

FIELD OBSERVATIONS

Fall Report: August-November 2009.—This report consists of significant bird observations compiled by the Field Observations Committee (FOC). Electronic submissions to the FOC should be in the following format: species, number of individuals, age and sex of the bird(s), color morph if applicable, location (including county), date, observer(s), and significance. Seasons are winter (December-February), spring (March-May), summer (June-July), and fall (August-November). Submit observations to regional compilers within two weeks after the close of each season, or to the state compiler within one month. Addresses of the compilers follow this report.

Sight-only observations are considered “reports” while only those supported by verifiable evidence (photographs, video or audio recordings, or specimens) are called “records.” Species for which documentation is required by the FOC and by the FOS Records Committee (FOSRC; <www.fosbirds.org/RecordsCommittee/OfficialStateList.aspx>) are marked here with an asterisk (*). A county designation (in italics) accompanies the first-time listing of each site in this report. Abbreviations in this report are: AFB = Air Force Base, AFR = Air Force Range, EOS = end of season, NERR = National Estuarine Research Reserve, NP = National Park, NS = National Seashore, NSRA = North Shore Restoration Area, NWR = National Wildlife Refuge, SF = State Forest, SP = State Park, STA = Stormwater Treatment Area, STF = sewage treatment facility, WEA = Wildlife and Environmental Area, WMA = Wildlife Management Area, and N, S, E, W etc., for compass directions. Bold-faced entries denote birds newly reported or verified in Florida, or record numbers.

SUMMARY OF THE FALL SEASON

It was a mild season weatherwise, with only two tropical storms, both of which struck the extreme western Panhandle: *Claudette* on 18 August, and *Ida* on 10 November. Neither storm caused serious damage or brought ashore significant rarities. Cold fronts brought significant numbers of birds to the Lee County coast on 30 September, and to the western Panhandle on 31 October. A movement of Tennessee Warblers was evident 30 September. A huge flock of Common Terns was documented in Pasco County. FOSRC-review species reported this fall were Neotropic Cormorants at St. Marks NWR and Viera Wetlands, Harris’s Hawk at Cedar Key (if thought to be a vagrant), six Alder Flycatchers heard at three sites, Willow Flycatchers heard at two sites, Say’s Phoebe at Astatula, Tropical-type kingbird at Homestead, two Cassin’s Kingbirds at STA-5, Green-tailed Towhee at Fort Pickens, Lark Bunting at Alligator Point, Lazuli Bunting at Oviedo, and Western Meadowlark at Gulf Breeze. Finally, we note that Gail Menk has retired from the FOC, and we thank him for his 13.5 years of service. John Murphy will be the compiler for the eastern Panhandle beginning with the winter 2009-2010 report.

SPECIES ACCOUNTS

BLACK-BELLIED WHISTLING-DUCK: 3 adults and 12 young at San Carlos Park (*Lee*) 16 Aug (T. Obrock); 2 adults at Disney Wilderness Preserve (*Osceola*) 9-22 Sep (M. Folk, J. Milikowsky); 1 at Fort Walton Beach STF (*Okaloosa*) 19-20 Sep (C. & D. Ware); 1 adult with 8 chicks at Lettuce Lake Park, Tampa (*Hillsborough*) 29 Sep (B. Ahern); 20 at Alligator Lake Park (*Columbia*) 1 Oct (B. Ahern); 1 pair with 11 chicks at Viera

- Wetlands (*Brevard*) 20 Oct (J. Wherley); 402 at Lake Apopka NSRA (*Orange*) 13 Nov (H. Robinson).
- FULVOUS WHISTLING-DUCK: 33 at Harney Pond Canal, Lake Okeechobee (*Glades*) 19 Sep (D. Simpson et al.); 730 at Lake Apopka NSRA 15 Nov (H. Robinson).
- GREATER WHITE-FRONTED GOOSE: 2 at Southwood (*Leon*) 23 Nov-EOS (M. Forehand, J. Cavanagh).
- SNOW GOOSE: 6 over J.W. Corbett WMA (*Palm Beach*) 29 Oct (M. Baranski); as many as 3 at Paynes Prairie Preserve SP (*Alachua*) 5 Nov-EOS (C. Littlewood et al.); 1 adult blue morph at Viera Wetlands 9 Nov (D. Freeland); 1 adult blue morph at St. Augustine (*St. Johns*) 18 Nov (D. Reed et al.); 1 adult white morph at New Port Richey (*Pasco*) 17-18 Nov (P. Day, K. Tracey).
- EGYPTIAN GOOSE: 33 at Orange Brook Golf Course, Hollywood (*Broward*) 2 Sep (R. Titus).
- GADWALL: 1 at Pelican Island NWR (*Indian River*) 17 Oct (A. Bankert); 80 at Lake Apopka NSRA 22 Nov (H. Robinson).
- EURASIAN WIGEON: 1 adult male at Lake Seminole all season (S. Prevuznak, R. Smith) provided the first *Pinellas* record; 1 male at Merritt Island NWR (*Brevard*) 14 Nov-EOS (P. Hueber).
- BLUE-WINGED TEAL: 1 female at Tram Road STF (*Leon*) 28 Aug (G. Menk, M. Collins); a total of 223 in seven flocks flew S past Holiday (*Pasco*) 31 Aug, with 297 in six flocks on 27 Sep, and 610 in nine flocks in one hour there 29 Sep (D. Gagne); 1500 at Duda Farms, Belle Glade (*Palm Beach*) 13 Sep (B. Hope); 200 at Robinson Preserve (*Manatee*) 29 Sep (D. Irizarry, J. Ginaven); 2400 at Lake Apopka NSRA 6 Nov (H. Robinson).
- NORTHERN SHOVELER: 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA 28 Aug (H. Robinson); 3 at Opal Beach, Gulf Islands NS (*Escambia*) 1 Sep (B. & L. Duncan).
- GREEN-WINGED TEAL: 1800 at Canaveral NS (*Brevard*) 6 Nov (D. Simpson, M. Harris); 300 at Boynton Beach Inlet (*Palm Beach*) 7 Nov (B. Hope); 1200 at Lake Apopka NSRA 29 Nov (H. Robinson).
- RING-NECKED DUCK: 2 at Lake Apopka NSRA 25 Sep (H. Robinson); 1100 in one pond at The Villages (*Sumter*) 22 Nov-EOS (J. Dinsmore).
- GREATER SCAUP: 4 at Lake Butler (*Union*) 5 Nov (J. Hintermister); 1 female at Lake Apopka NSRA 11 Nov (H. Robinson).
- LESSER SCAUP: 9 at S Merritt Island (*Brevard*) 9 Aug (D. Freeland).
- COMMON EIDER: 2 females at Fort Clinch SP (*Nassau*) 6 Nov (J. Krummrich).
- SURF SCOTER: 2 in female plumage at Bald Point SP (*Franklin*) 2 Aug (J. Murphy); 3 at Boynton Beach Inlet 7 Nov (B. Hope).
- WHITE-WINGED SCOTER: 1 adult male at Opal Beach 28 Nov (L. Duncan et al.).
- BLACK SCOTER: 25 at Melbourne Beach (*Brevard*) 3 Nov (A. Bankert); 120 at Boynton Beach Inlet 7 Nov (B. Hope); 2 off Honeymoon Island SP (*Pinellas*) 13 Nov (D. Gagne et al.); 1 at Hudson Beach (*Pasco*) 17 Nov (K. Tracey); 2 adult males at Biscayne Bay (*Miami-Dade*) 25 Nov (R. Torres).
- BUFFLEHEAD: 8 (3 males, 5 females) at Biscayne Bay 30 Nov (R. Torres).
- COMMON GOLDENEYE: 1 female at Port Orange (*Volusia*) 11 Nov (M. Brothers).
- RUDDY DUCK: 1450 at Lake Apopka NSRA 29 Nov (H. Robinson).
- WILD TURKEY: 13 at Lake Apopka NSRA 21 Oct (H. Robinson).
- GOLDEN PHEASANT: 1 adult at Longwood (*Seminole*) 9 Sep (*vide* P. Simmons, photo to FOC).
- NORTHERN BOBWHITE: 1 pair and chicks at Werner-Boyce Salt Springs SP, Bayonet Point (*Pasco*) 9 Sep (K. Tracey).
- COMMON LOON: 1 at Caladesi Island SP (*Pinellas*) 1 Aug (J. McGinity).
- LEAST GREBE: 1 at Yamato Scrub Natural Area, Boca Raton (*Palm Beach*) 15-24 Sep (N. Stuart et al.).

