry	1	K. + R. Barnes
10/4 Bolton Flats	5	N. Paulson	1	G. d'Entremont#
10/6 Gay Head	4	A. Keith	1	R. Heil
10/6 Chatham	4	D. Manchester#		
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	9/11	Pittsfield	2	N. Purdy
9/19-10/26 P.I.	1-3	v.o.	1, 1	v.o., Spahr
9/24 MNWS	2	S. Haydock	1	M. Lynch#
9/25, 27 Medford	1 ad, 2 imm	R. LaFontaine#	1	A. Keith
10/1 Belmont	2	C. Cook		
10/1 Lincoln	2	M. Rines	10, 2	T. Wetmore
10/2 Arlington	3	A. Ankers#	1	J. Berry
10/3 Boston	4	BBC (R. Stymeist)	1	R. Heil
10/17 Brookline	2	F. Bouchard	1	A. Keith
10/17 Mt.A.	2	R. Stymeist		
Hairy Woodpecker	10/25	Granville	1	J. Weeks
9/5 Ware R. IBA	6	M. Lynch#	1 ad	M. Polana
9/7 Pepperell	3	E. Stromsted#	1	D. Clapp
9/12 ONWR	5	S. Sutton	1	B. Kamp#
9/19 Braintree	3	G. d'Entremont#	2	D. St James
10/3 Quabbin (G45)	5	M. Lynch#		
10/14 Burlington	3	M. Rines		
Northern Flicker	10/10	Acoaxet	1	M. Lynch#
9/2 Wakefield	24	F. Vale	1 b	S. Finnegan#
9/21 Chatham	33	D. Manchester#		
Pileated Woodpecker	10/17	Brewster	1	M. Lynch#
9/6, 10/9 ONWR	1, 1	S. Sutton	1	R. Heil
9/11 Quabbin	4	BBC (Lockwood)		
9/12 Ware R. IBA	4	M. Lynch#		
9/15 N. Andover	1	D. + B. Fox		
10/2 Lynnfield	1	P. + F. Vale		
10/3 Quabbin (G45)	3	M. Lynch#		
10/3 Sudbury	1 m	T. Spahr		
10/31 Berkshire Cnty	4	T. Tynning		
Olive-sided Flycatcher	9/27	Medford	1	R. LaFontaine
9/1 HRWMA	1	T. Pirro	1	R. Donovan#
9/1-2 Barre Falls	1	B. Kamp#		
9/12 Woburn	1	A. Gurka#		
9/12 Ware R. IBA	1	M. Lynch#		
9/12 Hancock	1	D. St James		
9/19 P.I.	1	BBC (S. Moore#)		
Eastern Wood-Pewee	10/25	Boston (Long I.)	1	R. Donovan#
9/1 HRWMA	2	T. Pirro		
9/5 Ware R. IBA	7	M. Lynch#		
9/6 Rutland	2	M. Lynch#		
9/11 Sudbury	2	T. Spahr		
9/21 Outer Cape	5	R. Heil		
10/2 Wachusett Res.	1	S. Sutton		
10/3 Boston	1	BBC (R. Stymeist)		
Yellow-bellied Flycatcher	9/4	Woburn	14	M. Rines#
9/6 Gay Head	1	A. Keith	4	S. Sutton
9/12 MNWS	1	J. Hoyer#	1	M. Rines
9/14 DWWS	1	G. Gove#	1	BBC (R. Stymeist)
9/17 Chilmark	1	A. Keith	1	J. Weeks
9/19, 10/26 P.I.	3, 1	Hoye, Heil		
Willow Flycatcher	9/12	Squantum	1	G. d'Entremont
9/6 Northampton	2	T. Gagnon		
Traill's Flycatcher	9/12	Squantum	1	G. d'Entremont
Least Flycatcher	9/11	Wellfleet	2	BBC (R. Stymeist)
9/12 Medford	1	M. Rines#		
9/12 P.I.	1	T. Wetmore		
9/15 Longmeadow	1	G. Kingston#		
9/19 Squantum	1	G. d'Entremont#		
9/30 Truro	1	CCBC (G. Page)		
Eastern Phoebe	9/5	Ware R. IBA	43	M. Lynch#
9/12, 25 ONWR	20, 13	S. Sutton		
10/2 Westboro	24	M. Lynch#		
10/3 Shutesbury	30	C. Gentes		
10/10, 16 Lexington	10, 2	M. Rines#		
10/26 P.I.	3	R. Heil		
Say's Phoebe (details) *	10/3	Wasque Point	1	A. Keith
10/13 Lunenburg	1 ph	R. Brown		
Great Crested Flycatcher	9/11	Pittsfield	2	N. Purdy
9/12 MNWS	1	K. + R. Barnes		
9/17 Sharon	1	G. d'Entremont#		
9/21 Eastham	1	R. Heil		
Western Kingbird	9/1-5, 12	P.I.	1, 1	v.o., Spahr
9/4 Westport	1	M. Lynch#		
9/22 Edgartown	1	A. Keith		
Eastern Kingbird	9/3, 12	P.I.	10, 2	T. Wetmore
9/17 Essex	1	J. Berry		
9/21 Truro	1	R. Heil		
9/27 Chilmark	1	A. Keith		
Northern Shrike	10/27	New Salem	1 ad	M. Polana
10/25 Granville	1	J. Weeks		
10/27-31 DWWS	1	D. Clapp		
10/29 Barre Falls	1	B. Kamp#		
10/31 Richmond	2	D. St James		
White-eyed Vireo	9/5	Ware R. IBA	1 1stW	M. Lynch#
9/27 Medford	1	A. Ankers#		
10/10 Acoaxet	1	M. Lynch#		
10/17 Brewster	1 b	S. Finnegan#		
10/18 Chilmark	1	A. Keith		
10/26 P.I.	1	R. Heil		
Yellow-throated Vireo	9/1	Gloucester (E.P.)	1	R. Heil
