

REGION 8—HUDSON-MOHAWK

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The monthly weather for June 2019 featured near normal temperatures and above normal precipitation in the Region 8 counties. Both Albany and Glens Falls saw at least an inch more than the usual amount of rainfall, but it came well dispersed throughout the month. July offered well above normal temperatures with lower than usual precipitation amounts. The most prolonged heat wave occurred on 3-6 August, and Albany maxed out at 95° F on 20 August. August ended up close to the long-term averages for both temperature and rainfall. There were no significant cool air intrusions towards the end of August as would normally occur; Albany did not drop below 52° all month.

	Albany			Glens Falls		
Temp	Mean	Normal	Deviation	Mean	Normal	Deviation
Jun	68.0°	67.2°	+0.8°	64.3°	64.3°	0.0°
Jul	76.2°	71.8°	+4.4°	72.3°	68.8°	+3.5°
Aug	71.7°	70.1°	+1.6°	67.0°	67.0°	0.0°

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Precip	Total	Normal	Deviation	Total	Normal	Deviation
Jun	5.15"	3.79"	+1.36"	4.56"	3.55"	+1.01"
Jul	3.99"	3.86"	-0.13"	2.89"	4.09"	-1.20"
Aug	4.12"	3.46"	+0.66"	2.85"	3.68"	-0.83"

The bird of the season was undoubtedly a lone **Black-bellied Whistling Duck** that showed up at the Indian Pond on the campus of U Albany, discovered by Brian Smith on 4 June. This is the first sighting of the species for Region 8 in at least a decade. It was part of an incursion that developed throughout June in the Northeastern U.S., as well as Quebec and Nova Scotia. The duck, a one-day wonder, was not observed subsequently.

Zach Schwartz-Weinstein found and photographed an interesting calidrid sandpiper at Cohoes Flats on 10 July. After review and analysis by many

experienced shorebirders, the consensus was a very pale, out-of-season, out-of-range **Western Sandpiper**. This was a rare inland sighting for the Northeastern states away from the Great Lakes.

Continuing the uptick in Regional reports over the last decade, a Clay-colored Sparrow was sighted at the Albany Pine Bush Preserve-Blueberry Hill unit on a 1 June Birding Big Day outing. A second bird was reported from Wilton Wildlife Preserve in Saratoga County on 9 July.

At least two Sedge Wrens were reported again this season from the Ft. Edward Grasslands IBA in Washington County. First noted on 15 June, one was still singing occasionally in the first week of August.

Reports of cuckoos of both expected species seemed much higher this summer. Yellow-billed Cuckoo was observed in at least three dozen locations, and Black-billed Cuckoo numbers maintained the fine showing from 2018. There were no breeding season reports of Common Nighthawks locally. The first “fall” migrant nighthawks arrived during the second week of August. Peak numbers appeared to have declined again, with the thirty-four observed at the Albany Pine Bush Preserve on 26 August representing the maximum. In other nightjar news, the Chuck-will’s-widow(s) that had been noted in the West Mountain. region of Warren County for the last few years went undetected this season. Eastern Whip-poor-will continue in their local strongholds, namely Luther Forest in Malta, Coeymans Hollow near Stanton Pond, and the northern reaches of the Lake George area. Increasing numbers of calling birds were detailed at the Albany Pine Bush Preserve, where as many as five birds were recorded on a single evening by surveyors.

Marshall Schmidt discovered a **Cattle Egret** in farm country west of Ballston Spa on 1 August. It was the first summer season sighting in the Region in quite some time, and quite random. The few that are seen here are normally much later in fall. Two Sandhill Cranes were observed on the west side of the Hudson River between Ft. Miller and Ft. Edward on 3 July. In addition to the Western Sandpiper mentioned previously, there were a few other uncommon sightings in this shorebird-challenged Region. Upland Sandpiper continues to breed in sections of the Ft. Edward grasslands and vicinity, as well as in similar habitat in Montgomery County. Lindsey Duval watched a Ruddy Turnstone drop in to Cohoes Flats for a breather on 1 August. Two reports of Sanderling were received during August. Naomi Lloyd found one on 26 August at Cohoes Flats, and Gary Chapin photographed the other one at Bob & Betty Cummings Memorial Park in the Town of Wright, at the south end of Lake Champlain, on 30 August. Short-billed Dowitchers were seen on consecutive days, at Stockport Flats on 16 August, and at Cohoes Flats on the following day. Both sightings were recorded by David Harrison.

