

FIELD OBSERVATIONS

Winter Report: December 2011-February 2012.—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; <<http://www.fosbirds.org/official-florida-state-bird-list>>) 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, CWA = Critical Wildlife Area, EOS = end of season, ff = “and following”, NERR = National Estuarine Research Reserve, NP = National Park, 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. BPA catalog numbers are provided for all photographs or video- or audio-recordings archived by the Field Observations Committee.

SUMMARY OF THE WINTER SEASON

It was a mild winter due to a jet stream that remained southerly for most of the season. According to Bob and Lucy Duncan, it was a “spectacular” season for vagrants in the western Panhandle; rarities seemed average over the peninsula. Aside from the now-expected smattering of rare gulls, hummingbirds, and tyrannids, the most surprising rarities were the apparently breeding Neotropic Cormorants at Wakodahatchee Wetlands, **five** Green-tailed Towhees statewide, and the first winter records obtained for Wilson’s Phalarope and Scarlet Tanager. No new exotics were reported, but 11 Pin-tailed Whydahs at a single feeder at Pensacola were an eye-opener. Few Christmas Bird Count reports are included here. Finally, we announce the retirement of Peggy Powell from the FOS Field Observations Committee after 23 years of service; Peggy was one of the five original members of the FOC when it produced its inaugural report during winter 1989-1990. We congratulate Peggy for her long devotion to FOS and to the FOC, and we welcome Kevin Dailey as the new compiler for the northeastern region.

SPECIES ACCOUNTS

FULVOUS WHISTLING-DUCK: 500 at T. M. Goodwin Waterfowl Management Area (*Brevard*) 8 Dec (P. Mansfield); 2 at Lake Apopka NSRA (*Orange*) 29 Feb (H. Robinson).

WHITE-FACED WHISTLING-DUCK: 1 again seen at STA-5 (*Hendry*) 14 Jan (M. England et al.).

GREATER WHITE-FRONTED GOOSE: 5 at Myakka River SP (*Sarasota*) to 2 Dec (E. & L. Smith, BPA 3331a-b); 7 at Orange Lake (*Alachua*) 30 Jan-EOS (C. Burney, J. Hintermister et al.).

- SNOW GOOSE: 1 adult white morph south of San Antonio (*Pasco*) 26-27 Dec (D. Goodwin, E. Haney et al.) presumably moved a few km west by 7 Jan (R. Bynum); 1 adult white morph in *Hendry* 31 Dec (P. Miller); 3 at Orange Lake 16 Jan (J. Bryan); 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA to 22 Feb (H. Robinson).
- BRANT: 3 over Little Big Econ SF (*Seminole*) 29 Dec (L. Malo).
- CANADA GOOSE: 2 at Orange Lake 3 Feb (C. Burney); 6 at Possum Branch Preserve, Safety Harbor (*Pinellas*) 3 Feb (J. Wells).
- MUTE SWAN: 1 immature at "Viera Wetlands" (*Brevard*) 12 Feb (J. Armstrong).
- EGYPTIAN GOOSE: 2 near Auburndale (*Polk*) 7 Jan (T. Palmer).
- GADWALL: 46 at Circle B Bar Reserve (*Polk*) 14 Jan (B. Ahern, E. Haney et al.); 66 at *Polk* phosphate mines 20 Jan (P. Timmer, G. Lykins); 56 at Tallahassee (*Leon*) 27 Jan (J. Cavanagh); as many as **812** (16 Dec) wintered at Lake Apopka NSRA (H. Robinson).
- EURASIAN WIGEON: 1 male at STA-1E (*Palm Beach*) 4 Feb (C. Weber et al.); as many as 7 males wintered at Merritt Island NWR (*Brevard*; P. Lehman et al.).
- EURASIAN WIGEON X AMERICAN WIGEON: 1 at Merritt Island NWR 28 Jan-4 Feb (P. Lehman, D. Bales, BPA 3077).
- AMERICAN WIGEON: 3,600 in one pond at Merritt Island NWR 29 Jan (D. Gochfeld); 48 at Holiday (*Pasco*) 10 Feb (D. Gagne et al.).
- AMERICAN BLACK DUCK: 1 female at Lake Apopka NSRA 9-23 Dec (H. Robinson); 8 at St. Marks NWR (*Wakulla*) 18 Feb (J. Murphy).
- MALLARD: 115 at St. Marks NWR 28 Jan (J. Murphy).
- MOTTLED DUCK: 1 at Destin (*Okaloosa*) 19 Dec (L. Duncan, C. Brown).
- CINNAMON TEAL: 1 adult male at STA-5, 28 Jan-4 Feb (M. England, BPA 3226 by B. Master); 1 adult male at Spring Hill (*Hernando*) 31 Jan-EOS (J. Kurz et al., BPA 2574 by A. Hansen); 1 adult male at the *Sarasota* Celery Fields 31 Dec-22 Jan (J. & R. Epstein et al., BPA 3267 by B. Rossheim); 1 male at STA-1E 4 Feb (L. Hasse, C. Weber et al.); 1 male at Tamincos Sanctuary (*Santa Rosa*) 14-21 Feb (L. Kelly et al.); 1 male at Merritt Island NWR 21-26 Feb (P. Hueber, J. Stefancic et al.).
- NORTHERN SHOVELER: 4,700 at *Polk* mines 20 Jan (P. Timmer, G. Lykins).
- GREEN-WINGED TEAL: 3,200 at Lake Apopka NSRA 11 Dec (H. Robinson); 1,150 at *Polk* mines 20 Jan (P. Timmer, G. Lykins).
- CANVASBACK: as many as 4 at STA-5, 17 Dec-4 Feb (M. England et al.); 10 at Newnans Lake (*Alachua*) 18 Dec-2 Jan (B. Wallace et al.); as many as 4 at STA-1E 24 Jan-19 Feb (C. Weber, R. Schofield et al.).
- REDHEAD: 1 at Crandon Park (*Miami-Dade*) 9-11 Dec (R. Diaz); 3 at STA-5, 17 Dec (M. England et al.); 9 at Newnans Lake 18 Dec-4 Jan (S. Collins, A. Zions); 3,000 at Hidden Lake (*Pinellas*) 10 Jan (J. Wells); 1,600 at Cockroach Bay Preserve (*Hillsborough*) 14 Jan-EOS (E. Kwater); as many as 1,200 wintered at Gulf Harbors Golf Course, New Port Richey (*Pasco*; D. Gagne et al.); as many as 3,500 wintered at Tierra Verde (*Pinellas*; E. Plage et al.).
- RING-NECKED DUCK: 2,500 at *Polk* mines 20 Jan (P. Timmer, G. Lykins).
- RING-NECKED DUCK X REDHEAD: 1 at Tierra Verde 19 Jan for the third consecutive winter (E. Plage).
- GREATER SCAUP: 7 at Newnans Lake 18 Dec (B. Wallace et al.); 1 male at Hidden Lake 10 Jan (J. Wells); as many as 2 at Gulf Harbors 13 Jan-19 Feb (D. Gagne et al.); 6 at Cedar Key (*Levy*) 17 Jan (M. Gardler); 1 male at Tierra Verde 17 Jan (E. Plage).
- LESSER SCAUP: 155,000 at Indian River Lagoon (*Brevard*) 17 Dec (*vide* D. Freeland).
- KING EIDER: 1 at Pensacola Beach (*Escambia*) and Gulf Breeze (*Santa Rosa*) 21-26 Dec was found dead (R. Colburn, A. Wraithmell et al., BPA 2637a-b by D. Sparks).
- COMMON EIDER: 1 at St. Augustine Beach (*St. Johns*) 8 Dec (D. Reed et al.).
- SURF SCOTER: 1 first-year female at Jupiter Inlet Colony (*Palm Beach*) 26 Dec (J. Hailman); 5 at Tomoka Basin (*Volusia*) 3 Jan (M. Brothers); 1 at Ponce de Leon Inlet (*Volusia*) 18 Feb (M. Brothers).

