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Barrow's Goldeneye, Pt. Breeze, *Orleans*, 28 Jan 2016, © Doug Daniels.



Lark Sparrow, Jones Beach West End, *Nassau*, 7 Feb 2016, © David Krauss.



Gambel's White-crowned Sparrow, the subspecies breeding in the western boreal forest, occurs rarely but fairly regularly in New York State, apparently most often in late fall and winter. These individuals were nicely documented this winter: an immature at Canoga, *Seneca*, 30 Jan 2016, © Jay McGowan (middle) and an adult near Pine Island, *Orange*, 13 Jan 2016, © M. Ofenloch (bottom).



Western Grebe, Piermont Pier, *Rockland*, 8 Jan 2016, © John Haas.



Barnacle Geese, Riverhead, *Suffolk*, 7 Feb 2016, © Derek Rogers. These two adults and a juvenile appeared to be a family group.



This male *Aythya* at Santapogue Creek, *Suffolk* was thought to be a hybrid Ring-necked Duck x scaup. Photos © Pete Morris, 21 Feb 2016.