9/4 W. Brookfield	1	S. Hedman#		
9/7, 15 Northampton	1, 2	Therrien, Kingston		
9/8 Longmeadow	1	A. + L. Richardson		
9/12 ONWR	2	S. Sutton		
9/12 Ware R. IBA	4	M. Lynch#		
9/27 Medford	1	R. LaFontaine		
10/25 Boston (Long I.)	1	R. Donovan#		
Blue-headed Vireo	9/11	Quabbin	6	BBC (Lockwood)
9/12 Ware R. IBA	16	M. Lynch#		
10/9, 23 Winchester	8, 1	M. Rines		
10/11, 16 Lexington	6, 2	M. Rines		
10/17 Mashpee	5	CCBC (Keleher)		
10/23 Ludlow	2	S. Kellogg#		
10/25 Medford	1	R. LaFontaine		
10/31 Newbypt	1	D. Chickering		
Warbling Vireo	9/4	Woburn	14	M. Rines#
9/6 ONWR	4	S. Sutton		
10/2 Burlington	1	M. Rines		
10/3 Boston	1	BBC (R. Stymeist)		
10/3 Granville	1	J. Weeks		
Philadelphia Vireo	9/1-10/3	Reports of indiv. from 22 locations		
9/13 Hancock	3	D. St James		

Philadelphia Vireo (continued)				9/23	Wachusett Res.	5	S. Sutton
9/24	Gay Head	2	A. Keith#	9/24	WBWS	4	M. Sampson
Red-eyed Vireo				9/26	Amherst	8	H. Allen
9/5	Ware R. IBA	31	M. Lynch#	10/10	M.V.	4	SSBC (Clapp)
9/6	Rutland	13	M. Lynch#	10/11, 26	P.I.	8, 6	Sutton, Heil
9/19	Medford	8	M. Rines#	10/17	Mashpee	4	CCBC (Keleher)
9/25	Cuttyhunk	8	R. Stymeist#	10/18	Ipswich	4	R. Heil
10/12	Cape Ann	6	R. Heil	White-breasted Nuthatch			
10/14	P.I.	5 b	B. Johnson	9/12	Ware R. IBA	35	M. Lynch#
10/17	Mt.A.	1	R. Stymeist	9/23	Wachusett Res.	24	S. Sutton
10/18	Ipswich	1	R. Heil	Brown Creeper			
Blue Jay				9/6	Rutland	5	M. Lynch#
9/21, 25	Chatham 250, 400		D. Manchester#	9/12	Ware R. IBA	31	M. Lynch#
9/23	Wachusett Res.	438	S. Sutton	9/26	MNWS	5	K. + R. Barnes
9/25, 29	Granville	196, 153	J. Weeks	10/3	Quabbin (G45)	8	M. Lynch#
10/1, 4	Chatham 440, 589		D. Manchester#	10/13	Gloucester (E.P.)	5	S. Hedman
10/10	Aquinnah	369	SSBC (Clapp)	10/17	Mashpee	4	CCBC (Keleher)
American Crow				Carolina Wren			
10/18	Ipswich	320	R. Heil	9/1	Gloucester (E.P.)	19	R. Heil
10/20	Granville	851	J. Weeks	9/19	Russell	2	R. Stymeist#
10/23	Mt. Watatic	2522	T. Pirro#	9/19	Braintree	8	G. d'Entremont#
Fish Crow				9/25	Cuttyhunk	11	R. Stymeist#
9/11	Wellfleet	58	BBC (R. Stymeist)	10/thr	Washington	2	E. Neumuth
9/15	Longmeadow	2	G. Kingston#	10/2	Marshfield	10	SSBC (GdE)
9/25	Mashpee	1	M. Keleher	10/9	Winchester	12	M. Rines
10/9	Marshfield	34	D. Furbish	10/10	Acoaxet	14	M. Lynch#
10/16	Bourne	3	SSBC (GdE)	10/12	Cape Ann	11	R. Heil
Common Raven				10/27	Lexington	9	M. Rines
thr	Sudbury	1-2	v.o.	House Wren			
9/11, 10/23	Mt. Watatic	10, 28	T. Pirro#	9/5	Ware R. IBA	5	M. Lynch#
9/19	Russell	2	R. Stymeist#	9/16, 26	Lexington	14, 4	M. Rines#
9/20	Mt. Wachusett	7	J. Stein#	9/25	Burlington	10	M. Rines
9/24, 10/1	Barre Falls	11, 15	B. Kamp#	10/2	Westboro	5	M. Lynch#
10/10	Springfield	4	R. Titus	10/8	Northampton	1	L. Therrian
10/17	Quabbin Pk	3	M. Lynch#	10/10	Sandwich	1	D. Furbish#
10/17	Gardner	1	T. Pirro	10/10	Bolton Flats	1	S. Sutton
10/31	Ware R. IBA	2	M. Lynch#	10/10	Gay Head	1	A. Keith
Horned Lark				Winter Wren			
9/7	Chatham (S.B.)	25	E. Morrier	9/11, 19	Medford	2 loc	M. Rines
9/30	Eastham (F.E.)	12	M. Sampson#	9/22, 10/17	Mt.A.	1, 3	R. Stymeist
10/7-31	P.I.	12-15	v.o.	10/11	P.I.	3	S. Sutton
10/23	Deerfield	36	M. Lynch#	10/12	Cape Ann	7	R. Heil
10/31	Northfield	30	C. Gentes	10/14	Wakefield	4	F. Vale
Purple Martin				10/17	Quabbin Pk	3	M. Lynch#
9/1	Gay Head	1	V. Laux#	10/20	S. Boston	2	R. Donovan#
Tree Swallow				10/29	Nahant	3	L. Privacek
9/1, 10/2	P.I.	1000, 42	T. Wetmore	Sedge Wren			