An out-of-season Red-throated Loon was discovered and photographed on Peck Lake in Fulton County on 20 July. It was fun to see a breeding-plumaged

bird in the Region, as they are usually a passage migrant in early spring and late autumn.

Sean Sime awoke to the hooting of a Long-eared Owl while overnighing near the Roaring Kill section of the Catskill Mountains. in Greene County on 31 August. He heard a Northern Saw-whet Owl there as well. Breeding-season reports of Bicknell's Thrush were received from several observers in the Hunter Mountain and Plateau Mountain areas of Greene County.

Hooded Warbler continues to expand northward into the area. On 26 July Matt Medler visited the Sanders Preserve in Glenville, Schenectady County and found two singing males and an agitated female, suggesting the presence of a nest in the vicinity. The preserve has been lightly birded in the past, and rarely in breeding season, so it isn't clear if this represents a first, or ongoing, attempt. Golden-winged Warbler continues to hang on in Region 8 with a few individuals found this June northeast of Whitehall in Washington County.

Bob Yunick provided field notes for the breeding season, as excerpted here:

NESTING SEASON (1 JUN 1 - 31 JUL 2019) – Robert P. Yunick

The following are observations from my feeding/banding operations in the Schenectady, NY area: **1)** feeder in my yard (**yard**) at Sch'dy; **2)** my Adirondack feeding/banding operation at Jenny Lake (**JL**) at 1250 ft. elev. 5 mi W of Corinth, Saratoga Co, NY; my nest box monitoring at **3)** West Hill (**WH**, 55 boxes), Town of Rotterdam, Sch'dy Co, NY; **4)** Landis Arboretum (**LA**, 40 boxes), Town of Esperance, Schoharie Co, NY; and **5)** birding on the Mohawk River (**MR**) east of Sch'dy at Lock 7 (**L7**), Niska-Isle (**NI**) and the old Niskayuna RR Station (**RRS**).

Highlights – overall, a disappointing season at JL.

1) Nest box monitoring – cooler and wetter weather during the season (before the extreme heat in Jul) led to far less blow fly infestation particularly in **Tree Swallow** nests as noted by far fewer blow fly pupae in used nests during removal following fledging. In my experience, blow fly activity is much greater in seasons when high temperatures occur during the peak of the swallow season in Jun. Twenty-four boxes at **WH** produced **94 banded nestlings**, 8 banded ad/F (5 of which were ASY age) and 2 ASY/F returns from previous years. Thirteen boxes at **LA** produced **56 banded nestlings**, and 1 banded SY/F and 1 return ASY/F. The E. **Bluebird** count was **20 banded nestlings** in 5 boxes at **WH** 5/22 to 7/16 with **4 boxes** still containing **14 eggs** on 7/16; and 2 boxes at **LA** produced **7 banded nestlings** 6/12 and 7/8. Lack of earlier coverage in May missed the first broods. Early **House Wren** nesting activity was somewhat suppressed by swallow and bluebird competition, but once swallows fledged and nests were removed, wren activity increased. At **WH 5 boxes** 6/24 to 7/16 produced **22 banded wrens** while **5 boxes at LA** 6/12 to 7/8 produced **23 banded nestlings**.

The **House Sparrow** problem these past few years at **WH** was much reduced this year. No nestlings reached banding stage and only 4 nests with or without eggs were removed. While House Sparrows are accustomed to adding all sorts of junk to their nests making for a very messy looking nest compared to the elegant neatness of a bluebird nest, one

sparrow female that made 2 nesting attempts must have found a dead Mourning Dove nearby because she used dove body feathers in both attempts including 30-40 breast feathers in the first attempt. I've never seen a House Sparrow nest with so many feathers.