- WHITE-WINGED SCOTER: 1 at Ponce de Leon Inlet 13 Jan (M. Brothers).
- BLACK SCOTER: 26 off Ormond-By-The-Sea (*Volusia*) 3 Dec (M. Brothers); 1 at Cedar Key 17 Jan (M. Gardler); 2 at Merritt Island NWR 28 Feb (P. Hueber et al.).
- LONG-TAILED DUCK: 1 at Cedar Key 22 Jan (J. Willmott); 1 along Courtney Campbell Causeway (*Hillsborough* and *Pinellas*) 21 Feb-EOS (J. Boone et al.).
- BUFFLEHEAD: 3 at Captiva Island (*Lee*) 3 Dec-EOS (V. McGrath); 5 at Lake Apopka NSRA 4 Dec (P. Hueber et al.); 4 at Auburndale 17 Dec ff (P. Timmer); 15 at Green Key, New Port Richey 7 Jan (D. Gagne); 1 at Sarasota (*Sarasota*) 7-8 Jan (B. Rossheim et al.); 2 at *Polk* mines 20 Jan (P. Timmer, G. Lykins); as many as 8 at Windermere (*Orange*) 21 Jan-23 Feb (J. Stefancic); as many as 6 at Melbourne (*Brevard*) 30 Jan-14 Feb (D. Freeland).
- COMMON GOLDENEYE: 15 at Fort Island Gulf Beach (*Citrus*) 16 Dec (M. Gardler); 1 at Cocoa Beach (*Brevard*) 17 Dec (*vide* D. Freeland); 1 male at Clermont (*Lake*) 1-5 Jan (J. Stefancic, T. Ford); 1 female at Sarasota 7-8 Jan (B. Rossheim et al.); as many as 2 at Gainesville (*Alachua*) 26 Jan-4 Feb (L. Davis et al.); 1 female at Windermere 2-23 Feb (J. Thomson, J. Stefancic).
- RED-BREASTED MERGANSER: 289 at Green Key 7 Jan (D. Gagne).
- RUDDY DUCK: 3,050 at Lake Ariana (*Polk*) 16 Dec (P. Fellers); 23,500 at Lake Apopka NSRA 8 Jan (H. Robinson).
- RED-THROATED LOON: 1 off Ormond-By-The-Sea 3 Dec (M. Brothers); 1 flew past John's Pass (*Pinellas*) 17 Dec (C. Cox); 2 at Alligator Point (*Franklin*) 15 Jan (J. Murphy).
- PACIFIC LOON: 1 at Fort Pickens, Gulf Islands National Seashore (*Escambia*) 15 Jan (A. Harper, A. Gerrety).
- COMMON LOON: 52 brought into Marine Science Center, Ponce Inlet for rehabilitation 26 Nov-25 Dec was an exceptional number (M. Brothers); 1 at Marco Island (*Collier*) 20 Dec (T. Below); 100 off *Duval* and *Nassau* 5 Feb (M. Brothers et al.); 118 at Key Vista Nature Park, Holiday 5 Feb (D. Gagne et al.).
- HORNED GREBE: 2 at Wellington Environmental Preserve (*Palm Beach*) 3 Dec-7 Jan (L. & D. Hasse et al.); 1 at Palm Beach Gardens (*Palm Beach*) 12 Dec (L. & T. Pasko); 10 at Virginia Key (*Miami-Dade*) 17 Dec (R. Diaz); 9 at Emerald Lake (*Broward*) 19 Dec (J. Hutchison, R. Titus); 1 along Old Ingraham Highway, Everglades NP (*Miami-Dade*) 19 Dec (J. Boyd); 3 at Marco Island 17 Jan-17 Feb (T. Below); as many as 8 at West Beach Park, Orlando (*Orange*) 19 Jan-2 Feb (J. Thomson); 3 at Bunche Beach (*Lee*) 21 Jan-EOS (J. Padilla et al.); 1 at STA-5, 18 Feb (B. & N. LaFramboise).
- EARED GREBE: 1 at Lake Juliana (*Polk*) 16 Dec (P. Fellers).
- AMERICAN FLAMINGO: 19 (5 adults and 14 immatures) at Lake Ingraham, Everglades NP (*Monroe*) 22 Jan (A. Whitlock, BPA 2431).
- CORY'S SHEARWATER: 1 off Palm Coast (*Flagler*) 30 Dec (M. Brothers et al.).
- GREAT SHEARWATER: 1 off Ormond-By-The-Sea 3 Dec (M. Brothers).
- *MANX SHEARWATER: at least 15 off *Duval* and *Nassau* 5 Feb (M. Brothers et al.).
- MAGNIFICENT FRIGATEBIRD: 7 at Vero Beach (*Indian River*) 23 Dec (C. Cimino); 1 at Patrick AFB (*Brevard*) 19 Jan (R. Andersen); 1 at Port Canaveral 25 Jan (D. Hoffman); 1 at Fort De Soto Park (*Pinellas*) 26 Jan (E. Kwater).
- BROWN BOOBY: 1 off Palm Coast 30 Dec (M. Brothers et al.).
- NORTHERN GANNET: 282 at Honeymoon Island SP (*Pinellas*) 3 Feb (D. Gagne, W. Yusek).
- *NEOTROPIC CORMORANT: seemingly as many as 4 at Wakodahatchee Wetlands (*Palm Beach*) 23 Jan-EOS included one adult that apparently produced a fledgling (A. Bondi et al., BPA 3294-3299 by M. Berney).
- GREAT CORMORANT: 1 immature at Bill Baggs Cape Florida SP (*Miami-Dade*) 28 Dec-EOS (R. Diaz et al., BPA 2827).
- AMERICAN WHITE PELICAN: 200 at Marco Island (*Collier*) 22 Dec-EOS (T. & V. Below); as many as 1,500 at Orange Lake 16 Jan-EOS (J. Bryan, M. Manetz et al.); 2,500 at *Polk* mines 4 Feb (P. Fellers); 140 at Brandon (*Hillsborough*) 9 Feb (E. Kwater).