9/1-10/1	Chatham	300-3000	D. Manchester	9/5	Sheffield	1	D. St James
9/3	Chapaquiddick	5000	A. Keith#	9/29	Dorchester	1	R. Donovan
9/6	S. Monomoy	2000+	B. Nikula#	10/7	Northampton	1	B. Bieda
9/6	Duxbury B.	5000+	R. Bowes	10/13-14	Nomans Land	1	A. Keith
10/9	Cumb. Farms	325	G. d'Entremont#	Marsh Wren			
10/10	Nantucket	2000	E. Ray#	9/21	GMNWR	3	S. Perkins#
10/23, 30	N. Truro	300, 250	B. Nikula#	9/26	P.I.	3	P. + F. Vale
10/23	Barnstable (S.N.)	400	G. Gove#	9/29, 10/7	Dorchester	3, 2	R. Donovan
10/31	Chatham	75+	B. Nikula#	10/10	Nantucket	6	E. Ray#
Northern Rough-winged Swallow				10/10	Acoaxet	2	M. Lynch#
9/6	Gay Head	1	A. Keith	10/14	Salisbury	1	S. Walch
9/9, 10/7	GMNWR	15, 15	Perkins, Sibley	10/18	Ipswich	1	R. Heil
10/3	Wayland	3	G. Long	Golden-crowned Kinglet			
Bank Swallow				9/12, 10/31	Ware R. IBA	2, 38	M. Lynch#
9/1	Longmeadow	1	J. Hutchison#	9/21, 10/11	P.I.	10, 173	J. Forbes
9/3	GMNWR	10	S. Perkins#	10/9	Rutland	39	M. Lynch#
9/13	Ipswich (C.B.)	1	J. Berry#	10/12	Cape Ann	38	R. Heil
Cliff Swallow				10/13	Gloucester (E.P.)	75	S. Hedman
9/10	Northampton	3	T. Gagnon	10/14	Wakefield	20+	F. Vale
9/21	Eastham	1 juv	R. Heil	10/17	Gardner	10+	T. Pirro
10/1, 7	GMNWR	2, 1	Perkins, Sibley	10/17	Mt.A.	15	R. Stymeist
Barn Swallow				Ruby-crowned Kinglet			
9/1, 10/8	Chatham	88, 3	D. Manchester	9/5, 10/31	Ware R. IBA	1, 7	M. Lynch#
9/4	Westport	15+	M. Lynch#	9/11	Medford	1	M. Rines#
9/9, 10/7	GMNWR	40, 1	S. Perkins, Sibley	9/12	MNWS	1	K. + R. Barnes
9/10	Northampton	100	T. Gagnon	9/21	Chatham	6	D. Manchester#
9/11, 19	P.I.	20, 3	T. Wetmore	10/6	Northfield	25	M. Taylor
9/21	Eastham	3	R. Heil	10/7	Granville	25	J. Weeks
Red-breasted Nuthatch				10/9	Rutland	42	M. Lynch#
9/5	Ware R. IBA	29	M. Lynch#	10/11	P.I.	33	S. Sutton
9/6, 10/9	Rutland	10, 13	M. Lynch#	10/12	Cape Ann	56	R. Heil

Ruby-crowned Kinglet (continued)				10/8	Cotuit	1	M. Keleher
10/17	Gardner	29	T. Pirro	10/9	Burlington	1	M. Rines#
10/17	Mt.A.	17	R. Stymeist	American Pipit			
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher				9/15, 16	Mt. Watatic	1, 3	T. Pirro#
9/19	MNWS	1	S. Hedman	9/18, 10/18	Ipswich	10, 90	R. Heil
9/19	Northampton	1	L. Therrien	9/19, 10/5	GMNWR	6, 15	S. Perkins#
9/22	Granville	1	J. Weeks	9/23	P'town (R.P.)	14	M. Sampson
9/23	Gay Head	1	A. Keith#	9/28	Southwick	15	S. Kellogg
10/12	Rockport	1	R. Heil	9/29, 10/23	Deerfield	20, 50	Allen, Lynch
Northern Wheatear (no details) *				9/30	Newbury	100	T. Wetmore
10/1-3	Plymouth B.	1 ph	J. Walker + v.o.	10/4	Hatfield	15	H. Allen
Eastern Bluebird				10/11	P.I.	13	S. Sutton
9/11	Wellfleet	25	BBC (R. Stymeist)	10/16	Lexington	10	M. Rines#
10/2	Westboro	28	M. Lynch#	10/30	Bolton Flats	10	S. Sutton
10/3	Lexington	12	M. Rines	Cedar Waxwing			
10/9	Northampton	12	R. Packard	9/1	Leicester	35	M. Lynch#
10/24	Gill	14	R. Stymeist	9/21	Chatham	50	D. Manchester#
10/24	Marlboro	13	T. Spahr	10/10	Aquinnah	91	SSBC (Clapp)
10/24	Lincoln	22	M. Rines	10/13	Gloucester (E.P.)	30	S. Hedman
Veery				10/24	Northfield	72	R. Stymeist
9/3	Medford	1	R. LaFontaine	10/27	Westboro	35	E. Morrier
9/11	Wellfleet	1	BBC (R. Stymeist)	10/31	Williamsburg	75	R. Packard
9/12	Longmeadow	1	J. Hutchison#	Blue-winged Warbler			
Gray-cheeked Thrush				9/1	Gloucester (E.P.)	2	R. Heil
9/25	Brewster	1 b ph	S. Finnegan#	9/13	Hancock	2	D. St James
10/2-3	Auburn	2 b	M. Blazis	9/15	Westboro	2	T. Spahr
Bicknell's Thrush				9/21	MNWS	1	K. Haley
10/2	Brewster	1 b	S. Finnegan	9/21	P'town	1	R. Heil