2) Purple Finches at JL had another very disappointing breeding season due to climate change. At peak season as on 6/2/19, I operated 4.5 mist nets for 4 hrs from 0700 to 1100 and did not catch a one. For some strange reason, 2 weeks later on 6/15, I caught a season max of 18 consisting of 15 new birds banded and recaptures of one return bird and two repeats. It was all down hill after that with none caught on 7/13 and only one F on 7/20. The season total so far, from Apr is 1 banded in Apr, 7 in May, 20 in Jun and 8 in Jul; **total of 36. Only 4 of those are HY birds: 2 banded 7/6 and 2 on 7/27.** Years ago I banded dozens and dozens. Climate change is wiping out the recruitment needed to maintain the population.

Sunflower seed consumption mirrors this decline. After peaking at nearly 1400 g/day in Dec as part of large Blk-c Chickadee irruption, it dropped to below 500 g/day in Apr and peaked again at 1050 g/day in early Jun only to then continually decline thereafter to a low of 210 g/day by 7/28. In the past Purple Finches swarmed the feeders by late Jul consuming 1000-2000 g/day of seed.

On top of this climate issue, the dominant JL white pine population is under serious attack by White Pine Needle Disease (WPND), now recognized by NYS Dept. of Envir. Conservation as a serious threat to NY forests. Needles are under attack by 4 species of fungi causing premature needle drop in Jun/Jul (normally needles fall in Sep). I first noticed this phenomenon in Jul 2013 and it has occurred every year since this year's fall starting earlier than ever on 6/14 and being the heaviest I've ever seen at JL. The one-time dense canopies of these trees were a solid green; now they are so sparse one can see through them.

3) R-thr Hummer season is also disappointing for reasons not known. Since 5/13, 6 returns have been captured and 23 banded, last on 7/27 but none between 6/30 and 7/26. Four trapping sessions of 1 hr or more on 6/14, 7/5, 7/14 and 7/21 produced no captures. So far, no young have appeared. Sugar-water consumption this season has been below average, peaking at 92 g/day on 5/31 dropping to 7g/day by 7/21. In some past years of greater abundance, it has topped 1000 g/day.

On the contrary, hummer banding conducted by Ted Hicks and myself at a location at **Schroon Lake** in Essex Co, NY was very productive. On 3 dates, 5/25, 6/2 and 6/8, we accounted for **105 hummers**: 60 males (57 new and 3 returns) and 45 females (34 banded and 11 returns, one of which a station record of **8 yrs old**).

203 species were reported during the period.

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ABBREVIATIONS

APBP – Albany Pine Bush Preserve, ALBA; **AR** – Alcove Res, ALBA; **BCM** – Black Creek Marsh, ALBA; **BCR** – Basic Creek Res, ALBA; **BMB** – Bog Meadow Brook Nature Trail, SARA; **CCGP** – Cossackie Creek Grasslands Preserve, GREE; **CF** – Cohoes Flats, ALBA; **CL** – Collins L, SCHE; **CRM** – Cline Rd. Marsh, FULT; **FR** – Five Rivers EEC, ALBA; **FtEG** – Ft. Edward Grasslands, WASH; **FV** – Franklinton Vlaie, SCHO; **HP** – Huyck Preserve, ALBA; **OCA** – Ooms Conservation Area, COLU; **PRWMA** – Partridge Run WMA, ALBA; **SNHP** – Saratoga National Historical P, SARA; **TR** – Tomhannock Res, RENN; **VFNHP** – Vischer Ferry Nature & Historic Preserve, SARA; **WMP** – Wilson M. Powell Wildlife Sanctuary, COLU.

WATERFOWL-HUMMINGBIRDS

BLACK-BELLIED WHISTLING-DUCK: Indian Pd, U Albany 4 Jun, *intro*, NYSARC.

Brant: max 50 Papscaanee I NP RENS 3 Jun.

Wood Duck: max 81 Champlain Canal Lock 2 SARA 3 Aug.

American Black Duck: max 39 CF 24 Jul.

Ruffed Grouse: max 10 Poestenkill Comm Forest RENS 4 Jun.

Yellow-billed Cuckoo: max 2 Whitehall, WASH 1 Jun; BCM 2 Jun; Nutton Hooke COLU 4 Aug.

Black-billed Cuckoo: max 2 mult loc.

Common Nighthawk: max 34 APBP 26 Aug; 16 Colonie ALBA 14 Aug.

Eastern Whip-poor-will: max 5 Malta Tech Park SARA 21 Jun.

Chimney Swift: max 100 CF 8 Aug.