- BROWN PELICAN: 7 at Lake Hunter (*Polk*) 10 Dec (T. Palmer); 1 at Newnans Lake 7-12 Jan (B. Knight, A. Casella); 22 at Lake Buena Vista and 5 at Windermere (both *Orange*) 21 Jan (J. Thomson et al.); 6 at Lake Fairview, Orlando 26 Feb (P. Hueber).
- AMERICAN BITTERN: 3 at Circle B Bar Reserve (*Polk*) 5 Feb (E. Kwater).
- REDDISH EGRET: 9 at Cockroach Bay Preserve 21 Jan (E. Kwater).
- BLACK-CROWNED NIGHT-HERON: 1 leucistic adult at Pine Island (*Hernando*) 6 Feb (A. & B. Hansen, BPA 2097).
- YELLOW-CROWNED NIGHT-HERON: 13 at Celebration (*Osceola*) 21 Jan (J. Therien).
- WHITE-FACED IBIS: 1 adult at Lake Apopka NSRA 11 Dec-10 Feb (H. Robinson); 3 at St. Marks NWR 28 Jan (J. Murphy).
- ROSEATE SPOONBILL: 1 at The Villages (*Sumter*) 5-22 Jan (J. Dinsmore); 6 at Celebration 28 Feb (J. Thomson).
- GYPSS SPECIES: 1 at Avon Park (*Highlands*) 20 Feb (R. Bennett, BPA 2371).
- TURKEY VULTURE: 1 apparent albino over the Estero River (*Lee*) 6 Dec (D. Maple, BPA 2426); 61 were "streaming north" over Tallahassee 29 Jan (D. Bryan).
- SWALLOW-TAILED KITE: 1 at S Merritt Island (*Brevard*) 15 Feb (D. Freeland).
- WHITE-TAILED KITE: 1 at Devils Garden Bird Park (*Hendry*) 13 Dec (M. England); 1 near STA-5, 17 Dec and 14 Jan (M. England et al.); 2 along Research Road, Everglades NP (*Miami-Dade*) 2 Jan (R. Diaz).
- SNAIL KITE: 1 at Rodman Reservoir, Ocala National Forest (*Putnam*) 19 Jan (J. Bryan).
- GREAT BLACK-HAWK: the adult at Virginia Key (*Miami-Dade*) was observed 11 times this season (R. Diaz).
- BROAD-WINGED HAWK: 1 juvenile at Fort De Soto Park (*Pinellas*) 7 Dec-15 Feb (D. Sauvageau, E. Plage et al.); 1 adult at Maximo Park, St. Petersburg (*Pinellas*) 17-30 Dec (E. Plage et al.); 2 immatures at Virginia Key 17 Dec (R. Diaz); 1 adult wintered at Sanibel Island (*Lee*) for the 5th consecutive year (V. McGrath); 1 immature wintered at Bill Baggs Cape Florida SP, and 1 adult there 27 Feb (R. Diaz).
- SHORT-TAILED HAWK: 1 dark morph at S Merritt Island 1-14 Dec (D. Freeland); 1 dark morph at Orange Park (*Clay*) 11 Jan (L. McCullagh); 1 light morph at Viera (*Brevard*) 24 Jan (D. Freeland); 1 light morph at Avon Park AFR (*Polk*) 1 Feb (G. Schrott), and 1 dark morph there 27 Feb (B. Rolek); 2 dark morphs at Fort Drum Conservation Area (*Indian River*) 5 Feb (B. Wagner); 1 dark morph at John Chesnut Park, Safety Harbor 19 Feb (P. Graber); 1 dark morph at Lettuce Lake Park, Tampa (*Hillsborough*) 24 Feb (D. Goodwin); 3 (2 dark morphs and 1 light morph) at Six Mile Cypress Slough Preserve (*Lee*) 26 Feb (J. Padilla).
- SWAINSON'S HAWK: 2 at Garcon Point (*Santa Rosa*) 17 Dec (D. Ware); up to 3 (2 light morph, 1 dark morph) near Balm (*Hillsborough*) 6 Dec-14 Jan (D. Goodwin et al.); 2 (1 intermediate morph and 1 dark morph) at Frog Pond WMA (*Miami-Dade*) to 22 Jan (R. Diaz, J. Boyd).
- CRESTED CARACARA: 1 near Merritt Island Airport (*Brevard*) 12 Feb (B. & N. LaFramboise); 2 along Government Road (*Broward*) 18 Feb (J. Boyd).
- PEREGRINE FALCON: 1 at Orange Lake 28 Dec (J. Hintermister, S. Nesbitt); 1 at Cockroach Bay Preserve 14 Jan (E. Kwater); 1 adult preyed upon Laughing Gulls at Daytona Beach Shores (*Volusia*) 21 & 27 Feb (M. Brothers).
- YELLOW RAIL: 1 "feather puddle" at St. Johns NWR (*Brevard*) 25 Jan (P. Lehman, to UCF).
- BLACK RAIL: 1 observed at St. Marks NWR (*Wakulla*) 8 Jan (P. Bazany).
- PURPLE GALLINULE: 5 at Twin Lakes (*Hillsborough*) 28 Dec (S. Reed); 1 at Taylor Creek STA (*Okeechobee*) 21 Jan (P. Miller); 20 at Orlando Wetlands Park (*Orange*) 17 Feb (B. Anderson et al.); 1 at Walsingham Lake Park, Largo (*Pinellas*) 22-29 Feb (B. Surman et al.); 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA 24 Feb-EOS (H. Robinson).
- AMERICAN COOT: 1 off Ponce de Leon Inlet 30 Dec (M. Brothers et al.); 100,000 at STA-5, 31 Dec (*vide* M. England).
- LIMPKIN: 20 at Orlando Wetlands Park 17 Feb (B. Anderson et al.).