Gray-cheeked/Bicknell's Thrush				9/23	Woburn	1	M. Rines#
9/24	Chilmark	1	A. Keith	Tennessee Warbler			
9/26	Boston (PO Sq.)	1	R. Donovan	9/7, 15	Northampton	1, 1	T. Gagnon
9/29	Sudbury	1	T. Spahr	9/19	Boston	2	M. Garvey
9/30	Pittsfield	1	T. Collins	9/19, 26	Granville	1, 3	S. Kellogg
10/2	Marshfield	1	SSBC (GdE)	9/21	MNWS	1	K. Haley
10/17	IRWS	1	J. MacDougall	10/1-2	Gay Head	1	A. Keith#
Swainson's Thrush				10/18	Chilmark	1	A. Keith
9/1	Belmont	1	R. Stymeist	Orange-crowned Warbler			
9/12	Ware R. IBA	1	M. Lynch#	9/25	Truro	2	G. d'Entremont#
9/16	S. Boston	2	R. Donovan	10/3	Boston	2	BBC (R. Stymeist)
9/19-30	Reports of indiv. from	8 locations		10/9	Milton	2	P. O'Neill
9/21	Melrose	2	D. + I. Jewell	10/16	Plymouth	2	K. Anderson#
10/12	Rockport (H.P.)	1	R. Heil	10/26	Gay Head	3	V. Laux#
10/17	IRWS	1	J. MacDougall	Nashville Warbler			
10/18	P.I.	1	D. Chickering	9/5	Ware R. IBA	5	M. Lynch#
Hermit Thrush				9/19, 10/17	Medford	5, 2	M. Rines#
9/5, 10/31	Ware R. IBA	13, 8	M. Lynch#	9/19, 10/27	Lexington	8, 1	Forbes, Rines
10/11, 31	Lexington	11, 1	M. Rines	9/19	P.I.	4	T. Wetmore
10/17	IRWS	11	J. MacDougall	9/21, 10/1	Granville	4, 4	J. Weeks
10/17	Gardner	6	T. Pirro	10/3, 21	Nahant	3, 2	Vale, Pivacek
10/17	Mt.A.	6	R. Stymeist	10/27	Arlington	1	M. Rines
10/19	S. Boston	9	R. Donovan#	Northern Parula			
10/25	Marlboro	10	T. Spahr	9/14	Mt. Tom	5	L. Therrien
Wood Thrush				9/14	Leicester	5	M. Lynch#
9/1	Medford	2	M. Rines#	9/23, 10/1	Northampton	8, 1	L. Therrien
9/13	Northampton	2	L. Therrien	9/23	Wachusett Res.	7	S. Sutton
9/13	Marlboro	1	T. Spahr	10/3	Boston	4	BBC (R. Stymeist)
9/18	Lenox	1	R. Laubach	10/26	Marblehead	1	K. Haley
9/27	W. Springfield	1	S. Kellogg	10/27	Nahant	1	L. Pivacek
American Robin				10/28	P.I.	1	D. Chickering
9/20, 10/10	Bolton Flats	4150, 500	S. Sutton	Yellow Warbler			
10/10	Gay Head	225	A. Keith	9/12	Falmouth	3	CCBC (G. Hirth)
10/17	Mt.A.	225	R. Stymeist	9/12	Squamam	4	G. d'Entremont
10/17	Gardner	250+	T. Pirro	9/21	Chatham	2	R. Heil
10/18	Ipswich	247	R. Heil	9/21	Truro	2	R. Heil
Gray Catbird				10/9	Boston	1	M. Garvey
9/1, 10/13	Gloucester (E.P.)	46, 3	Heil, Hedman	10/15	Winchester	1	R. LaFontaine
9/6	ONWR	44	S. Sutton	Chestnut-sided Warbler			
9/15, 10/26	P.I.	44, 1	Sutton, Heil	9/1	Medford	5	M. Rines#
9/25, 10/14	Burlington	52, 2	M. Rines	9/5	Ware R. IBA	11	M. Lynch#
9/26	Bolton Flats	51	M. Lynch#	9/20	Hadley	3	C. Gentes
10/2	Westboro	57	M. Lynch#	9/25	Burlington	2	M. Rines
10/10	M.V.	24	SSBC (Clapp)	9/26	Granville	2	J. Weeks
10/18	Ipswich	3	R. Heil	10/8	Northampton	1	L. Therrian
10/18	Northampton	1	L. Therrian	Magnolia Warbler			
Brown Thrasher				9/5	Ware R. IBA	10	M. Lynch#
9/12, 10/7	P.I.	9, 4	T. Wetmore	9/19, 9/18	P.I.	6, 1	Wetmore, Chickering
9/15	Westboro	2	T. Spahr	9/19, 10/6	Granville	10, 1	Kellogg, Weeks
9/26	Bolton Flats	2	M. Lynch#	10/3	Nahant	2	P. + F. Vale

Magnolia Warbler (continued)				9/21	P'town	1	R. Heil
10/12	Cape Ann	1	R. Heil	9/24	Truro	1	M. Sampson
10/21	Gay Head	1	V. Laux	9/29	Granville	1	J. Weeks
Cape May Warbler				Blackpoll Warbler			
9/5	Ware R. IBA	1	M. Lynch#	9/11	Mt.A.	4	J. Sardell
9/6	Brimfield	1	I. Lynch	9/19, 10/15	Granville	20, 1	S. Kellogg
9/25	E. Quabbin	1	S. Kellogg#	9/26	Bolton Flats	11	M. Lynch#
10/8	Nantucket	1	R. Kennedy	10/3	Quabbin (G45)	44	M. Lynch#
10/13	Nomans Land	2	A. Keith	10/12	Cape Ann	6	R. Heil
10/31	Truro	1	J. Young	10/24	Waltham	1	J. Forbes