Ruby-throated Hummingbird: max 9 Hillsdale COLU 24 Aug.

RAILS-LARIDS

Virginia Rail: max 8 Carter Pd WMA WASH 30 Jul; 7 BCM 2 Jun; 7 FtEG 15 Jun.

Sora: max 2 Whitehall WASH 8 Jun; BCM 9 Jun.

Common Gallinule: 4 BCM 10 Jun; 4 Carter Pd WMA WASH 17 Aug; 2 Whitehall WASH 6 Jun; Putnam WASH 1 Jun; 2 VFNHP 3 Aug; Palatine MONT 8 Jun; CRM 11 Jun; Lions P, Niskayuna SCHE 18 Jun; T Sharon SCHO 30 Jun.

Sandhill Crane: nr Gansevoort SARA 3 Jul.

Semipalmated Plover: max 15 CF 4 Aug.

Killdeer: max 76 The Crossings ALBA 10 Jul.

Upland Sandpiper: 12 W. Ames Rd MONT 30 Jun; 4 New Swamp Rd WASH 14 Jun; 2 Palatine MONT 3 Jul; Dowmont Rd, Ft Edward WASH 1 Jun; Battenville WASH 21 Jul; Fultonville MONT 29 Jul.

Ruddy Turnstone: CF 1 Aug.

Sanderling: CF 26 Aug; Bob & Betty Cummings Mem P WASH 30 Aug.

Least Sandpiper: max 15 CF 25 Aug.

White-rumped Sandpiper: max 3 CF 3 Aug.

Pectoral Sandpiper: max 2 Stockport Flats COLU 15 Aug.

Semipalmated Sandpiper: max 6 CF 8 Aug.

WESTERN SANDPIPER (R8): CF 10 Jul, *intro*, NYSARC.

Short-billed Dowitcher: Stockport Flats COLU 16 Aug; CF 17 Aug.

American Woodcock: max 4 Stillwater SARA 14 Jun; Warrensburg WARR 27 Jun.
Wilson's Snipe: max 2 HP 31 Aug.
Spotted Sandpiper: max 21 Champlain Canal Lock 2 SARA 3 Aug.
Solitary Sandpiper: max 5 HP 31 Aug.
Lesser Yellowlegs: max 5 CF 27 Aug.
Greater Yellowlegs: max 2 mult loc.
Bonaparte's Gull: max 5 L George WARR 24 Jul.
Ring-billed Gull: max 530 CF 25 Jul.
Herring Gull: max 14 Whitehall WASH 28 Jul.
Great Black-backed Gull: max 4 CF 23 Aug.
Caspian Tern: 4 Bob & Betty Cummings Mem P WASH 18 Aug; 3 Galway L SARA 5 Jul; L George WARR 1 Jun, 2 Jul; New Baltimore GREE 15 Jul.
Common Tern: 2 Henry Hudson P ALBA 13 Jun; Halfmoon SARA 19 Aug.

LOONS-FALCONS

Red-throated Loon: Peck L FULT 20 Jul.
Common Loon: max 12 L George WARR 2 Jul.
Double-crested Cormorant: max 80 TR 8 Aug.
American Bittern: max 4 BCM 2 Jun; Ft Ann WASH 11 Aug, ad & 3 juv.
Least Bittern: max 2 BCM 13 Jun; Stillwater Sch Nature Trail SARA 19 Jun.
Great Blue Heron: max 16 TR 12 Jul.
Great Egret: max 27 Germantown COLU 12 Aug.
CATTLE EGRET (R8): Charlton SARA 1 Aug.
Green Heron: max 8 Schaghticoke RENS 27 Aug.
Black-crowned Night-Heron: 2 Bob & Betty Cummings Mem P WASH 24 Aug; Sprakers MONT 26 Jun; Niskayuna SCHE 23 Aug.
Black Vulture: max 15 Guilderland ALBA 20 Aug.
Turkey Vulture: max 50 Sprakers MONT 28 Jul.
Osprey: max 6 Crescent Power Plant ALBA 1 Aug.
Northern Harrier: max 3 Seward SCHO 20 Jul.
Bald Eagle: max 10 Crescent Power Plant ALBA 17 Jun.