- SANDHILL CRANE: 575 headed north over The Villages (*Sumter*) in 3 hours 14 Feb, and 390 headed north over there in 30 min 15 Feb (J. Dinsmore); 1 at Pensacola (*Escambia*) 23 Feb (W. Tally).
- WHOOPIING CRANE: 2 at Tallahassee 24 Jan (H. Hooper).
- BLACK-BELLIED PLOVER: 1 wintered at STA-5 (M. England et al.); 40 at Myakka River SP 1 Jan (E. Kwater); 27 at *Polk* mines 20 Jan (P. Timmer, G. Lykins); 105 at Honeymoon Island SP 3 Feb (D. Gagne, W. Yusek); 15 at Lake Apopka NSRA 10 Feb (H. Robinson); 145 at Fort De Soto Park 29 Feb (E. Plage); 340 wintered at Crandon Park Beach (R. Diaz).
- AMERICAN GOLDEN-PLOVER: 1 at Fort Walton Beach STF (*Okaloosa*) 2-3 Dec (B. & L. Duncan et al.); 1 at Anastasia Beach (*St. Johns*) 1 Jan (A. Kent, BPA 1766).
- SNOWY PLOVER: 43 at Anclote Key Preserve (*Pinellas*) 3 Feb (B. & D. Lane); 17 at Little Estero Island CWA (*Lee*) 3 Feb (C. Ewell, K. Laakkonen); 24 at Siesta Key (*Sarasota*) 5 Feb (B. Rossheim).
- WILSON'S PLOVER: 2 at Crandon Park Beach 5 Dec-EOS (R. Diaz); 40 at Tigertail Beach, Marco Island 24 Dec (H. McGuinness); 65 at Little Estero Island CWA 3 Feb (C. Ewell, K. Laakkonen); 1 at Palm Beach (*Palm Beach*) 6-15 Feb (B. Hope et al.); 31 at Fort De Soto Park 29 Feb (E. Plage).
- SEMPALMATED PLOVER: 450 at Fort De Soto Park 29 Feb (E. Plage).
- PIPING PLOVER: 16 at Tigertail Beach 24 Dec (H. McGuinness); as many as 4 at Palm Beach and Lake Worth (*Palm Beach*) 26 Dec-18 Feb (A. Knafel, B. Hope et al.); 14 at Little Estero Island CWA 14 Jan (C. Ewell); 24 at Anclote Key Preserve 3 Feb (B. & D. Lane); 20 at Bunche Beach, Fort Myers (*Lee*) 18 Feb (C. Ewell); among 35 that wintered at Crandon Park Beach were 3 color banded at the Great Lakes (R. Diaz).
- AMERICAN OYSTERCATCHER: 1 at Pensacola 17 Dec (J. Lloyd); 1 at Hillsboro Inlet (*Broward*) 27 Feb (J. Hutchison, R. Titus).
- BLACK-NECKED STILT: 3 at St. Petersburg to 26 Jan (R. Smith); 37 at Myakka River SP 1 Jan (E. Kwater); as many as 86 wintered at Lake Apopka NSRA (H. Robinson).
- AMERICAN AVOCET: 3 at STA-5, 3 Dec, and 1 there 14 Jan (M. England et al.); 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA 9 Dec (H. Robinson); 20 at Cedar Key 17 Jan (M. Gardler); 440 at *Polk* mines 20 Jan (P. Timmer, G. Lykins); 250 at Merritt Island NWR 1 Feb (D. Freeland et al.); 50 at S Merritt Island 2 Feb (D. Freeland); as many as 150 wintered at Estero Bay (*Lee*; B. Jones et al.).
- SOLITARY SANDPIPER: 2 at Gainesville 18 Dec (J. Martin); 2 at T. M. Goodwin WMA 19 Jan (C. Cimino et al.); 1 at Tallahassee 13 Feb (J. Cavanagh).
- WILLET: as many as 2 wintered at STA-5 (M. England et al.).
- WHIMBREL: as many as 4 at Pinellas Point (*Pinellas*) 2 Jan-7 Feb (R. Smith et al.); 12 at Honeymoon Island SP 12 Jan (B. & D. Lane); 6 at Cedar Key 17 Jan (M. Gardler); 3 at Key Vista Park 31 Jan (D. Gagne, B. Pranty); 1 at Bunche Beach 18 Feb (C. Ewell et al.).
- LONG-BILLED CURLEW: 1 wintered at Bunche Beach, with 2 there 18 Feb (C. Ewell); 2 at Indian Pass (*Franklin*) 16 Jan (J. Murphy); 1 at Shell Mound, Lower Suwannee NWR (*Levy*) 17 Jan (M. Gardler); 1 at Pinellas Point to 5 Feb (R. Smith et al.); 1 at Fort De Soto Park 15 Feb-EOS (D. Haney et al.).
- *BAR-TAILED GODWIT: 1 at Flamingo, Everglades NP (*Monroe*) 3-11 Feb (M. O'Brien, R. Diaz, BPA 2824).
- MARBLED GODWIT: 1 at Hobie Beach (*Miami-Dade*) 1 Dec-1 Jan (R. Diaz, J. Boyd); 158 at North Shore Park, St. Petersburg 19 Feb (D. Margeson).
- RED KNOT: 330 at Fort De Soto Park 29 Feb (E. Plage).
- SANDERLING: 1 at Lake Placid (*Highlands*) 29 Dec (D. Simpson, BPA 2373a-c); 1 at a *Polk* mine 28 Jan (P. Fellers).
- WESTERN SANDPIPER: 2 at Lake Apopka NSRA 9 Dec, and 1 there 15 Jan and 22 & 26 Feb (H. Robinson).

- LEAST SANDPIPER: 400 at Myakka River SP 1 Jan (E. Kwater).
- PURPLE SANDPIPER: 1 at Captiva Island (*Lee*) 24 Jan (J. Hamaker); 1 at Fort De Soto Park 25 Jan-8 Feb (K. Duncan et al.); 2 wintered at Ponce de Leon Inlet (M. Brothers).
- DUNLIN: 1 along Scrub Pens Road (*Highlands*) 4 Dec (P. Gray, BPA 3270); 10 at Scarborough Ranch (*Highlands*) 29 Dec (B. Pranty et al.); 1,000 at Shell Mound 17 Jan (M. Gardler); 40 at *Polk* mines 20 Jan (P. Timmer, G. Lykins); 700 at Fort De Soto Park 29 Feb (E. Plage).
- STILT SANDPIPER: 12 at "Cutler Wetlands" (*Miami-Dade*) 13 Jan (R. Diaz).
- SHORT-BILLED DOWITCHER: 2 at Lake Apopka NSRA 9 Dec, and 1 there 26 Feb (H. Robinson).
- LONG-BILLED DOWITCHER: 562 at Lake Apopka NSRA 23 Dec (H. Robinson); 250 at Myakka River SP 1 Jan (E. Kwater); 3,000 at *Polk* mines 4 Feb (P. Fellers); 35 at The Villages (*Sumter*) 8 Feb (J. Dinsmore).
- WILSON'S PHALAROPE: 1 wintered at Lake Apopka NSRA (H. Robinson, BPA 2374 by C. Cox, 16 Dec), furnishing the first winter record.
- RED PHALAROPE: 8 off Palm Coast 30 Dec (M. Brothers et al.); 100 off *Duval* and *Nassau* 5 Feb (M. Brothers et al.).
- BONAPARTE'S GULL: 105 at Lake Weir (*Marion*) 15 Dec (J. Dinsmore); 720 at Lake Apopka NSRA 6 Jan (H. Robinson); 12 at *Polk* mines 20 Jan (P. Timmer, G. Lykins); 2,000 off *Duval* and *Nassau* 5 Feb (M. Brothers et al.); 132 at the W end of Courtney Campbell Causeway (*Pinellas*) 26 Feb (B. Lane).
- LAUGHING GULL: as many as 6 at Newnans Lake to 18 Dec (B. Wallace, S. Nesbitt).
- FRANKLIN'S GULL: 1 at the Central *Santa Rosa* Landfill 6 Dec (B. Duncan).
- *CALIFORNIA GULL: 1 adult at Daytona Beach Shores 26-31 Jan (M. Brothers, BPA 3326a-b).
- HERRING GULL X GLAUCOUS GULL: 1 "Nelson's Gull" at West Cocoa Landfill 29 Feb (M. Harris, BPA 3338a-d).
- *THAYER'S GULL/ICELAND GULL: 1 first-cycle at the Central *Santa Rosa* Landfill 6 Dec (B. Duncan).
- ICELAND GULL: 1 first-cycle at Ponce de Leon Inlet 19 Jan (M. Brothers); 1 first-cycle at Daytona Beach Shores 1 Feb (M. Brothers); 1 first-cycle at Huguenot Memorial Park (*Duval*) 5 Feb (M. Brothers et al.).
- LESSER BLACK-BACKED GULL: 1 adult at Gulf Breeze (*Santa Rosa*) 14 Jan (A. Harper); 5 at Walnut Hill (*Escambia*) 17 Jan (B. & L. Duncan); 1 at Molino (*Escambia*) 21 Jan (B. & L. Duncan et al.); 1 at Anclote River Park (*Pasco*) 29 Jan (K. Tracey); 4 adults at Lassing Park, St. Petersburg 9 Feb (E. Haney, D. Goodwin); 1 at Green Key 10 Feb (D. Gagne et al.); **600-700** estimated at West Cocoa Landfill 29 Feb (M. Harris); as many as 16 (8 adults) wintered at Crandon Park (R. Diaz).
- GLAUCOUS GULL: at least 4 between Daytona Beach Shores and Ponce de Leon Inlet 16 Jan-29 Feb (M. Brothers); 1 adult at Jetty Park, Port Canaveral (*Brevard*) 19 Jan-3 Feb, and a first-cycle there 3 Feb (M. Harris et al.); 1 first-cycle at Sebastian Inlet SP (*Indian River*) 27 Feb (J. Eager).
- GREAT BLACK-BACKED GULL: 21 at Ponce de Leon Inlet 2 Jan (M. Brothers); 1 adult at Molino 21 Jan (B. & L. Duncan et al.); 1 at Little Estero Island CWA 3 Feb-EOS (C. Ewell); 1 at Redington Beach 5 Feb (R. Harrod); 2 at Green Key 24 Feb (D. Gagne).
- BRIDLED TERN: 1 off Palm Coast 30 Dec (M. Brothers et al.).
- GULL-BILLED TERN: 2 at Weekiwachee Preserve (*Hernando*) 20 Dec (D. Simpson, B. Pranty); 1 at Honeymoon Island SP 23 Dec (D. Gagne et al.).
- CASPIAN TERN: 20 at STA-5, 17 Dec (M. England et al.).
- SANDWICH TERN: 3 at Destin 19 Dec (B. & L. Duncan).
- BLACK SKIMMER: 450 at Honeymoon Island SP (*Pinellas*) 4 Dec (E. Kwater); 450 at *Polk* mines 4 Feb (P. Fellers).
- POMARINE JAEGER: 2 off Ormond-By-The-Sea 3 Dec (M. Brothers); 2 at Ponce de Leon Inlet 3 Jan (M. Brothers); as many as 3 harassed gulls at sunset at Daytona Beach Shores