Black-throated Blue Warbler				10/29	Winchester	1	R. LaFontaine
9/5	Ware R. IBA	6	M. Lynch#	Black-and-white Warbler			
9/14	Mt. Tom	6	L. Therrien	9/1, 10/12	Cape Ann	4, 1	R. Heil
9/21	Granville	6	J. Weeks	9/5	Ware R. IBA	22	M. Lynch#
10/12	Cape Ann	4	R. Heil	9/6	Rutland	5	M. Lynch#
10/25, 28	P.I.	1 b, 1 b	B. Johnson	9/12, 21	MNWS	6, 5	K. Haley
10/27	Nahant	1	L. Pivacek	9/21	Manchester	4	S. Hedman
10/29	Winchester	1 m	R. LaFontaine	10/1	Mt. Tom	1	L. Therrien
Yellow-rumped Warbler				10/1	Granville	1	J. Weeks
9/5	Ware R. IBA	21	M. Lynch#	10/2	P.I.	1	T. Wetmore
9/11, 10/11	P.I.	1, 107	Wetmore, Sutton	American Redstart			
9/21	MNWS	2	K. Haley	9/1	Belmont	8	R. Stymeist
9/26, 10/6	Granville	70, 100	Kellogg, Weeks	9/1, 10/17	Medford	36, 1	M. Rines#
9/30	Montague	100	R. Packard	9/5	Ware R. IBA	29	M. Lynch#
10/4	Bolton Flats	72	N. Paulson	9/12	Longmeadow	6	J. Hutchison#
10/10	Acoaxet	138	M. Lynch#	9/16, 10/6	Lexington	5, 1	M. Rines#
10/10	M.V.	65	SSBC (Clapp)	9/22	Mt.A.	5	R. Stymeist
10/12	Cape Ann	110	R. Heil	10/3	Boston	6	BBC (R. Stymeist)
10/17	Gardner	60	T. Pirro	10/17	Mashpee	1	CCBC (Keleher)
10/17	Brewster	40 b	S. Finnegan	10/27	Chilmark	1	A. Keith
10/18	Ipswich	62	R. Heil	Prothonotary Warbler			
10/20	Woburn	50	M. Rines#	9/21	Chappaquiddick	1	A. Keith
Black-throated Green Warbler				Worm-eating Warbler			
9/12	Ware R. IBA	39	M. Lynch#	9/21	Wellfleet	1	G. Gove#
9/19	Granville	12	S. Kellogg	Ovenbird			
9/19, 10/17	Medford	12, 2	M. Rines#	9/1	Gloucester (E.P.)	2	R. Heil
9/25	Burlington	9	M. Rines	9/5	Ware R. IBA	6	M. Lynch#
10/3	Northampton	6	H. Allen	9/20	Boston	2	G. Tepke
10/12	Cape Ann	5	R. Heil	9/25	Boston	6+	K. + R. Barnes
10/27	Arlington	1	M. Rines	9/26	Lexington	1	M. Rines#
10/30	Truro	1	J. Young	10/3	Quabbin	1	T. Gagnon
Blackburnian Warbler				10/3	Boston	1	BBC (R. Stymeist)
9/5	Ware R. IBA	4	M. Lynch#	Northern Waterthrush			
9/19	P.I.	1	J. Hoye#	9/5	Ware R. IBA	2	M. Lynch#
9/21	MNWS	2+	K. Haley	9/21, 10/6	MNWS	3, 1	Haley, Vale
9/22	Gay Head	1	A. Keith	9/26	Arlington Res.	1	M. Rines
9/25	Burlington	2	M. Rines	10/3	Nahant	1	P. + F. Vale
9/26	Northampton	1	T. Gagnon	10/3	Boston	1	BBC (R. Stymeist)
10/14	P.I.	1 b	B. Johnson	Kentucky Warbler			
Yellow-throated Warbler				9/12	MNWS	1	K. Haley
10/15	Chilmark	1	L. McDowell#	10/17	Boston	1 m	F. Bouchard
Pine Warbler				Connecticut Warbler			
9/5	Ware R. IBA	83	M. Lynch#	9/12	Ware R. IBA	2 imm	M. Lynch#
9/11	Quabbin	16	BBC (Lockwood)	9/14-10/8	Reports of indiv. from 14 locations		
9/23	Wachusett Res.	29	S. Sutton	9/15-10/1	P.I.	12 b	MAS (B. Johnson)
9/21	Outer Cape	67	R. Heil	10/15	Scituate	1	D. Furbish
9/24	Falmouth	20	M. Keleher	Mourning Warbler			
9/30	Montague	15	R. Packard	9/1-10/1	Reports of indiv. from 12 locations		
10/17	Mashpee	4	CCBC (Keleher)	Common Yellowthroat			
Prairie Warbler				9/5	Ware R. IBA	36	M. Lynch#
9/5	Southwick	2	S. Kellogg	9/25, 10/14	Burlington	11, 5	M. Rines
9/21, 10/16	Truro	3, 1	Heil, GdE	9/26	Bolton Flats	32	M. Lynch#
9/25	Brewster	2	S. Finnegan#	9/26	Nahant	10	E. Morrier#
9/26	Nahant	8	E. Morrier#	10/3	Boston	9	BBC (R. Stymeist)
10/9	Lexington	1	D. Diggins#	10/3	Lexington	9	M. Rines
10/9	Boston	1	M. Garvey	10/10	Bolton Flats	7	S. Sutton
Palm Warbler				10/31	Westport	2	G. d'Entremont#
9/12	Marblehead	1	K. Haley	Hooded Warbler			
9/13, 26	Granville	3, 30	J. Weeks	10/1	Marshfield	1 f	D. Furbish
9/15, 10/1	Westboro	2, 30	T. Spahr	10/26	P.I.	1 f	R. Heil