Red-shouldered Hawk: max 2 Stillwater SARA 19 Jun.
Broad-winged Hawk: max 6 Pine L FULT 24 Aug.
Red-tailed Hawk: max 4 APBP 7 Jun, Hunter GREE 15 Aug.
Eastern Screech-Owl: max 2 Stockport COLU 20 Aug.
Great Horned Owl: max 2 mult loc.
Barred Owl: max 5 Clifton Park SARA 24 Jun.
Long-eared Owl: Hunter GREE 31 Aug.
Northern Saw-whet Owl: Hunter GREE 31 Aug.
Belted Kingfisher: max 7 Stillwater Sch Nature Trail SARA 6 Aug.
Red-bellied Woodpecker: max 9 APBP 1 Jun.
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker: max 15 White Creek WASH 4 Aug.
Downy Woodpecker: max 9 BMB 14 Jul.
Hairy Woodpecker: max 5 Poestenkill RENS 25 Jul.
Northern Flicker: max 9 Hillsdale COLU 20 Jun.
Pileated Woodpecker: max 4 mult loc.
American Kestrel: max 11 Sprakers MONT 30 Aug.
Merlin: max 3 Silver Bay WARR 29 Jul, at nest.
Peregrine Falcon: max 4 Dunn Mem Brdg RENS 19 Jun.

FLYCATCHERS-SNOW BUNTING

Great Crested Flycatcher: max 10 BMB 14 Jul; 8 APBP 9 Jun.
Eastern Kingbird: max 10 VFNHP 10 Aug; 8 FtEG 14 Jul; 7 APBP 9 Jun; 7 OCA 13 Jul.
Olive-sided Flycatcher: APBP 1 Jun; Pharaoh L Trail WARR 2 Jun; Vosburgh Swamp WMA GREE 27 Aug.
Eastern Wood-Pewee: max 12 Wilton Wildlife Pres SARA 15 Aug; 11 Overmountain Cons Area COLU 22 Jun; 10 BMB 19 Jun.
Yellow-bellied Flycatcher: max 2 Plateau Mt GREE 2 Jul.
Alder Flycatcher: max 9 BMB 19 Jun; 4 BCM 2 Jun.
Willow Flycatcher: max 23 BCM 9 Jun; 12 FtEG 13 Jun.
Least Flycatcher: max 11 Mt Tom SF WASH 2 Jun.

Eastern Phoebe: max 30 Overmountain Cons Area COLU 25 Aug.

Yellow-throated Vireo: max 5 Lions P Niskayuna SCHE 23 Jun; BMB 14 Jul.

Blue-headed Vireo: max 9 Spruceton Trail GREE 22 Jun.

Warbling Vireo: max 20 Schaghticoke RENS 7 Jun.

Red-eyed Vireo: max 33 Plotterkill Pres SCHE 4 Jul.

Fish Crow: max 45 Queensbury WARR 11 Aug.

Common Raven: max 8 Palenville GREE 15 Aug; 7 Johnsburg WARR 5 Aug; 6 FtEG 22 Jun.

Horned Lark: Saratoga County Arpt SARA 27 Jun, only report.

Purple Martin: max 22 Round L Pres SARA 22 Aug; 12 Saratoga Springs Waterfront P SARA 3 Jun.

Tree Swallow: max 600 Ghent COLU 1 Aug.

Northern Rough-winged Swallow: max 35 CF 20 Jun.

Bank Swallow: max 50 Staats Island Rd, RENS 13 Jul.

Cliff Swallow: max 12 Cobleskill Res SCHO 19 Jun.

Barn Swallow: max 187 Stillwater Riverfront P SARA 1 Aug.

Black-capped Chickadee: max 45 Wilton Wildlife Pres SARA 28 Jul.

Tufted Titmouse: max 39 Wilton Wildlife Pres SARA 15 Aug.

Red-breasted Nuthatch: max 8 Hague WARR 24 Jul.

White-breasted Nuthatch: max 14 Wilton Wildlife Pres SARA 15 Aug.

Brown Creeper: max 4 Crystal L WARR 5 Aug.

House Wren: max 7 APBP 9 Jun.

Winter Wren: max 10 Plateau Mt GREE 9 Jun.

Sedge Wren: max 2 FtEG 23 Jun.

Marsh Wren: max 38 BCM 9 Jun; 8 Lions P, Niskayuna SCHE 23 Jun; 8 VFNHP 23 Jun.