- PIED-BILLED GREBE: 1 adult with 2 young at Gulf Harbors, New Port Richey 27 Aug (K. Tracey).
- HORNED GREBE: 1 at Biscayne Bay 25 Nov (R. Torres).
- AMERICAN FLAMINGO: 11 (7 immatures and 4 molting into adult plumage) at Snake Bight, Everglades NP (*Monroe*) 28 Sep (B. Roberts).
- LESSER FLAMINGO (*Phoeniconaias minor*):** 1 with a band on its left leg at Merritt Island NWR 30 Sep (T. Donovan, photo to FOC) provided the first Florida report and record. At least 29 Lesser Flamingos are known in captivity in Florida (www.isis.org).
- CORY'S SHEARWATER: **1000+** off Ponce de Leon Inlet (*Volusia*) 27 Sep (M. Brothers, B. Wallace et al.), and as many as 120 there 15 Nov (M. Brothers et al.); 1 found 43 nm off St. Petersburg 24 Oct that later died in captivity (C. Allen, S. Patterson) provided the first *Pinellas* record; 1 at Sebastian Inlet SP (*Brevard*) 21 Nov (A. Bankert et al.).
- GREATER SHEARWATER: 75 off Ponce de Leon Inlet 27 Sep (M. Brothers, B. Wallace et al.).
- AUDUBON'S SHEARWATER: 4 off Ponce de Leon Inlet 15 Nov (M. Brothers et al.).
- MASKED BOOBY: 1 at Cocoa Beach (*Brevard*) 24 Sep (*vide* H. Mederer, Florida Wildlife Hospital); 1 off Ponce de Leon Inlet 27 Sep (M. Brothers, B. Wallace et al.); 1 at Canaveral NS 21 Oct (M. Harris); 1 adult in *Okaloosa* 9 Nov was *Ida*-related (D. Ware).
- BROWN BOOBY: 24 at Fowley Rocks Light (*Miami-Dade*) 24 Sep (R. Torres); 3 off Ponce de Leon Inlet 27 Sep, and 1 off there 15 Nov (M. Brothers et al.); 1 at *St. Johns* Pier 30 Oct (M. Hafner); 2 juveniles in *Okaloosa* 9 Nov were *Ida*-related (D. Ware, L. Fenimore); 1 adult at Stump Pass SP (*Charlotte*) 29 Nov (D. Goodwin et al.).
- RED-FOOTED BOOBY: 1 sub-adult found at Miami Beach (*Miami-Dade*) ca. late Sep was brought to a rehabilitation center at Miami Shores, where it was released in early Dec (R. Torres et al.).
- NORTHERN GANNET: 1700 at Canaveral NS 6 Nov (D. Simpson, M. Harris).
- AMERICAN WHITE PELICAN: 54 at *Polk* phosphate mines 9 Aug (P. Timmer); 250 at Charlotte Harbor (*Charlotte*) 17 Oct (S. Daughtrey); 371 at the Sarasota Celery Fields (*Sarasota*) 18 Oct (V. Ponzio, J. Dubi); 100 over Green Key (*Pasco*) 20 Oct (M. Valentine); a total of 334 in four flocks over Holiday 21 Oct (D. Gagne); 700 at St. Marks NWR 24 Oct (H. Hooper et al.); 400 at Cedar Key (*Levy*) 29 Oct (D. Johnston).
- *NEOTROPIC CORMORANT: 1 adult at St. Marks NWR (*Wakulla*) 7 Sep-EOS (B. Hall, C. Mason et al., photos to FOC by T. Menart); 1 at Viera Wetlands 30 Nov-2 Dec (T. Dunkerton et al., photos to FOC).
- ANHINGA: 459 at Lake Apopka NSRA 4 Sep (H. Robinson).
- MAGNIFICENT FRIGATEBIRD: 1 at Guana-Tolomato-Matanzas NERR (*St. Johns*) 17 Aug (D. Reed); 4 at St. Marks NWR 10 Nov (J. Cavanagh); 16 males at Holiday 11 Nov (D. Gagne); 5 at Sebastian Inlet SP 21 Nov (A. Bankert et al.).
- AMERICAN BITTERN: 1 at South Lido Key Nature Park (*Sarasota*) 21 Sep (D. Simpson); 91 at Lake Apopka NSRA 18 Nov (H. Robinson).
- GREAT BLUE HERON: 200 migrating in groups of 3-18 over Tomoka (*Volusia*) SP 1 Sep (M. Wilson).
- GREAT EGRET: 1200 at Duda Farms, Belle Glade 13 Sep (B. Hope); 1 at Fort De Soto Park captured and then lost a dowitcher 26 Sep (R. Milburn, photos to FOC).
- SNOWY EGRET: 600 at Duda Farms 13 Sep (B. Hope).
- CATTLE EGRET: 4340 at Lake Apopka NSRA 2 Oct (H. Robinson).
- BLACK-CROWNED NIGHT-HERON: 250 at Duda Farms 13 Sep (B. Hope).
- WHITE IBIS: 5000 at Amelia River (*Nassau*) 19 Sep (P. Leary).
- WHITE-FACED IBIS: 1 juvenile at St. Marks NWR 7 Sep (B. Hall, C. Mason), and as many as **5** (2 adults and 3 juveniles) there to 15 Nov (J. Hintermister et al.); 1 at Bartram Farms (*St. Johns*) 11-12 Nov (M. Hafner, D. Reed, photo to FOC).
- SACRED IBIS: 2 at Tropical Park, Westchester (*Miami-Dade*) 14 Nov (R. Irizarry).
- ROSEATE SPOONBILL: 1 at Tallahassee (*Leon*) 4 Aug (R. Lengacher); 147 along the Amelia River 22 Aug and 19 Sep (P. Leary); 40 at Gulf Harbors 29 Aug (R. Smart); 2 imma-

- tures at Alligator Lake, Lake City (*Columbia*) 1 Sep (J. Hintermister); 600 at Duda Farms 13 Sep (B. Hope); 1 juvenile at Bald Point (*Franklin*) 27 Sep (J. Murphy); 1 at Paynes Prairie Preserve SP (*Alachua*) 22 Oct-26 Nov (R. Lockwood, G. Stephens et al.).
- WOOD STORK: 1100 at Duda Farms 13 Sep (B. Hope); 1 at Fort Pickens, Gulf Islands NS (*Escambia*) 4 Nov (B. & L. Duncan).
- SWALLOW-TAILED KITE: 50 at Trout Creek Park (*Hillsborough*) 4 Aug (R. Milburn); 315 at Lake Apopka NSRA 7 Aug, and 1 there to 9 Sep (H. Robinson).
- WHITE-TAILED KITE: 1 at the Bailey Tract (*Hillsborough*) 13-16 Aug (B. Savage, D. Goodwin).
- SNAIL KITE: 1 at Flamingo Villas Preserve, Sebring (*Highlands*) 15 Sep (R. Bowman).
- MISSISSIPPI KITE: 1 at Jacksonville (*Duval*) 1 Aug (B. Tinsman); 1 juvenile at Lady Lake (*Lake*), where a pair successfully bred, 5 Aug (J. Stefancic); 2 at Bald Point 27 Sep (J. Murphy); 1 at Matheson Hammock (*Miami-Dade*) 11 Oct (R. Torres); 1 at Boca Chica Key (*Monroe*) 24 Oct (C. Goodrich).
- NORTHERN HARRIER: 1 at Fort De Soto Park (*Pinellas*) 15 Aug (D. & L. Margeson); 1 female along Brown's Farm Road (*Palm Beach*) 29 Aug (A. Bankert, D. Simpson).
- SHARP-SHINNED HAWK: 1 adult male at Lake Apopka NSRA 12-23 Aug (H. Robinson).
- *HARRIS'S HAWK:** 1 at Cedar Key 20 Oct (D. Henderson).
- BROAD-WINGED HAWK: 1 juvenile at Boyd Hill Nature Preserve (*Pinellas*) 25 Sep (R. Smith); 1 at Sebastian Inlet SP 17 Oct (A. Bankert); 275 at Gulf Breeze 18 Oct (L. Duncan et al.); 20 at Fort Zachary Taylor Historic SP, Key West 19 Oct (C. Goodrich); 15 juveniles over Holiday 22 Oct (D. Gagne); 1 juvenile at N Merritt Island 4 Nov (D. Freeland).
- SHORT-TAILED HAWK: 3 reports at St. Petersburg: 1 dark morph 10-24 Aug (D. Margeson et al.), 1 juvenile at Joe's Creek Greenway Park 26 Sep (D. Margeson et al.), and 2 dark-morphs at Sawgrass Lake Park 2 Oct (S. Patterson); 1 at San Felasco Hammock Preserve SP (*Alachua*) 11 Aug (G. Kiltie); 1 at Newnans Lake 23 Aug (B. Simons et al.); 1 at Lettuce Lake Park 29 Sep (B. Ahern); 1 dark morph at Dunedin Hammock 19 Oct was eating a Blue Jay (J. McGinity); 1 dark morph at Holiday 8 Nov (D. Gagne).
- SWAINSON'S HAWK: 1 immature S of Green Cove Springs (*Clay*) 17-19 Oct (L. McCullagh); 1 juvenile at Gulf Breeze (*Santa Rosa*) 18 Oct (B. Duncan et al.); 10 light-morph juveniles at Fort Walton Beach STF 18 Nov, with 3 to 24 Nov (A. Harper, M. Rose et al.).
- RED-TAILED HAWK: 1 Krider's form at Lake Apopka NSRA 20 Nov (H. Robinson).
- GOLDEN EAGLE: 1 juvenile at Viera Wetlands 27 Nov (M. Hafner et al.).
- CRESTED CARACARA: 1 adult at "Dump Marsh," Homestead (*Miami-Dade*) 29 Oct (J. Rawls, R. Featherly).
- AMERICAN KESTREL: 1 female at Fort De Soto Park 15 Aug (D. & L. Margeson).
- MERLIN: 1 at Laurel Landfill (*Sarasota*) 22 Aug (J. Dubi).
- PEREGRINE FALCON: 1 at Harn's Marsh (*Lee*) 20 Sep (D. Simpson); 18 at Fort Zachary Taylor Historic SP, Key West 16 Oct (C. Goodrich).
- FALCONS: totals during the daily hawkwatch at Guana-Matanzas-Tolomato NERR 26 Sep-12 Oct were 11 American Kestrels, 21 Merlins, and 125 Peregrine Falcons (D. Reed et al.).
- BLACK RAIL: 3 heard calling at Tomoka SP 19 Sep (M. Wilson).
- SORA: 109 at Lake Apopka NSRA 18 Nov (H. Robinson).
- PURPLE GALLINULE: 1 pair and 5 chicks at Roosevelt Wetlands (*Pinellas*) 18 Aug-3 Nov (R. Smith); 1 pair with chicks at Sawgrass Lake Park to 6 Sep (R. Smith, E. Haney); 1 at Duval Pond (*Madison*) 23 Sep (J. Hintermister); 10 (3 adults and 7 juveniles) at Edward Medard Park (*Hillsborough*) 11 Oct (S. Backes).
- AMERICAN COOT: 1 at Lake Jackson (*Leon*) 13 Aug (G. Menk); adults with 1 chick at Viera Wetlands 21 Sep (D. Bales); 2730 at Lake Apopka NSRA 11 Nov (H. Robinson).