9/26	Arlington	14	R. LaFontaine	Wilson's Warbler			
10/7	Lincoln	20	M. Rines	9/1	Gloucester (E.P.)	2	R. Heil
10/17	Gardner	20	T. Pirro	9/1	Medford	3	M. Rines#
10/31	Gill	1	C. Gentes	9/21	MNWS	2	K. Haley
10/31	Truro	1	J. Young	9/26	Nahant	3	E. Morrier#
Bay-breasted Warbler				10/8	Lexington	1	J. Forbes
9/5	Ware R. IBA	2	M. Lynch#	10/16	Truro	1 m	SSBC (GdE)
9/19	Boston	3	M. Garvey	10/17	Mt.A.	1	R. Stymeist

Canada Warbler				10/18 Ipswich	245	R. Heil
9/1 Gloucester (E.P.)	5	R. Heil		10/23 Deerfield	100	M. Lynch#
9/13 Northampton	1	L. Therrien		Ipswich Sparrow		
9/17-19 Medford	1	M. Rines#		9/18 Westport	1	E. Nielsen
9/19 Boston	1	M. Garvey		10/8 Edgartown	1	A. Keith
9/21 MNWS	1	K. Haley		10/17 Dorchester	1	R. Donovan
9/24 Truro	1	M. Sampson		Grasshopper Sparrow		
10/12 Cape Ann	1	R. Heil		9/24 Falmouth	1 juv	M. Keleher
Yellow-breasted Chat				9/24-25, 10/8 Northampton	1, 1	Gentes, Therrian
9/2, 23 MNWS	1, 1	Haley, Spalding		10/10-17 Lexington	1	M. Rines#
9/2, 10/2 Gay Head	1, 1	A. Keith		10/17 Brookfield	1	M. Lynch#
9/26 Brewster	1	S. Finnegan#		10/21, 26 Gay Head	1, 1	Anderson, Laux
10/10 Sandwich	1	D. Furbish#		10/31 Wakefield	1	D. + I. Jewell
10/10-17 S. Boston	1	R. Donovan#		Nelson's Sharp-tailed Sparrow		
10/17 Chilmark	1	S. Anderson		9/25 P.I.	1	L. Pivacek
Summer Tanager				9/26 Bolton Flats	1	M. Lynch#
10/4 Gay Head	1	S. Anderson		10/3 GMNWR	1	S. Mardis
10/18 P.I.	1	D. + I. Jewell		Saltmarsh Sharp-tailed Sparrow		
Scarlet Tanager				9/20, 10/17 Dorchester	3, 1	R. Donovan
9/1 Longmeadow	11	J. Hutchison#		9/26 P.I.	6	P. + F. Vale
9/5 Ware R. IBA	31	M. Lynch#		10/8 Edgartown	5	A. Keith
9/23 Mt.A.	3	B. Miller		Seaside Sparrow		
10/1 Granville	3	J. Weeks		9/24 P.I.	1	D. Chickering
10/2 Medford	2	M. Rines#		10/16 Eastham (F. H.)	1	SSBC (GdE)
10/20 Woburn	1	M. Rines#		Fox Sparrow		
10/22 Northampton	1	W. Lafley		10/12 Cape Ann	1	R. Heil
Eastern Towhee				10/14 Pittsfield	1	T. Collins
9/5 Ware R. IBA	14	M. Lynch#		10/24 Northfield	3	R. Stymeist
9/11 Wellfleet	32	BBC (R. Stymeist)		10/24 Gill	4	R. Stymeist
9/25 Cuttyhunk	52	R. Stymeist#		10/31 Ware R. IBA	4	M. Lynch#
10/7 P.I.	10	T. Wetmore		Song Sparrow		
10/17 Granville	1	J. Weeks		10/4 Cumb. Farms	103	S. Sutton
10/24 Marlboro	1	T. Spahr		10/10 Bolton Flats	140+	S. Sutton
American Tree Sparrow				10/18 Ipswich	123	R. Heil
9/26 Nahant	1	E. Morrier#		Lincoln's Sparrow		
10/21 Gay Head	2	V. Laux		9/2 HRWMA	1	T. Pirro
10/28 W. Newbury	2	J. Berry		9/14, 10/8 Belmont	4, 3	M. Rines
10/30 P.I.	2	T. Wetmore		9/21 Northampton	14	A. Magee
10/30 Bolton Flats	3	S. Sutton		9/26, 10/27 Lexington	5, 1	M. Rines#
Chipping Sparrow				10/1, 10 Wayland	12, 7	G. Long
9/11 Wellfleet	156	BBC (R. Stymeist)		10/2 Westboro	8	M. Lynch#
9/12 Melrose	50	D. + I. Jewell		10/2 Cumb. Farms	17	M. Maurer#
9/21 Eastham	200	R. Heil		10/4 Bolton Flats	12	N. Paulson
10/2 Westboro	75	M. Lynch#		10/7, 21 Truro	8, 2	G. Gove#
10/16 Plymouth	75	K. Anderson#		10/20, 26 Woburn	2, 1	M. Rines#
Clay-colored Sparrow				10/29 E. Boston	1	L. Pivacek
9/12-10/18 Reports of indiv. from 18 locations				Swamp Sparrow		
10/1-21 Gay Head	3 total	A. Keith#		10/1 Wayland	45	G. Long
10/26 P.I.	1	R. Heil		10/4 Bolton Flats	95	N. Paulson
Field Sparrow				10/14 Salisbury	40+	S. Walch
9/5 Pepperell	7	E. Stromsted		10/16 Truro	50	SSBC (GdE)
9/30 Montague	7	R. Packard		10/17 Brookfield	97	M. Lynch#
10/3 P.I.	6	BBC (L. Giriunas)		10/18 Ipswich	141	R. Heil