Carolina Wren: max 11 Normanskill Farm ALBA 27 Jul.

Blue-gray Gnatcatcher: max 8 VFNHP 3 Aug.

Golden-crowned Kinglet: max 9 Mt Tom SF WASH 31 Aug.

Ruby-crowned Kinglet: last 3 Hunter Mt GREE 9 Jun; arr Charlton SARA 27 Aug.

Eastern Bluebird: max 25 Overmountain Cons Area COLU 16 Aug; 20 FR 27 Aug.

Veery: max 26 BMB 14 Jul; 15 Schodack I SP RENS 1 Jun.

Bicknell's Thrush: max 5 Plateau Mt GREE 3 Jul.

Swainson's Thrush: max 11 Plateau Mt GREE 3 Jul.

Hermit Thrush: max 8 Hunter Mt GREE 9 Jun.

Wood Thrush: max 10 Saratoga Spa SP SARA 24 Jun; Schodack I SP 16 Jul.

Gray Catbird: max 47 BMB 25 Aug.

Brown Thrasher: max 3 mult loc.

Northern Mockingbird: max 7 Albany Int Arpt ALBA 4 Jul; The Crossings ALBA 10 Jul.

Cedar Waxwing: max 50 BMB 20 Aug.

Evening Grosbeak: max 4 Oppenheim FULT 31 Aug.

Purple Finch: max 9 Johnstown FULT 6 Aug.

Red Crossbill: Spruceton Trail GREE 23 Jun; Hague WARR 24 Jul.

Pine Siskin: max 6 Livingston COLU 8 Jun.

NEW WORLD SPARROWS- CARDINALIDS

Eastern Towhee: max 19 APBP 1 Jun.

Chipping Sparrow: max 75 Overmountain Cons Area COLU 31 Aug.

Clay-colored Sparrow: APBP 1 Jun; Sharon Springs SCHO 25 Jun; Wilton Wildlife Pres SARA 7 Jul.

Field Sparrow: max 30 Overmountain Cons Area COLU 25 Aug; 16 Putnam WASH 2 Jun.

Vesper Sparrow: 2 FtEG 16 Jul; Saratoga County Arpt SARA 10 Jun; Bob & Betty Cummings Mem P WASH 31 Aug.

Savannah Sparrow: max 25 OCA 6 Jul; 20 Albany Int Arpt ALBA 4 Jul.

Grasshopper Sparrow: 3 FtEG 23 Jun; 3 Saratoga County Arpt SARA 4 Jul; 2 Cobleskill SCHO 4 Jul; SNHP 14 Jun; Overmountain Cons Area COLU 22 Jun; Sharon Springs SCHO 2 Jul.

Lincoln's Sparrow: 2 Willie Wildlife Marsh FULT 11 Jun, only report.

Swamp Sparrow: max 54 BCM 9 Jun.

White-throated Sparrow: max 7 Spruceton Trail GREE 22 Jun.

Dark-eyed Junco: max 12 Mountain Top Arboretum GREE 14 Jul.

Bobolink: max 180 Hillsdale COLU 25 Aug; 80 Halfmoon SARA 31 Aug; 61 OCA 6 Jun.

Eastern Meadowlark: max 7 FtEG 6 Jun, OCA 6 Jun.

Orchard Oriole: max 5 OCA 13 Jul; 4 SNHP 19 Jun.

Baltimore Oriole: max 10 Hoosick RENS 12 Jun.

Ovenbird: max 30 Spruceton Trail GREE 20 Jun; 29 Anchor Diamond P SARA 23 Jun; 15 Poestenkill Comm Forest RENS 4 Jun; 15 Louise E. Keir WMA ALBA 8 Jun; 15 L Taghkanic SP COLU 26 Jun; 14 Schodack I SP RENS 1 Jun.

Worm-eating Warbler: 2 Louise E. Keir WMA ALBA 15 Jun; 2 Alander Mt Trail COLU 7 Jun; Escarpment Trail GREE 7 Jun; Hillsdale COLU 10 Jun; Schor Cons Area COLU 13 Jun.

Louisiana Waterthrush: max 5 HP 15 Jun; last 2 West Kill GREE 11 Aug.