- LIMPKIN: 6 (2 adults and 4 juveniles) at Jacksonville 5 Aug (J. Hintermister); as many as 6 at Lake Henrietta (*Leon*) 17 Sep-21 Nov (R. Lengacher et al.); 19 at Lettuce Lake Park 25 Nov (B. Ahern).
- BLACK-BELLIED PLOVER: 19 at Lakewood Ranch (*Manatee*) 23 Aug (J. Dubi); 2 in alternate plumage at Bald Point 26 Aug (M. Forehand); 318 along the Amelia River 7 Sep (P. Leary); 200 at Crandon Park 24 Sep (R. Diaz); 200 at Fort De Soto Park 11 Oct (D. & L. Margeson); 100 at Caladesi Island 28 Oct (K. Tracey); 14 at Lake Apopka NSRA 11 Nov (H. Robinson).
- AMERICAN GOLDEN-PLOVER: 1 near Belle Glade 29-30 Aug (A. Bankert, M. Berney et al.); 2 juveniles near North Key (*Levy*) 1 Oct (D. & P. Leary, photo to FOC); 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA 8-11 Nov (H. Robinson).
- SNOWY PLOVER: 10 at Longboat Key (*Manatee*) 20 Oct (D. Irizarry); 10 at Caladesi Island 28 Oct (K. Tracey); 15 at Siesta Beach 31 Oct (R. Greenspun); 1 male at Nassau Sound (*Duval*) 11 Nov furnished the 10th consecutive year of reports at this site (P. Leary).
- WILSON'S PLOVER: 40 at Fort De Soto Park 2 Aug (D. & L. Margeson).
- SEMIPALMATED PLOVER: 200 at Fort De Soto Park 13 Aug (D. & L. Margeson); 1 at Tram Road STF 4 Sep (G. Menk); 3 at Hankins Sink Pond (*Madison*) 23 Sep (J. Hintermister); 114 at Ben T. Davis Beach, Tampa 10 Oct (K. Tracey).
- PIPING PLOVER: 3 at Fort De Soto Park 2 Aug (D. & L. Margeson); 1 at Merritt Island NWR 14 Aug (M. Harris); 28 at Talbot Islands SP (*Duval*) 20 Sep (L. Johannsen); 2 at McClamory Key (*Levy*) 1 Oct (D. & P. Leary).
- AMERICAN OYSTERCATCHER: 24 adults and 6 juveniles along the Amelia River 20 Sep (P. Leary); 180 at Horseshoe Beach (*Dixie*) 30 Sep (D. & P. Leary); 600 at N Cedar Key 1 Oct, and 522 at S Cedar Key 15 Nov (D. & P. Leary); 75 at Derrick Key (*Levy*) 1 Oct (D. & P. Leary); 255 at Little Pine Island (*Dixie*) 16 Nov (D. & P. Leary).
- AMERICAN AVOCET: 1 at Sand Dollar Island, Marco Island (*Collier*) 5 Aug (T. Below); 1 at Tram Road STF 14 Sep (M. Collins, G. Menk); 6 at Holiday 20 Aug (D. Gagne); 137 at Cedar Key 15 Nov (D. & P. Leary).
- SPOTTED SANDPIPER: 14 at Robinson Preserve 4 Sep (D. Irizarry).
- SOLITARY SANDPIPER: 3 at Gulf Harbors, New Port Richey 29 Aug (K. Tracey); 1 at Blue Cypress Lake Road (*Indian River*) 4 Nov (D. Simpson).
- WILLET: 1 *T. s. inornatus* near Belle Glade 5 Sep (A. Bankert et al.); 589 at Cape Romano (*Collier*) 1 Sep (T. & V. Below); 215 at Shell Key 4 Oct (R. Smith et al.); 226 at Little Pine Island 16 Nov (D. & P. Leary).
- UPLAND SANDPIPER: as many as 12 at King Ranch (*Palm Beach*) 2-23 Aug (M. Berney et al.); as many as 2 at Lake Apopka NSRA 9-15 Aug, and 1 there 2 Oct (H. Robinson); 1 at Gulf Breeze 22 Aug (B. Duncan); 13 near Belle Glade 29 Aug (R. Torres et al.); 6 along Gladesview Road (*Palm Beach*) 30 Aug (M. Berney); up to 2 at Viera Wetlands 2-8 Sep (M. Harris); 1 at Ave Maria (*Collier*) 7 Sep (A. Murray).
- WHIMBREL: 1 at Merritt Island NWR 30 Aug (T. Dunkerton); 20 at Cape Romano 1 Sep (T. & V. Below); 19 along the Amelia River 7 Sep (P. Leary); 25 at Cedar Key 2 Oct, and 24 there 14 Nov (D. & P. Leary); 8 at Honeymoon Island SP 31 Oct (R. Smith); 1 at Crandon Park, Key Biscayne (*Miami-Dade*) 9 Nov (R. Torres).
- LONG-BILLED CURLEW: 1 at Blind Pass (*Collier*) 3 Aug (T. Below, B. Anderson); 1 at Cape Romano 1 Sep (T. & V. Below); 1 at Fort Walton Beach STF 3 Sep (D. Ware); 1 at Huguenot Memorial Park (*Duval*) 12 Sep (K. Dailey); 1 at Sunshine Skyway (*Pinellas*) 19 Sep (S. Janes, A. Tenney); 1 at Horseshoe Beach 30 Sep (D. & P. Leary); 1 at Fort De Soto Park to 30 Oct (R. Smith et al.); 2 at Cedar Key 13 Nov (D. Johnston).
- MARBLED GODWIT: 93 at Fort De Soto Park 28 Aug (T. Bell); 97 at Cape Romano 1 Sep (T. & V. Below); 67 at Horseshoe Beach 30 Sep (D. & P. Leary); 88 at Cedar Key 6 Nov (J. Hintermister et al.); 1 at The Villages 15 Nov (J. Dinsmore).
- RUDDY TURNSTONE: 1 at Newnans Lake 23 Aug (B. Simons et al.); 26 near Belle Glade 5 Sep (A. Bankert et al.); 100 at Little Pine Island 30 Sep (D. & P. Leary).