- 3 Jan-9 Mar (M. Brothers); 5 off *Duval* and *Nassau* 5 Feb (M. Brothers et al.).
- PARASITIC JAEGER: 3 at Ponce de Leon Inlet 3 Jan (M. Brothers); 1 at Fort De Soto Park 11 Jan (D. Sauvageau); as many as 4 harassed gulls at sunset at Daytona Beach Shores 21 Jan-EOS (M. Brothers); 5 off *Duval* and *Nassau* 5 Feb (M. Brothers et al.).
- WHITE-CROWNED PIGEON: 26 at Bear Lake Trail, Everglades NP (*Monroe*) 31 Dec (R. Diaz).
- AFRICAN COLLARED-DOVE: 1 at Gulf Harbors 30 Dec (V. Ponzo, B. Pranty et al., BPA 2395a-b by S. Tavaglione).
- WHITE-WINGED DOVE: 59 at The Villages (*Marion*) 10 Jan (J. Dinsmore); 24 south of Kissimmee Prairie Preserve SP 24 Jan (P. Miller); 21 at Green Key 5 Feb (R. Smart).
- COMMON GROUND-DOVE: 1 nest with 2 nestlings at Tall Timbers Research Station (*Leon*) 15 Feb (E. Schunke, BPA 2638).
- ELECTUS PARROT: 1 male at Miami Springs (*Miami-Dade*) 21 Feb (P. Bithorn).
- BUDGERIGAR: 7 at Hudson Beach (*Pasco*) 7 Dec (K. Tracey).
- NANDAY PARAKEET: ca. 542 in a single flock at St. Petersburg 8 Dec (E. Haney, BPA 3337a-c); 5 at Zephyrhills (*Pasco*) 26 Dec (K. Tracey, BPA 2418); 63 at Sarasota 27 Dec (M. Hamilton); several at St. Augustine (*St. Johns*) fed on sycamore seed balls and red maple seeds 4 Feb (D. Doyle).
- BARN OWL: 15 at Lake Apopka NSRA 9 Dec (H. Robinson); 1 at Honeymoon Island SP 23 Dec (D. Gagne et al.).
- EASTERN SCREECH-OWL: 3 nestlings at Vero Beach fledged 21 Feb (B. Wagner).
- GREAT HORNED OWL: 6 active nests at *Polk* mines 16 Jan-4 Feb (P. Fellers).
- SHORT-EARED OWL: 1 at Wakulla Beach (*Wakulla*) 17 Dec (B. Crawford et al.); 1 at Cedar Key 22 Jan (J. Willmott); 1 at Phipps Point (*Franklin*) 4 Feb (J. Murphy); 1 at Orange Lake 12 Feb-EOS (C. Gordon, J. Willmott).
- LESSER NIGHTHAWK: 1 at "Cutler Wetlands" 7 Jan (D. Simpson).
- BUFF-BELLIED HUMMINGBIRD: 1 banded at Niceville (*Okaloosa*) 7 Jan (F. Bassett).
- RUBY-THROATED HUMMINGBIRD: 25 banded south to Valrico (*Hillsborough*) 7 Dec-29 Feb (F. Bassett); 3 singles wintered in *Hernando* (fide B. Hansen); 1 at Gainesville 23 Feb (J. Hintermister).
- BLACK-CHINNED HUMMINGBIRD: 12 banded south to Valrico and Lakeland (*Polk*) 5 Jan-1 Feb (F. Bassett); 1 at Longwood (*Seminole*) 7 Jan (G. Williams, BPA 3079a-b).
- *CALLIOPE HUMMINGBIRD: 1 banded at Shalimar (*Okaloosa*) 27 Jan (F. Bassett); singles banded at Pensacola 14 Jan and Tallahassee (*Leon*) 17 Jan and 29 Feb (F. Bassett).
- *BROAD-TAILED HUMMINGBIRD: 1 banded at Pensacola 2 Dec (F. Bassett).
- RUFOUS HUMMINGBIRD: 1 adult male at Spring Hill (*Hernando*) 22 Nov-27 Dec (D. Love); 1 immature male at Palm Harbor (*Pinellas*) 6-9 Jan (B. Walker et al.); 1 at Longwood 7-8 Jan (G. Williams); 36 banded in the Panhandle and 1 at Valrico 5 Jan-29 Feb (F. Bassett).
- *ALLEN'S HUMMINGBIRD: 1 banded at Tallahassee 9 Feb (F. Bassett).
- SELASPHORUS SPECIES: 2 wintered at Cedar Key (D. Henderson); 3 singles in *Hernando* 17 Dec-3 Jan (fide B. Hansen).
- RED-HEADED WOODPECKER: 1 at S Merritt Island 20 Feb (D. Freeland).
- HAIRY WOODPECKER: 1 at Lake Wales Ridge SF (*Polk*) 4 Jan (P. Fellers); 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA 6 Jan (H. Robinson).
- LEAST FLYCATCHER: 1 at S Merritt Island 6 Dec-10 Jan (D. Freeland); 1 at Paynes Prairie Preserve SP (*Alachua*) 18 Dec (J. Hintermister, D. Morrow); 3 wintered at Lake Apopka NSRA (H. Robinson).
- *SAY'S PHOEBE: 1 wintered near Astatula (*Lake*) for at least the fifth winter (J. Stefancic et al.).
- VERMILION FLYCATCHER: 1 adult male at Carrabelle (*Franklin*) 30 Nov-14 Jan (E. Orf, J. Murphy); 1 female at Fisheating Creek WMA 5 Feb (C. Fredricks); 2 males wintered at Frog Pond WMA (R. Diaz, J. Boyd); 2 adult males wintered at Orlando Wetlands Park (R. Geisler, B. Anderson et al.).