10/3 Concord	8	D. Diggins		White-throated Sparrow		
10/16 Plymouth	10	K. Anderson#		9/12 Ware R. IBA	1	M. Lynch#
10/17 Belmont	4	P. + F. Vale#		9/13 Medford	1	R. LaFontaine
10/29 Woburn	4	M. Rines#		9/15 Lexington	1	J. Forbes
Vesper Sparrow				10/10 Bolton Flats	105	S. Sutton
9/12-10/28 Reports of indiv. from 12 locations				10/12 Cape Ann	175+	R. Heil
9/14 Newbury	3	D. Davis		10/17 Brookfield	138	M. Lynch#
10/4 Bolton Flats	2	N. Paulson		10/17 Mt.A.	85	R. Stymeist
10/9 Hatfield	2	C. Gentes		10/18 Ipswich	140	R. Heil
10/13 Nomans Land	2	A. Keith		White-crowned Sparrow		
10/26 Gay Head	2	V. Laux#		9/25, 10/9 Newbury	1, 4	Pivacek, dela Flor
Lark Sparrow				9/26, 10/29 Nahant	3, 3	Morrier, Pivacek
9/1 Northampton	1	A. Magee		10/12 Westboro	10	D. Mushrush
9/1, 10/6 Gay Head	1, 1	McDowell, Pelikan		10/13 Nomans Land	25	A. Keith#
9/2 P.I.	1	S. Grinley		10/14 Pittsfield	25	T. Collins
9/19 Medford	1	R. LaFontaine#		10/16 Northampton	10	S. Kellogg#
9/19 Newbury	1	R. Heil		10/17 Gardner	7	T. Pirro
10/6 Gay Head	1	M. Pelikan		10/17 Boston (Long I.)	8	R. Donovan#
10/31 Fairhaven	1	M. Maurer		10/21 Gay Head	14	V. Laux
Savannah Sparrow				10/31 Bolton Flats	1	S. Sutton
9/21 Northampton	70	A. Magee		Gambell's White-crowned Sparrow		
10/1 Wayland	50	G. Long		10/18 Ipswich	1 imm	R. Heil
10/9 Cumb. Farms	55	G. d'Entremont#		Dark-eyed Junco		
10/16 Plymouth	150	K. Anderson#		9/12 Groveland	2	D. Chickering#
10/11 Lexington	45	M. Rines		9/19 Belmont	1	L. Ferraresso

Dark-eyed Junco (continued)				10/30	Bolton Flats	6000	S. Sutton
9/19	Squantum	1	G. d'Entremont#	10/31	Pepperell	1500	E. Stromsted
10/11	P.I.	107	S. Sutton		Eastern Meadowlark		
10/13	Nomans Land	200	A. Keith	9/6	Leicester	6	M. Lynch#
10/17	Mt.A.	60	R. Stymeist	10/16	Plymouth	5	K. Anderson#
10/31	Ware R. IBA	69	M. Lynch#	10/16	Gardner	2	T. Pirro
Lapland Longspur				10/16	Northampton	4	S. Kellogg#
9/30	Nantucket	1	E. Ray	10/17	Dorchester	4	R. Donovan
10/31	N. Monomoy	25	B. Nikula#		Rusty Blackbird		
Snow Bunting				9/19	Woburn (H.P.)	1	P. Ippolito#
10/12, 28	Granville	2, 2	J. Weeks	9/21, 10/1	GMNWR	3, 12	S. Perkins#
10/26	P.I.	16	R. Heil	9/25	P'town	25	G. d'Entremont#
10/26	New Salem	1	W. Lafley	10/13	Lincoln	15	M. Rines
10/30	Boston (Long I.)	3	R. Donovan#	10/14	Richmond	6	T. Collins
10/30	Scituate	2	D. Furbish	10/16	Cheshire	300+	E. Neumuth
10/31	Barre Falls	9	B. Kamp#	10/17	Brookfield	30	M. Lynch#
10/31	Ware R. IBA	9	M. Lynch#	10/18	Ipswich	46	R. Heil
Rose-breasted Grosbeak				10/24	Marlboro	7	T. Spahr
9/1	Longmeadow	24	J. Hutchison#	10/31	Medfield	17	E. Morrier
9/6, 10/1	Lexington	8, 1	J. Forbes		Common Grackle		
9/20	Hancock	3	R. Laubach	10/10	M.V.	5000	SSBC (Clapp)
9/26	Bolton Flats	2	M. Lynch#	10/31	Pepperell	1000	E. Stromsted
10/24	Jamaica Plain	1	M. Kaufman	10/31	Bolton Flats	49,800	S. Sutton
10/29	Nahant	1	L. Pivacek		Brown-headed Cowbird		
Blue Grosbeak				9/22	Wilmington	50	E. Taylor
9/19-10/28	N. Truro	1+	v.o.	10/16	Truro	51	SSBC (GdE)
9/21	Eastham	1	R. Heil	10/21	Natick	50	E. Taylor
10/2	Gay Head	1	A. Keith#	10/21	Woburn	50	E. Taylor
10/3	Cumb. Farms	1	E. LeBlanc#	10/22	Littleton	145	R. Stymeist
10/20-21	Nahant	1	L. Pivacek		Baltimore Oriole		
10/23	W. Barnstable	1	G. Gove#	9/1	Longmeadow	8	J. Hutchison#
Indigo Bunting				9/21, 10/7	Truro	11, 2	Heil, Gove
9/5	Hatfield	28	R. Stymeist	10/10	Aquinnah	2	SSBC (Clapp)
9/6	Concord	12	J. Hoye#	10/26	Gay Head	6	V. Laux#