- RED KNOT: 358 at Fort De Soto Park 23 Aug (R. Smith); 103 at Cape Romano 1 Sep (T. & V. Below); 690 at Shell Key 19 Sep (R. Smith); 15 at Horseshoe Beach 30 Sep (D. & P. Leary); 250 at Caladesi Island 28 Oct (K. Tracey); 360 at Siesta Key 11 Nov (V. Ponzio).
- SANDERLING: 1 along Brown's Farm Road 29 Aug (A. Bankert, D. Simpson); 120 at Ben T. Davis Beach 10 Oct (K. Tracey); 200 at Caladesi Island 28 Oct (K. Tracey).
- WESTERN SANDPIPER: 1400 at Cape Romano 1 Sep (T. & V. Below).
- LEAST SANDPIPER: 11,000 at *Polk* phosphate mines 9 Aug (P. Timmer).
- WHITE-RUMPED SANDPIPER: 1 along Brown's Farm Road 29 Aug (D. Simpson, A. Bankert); 1 west of Bunnell (*Flagler*) 31 Aug (M. Brothers); up to 3 at Merritt Island NWR 1-13 Sep (T. Dunkerton et al.); 4 at Fort Walton Beach STF 9 Nov (D. Ware).
- BAIRD'S SANDPIPER: 1 at Elkton (*St. Johns*) 3-8 Sep (M. Hafner); 1 juvenile along the Amelia River 7 Sep (P. Leary); 1 juvenile at Fort Pickens 12 Oct (B. Duncan); 1 at Crandon Park 22 Oct (R. Torres).
- PECTORAL SANDPIPER: 30 at Bradenton (*Manatee*) 14 Sep (D. Irizarry); as many as 4 at Paynes Prairie Preserve SP 25 Oct-5 Nov (C. Gordon, J. Killian et al.); 2 at Lake Apopka NSRA 22 Nov (H. Robinson).
- DUNLIN: 70 at Salt Lake WMA (*Brevard*) 13 Nov (D. Simpson, M. Harris); 2 at STA-5 (*Hendry*) 14 Nov (C. Ewell et al.); 1000 at Little Pine Island 16 Nov (D. & P. Leary).
- STILT SANDPIPER: 1 at Fort Walton Beach STF 24 Nov (B. Duncan).
- BUFF-BREASTED SANDPIPER: 1 at King Ranch 16 Aug (M. Berney); 2 at Lake Apopka NSRA 19 Aug (H. Robinson); 1 at Opal Beach 26 Aug, and 5 there 8 Sep (B. Duncan); 2 near Belle Glade 29 Aug (A. Bankert, D. Simpson); 1 at Fort Pickens, Gulf Islands NS 30 Aug-1 Sep (A. Harper et al.); 1 at Elkton 2 Sep (M. Hafner); 1 at Cocoa (*Brevard*) 3 Sep (M. Harris); 8 at sod fields NW of Avon Park (*Polk*) 21-26 Sep (D. Simpson, B. Pranty et al.).
- RUFF: 1 female at Navarre Beach (*Santa Rosa*) 12 Sep (B. Duncan et al.); 1 male at Virginia Key (*Miami-Dade*) 18-19 Sep (R. Diaz).
- SHORT-BILLED DOWITCHER: 2100 at Cape Romano 1 Sep (T. & V. Below); 844 along the Amelia River 7 Sep (P. Leary).
- WILSON'S SNIPE: 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA 12 Aug (H. Robinson); 1 at Merritt Island NWR 3 Sep (D. Bales).
- WILSON'S PHALAROPE: singles at Merritt Island NWR 14 Aug (M. Harris) and 12 Sep (M. Machovina); 5 at Lake Apopka NSRA 23 Aug (H. Robinson); 2 along Brown's Farm Road 29 Aug (J. Boyd et al.); 3 at Guana River WMA (*St. Johns*) 30 Aug (M. Hafner et al.); 1 at STA-5, 14 Nov (C. Ewell, photo to FOC).
- RED-NECKED PHALAROPE: 1 juvenile along Brown's Farm Road 5 Sep (A. Bankert et al.); 4 off Ponce de Leon Inlet 27 Sep (M. Brothers, B. Wallace et al.); 2 off Sarasota (*Sarasota*) 3 Oct (C. Faanes).
- SABINE'S GULL: 1 juvenile at Canaveral NS 19 Sep (M. Harris); 1 adult at Ponce de Leon Inlet 22 Oct (M. Brothers, photo to FOC); 1 juvenile at Virginia Key 5 Nov (R. Torres, details to FOC).
- LAUGHING GULL: 1 with a reddish bill and legs at Tampa Bay (*Hillsborough*) 2 Aug (R. Milburn, photo to FOC).
- FRANKLIN'S GULL: 1 first-winter at Ponce de Leon Inlet 22 Oct (M. Brothers); 2 at Fort Lauderdale Beach (*Broward*) 22-25 Oct (R. Titus); 1 at Cocoa 30 Oct (M. Harris); 1 at Alligator Point (*Franklin*) 31 Oct (J. Murphy); 1 at St. Augustine 31 Oct (M. Hafner); 1 first-winter at Daytona Beach Shores 24 Nov (M. Brothers); 1 first-winter at the *Santa Rosa* Landfill 20-27 Nov (B. & L. Duncan); 1 at Sebastian Inlet SP 21 Nov (A. Bankert et al.); 1 at Huguenot Memorial Park 26 Nov (L. Johannsen).
- LESSER BLACK-BACKED GULL: as many as 64 at Crandon Park 16 Sep-EOS (R. Diaz); the first of eight reports in *Pinellas* was of 1 adult at St. Petersburg Beach 19 Sep (M. White); 97 (88 adults) at St. Augustine Beach (*St. Johns*) 13 Oct (M. Hafner); 21 at Fort Lauderdale Beach 21 Oct (R. Titus).