- ASH-THROATED FLYCATCHER: 1 at Orange Lake 11 Dec-EOS (E. Scales, M. Manetz); 1 at Lake May Reserve, Eustis (*Lake*) 13 Dec (D. O'Neil); 1 at Garcon Point 17 Dec (D. Ware); 2 at Paynes Prairie Preserve SP 18 Dec-3 Jan (E. Scales, A. Thornton et al.); 1 at Merritt Island NWR 21 Dec (M. Harris); 1 southeast of Dade City (*Pasco*) 24 Dec-EOS (D. Gagne, B. Pranty et al.); 1 at Fort Walton Beach STF 28 Dec (B. & J. Callaway); 1 at Watermelon Pond (*Alachua*) 7-15 Feb (S. Nesbitt, J. Surdick); 1 wintered at Frog Pond WMA (R. Diaz, BPA 2351); 5 wintered at Lake Apopka NSRA (H. Robinson).
- BROWN-CRESTED FLYCATCHER: 1 at Palma Vista Hammock, Everglades NP (*Miami-Dade*) 12 Dec (R. Diaz); 1 at Hidden Lake Road, Everglades NP (*Miami-Dade*) 19 Dec (R. Diaz); 1 at Merritt Island NWR 21 Dec (M. Harris); 1 at Lake Placid 29 Dec (D. Simpson); 1 at Tall Cypress Natural Area (*Broward*) 2 Feb (J. Hutchison, R. Titus).
- LA SAGRA'S FLYCATCHER: 1 at Bill Baggs Cape Florida SP 26 Dec-EOS (R. Diaz et al.).
- *CASSIN'S KINGBIRD: 1 in *Bay* 17 Dec (N. Lamb et al.); 1 along Deer Fence Canal (*Hendry*) 3-31 Dec (C. Ewell, BPA 2866).
- WESTERN KINGBIRD: 1 at Virginia Key Beach Park 1 Dec (R. Diaz); 5 at Polk City (*Polk*) 15 Dec (P. Timmer); 2 at Lake Apopka NSRA 30 Dec (P. Hueber et al.); 2 at San Antonio 14 Jan (A. & B. Hansen); 18 east of Bartow (*Polk*) 28 Jan (D. & P. DeNeve); 1 wintered at Frog Pond WMA (R. Diaz, J. Boyd).
- GRAY KINGBIRD: 1 along Deer Fence Canal 3-31 Dec (C. Ewell et al.); 1 at STA-5, 28 Jan-19 Feb (fide M. England); 1 at "Viera Wetlands" 29 Jan-21 Feb (D. Gochfeld et al., BPA 2434a-b).
- SCISSOR-TAILED FLYCATCHER: 1 at Sanibel Island 17 Dec (*fide* K. Werner); 1 at San Antonio 26 Dec-22 Feb (D. Gagne et al.); 1 at Gulf Harbors 30 Dec-EOS (M. Gardler et al.); 1 near Balm 19-25 Jan (J. Guerard et al.); 8 along US-27, 14 km west of Clewiston (*Hendry*) 20 Jan (E. Kwater); 2 east of Bartow 28 Jan-19 Feb (D. & P. DeNeve, T. Palmer); 2 at Ruskin (*Hillsborough*) 3 Feb (S. Reed et al.); 1 at Eagle Point Park, Holiday 5 Feb (D. Gagne et al.); 2 at Homestead (*Miami-Dade*) 20 Feb (E. Kwater); 4 wintered at Southern Glades WEA (*Miami-Dade*; R. Diaz).
- FORK-TAILED FLYCATCHER: 1 at Cockroach Bay 18 Jan-13 Feb (D. & P. Pelly et al., BPA 3327a-b by S. Thornton).
- BELL'S VIREO: 1 at Miami Lakes (*Miami-Dade*) 4 Jan (R. Diaz).
- YELLOW-THROATED VIREO: 1 in song at Brooker Creek Preserve (*Pinellas*) 25 Feb (R. Smith); 7 in *Miami-Dade* this winter (J. Boyd, R. Diaz); 1 at Palma Vista Hammock, Everglades NP 2 Jan; 2 at Matheson Hammock Park 9 Jan; 1 at A. D. "Doug" Barnes Park 5 Jan; 1 wintered at Bill Baggs Cape Florida SP; and 2 wintered at West Kendall.
- FISH CROW: 1,000 along Lake Okeechobee (*Okeechobee*) 3 Jan (P. Miller).
- HORNED LARK: 15 along Concord Road (*Jackson*) 2 Jan (J. Murphy) and 12 Feb (M. Brothers).
- PURPLE MARTIN: 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA 10 Jan (H. Robinson); 1 at Melbourne (*Brevard*) 12 Jan (J. Wherley).
- TREE SWALLOW: 25,000 at Lake Alfred (*Polk*) 13 Jan (P. Timmer); **2,000,000** at Cockroach Bay Preserve 19 Feb-EOS (E. Kwater et al.).
- NORTHERN ROUGH-WINGED SWALLOW: 2 at Palm Harbor (*Pinellas*) 15-23 Dec (M. Korosy); 1 at Hernando Beach (*Hernando*) 20 Dec (D. Simpson, B. Pranty, BPA 2402); 3 at New Port Richey 30 Dec (D. Goodwin, E. Haney); 4 at S Merritt Island 24 Feb (D. Freeland).
- CAVE SWALLOW: 2 at Alligator Point 11 Dec (C. Sanchez et al.); 2 at Homestead 20 Feb (E. Kwater).
- BARN SWALLOW: 2 at Circle B Bar Reserve 3 Dec (P. Fellers); 1 at Ulumay Sanctuary (*Brevard*) 17 Dec (B. Paxson); 1 at Possum Branch Preserve 30 Dec (J. Wells); 2 at Lake Apopka NSRA 22 Feb, and 15 there 29 Feb (H. Robinson).
- CAROLINA CHICKADEE: 1 at S Merritt Island 17 Dec (C. Goodrich).