9/26, 10/10	Lexington	13, 6	M. Rines#	10/26	Jamaica Plain	2	M. Kaufman
9/30	Belmont	9	S. Sutton		Purple Finch		
10/4	Cumb. Farms	6	M. Lynch#	9/19	Stockbridge	6	M. Lynch#
10/21	Gay Head	3	V. Laux	9/23	Truro	2	M. Sampson
10/29	Nahant	2	L. Pivacek	10/10	Springfield	3	R. Titus
10/31	Truro	1	J. Young	10/25	Marlboro	12	T. Spahr
Dickcissel				10/26	Gay Head	45	V. Laux#
thr	Reports of indiv. from 19 locations			10/31	Ware R. IBA	12	M. Lynch#
9/24, 10/28	N. Truro	2, 1	Gove, Tuttle		Pine Siskin		
9/26	Bolton Flats	2	M. Lynch#	9/28	Pittsfield	2	T. Collins
10/8, 10/27	Lexington	2	Forbes, Rines	10/12-26	Reports of 1-5 indiv. from 8 locations		
10/18	Ipswich	2	R. Heil	10/23	Newbypt	6	D. Larson
Bobolink				10/24	New Salem	10	W. Lafley
9/1-7	Northampton	54 total	T. Gagnon	10/26	P.I.	136	R. Heil
9/5	Hatfield	27	R. Stymeist	10/30	Boston (Long I.)	9	R. Donovan#
9/9, 10/7	GMNWR	80, 1	Perkins, Sibley	10/31	Williamsburg	15	R. Packard
9/26	Bolton Flats	19	M. Lynch#	10/31	Ware R. IBA	5	M. Lynch#
10/4	Cumb. Farms	9	S. Sutton		Evening Grosbeak		
10/18	Ipswich	7	R. Heil	9/8	Gardner	2	T. Pirro
10/23	Barnstable	1	M. Keleher	10/24	Northfield	9	R. Stymeist
Red-winged Blackbird							
9/21	GMNWR	1000	S. Perkins#				

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ABBREVIATIONS FOR BIRD SIGHTINGS

Taxonomic order is based on AOU checklist, Seventh edition, 44th Supplement, as published in *The Auk* 117: 847-58 (2000); 119: 897-906 (2002); 120: 923-32 (2003).

ABC	Allen Bird Club	ONWR	Oxbow National Wildlife Refuge
A.P.	Andrews Point, Rockport	P.I.	Plum Island
A.Pd	Allens Pond, S. Dartmouth	Pd	Pond
B.	Beach	P'town	Provincetown
Barre FD	Barre Falls Dam,	Pont.	Pontoosuc Lake, Lanesboro
	Barre, Rutland	R.P.	Race Point, Provincetown
B.I.	Belle Isle, E. Boston	Res.	Reservoir
B.R.	Bass Rocks, Gloucester	S. Dart.	South Dartmouth
BBC	Brookline Bird Club	S.B.	South Beach, Chatham
BMB	Broad Meadow Brook, Worcester	S.N.	Sandy Neck, Barnstable
C.B.	Crane Beach, Ipswich	SRV	Sudbury River Valley
CGB	Coast Guard Beach, Eastham	SSBC	South Shore Bird Club
C.P.	Crooked Pond, Boxford	TASL	Take A Second Look
Cambr.	Cambridge		Boston Harbor Census
CCBC	Cape Cod Bird Club	WBWS	Wellfleet Bay WS
Cumb. Farms	Cumberland Farms,	WMWS	Wachusett Meadow WS
	Middleboro	Wompatuck SP	Hingham, Cohasset,
DFWS	Drumlin Farm Wildlife Sanctuary		Scituate, and Norwell
DWMA	Delaney WMA	Worc.	Worcester
	Stow, Bolton, Harvard		
DWWS	Daniel Webster WS	Other Abbreviations	
E.P.	Eastern Point, Gloucester	ad	adult
EMHW	Eastern Mass. Hawk Watch	alt	alternate
F.E.	First Encounter Beach, Eastham	b	banded
F.P.	Fresh Pond, Cambridge	br	breeding
F.Pk	Franklin Park, Boston	dk	dark (morph)
G40	Gate 40, Quabbin Res.	f	female
GMNWR	Great Meadows NWR	fl	fledgling
H.	Harbor	imm	immature
H.P.	Halibut Point, Rockport	juv	juvenile
HRWMA	High Ridge WMA, Gardner	lt	light (morph)
I.	Island	m	male
IRWS	Ipswich River WS	max	maximum
L.	Ledge	migr	migrating
M.V.	Martha's Vineyard	n	nesting
MAS	Mass. Audubon Society	ph	photographed
MBWMA	Martin Burns WMA, Newbury	pl	plumage
MNWS	Marblehead Neck WS	pr	pair
MSSF	Myles Standish State	S	summer (1S = 1st summer)
	Forest, Plymouth	v.o.	various observers
Mt.A.	Mt. Auburn Cemetery, Cambr.	W	winter (2W = second winter)
NAC	Nine Acre Corner, Concord	yg	young
Newbypt	Newburyport	#	additional observers



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