- GREAT BLACK-BACKED GULL: 1 adult at Opal Beach 3 Sep (B. & L. Duncan); 1 immature at Sebastian Inlet SP 3 Sep (A. Bankert, D. Simpson); 14 at Crandon Park 24 Sep (R. Diaz); 1 first-winter at Bunche Beach (*Lee*) 12 Nov (C. Szydlo).
- BROWN NODDY: 1 off Miami (*Miami-Dade*) 24 Sep (R. Torres); 1 off Ponce de Leon Inlet 27 Sep (M. Brothers, B. Wallace); 7 at Canaveral NS 21 Oct (M. Harris).
- LARIDS: 10,000+ at Nassau Sound 12 Sep (P. Leary).
- SOOTY TERN: 1 at Fort Pickens, Gulf Islands NS 20 Sep later died (W. Duncan et al., specimen to Florida Museum of Natural History); 300 off Ponce de Leon Inlet 27 Sep, and 2 off there 15 Nov (M. Brothers, B. Wallace et al.).
- BRIDLED TERN: 15 off Ponce de Leon Inlet 27 Sep, and 3 off there 15 Nov (M. Brothers, B. Wallace et al.); 1 at Siesta Key 12 Nov (V. Ponzo).
- LEAST TERN: 367 at Gandy Causeway (*Pinellas*) 17 Aug (R. Smith).
- GULL-BILLED TERN: 3 at Robinson Preserve, Bradenton 13 Sep (D. Irizarry, photo to FOC); 1 at the Sarasota Celery Fields 13 Sep (V. Ponzo); 20 at Duda Farms 13 Sep (B. Hope).
- BLACK TERN: 65 at Fort De Soto Park 2 Aug (D. & L. Margeson); 5 at Lake Apopka NSRA 5 Aug (H. Robinson); 1 at Tram Road STF 7 Aug (G. Menk); 200 at Gandy Causeway 23 Sep (R. Smith); 233 at Honeymoon Island SP 25 Sep (D. Gagne, E. Kwater).
- ROSEATE TERN: 2 off Ponce de Leon Inlet 27 Sep (M. Brothers, B. Wallace et al.).
- COMMON TERN: 1000 at Nassau Sound 30 Aug (P. Leary); perhaps **25,000** or more at North Anclote Bar (*Pasco*) 8-12 Oct (K. Tracey, B. Pranty et al., photos and video to FOC); 3000 at Honeymoon Island SP 10 Oct (D. Gagne, B. Ahern et al.); 2 at Sebastian Inlet SP 28 Nov (A. Bankert et al.).
- FORSTER'S TERN: 670 at *Polk* phosphate mines 23 Aug (P. Timmer, L. Albright).
- ROYAL TERN: 350 at Fort De Soto Park 2 Aug (D. & L. Margeson); 2 at Lake Apopka NSRA 12 Aug (H. Robinson).
- SANDWICH TERN: 1000 at Fort De Soto Park 9 Aug (R. Smith); 2 at *Polk* phosphate mines 23 Aug (P. Timmer, L. Albright); 378 at Honeymoon Island SP 3 Sep (D. Gagne et al.); 40 at Horseshoe Beach 30 Sep (D. & P. Leary); 1 at Lake Alfred (*Polk*) 28 Nov (P. Timmer).
- BLACK SKIMMER: 220 at Duda Farms 13 Sep (B. Hope); 27 at Crandon Park 24 Sep (R. Diaz); 200 at McClamory Key 1 Oct (D. & P. Leary).
- POMARINE JAEGER: 1 adult light-morph on the beach at Ponce Inlet 22 Oct (M. Brothers); 34 off Miami 30 Oct (R. Torres et al.); 29 at Canaveral NS 6 Nov (D. Simpson, M. Harris); 60 at Boynton Beach Inlet 7 Nov (B. Hope).
- PARASITIC JAEGER: 8 at Fort Lauderdale Beach 22 Oct (R. Titus).
- LONG-TAILED JAEGER: 2 adults at Fort Lauderdale Beach 22 Oct (R. Titus, details to FOC); 1 light-morph sub-adult off Miami 30 Oct (R. Torres, T. Mitchell, photo to FOC).
- JAEGERS: 40 Pomarine, 12 Parasitic, and 16 unidentified at Playalinda Beach, Canaveral NS 8 Nov (M. Harris).
- WHITE-WINGED DOVE: 35 at Lake Apopka NSRA 12 Aug (H. Robinson); 2 at San Antonio (*Pasco*) 28 Aug (M. White); 30 at Bee Ridge Extension (*Sarasota*) 6 Sep (P. Newhart); 9 at Lakes Park (*Hillsborough*) 17 Oct (J. Guerard); 1 at Hickory Mound Impoundment (*Taylor*) 27 Oct (J. Hintermister, H. Adams); 1 at Cedar Key 6 Nov (J. Hintermister et al.); 1 at St. Marks NWR 13 Nov (J. Hintermister et al.).
- ROSY-FACED LOVEBIRD: 1 at Bill Sadowski Park, Miami 9 Sep (R. Torres).
- COCKATIEL: 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA 21 Aug (H. Robinson); 1 at Lauderdale Memorial Park (*Broward*) 22 Nov (R. Titus).
- BLACK-HOODED PARAKEET: 9 at Lakes Park 19 Sep (J. Guerard); 15 at Oakland Park (*Broward*) 19 Oct (R. Titus).
- SUN PARAKEET: as many as 6 N of Hudson to 22 Sep (B. Pranty et al.), then 6 over Werner-Boyce Salt Springs SP 21 Oct (K. Tracey).
- MITRED PARAKEET: 18 at Evergreen Cemetery (*Broward*) 16 Sep (R. Titus).

- RED-MASKED PARAKEET: 12 at Fort Lauderdale 29 Nov (R. Titus).
- DUSKY-HEADED PARAKEET: 2 at Fort Lauderdale 13 Sep (R. Titus) furnished the first Florida report away from Miami Springs.
- BLUE-AND-YELLOW MACAW: 6 at the Miller Drive parrot roost (*Miami-Dade*) 24 Oct (J. Slack).
- WHITE-WINGED PARAKEET: 5 at Plantation Linear Preserve (*Broward*) 10 Nov (R. Titus).
- YELLOW-CHEVRONED PARAKEET: 4 at Plantation Linear Preserve 10 Nov (R. Titus).
- TURQUOISE-FRONTED PARROT: 1 at Tropical Park, Westchester 24 Oct (J. Slack).
- YELLOW-HEADED PARROT: 1 at Tropical Park 24 Oct (J. Slack).
- YELLOW-CROWNED PARROT: 2 at Fort Lauderdale 19 Sep (R. Titus).
- YELLOW-BILLED CUCKOO: 1 at St. Marks NWR 2 Nov (J. Hintermister, L. Davis); 1 at Blue Cypress Lake Road 4 Nov (D. Simpson).
- MANGROVE CUCKOO: 1 at North Lido Park (*Sarasota*) 17 Oct (R. Greenspun et al.).
- BLACK-BILLED CUCKOO: singles at Paynes Prairie Preserve SP 2 Oct (N. Shuler) and 18 Oct (P. Polshak); 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA 2 Oct (H. Robinson); 1 at Gainesville 10 Oct (D. & S. Hartman).
- GROOVE-BILLED ANI: 1 at Fort Pickens 30 Sep-10 Oct (B. & L. Duncan et al.).
- BARN OWL: as many as 2 at Fort Pickens 19 Oct-4 Nov (B. & L. Duncan).
- SHORT-EARED OWL: 1 at Viera Wetlands 24 Oct (P. Mansfield); 2 at Frog Pond WMA (*Miami-Dade*) 28 Nov-EOS (L. Manfredi).
- LESSER NIGHTHAWK: 1 at Eco Pond, Everglades NP (*Monroe*) 31 Oct-2 Nov (B. Roberts); 1 at Oldsmar (*Pinellas*) 20 Nov was released three days later (*vide* R. Smith, photos to FOC by B. Walker).
- COMMON NIGHTHAWK: 3 at Lake Apopka NSRA 4 Nov (H. Robinson).
- NIGHTHAWK SPECIES: 2 at Cedar Key 1 Nov (C. Walters).
- CHIMNEY SWIFT: 1 S of Brooksville (*Hernando*) 22 Oct (C. Black).
- CHAETURA SPECIES: 1 at Paynes Prairie Preserve SP 17 Nov (J. Hintermister).
- BUFF-BELLIED HUMMINGBIRD: 1 at Lutz (*Hillsborough*) 3-7 Oct (J. Hartzler et al., photos to FOC by S. Backes).
- BLACK-CHINNED HUMMINGBIRD: 1 female at Lake Apopka NSRA 18 Nov (H. Robinson).
- RUFOUS HUMMINGBIRD: 1 adult female at Honeymoon Island SP 10-13 Aug (E. Kwarter et al.); 1 juvenile at Temple Terrace (*Hillsborough*) 17 Sep (B. Ahern); 1 at Valrico (*Hillsborough*) 27 Sep-5 Oct (S. Backes); 1 at Genius Preserve, Winter Park (*Orange*) 17 Oct (B. H. Anderson et al.); 1 adult male at Homestead 8 Nov (R. Hammer, photo to FOC).
- BLUE-BELLIED ROLLER (*Coracias cyanogaster*):** 1 with broken rectrices and a blue band on its right leg at Sanibel Island (*Lee*) 2-4 Aug (C. Fisher, photos to FOC) furnished the first Florida record of this African species.
- BELTED KINGFISHER: 45 at Lake Apopka NSRA 1 Nov (H. Robinson).
- RED-HEADED WOODPECKER: 1 juvenile at Lake Apopka NSRA 17 Aug (H. Robinson).
- YELLOW-BELLIED SAPSUCKER: 1 juvenile banded at Tomoka SP 17 Aug (M. Wilson); 1 in *Walton* 19 Sep (J. Wyatt).
- HAIRY WOODPECKER: 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA 14 Nov (H. Robinson).
- OLIVE-SIDED FLYCATCHER: 1 at Melbourne (*Brevard*) 10 Sep (A. Bankert); 1 at Bald Point SP 17-18 Sep (J. Murphy et al., photo to FOC); 1 at Fort Pickens 23 Sep (B. & L. Duncan).
- EASTERN WOOD-PEWEE: 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA 1 Nov (H. Robinson).
- YELLOW-BELLIED FLYCATCHER: 1 juvenile at Fort Pickens 21 Aug (B. & L. Duncan); 1 heard calling at Richardson Park, Wilton Manors 2 Oct (R. Titus); 1 heard calling at Matheson Hammock Park (*Miami-Dade*) 8-16 Oct (R. Torres, photos to FOC by L. Manfredi).
- *ALDER FLYCATCHER: 2 heard calling at Frog Pond WMA 22-29 Aug (L. Manfredi, M. Berny); as many as 3 heard calling at Southern Glades WEA (*Miami-Dade*) 22 Aug-13