- RED-BREASTED NUTHATCH: 1 at Alfred B. Maclay Gardens SP, Tallahassee 7 Jan (A. Wraithmell).
- WHITE-BREASTED NUTHATCH: 1 at Gulf Breeze 17 Dec (B. Bremser).
- BROWN CREEPER: 1 at O'Leno SP (*Alachua*) 20 Dec (C. Burney, I. Kincaide); 1 at Gainesville 13 Jan-8 Feb (L. Bedinger et al.); 1 along Wright Lake Road (*Franklin*) 12 Feb (J. Murphy); 1 at Austin Cary Forest (*Alachua*) 28 Feb (M. Manetz).
- WINTER WREN: 2 at Gainesville 4 Dec-10 Jan (M. Manetz, C. Burney et al.); 1 at O'Leno SP 1 Jan (M. Manetz); 1 at Dunnellon (*Marion*) 10 Dec (M. Manetz).
- GOLDEN-CROWNED KINGLET: as many as 4 at Chuluota Wilderness Area (*Seminole*) 14-15 Dec (R. Noss, D. O'Neil); 1 at Colt Creek SP (*Polk*) 20 Feb (T. Palmer).
- AMERICAN ROBIN: 1 pale bird with a white supercilium at Tallahassee 18 Feb (E. Schunke).
- GRAY CATBIRD: 450 in 45 minutes at Long Pine Key, Everglades NP (*Miami-Dade*) 2 Jan (R. Diaz).
- SPRAGUE'S PIPIT: 2 at Fort Walton Beach STF 2 Dec-7 Jan (B. & L. Duncan, A. Knothe et al.); 4 at Apalachicola 11 Dec (C. Sanchez et al.); 2 at Gainesville 18 Dec-26 Jan (R. Rowan et al., BPA 2936).
- LAPLAND LONGSPUR: 1 female at Fort Walton Beach STF 2-13 Dec (B. & L. Duncan, D. Ware).
- WORM-EATING WARBLER: 1 at Research Road, Everglades NP 3 Dec (R. Geisler); 1 at S Merritt Island 10-14 Dec (B. Paxson).
- LOUISIANA WATERTHRUSH: 1 at Corkscrew Swamp Sanctuary (*Collier*) 20 Dec (S. Stilwell, BPA 3013); 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA 24 Feb, and 2 there 29 Feb (H. Robinson).
- NORTHERN WATERTHRUSH: 4 at Lake Apopka NSRA 16 Dec and 4 Jan, and 6 there 10 & 24 Feb (H. Robinson).
- BLUE-WINGED WARBLER: 1 at Southern Glades WEA (*Miami-Dade*) 3 Dec (J. Geisler, BPA 2606).
- PROTHONOTARY WARBLER: 1 male near Lakeland (*Polk*) 17 Dec (T. Palmer).
- TENNESSEE WARBLER: 1 near Brooker Creek Preserve (*Hillsborough* and *Pinellas*) 23 Dec (E. Haney et al., BPA 2917a-f by B. Pranty).
- NASHVILLE WARBLER: 1 male at Sawgrass Lake Park 17 Dec (B. Pranty, S. Tavaglione, BPA 2397a-b); 1 along Research Road, Everglades NP 19 Dec (R. Diaz); 1 along Tampa Bypass Canal (*Hillsborough*) 2 Jan (B. Pranty et al.).
- AMERICAN REDSTART: 1 adult male at Altamonte Springs (*Seminole*) 3 Dec-17 Feb (P. Hueber); 1 female at St. Petersburg 17 Dec (A. Boyle et al.).
- CAPE MAY WARBLER: 1 at Merritt Island 17 Dec (C. Goodrich).
- NORTHERN PARULA: 1 at St. Marks NWR 2 Jan (J. Simpson); 1 in song east of Brooksville (*Hernando*) 28 Jan (K. Wood); 153 (85% males) at Bill Baggs Cape Florida SP 13 Feb (R. Diaz).
- MAGNOLIA WARBLER: 1 at Crews Lake Park (*Pasco*) 20 Dec (D. Robinson et al.).
- YELLOW WARBLER: 2 at Fort Walton Beach (*Okaloosa*) 19 Dec (L. Kelly et al.); 1 at Gulf Harbors 26 Jan-EOS (K. Tracey et al., BPA 2435a-b); 1 at Miramar (*Broward*) 9 Feb (A. Abreu).
- BLACK-THROATED BLUE WARBLER: 1 at Titusville 22 Jan (P. Mansfield); 1 at Newberry (*Alachua*) 23 Jan (B. Shea); 1 male at Green Key 27 Jan (D. Gagne).
- PINE WARBLER: 24 at Lake Apopka NSRA 9 Dec (H. Robinson).
- BLACK-THROATED GREEN WARBLER: 1 at Oviedo (*Seminole*) 26 Dec (B. Anderson).
- WILSON'S WARBLER: 1 at Alligator Lake, Lake City (*Columbia*) 10 Dec (J. Morris); 1 near Wellington (*Palm Beach*) 11 Dec (C. Weber); 2 at Gainesville 17 Dec-13 Feb (S. Collins, S. Robinson et al.); 1 at Fort Walton Beach STF 19 Dec (B. Purdy); 2 at Apalachicola 29 Dec (J. Murphy); 1 at A. D. "Doug" Barnes Park 5 Jan (R. Diaz); 1 at Tallahassee 7 Jan (E. Schunke); 1 at Tallahassee 23 Jan (A. Wraithmell).
- YELLOW-BREASTED CHAT: 1 at Merritt Island NWR 21 Dec (M. Harris); 1 at Frog Pond WMA 11 Feb (J. Boyd); 1 at Southern Glades WEA 28 Feb (R. Diaz).