Northern Waterthrush: 3 Cherry Plain SP RENS 5 Jun; 3 BMB 19 Jun.

Golden-winged Warbler: 2 Whitehall WASH 4 Jun.

Blue-winged Warbler: max 6 Valatie COLU 14 Jul; 4 Whitehall WASH 28 Jun; 4 Hillsdale COLU 8 Jul.

“Brewster’s Warbler”: Whitehall WASH 1 Jun.

Black-and-white Warbler: max 8 West Kill Mt GREE 4 Jun; 7 Mt Ton SF WASH 2 Jun; 7 Plateau Mt GREE 9 Jun.

Tennessee Warbler: max 2 Putnam WASH 1 Jun; last Putnam WASH 2 Jun; arr White Creek WASH 1 Aug, early; Johnsborg WARR 27 Aug.

Nashville Warbler: max 5 Garnet L WARR 1 Jun; 4 Cat & Thomas Mt Pres WARR 1 Jul; 3 Fox Hill Rd SARA 1 Jun; 3 L Desolation SF SARA 6 Jul;

Mourning Warbler: 2 Fox Hill Rd SARA 1 Jun; 2 Stony Creek WARR 29 Jun; 2 Middle Grove SARA 4 Jun; Oppenheim FULT 30 Jun; Schenectady Co Forest Pres SCHE 8 Jul.

Common Yellowthroat: max 26 BCM 2 Jun.

Hooded Warbler: max 3 Sanders Pres SCHE 26 Jul; Louise E. Keir WMA ALBA 8 Jun; L Taghkanic SP COLU 26 Jun; New Scotland ALBA 27 Jun.

American Redstart: max 30 Papscanee I SP RENS 1 Jun; 28 Schodack I SP RENS 1 Jun; 12 VFNHP 6 Jun; 12 Alander Mt Trail COLU 13 Jun.

Cape May Warbler: last Johnsborg Warr 1 Jun; arr Pine L FULT 30 Aug.

Cerulean Warbler: 2 Schodack I SP RENS 1 Jun; 2 Taconic SP COLU 7 Jun; 2 Alander Mt Trail COLU 14 Jun; Ancram COLU 1 Jun; Papscanee I SP RENS 1 Jun.

Northern Parula: 2 Archer Vly SARA 8 Jun; 2 Johnsborg WARR 9 Jun; 2 Stony Creek WARR 28 Jun; 2 Brant L WARR 9 Jul.

Magnolia Warbler: max 13 West Kill Mt GREE 4 Jun; mig arr Yankee Hill Lock MONT 24 Aug.

Bay-breasted Warbler: last Cherry Plain SP RENS 1 Jun; arr Hague WARR 31 Aug.

Blackburnian Warbler: max 12 Johnsborg WARR 1 Jun; mig arr Hillsdale COLU 23 Aug.

Yellow Warbler: max 31 VFNHP 6 Jun.

Chestnut-sided Warbler: max 14 APBP 9 Jun.

Blackpoll Warbler: max 17 Plateau Mt GREE 3 Jul; 16 West Kill Mt GREE 4 Jun.

Black-throated Blue Warbler: max 12 West Kill Mt GREE 4 Jun; mig arr Yankee Hill Lock MONT 24 Aug.

Palm Warbler: Warrensburg WARR 7 Jul.

Pine Warbler: max 10 Wilton Wildlife Pres SARA 10 Aug.

Yellow-rumped Warbler: max 19 Spruceton Trail GREE 22 Jun.

Prairie Warbler: 12 APBP 9 Jun; 5 Putnam WASH 2 Jun; 5 Wilton Wildlife Pres SARA 7 Jul.

Black-throated Green Warbler: max 15 Plateau Mt GREE 20 Jul; mig arr Normanskill Farm ALBA 25 Aug.

Canada Warbler: max 6 L Desolation SF SARA 6 Jul; mig arr Johnstown FULT 24 Aug.

Wilson’s Warbler: arr White Creek WASH 22 Aug.

Scarlet Tanager: max 7 Anchor Diamond P SARA 23 Jun.

Northern Cardinal: max 17 APBP 1 Jun.

Rose-breasted Grosbeak: max 9 Summit SCHO 10 Jul.

Indigo Bunting: max 15 Guilderland ALBA 27 Aug.