- Sep (L. Manfredi, M. Berney et al., photo to FOC by D. Bales); 1 heard calling at Bill Baggs Cape Florida SP (*Miami-Dade*) 29 Sep (R. Diaz).
- *WILLOW FLYCATCHER: 1 heard calling at "Dump Marsh" 31 Aug (R. Torres); 1 heard calling at Bill Baggs Cape Florida SP 30 Sep was banded (R. Diaz).
- LEAST FLYCATCHER: 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA 30 Aug, and 8 there 15 Nov (H. Robinson); singles at Genius Preserve, Winter Park 13 Sep and 25 Oct (B. H. Anderson); 1 at Tallahassee 4 Oct (R. Lengacher); 1 at Leesburg (*Lake*) 20 Oct (L. Streeper, photo to FOC); 1 at Honeymoon Island SP 8 Oct (G. Deterra, photo to FOC).
- EASTERN PHOEBE: 264 at Lake Apopka NSRA 28 Oct (H. Robinson).
- *SAY'S PHOEBE: 1 at Astatula (*Lake*) 29 Oct-EOS for the third winter (L. Streeper).
- VERMILION FLYCATCHER: 1 adult male at Fort Walton Beach STF 1 Oct-24 Nov (D. Ware, B. Duncan et al.).
- ASH-THROATED FLYCATCHER: 1 at Gulf Breeze 29 Oct (B. & L. Duncan); 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA 30 Oct-EOS (H. Robinson); 1 at Fort Pickens 1 Nov (B. Duncan, P. Baker); 1 at Bald Point SP 29 Nov (J. Murphy).
- BROWN-CRESTED FLYCATCHER: up to 3 at West Delray Beach (*Palm Beach*) 29 Nov-EOS (B. Hope).
- *"TROPICAL-TYPE" KINGBIRD: 1 at "Dump Marsh" 25 Oct (R. Torres).
- *CASSIN'S KINGBIRD: 2 at STA-5, 17 Oct-EOS (M. England et al., photos to FOC by C. Ewell).
- WESTERN KINGBIRD: numerous reports this season in the W Panhandle (*vide* B. Duncan); as many as 21 at The Villages 29 Oct-EOS (J. Dinsmore); as many as 4 E of Arcadia (*DeSoto*) 24 Nov (D. Goodwin, E. Haney); 21 at Lake Apopka NSRA 30 Nov (M. Brothers).
- EASTERN KINGBIRD: 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA 2 Aug (H. Robinson); 25 over Archbold Biological Station, Venus (*Highlands*) 15 Aug (B. Pranty, FOSRC); 35 at Fort De Soto Park 29 Aug (L. Atherton); 24 over Altamonte Springs (*Seminole*) 31 Aug (P. Hueber).
- GRAY KINGBIRD: 30 at Cedar Key 20 Aug (J. Hintermister et al.); 29 at Honeymoon Island SP 21 Aug (D. Gagne); 1 E of the town of Lake Placid (*Highlands*) 11 Oct (L. & P. Gray, photos to FOC).
- SCISSOR-TAILED FLYCATCHER: 1 at Weekiwachee Preserve (*Hernando*) 16 Oct (A. & B. Hansen); 1 at Paynes Prairie Preserve SP 18 Oct (A. Kratter); 2 at Bill Baggs Cape Florida SP 19 Oct (R. Diaz); 1 at Tierra Verde (*Pinellas*) 23 Oct (D. Freeland); 9 at Fort Zachary Taylor Historic SP, Key West 25-28 Oct (C. Goodrich); 1 at Minneola (*Lake*) 27 Oct (J. Stefancic); as many as 2 at Cedar Key 28 Oct-8 Nov (C. Walters et al.); 1 at Fort De Soto Park 14 Nov (D. & L. Margeson); 2 at St. George Island (*Franklin*) 21 Nov (J. Murphy); 1 NE of Brooksville 24-28 Nov (K. Wood); 6 along CR-835 (*Hendry*) 28 Nov (L. Felker); 7 at Homestead 28 Nov (L. Manfredi); 1 at St. Marks NWR 30 Nov (R. Christen).
- BELL'S VIREO: 1 or singles at Fort Pickens 24 Aug and 6 Oct (B. & L. Duncan); 2 at Southern Glades WEA (*Miami-Dade*) 29 Sep (L. Manfredi); 1 at Honeymoon Island SP 1-7 Oct (G. Deterra, photos to FOC) furnished the first *Pinellas* record; 1 at West Miramar Environmentally Sensitive Lands site (*Broward*) 23 Oct (K. Schneider, photos to FOC); 1 at Woodmont Natural Area (*Broward*) 26 Oct (J. Hutchison, R. Titus).
- YELLOW-THROATED VIREO: 1 at Lori Wilson Park (*Brevard*) 23 Nov (P. Mansfield et al.).
- BLUE-HEADED VIREO: 1 at Boyd Hill Nature Preserve 30 Sep (R. Smith).
- WARBLING VIREO: 1 at A. D. Barnes Park (*Miami-Dade*) 3-4 Oct (R. Torres et al., details to FOC).
- PHILADELPHIA VIREO: 16 reports statewide 28 Sep-25 Oct, all of singles except duos at Merritt Island NWR 5 Oct (M. Harris) and A. D. Barnes Park 10 Oct (R. Torres).
- BLACK-WHISKERED VIREO: 1 at Indigenous Park, Key West 14 Oct (C. Goodrich).
- FLORIDA SCRUB-JAY: 1 at Weekiwachee Preserve 26 Nov-EOS (J. McKay).
- AMERICAN CROW: 1 along Government Road (*Broward*) 28 Sep (D. Simpson).
- HOUSE CROW: 6 (2 adults and 4 juveniles) at Palmetto (*Manatee*) 27-30 Aug (R. Morris et al., photos to FOC by B. Pranty).

- TREE SWALLOW: 1 at Holiday 20 Aug (D. Gagne).
- NORTHERN ROUGH-WINGED SWALLOW: 61 at Holiday 8 Aug (D. Gagne); 1 at Palm Coast (*Flagler*) 12 Nov (J. Hintermister).
- BANK SWALLOW: 12 at Lake Apopka NSRA 4 Sep, and 1 there 27 Nov (H. Robinson); 15 along Government Road 28 Sep (D. Simpson).
- CLIFF SWALLOW: 3 at Honeymoon Island SP 3 Aug (D. Gagne); large numbers headed E past Opal Beach 4 Aug (B. Duncan); 70 in *St. Johns* 22 Aug (M. Hafner); 7 at Lake Apopka NSRA 25 Sep (H. Robinson); 2 at Tram Road STF 26 Sep (G. Menk); 20 along Government Road 28 Sep (D. Simpson).
- CAVE SWALLOW: 1 at Bald Point 31 Aug (M. Forehand); singles of the Mexican race at Lake Apopka NSRA 4 and 19 Oct, and 2 there 6 Nov (H. Robinson); as many as 25 of the Mexican race at Fort Zachary Taylor Historic SP 18-20 Oct (C. Goodrich); 2 at Frog Pond WMA 31 Oct (B. Roberts); 1 at Eco Pond 1 Nov (B. Roberts); 1 or singles at Fort Pickens 2 Nov (A. Harper) and 4 Nov (L. Duncan).
- BARN SWALLOW: 780 at Lake Apopka NSRA 9 Sep, and 2 there 27 Nov (H. Robinson).
- BROWN-HEADED NUTHATCH: 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA 4 Oct (H. Robinson).
- CAROLINA WREN: 1 possibly erythristic adult at Bayonet Point 25 Aug (M. Flanagan, photo to FOC).
- HOUSE WREN: 346 at Lake Apopka NSRA 25 Oct (H. Robinson).
- WINTER WREN: 1 at Gainesville 18 Oct (A. Kratter); 1 at Tallahassee 28 Oct (G. Menk); 1 at Apalachicola River WEA (*Franklin*) 8 Nov (J. Murphy).
- GOLDEN-CROWNED KINGLET: 6 at St. George Island 2 Nov (J. Murphy); 1 at Prairie Creek Preserve (*Alachua*) 4 Nov (J. Hintermister).
- RUBY-CROWNED KINGLET: 1 at Bald Point 27 Sep (J. Murphy); 1 at Lettuce Lake Park 29 Sep (B. Ahern).
- VEERY: 86 heard over Holiday 23 Sep (D. Gagne).
- GRAY-CHEEKED THRUSH: 225 heard over Holiday during 0330-0645 hours 29 Sep (D. Gagne).
- SWAINSON'S THRUSH: 225 heard over Holiday during 0330-0645 hours 29 Sep (D. Gagne); 30 at Merritt Island 5 Oct (M. Harris).
- WOOD THRUSH: 1 at St. Petersburg 22 Sep (D. Margeson); 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA 30 Sep (H. Robinson); 1 at Altamonte Springs 8 Oct (G. Bretz); 1 at A. D. Barnes Park 10 Oct (R. Torres et al.); 2 at John Chesnut Park (*Pinellas*) 17 Oct (B. Ahern et al.); 3 at Pelican Island NWR 17 Oct (A. Bankert).
- AMERICAN ROBIN: 1 juvenile at Fort Pickens 10 Aug (P. James); 1 at Melbourne 30 Sep (D. Freeland); three flocks totaling 400 birds at Clewiston (*Hendry*) 7 Oct (L. & P. Gray); 2 over Holiday 11 Nov (D. Gagne).
- GRAY CATBIRD: 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA 12 Aug, and 118 there 29 Nov (H. Robinson).
- BLUE-WINGED WARBLER: 14 reports statewide 30 Aug-10 Oct, all of singles except duos at Violet Curry Preserve (*Hillsborough*) 23 Sep (J. Guerard) and Fred Howard Park, Tarpon Springs (*Pinellas*) 24 Sep (G. Deterra).
- GOLDEN-WINGED WARBLER: 15 reports statewide 27 Sep-17 Oct, all of singles; none in *Alachua* for the first fall in 20 or more years (*vide* R. Rowan).
- BLUE-WINGED × GOLDEN-WINGED WARBLER: 1 yellow variant at Paynes Prairie Preserve SP 19 Sep (A. Kratter); 1 Lawrence's form at Worthington Springs (*Union*) 29 Sep (J. Hintermister).
- TENNESSEE WARBLER: 12 at Lake Apopka NSRA 30 Sep (H. Robinson); 100s at Captiva Island (*Lee*) 30 Sep (V. McGrath); 75 at Bill Baggs Cape Florida SP arrived ~1130-1230 hours 30 Sep (R. Diaz).
- NASHVILLE WARBLER: 1 at A. D. Barnes Park 10 Oct (R. Torres et al.); 2 at Evergreen Cemetery (*Broward*) 3 Oct (M. Berney); 1 at Merritt Island NWR 14 Oct (M. Harris); 1 at Indigenous Park, Key West 2 & 4 Nov (C. Goodrich).
- YELLOW WARBLER: 192 at Lake Apopka NSRA 12 Aug (H. Robinson).