- *GREEN-TAILED TOWHEE: 1 at Paynes Prairie Preserve SP 4 Dec-18 Feb (J. Killian et al.); at least 1 at Possum Branch Preserve 10 Dec-EOS (J. Hopkins, M. Hughes et al., BPA 2388 by S. Mann); 1 at Vernon (*Washington*) 15 Dec (A. Knothe et al., BPA 2388); 1 at Valparaiso (*Okealoosa*) 19 Dec (M. Clark et al.); 1 at Tall Timbers Research Station 21 Feb (E. Schunke, BPA 3279).
- *SPOTTED TOWHEE: 1 female at Gulf Breeze 13-20 Jan (B. & L. Duncan, A. Harper, BPA 2597a-b).
- BACHMAN'S SPARROW: 1 in song at Kissimmee Prairie Preserve SP 5 Jan (P. Miller).
- CLAY-COLORED SPARROW: 2 southeast of Dade City 4 Dec-EOS (K. Tracey, D. Gagne et al.); 1 at Oviedo 26 Dec (B. Anderson); 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA 1-27 Jan (H. Robinson); 1 at Cockroach Bay 22-28 Jan (E. Plage, E. Kwater); 1 at Lake Seminole Park, Seminole (*Pinellas*) 8 Feb (D. Sauvageau).
- FIELD SPARROW: 1 at Tampa 2 Jan (E. Haney, B. Ahern et al.); 5 at Lake Apopka NSRA 15 Jan (H. Robinson).
- VESPER SPARROW: 2 at Frog Pond WMA 12 Jan (R. Diaz); 38 southeast of Dade City 10 Feb (D. Gagne et al.).
- LARK SPARROW: 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA 16 Dec (H. Robinson); 1 at St. Petersburg to 17 Dec (D. Margeson et al.); 2 at Okee-Tantie (*Okeechobee*) 7 Jan (M. Kubacki); 1 at Fort De Soto Park 14 Jan-EOS (J. Hooks et al.).
- *LARK BUNTING: 1 at Tall Timbers Research Station 21 Feb (E. Schunke, BPA 3285).
- GRASSHOPPER SPARROW: 24 at Weekiwachee Preserve, Aripeka (*Pasco*) 7 Jan (K. Tracey); 24 at Frog Pond WMA 12 Jan (R. Diaz); 3 in song after sunset at Kissimmee Prairie Preserve SP 29 Feb (P. Miller, J. Benson).
- HENSLOW'S SPARROW: 3 banded at Weekiwachee Preserve (*Hernando*) 21 Jan (M. Korosy); 2 at Gum Root Park, Gainesville 29 Jan-7 Feb (S. Goodman).
- LE CONTE'S SPARROW: as many as **30** at Orange Lake 6 Dec-EOS (M. Manetz, R. Rowan et al.); 4 at Lake Apopka NSRA (*Lake*) 21 Dec (D. Richardson); 2 at Wesley Chapel (*Pasco*) 26 Dec (K. Tracey, BPA 1890); 1 at Merritt Island NWR 9 Jan-1 Feb (T. Dunkerton, D. Freeland et al.); **16** banded at Weekiwachee Preserve 21 Jan & 4 Feb (M. Korosy).
- NELSON'S SPARROW: 1 at Fort De Soto Park 27 Dec (E. Plage); 2 banded at Shell Key Preserve (*Pinellas*) 26 Feb (L. Deaner, R. Smith et al.); 3 at Cypress Point Park, Tampa 6 Feb (B. Lane).
- SALTMARSH SPARROW: 1 at Honeymoon Island SP 23 Dec (D. Gagne et al.); 1 at Pasco Palms Park, Holiday 30 Dec-15 Feb (D. Gagne et al.); 2 banded at Shell Key Preserve 26 Feb (L. Deaner, R. Smith et al.).
- FOX SPARROW: as many as 2 at Gainesville 4 Dec-EOS (A. Kratter, R. Rowan et al.).
- SONG SPARROW: 1 at Honeymoon Island SP 7 Jan (E. Kwater).
- LINCOLN'S SPARROW: 1 at Possum Branch Preserve 12 Dec-26 Feb (V. McGrath et al.); 1 southeast of Dade City 24 Dec-EOS (D. Gagne et al.); 2 at Jay B. Starkey Wilderness Park (*Pasco*) 2 Jan (K. Tracey); 2 at Lake Apopka NSRA 7 Jan (J. Thomson); 1 at Rocky Glades Small Game Area (*Miami-Dade*) 8 Jan (R. Diaz); 1 at Frog Pond WMA 12 Jan (R. Diaz); 1 at Brooker Creek Preserve 20 Feb (E. Plage).
- WHITE-THROATED SPARROW: 1 at Merritt Island NWR 23 Jan (M. Harris); 1 wintered at Jupiter Inlet Colony (J. & L. Hailman).
- WHITE-CROWNED SPARROW: 1 at Fort De Soto Park 10-11 Dec (J. Mangold, R. Smith); 2 at Frog Pond WMA 28 Feb (R. Diaz).
- DARK-EYED JUNCO: 15 at Tall Timbers Research Station 17 Feb (E. Schunke).
- SUMMER TANAGER: 2 singles wintered at Gainesville (A. & G. Kent, J. Bryan); 2 at McIntosh (*Marion*) 6 Jan (A. Lamoreux, A. Fasoli); 2 single males at Tallahassee 13 Jan (T. Tanaka, J. Cavanagh); 1 at Vero Beach 6 Feb (B. Wagner); as many as 2 (female and male; 26 Jan) wintered at Lutz (*Pasco*; D. Bowman, BPA 1980).
- SCARLET TANAGER: 1 male at Ascend Corporation Sanctuary (*Escambia*) 28 Dec (B. Duncan et al., L. Goodman, BPA 2048a-b) furnished the first winter record.

- WESTERN Tanager: 1 at Alligator Point 9 Dec (D. Murphy); 1 at Fort Walton Beach STF 19 Dec (B. Purdy); 1 male at Matheson Hammock Park 23 Dec-9 Jan (C. Sanchez, R. Diaz et al.); 1 male at S Merritt Island 29 Jan-12 Feb (P. Lehman, B. & N. LaFramboise et al.); 1 at Titusville 16 Jan (M. Harris).
- ROSE-BREADED GROSBEAK: 1 female at Vero Beach 18 Jan-6 Feb (B. Wagner, BPA 3309); 1 immature male at Fort De Soto Park 31 Jan-19 Feb (S. Tavaglione); 1 at Frog Pond WMA 11 Feb (J. Boyd).
- BLUE GROSBEAK: 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA 6 Jan and 17 Feb (H. Robinson); 1 at Fort De Soto Park 27 Jan-19 Feb (M. Hodgson et al.).
- INDIGO BUNTING: 1 at Boyd Hill Nature Preserve, St. Petersburg 7 Jan (B. Ahern, E. Haney et al.).
- DICKCISSEL: 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA 6 Jan (H. Robinson); 1 at Fort Lauderdale (*Broward*) 26 Jan-EOS (A. Wiley et al.); 1 at Belle Glade Marina (*Palm Beach*) 20 Feb (R. Schofield, B. Ensor); 1 at Wright Recreation Area, Cocoa 21-29 Jan (P. Mansfield, J. Armstrong); 1 at Circle B Bar Reserve 27 Jan (G. Schrott et al.).
- BOBOLINK: 1 at Alligator Point 17 Feb (J. Murphy, M. Lisitza, BPA 2819).
- YELLOW-HEADED BLACKBIRD: 1 at Lake Apopka NSRA 16 Dec (H. Robinson); 1 male in *Flagler* 6 Jan (M. Wilson); as many as 4 east of Belle Glade (*Palm Beach*) 20 Feb (R. Schofield, B. Ensor); 1 at Myakka River SP 22 Feb-EOS (B. Lessard et al.).
- RUSTY BLACKBIRD: as many as 50 at Gainesville 31 Jan-EOS (L. Davis et al.); 2 at Tallahassee 23 Feb (T. Tanaka).
- BREWER'S BLACKBIRD: 1 female wintered at Hernando Beach and Bayport (*Hernando*; D. Love et al.); 225 at Berryhill (*Santa Rosa*) 17 Jan (B. & L. Duncan); 5 (1 male and 4 females) at DeLeon Springs (*Volusia*) 6 Feb-EOS (M. Brothers).
- BOAT-TAILED GRACKLE: 37 males at Floridatown (*Santa Rosa*) 17 Jan (B. & L. Duncan).
- SHINY COWBIRD: 1 male at Carillon, St. Petersburg 18 Feb (D. Margeson).
- BRONZED COWBIRD: 20 at Eagle Lakes Park, Naples (*Collier*) 24 Dec (H. McGuiness); as many as 10 at Okeechobee (*Okeechobee*) 19 Jan-5 Feb (P. Miller, P. Gray).
- BROWN-HEADED COWBIRD: 2,000 at Auburndale 16 Dec (P. Fellers).
- HOUSE FINCH: 9 at Cape Coral (*Lee*) 19 Dec (C. Ewell, J. Padilla et al.); 6 at Mount Dora (*Lake*) 5 Feb (D. O'Neil); 1 at Kissimmee (*Osceola*) 24 Dec (R. Cherny); 2 wintered at Jupiter Inlet Colony (J. Hailman).
- PINE SISKIN: 2 at Fort Island Gulf Beach 16 Dec (M. Gardler); 2 at Cocoa 17 Dec (*vide* D. Freeland).
- PIN-TAILED WHYDAH: 11 at E Pensacola 21 Feb (M. Louy, BPA 3343a, 10 in female plumage).
- *RED-LEGGED HONEYCREEPER: 1 adult male at Coral Gables (*Miami-Dade*) 16 Dec was captured, photographed in-hand, and then escaped (M. Kramer, BPA 2400).

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