- CHESTNUT-SIDED WARBLER: 1 at West Kendall (*Miami-Dade*) 12 Sep (J. Boyd); 1 at Southern Glades WEA 13 Sep (J. Boyd); 4 at Green Key 24 Sep (K. Tracey); 20 at Captiva Island 30 Sep (V. McGrath).
- MAGNOLIA WARBLER: 40 at Paynes Prairie Preserve SP 18 Oct (M. Meisenburg, P. Orr).
- CAPE MAY WARBLER: 12 at Captiva Island 30 Sep (V. McGrath); 1 at Naval Live Oaks, Gulf Islands NS (*Santa Rosa*) 30 Oct (P. James); 2 at Melbourne Beach (*Brevard*) 31 Oct-1 Nov (A. Bankert).
- BLACK-THROATED BLUE WARBLER: 70 at Bill Baggs Cape Florida SP arrived ~1130-1230 hours 30 Sep (R. Diaz); 2 at Melbourne Beach 1 Nov (A. Bankert).
- YELLOW-RUMPED WARBLER: 241 southbound over Holiday in the AM, and 478 northbound in the PM 11 Nov (D. Gagne); 1 "Audubon's" banded at Tomoka SP 13 Nov (M. Wilson, photo to FOC).
- BLACK-THROATED GRAY WARBLER: 1 at Columbia City (*Columbia*) 12 Oct (J. Krumrich).
- PRAIRIE WARBLER: 22 at Lake Apopka NSRA 28 Aug (H. Robinson); 1 fed a Prothonotary Warbler (!) at Green Key 10 Sep (K. Tracey, photos to FOC).
- PALM WARBLER: 285 at Lake Apopka NSRA 17 Oct (H. Robinson).
- BLACKPOLL WARBLER: 1 at West Kendall 3 Oct (J. Boyd); 1 immature at Evergreen Cemetery 11 Nov (J. Hutchison, R. Titus).
- CERULEAN WARBLER: 21 reports 18 Aug-1 Oct, all of singles in the peninsula.
- AMERICAN REDSTART: 1 at Newnans Lake 11 Nov (J. Hintermister).
- SWAINSON'S WARBLER: 1 at San Felasco Hammock Preserve SP 8 Aug (M. Manetz); 2 along Bear Lake Trail, Everglades NP (*Monroe*) 27 Sep (B. Roberts).
- OVENBIRD: 22 at Lake Apopka NSRA 16 Sep (H. Robinson).
- NORTHERN WATERTHRUSH: 36 at Lake Apopka NSRA 16 Sep (H. Robinson); 3 at Paynes Prairie Preserve SP 1 Nov (M. Manetz); 1 at Hague (*Alachua*) 25 Nov (C. Fredricks).
- LOUISIANA WATERTHRUSH: 1 S of Lake Talquin (*Liberty*) 13 Aug (D. Simpson); 1 at Dead Lakes, Wewahitchka (*Gulf*) 14 Aug (D. Simpson); 1 at Parrish Lake (*Calhoun*) 14 Aug (D. Simpson); 74 at Lake Apopka NSRA 30 Aug (H. Robinson).
- KENTUCKY WARBLER: 1 male in song at Lake Apopka NSRA 26 Aug (H. Robinson); 1 at Osceola National Forest (*Baker*) 19 Sep (B. Richter); 1 at San Felasco Hammock Preserve SP 18 Oct (T. Hocht).
- COMMON YELLOWTHROAT: 1 caught in an *Argiope* web at Sebastian Inlet SP (*Brevard*) 6 Sep escaped on its own (B. Wagner); 118 at Lake Apopka NSRA 25 Sep and 14 Oct (H. Robinson).
- WILSON'S WARBLER: 1 at Pensacola (*Escambia*) 24 Aug (M. & R. Rose); 1 at St. Petersburg 14 Sep (B. Senske); 1 near Sebastian Inlet SP 2 Oct (R. Mojica); 1 at Lake Helen (*Volusia*) 5 Oct (L. Lambertson, M. Brothers); 1 at Matheson Hammock Park 8 Oct (R. Torres); 1 at Fort De Soto Park 17 Oct (D. Irizarry).
- CANADA WARBLER: 2 at Bonner Park, Largo (*Pinellas*) 29 Aug (K. Nelson); singles at St. Petersburg 26 Sep (E. Haney) and 30 Sep (C. Evans); 1 at Lori Wilson Park (*Brevard*) 28 Sep (P. Mansfield); 1 at Hugh Taylor Birch SP (*Broward*) 28 Sep (J. Pesold); 1 at Paynes Prairie Preserve SP 10 Oct (J. Martin); 1 at Cedar Key 12 Oct (D. Henderson); 1 at St. George Island SP 1 Nov (J. Murphy, J. Cavanagh).
- YELLOW-BREASTED CHAT: 1 at Southern Glades WEA 13 Sep (J. Boyd); 1 at Sarasota 11 Oct (J. Dubi).
- WESTERN SPINDALIS: the breeding pair (*S. z. zena* male) at Long Pine Key, Everglades NP (*Miami-Dade*) fledged three nestlings by 1 Sep (L. Manfredi, J. Boyd et al., photos to FOC), which furnished the first breeding record for North America. Additionally, the second adult female with the pair brought the number of spindalis at the site to 6; birds were observed to 22 Sep (H. Trudell, M. York, P. Auffhammer et al.).
- *GREEN-TAILED TOWHEE: 1 adult at Fort Pickens, Gulf Islands NS 1 Nov-EOS (B. & L. Duncan et al., photo to FOSRC by T. Seigwald).

- CHIPPING SPARROW: 1 at J.W. Corbett WMA 23 Oct (D. Simpson); 1 at Mahogany Hammock, Everglades NP (*Miami-Dade*) 7 Nov (J. Boyd).
- CLAY-COLORED SPARROW: 1 juvenile at Lake Apopka NSRA 25 Sep (H. Robinson); 1 at Bald Point 27 Sep (J. Murphy); 1 at Henderson Beach (*Okaloosa*) 1 Oct (D. Chaffin); 2 at Paynes Prairie Preserve SP 6 Oct (C. Gordon et al.); 1 at Honeymoon Island SP 9 Oct (D. Gagne); 1 at Delray Beach 10 Oct (B. Hope); 1 at N Jacksonville 17 Oct (D. Reed); 1 at Pelican Island NWR 17 Oct (A. Bankert); 1 at Eco Pond 31 Oct (B. Roberts); 1 at Paynes Prairie Preserve SP 1 Nov (M. Manetz); 1 at Sebastian Inlet SP 5 Nov (D. Simpson); 1 at Summer Haven (*St. Johns*) 21 Nov (M. Hafner).
- VESPER SPARROW: 1 at Mahogany Hammock, Everglades NP 26 Sep (B. Roberts).
- LARK SPARROW: 1 at Fort Walton Beach STF 31 Aug (L. Goodman); 1 at Bald Point 31 Aug (M. Forehand); 1 at Homestead (*Miami-Dade*) 5 Sep (R. Torres); 1 at "Dump Marsh," Homestead 5 Sep (R. Torres); 1 at Fort Pickens 27 Sep-2 Nov (P. James et al.); 1 at Indigenous Park, Key West 26-28 Oct (C. Goodrich).
- *LARK BUNTING: 1 molting adult male at Alligator Point 29 Aug (J. Murphy, photo to FOC).
- SAVANNAH SPARROW: 2 at Lake Apopka NSRA 25 Sep (H. Robinson).
- LE CONTE'S SPARROW: 1 at Merritt Island NWR 29 Nov (M. Harris); 1 at Tate's Hell SF (*Franklin*) 30 Nov (J. Murphy).
- NELSON'S SPARROW: 10 at Weekiwachee Preserve, Hudson 4 Nov (K. Tracey).
- SALTMARSH SPARROW: 1 at Merritt Island NWR (*Volusia*) 8 Oct (D. Bales); 1 at Port Orange (*Volusia*) 9 Oct (*vide* M. Brothers).
- SEASIDE SPARROW: 1 at Merritt Island NWR 1 Nov (D. Bales).
- SONG SPARROW: 1 at Melbourne 30 Sep (D. Freeland).
- LINCOLN'S SPARROW: 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA 15 Nov (H. Robinson); 1 at Merritt Island NWR 24 Nov (M. Harris); 2 at Frog Pond WMA 29 Nov (R. Torres).
- SWAMP SPARROW: 277 at Lake Apopka NSRA 29 Nov (H. Robinson).
- WHITE-CROWNED SPARROW: 1 at Boca Grande Key 29 Oct (G. Zimmerman); 12 at Lake Apopka NSRA 25 Nov (H. Robinson).
- DARK-EYED JUNCO: 2 at Tallahassee 29 Nov (R. Lengacher).
- SUMMER TANAGER: 15 at Merritt Island 5 Oct (M. Harris); 1 in female plumage at J. B. Starkey Wilderness Park (*Pasco*) 25 Nov (D. Gagne); 1 at Paynes Prairie Preserve SP 26 Nov (C. Gordon).
- SCARLET TANAGER: 10 at Merritt Island 5 Oct (M. Harris).
- WESTERN TANAGER: 1 at Gainesville 4 Oct (A. Kratter).
- ROSE-BREASTED GROSBEAK: 1 immature male at Spring Hill (*Hernando*) 14-19 Nov (A. & B. Hansen).
- BLUE GROSBEAK: 20 at Lake Apopka NSRA 9 Aug (H. Robinson); 1 at Tallahassee 2 Nov (G. Menk); 1 at Pelican Island NWR 7 Nov (A. Bankert); 1 at Paynes Prairie Preserve SP 20 Nov (J. Hintermister).
- *LAZULI BUNTING: 1 male at Oviedo (*Seminole*) 12 Nov-EOS for the second winter (*vide* M. Acken).
- INDIGO BUNTING: 100 at Merritt Island 5 Oct (M. Harris); 55 at Lake Apopka NSRA 17 Oct (H. Robinson).
- PAINTED BUNTING: 1 adult male at San Antonio 18 Aug (R. Dykeman); 2 at Cedar Key 12 Oct-EOS, and another nearby 7 Nov (D. Henderson, B. & S. Brown).
- DICKCISSEL: 1 female at Coastal Prairie Trail, Everglades NP (*Monroe*) 18 Nov (R. Torres).
- BOBOLINK: 1 over Holiday 24 Aug (D. Gagne); 1 at Paynes Prairie Preserve SP 1 Nov (G. Zimmerman, A. Kent).
- EASTERN MEADOWLARK: 7 at Weekiwachee Preserve 17 Nov (A. & B. Hansen).
- *WESTERN MEADOWLARK: 1 at Gulf Breeze 14 Nov (B. Duncan, details to FOSRC).

- YELLOW-HEADED BLACKBIRD: 1 immature male at St. Petersburg 2-6 Oct (D. & L. Marge-son); 1 at Honeymoon Island SP 7 Oct (R. Smith et al.); 1 adult male at Lake Apopka NSRA 22 Nov-EOS (H. Robinson).
- RUSTY BLACKBIRD: 2 at Alligator Lake 4 Nov (P. Burns).
- COMMON GRACKLE: 1 partially leucistic at Trinity (*Pasco*) 10 Sep (K. Tracey, photo to FOC).
- BOAT-TAILED GRACKLE: 3 at Jetty Park, Port St. Joe (*Gulf*) 14 Aug (D. Simpson); 1 at Mexico Beach (*Gulf*) 14 Aug (D. Simpson); 2 females at Fort Pickens 6 Oct-4 Nov (B. Duncan); 20 yellow-eyed males at Floridatown (*Santa Rosa*) 20 Nov (B. Duncan).
- SHINY COWBIRD: 1 male at Pensacola 8 Aug (A. & D. Forster); 14 at Homestead 18 Aug (L. Manfredi); 1 male at Lake Apopka NSRA 21 Aug (H. Robinson); 1 male at Hague 31 Oct (B. Simons, J. Martin) 1 male at Ben T. Davis Park 3 Nov (K. Tracey, M. Gardler).
- BRONZED COWBIRD: 1 male at Leesburg 15-23 Sep, and 1 female there 25 Sep (L. Streeper, photos to FOC); 1 at Hague 18 Oct-6 Nov (R. Rowan et al.); 3 at Horse-shoe Beach 18 Oct (J. Hintermister, B. Wallace); 1 female and 2 males at Ben T. Davis Park 3 Nov (K. Tracey, M. Gardler); as many as 14 at Clewiston 5 Nov-EOS (E. Kwa-ter, photo to FOC by B. Pranty); 3 at Homestead 28 Nov (L. Manfredi).
- ORCHARD ORIOLE: 2 at Bald Point 24 Aug (M. Forehand); 1 female at Holeyland WMA (*Palm Beach*) 29 Aug (J. Boyd).
- BALTIMORE ORIOLE: 1 male at Pensacola to 21 Nov (B. Tetlow).
- HOUSE FINCH: 1 male at Lake Apopka NSRA 30 Aug (H. Robinson); 2 at South Lido Key Nature Park 21 Sep (D. Simpson); 2 at Bill Baggs Cape Florida SP 19 Oct (R. Diaz); 1 nest under construction at Cedar Key 14 Nov (D. Johnston).
- PINE SISKIN: 1 at Seminole (*Pinellas*) 28 Nov (A. Boyle).
- YELLOW-FRONTED CANARY (*Serinus mozambicus*):** 1 at Milton (*Santa Rosa*) 5-20 Aug (H. Moore, photos to FOC) furnished the first Florida record.
- PIN-TAILED WHYDAH: 6 reports in E Pensacola to 1 Sep (*vide* B. Duncan) included 1 male in alternate plumage 6 Aug (M. Luebeke) and 2 males in alternate plumage and 1 fe-male 1 Sep (W. Tallyn); 1 male in alternate plumage at Milton (*Santa Rosa*) [no date] had been present ca. one year (P. Baker).
- ORANGE BISHOP: 1 male in alternate plumage at Lower Suwannee NWR (*Levy*) 22 Sep (R. Black et al., details to FOC); 1 male in alternate plumage at Cedar Key 2 Sep-18 Oct (B. & S. Brown, photo to FOC).
- YELLOW-CROWNED BISHOP: as many as 2 males in alternate plumage at John Chesnut Park, Tarpon Springs 12-31 Aug (B. Dattisman, G. Deterra, photos to FOC); 1 male in alternate plumage at Cedar Key 2 Sep (D. Henderson).
- BISHOP SPECIES: 1 in female plumage at Cedar Key 18-23 Nov (D. Henderson).
- RED-CHEEKED CORDONBLEU: 1 at Largo 29 Aug (M. McGlamery, photo to FOC).
- NUTMEG MANNIKIN: 1 at Delray Beach (*Palm Beach*) 8 Sep ("Bill" to Miami Bird Board).

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