

REGION 3—FINGER LAKES

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March 2021 was warmer and drier than normal. April was warmer and wetter than normal. May was cooler and wetter than normal. In Ithaca, the average low temperature in March was 24.1° F, 2.3° above normal. The average high temperature was 47.0°, 6.2° above normal. Total precipitation was 1.19", 1.59" less than normal. Snowfall totaled 1.9", 10.1" less than normal. Snow depth peaked at 3" on 1 March. Measurable amounts of snow were on the ground from 1 to 9 March. In April, the average low temperature was 34.5°, 1.6° above normal and the average high was 55.1°, 0.6° above normal. The 3.88" of precipitation was 0.48" more than normal. Total snowfall was 4.1", 1.3" more than normal. May had an average low temperature of 54.3°, 1.3° below normal and average high temperature of 66.2°, 1.1° below normal. Precipitation was 4.05", 0.85" more than normal. Warm fronts passed through the Region on 4, 9, 18, 21, 26, and 31 March; 4, 11, 14, 18, 24, and 28 April; and 3, 5, 13, 18, and 26 May.

The peak of migrating Canada Geese occurred 9-10 March. Snow Goose numbers peaked 17 March. Most of the Ross's Goose observations were of individuals spotted among flocks of Snow Geese flying overhead. The only White-fronted Goose report was at Geneva in mid-March. Brant passed through the Region in a narrow 5-day window in mid-May. Cackling Geese made an early departure with the last seen 22 March. Barnacle x Snow and Snow x Canada Goose hybrids appeared again at Seneca Lake State Park in early March. The latter hybrid was also reported from Cayuga Lake and from Ithaca. Tundra Swans

peaked 10 March and made an early departure with the last reported 20 March. Observers reported high counts for Mute and Trumpeter Swans.

There was nothing extraordinary to report regarding dabbling ducks, except the high count of 100 Wood Ducks from Queen Catharine Marsh. Single Eurasian Wigeons were at the north end of Seneca Lake and the south end of Cayuga Lake. Reports of two came from Montezuma National Wildlife Refuge (MNWR). *Aythya* ducks were abundant with high counts reported for Canvasback, Redhead, and both scaup species. A **Tufted Duck** was on Canandaigua Lake during the first three weeks of March. Myers Point hosted the high count of 100 White-winged Scoters.

Fifty Mourning Doves at a location in the Town of Van Etten and 22 migrating Common Nighthawks at the Bluegrass Lane Natural Area were high counts. Encouragingly, Eastern Whip-poor-will reports came from five different counties in the Region. The first reports from Chemung and Steuben on 28 April were early arrivals.

Three constitutes a high spring count for the elusive Sora and that was the count in the Town of Lansing, at the Etna Fringed Gentian Area, and at MNWR. The count of 21 Sandhill Cranes at MNWR was also high for spring.

Arrival dates for shorebirds were generally normal. Observers reported high counts for several species: Whimbrel, Least Sandpiper, Lesser Yellowlegs, Greater Yellowlegs, and Wilson's Phalarope. A **Ruff** was at MNWR on 22 May. The Region's only Long-billed Dowitcher was at MNWR on 12 May.

A Bonaparte's Gull at Canandaigua Lake on 3 March was early. Unusual gulls were a Black-legged Kittiwake at Seneca Lake Camp in mid-April, Little Gulls at Canandaigua, Cayuga, and Seneca Lakes from early April to early May, a Laughing Gull at Seneca Lake in late May, a Franklin's Gull at Myers Point in mid-April, and Glaucous Gull at Cayuga Lake in early March. Tern arrival dates were normal for all four species that regularly occur in the Region. The count of 85 Common Terns at Long Point State Park in early May was high.

Bittern and heron arrival dates were normal. High counts were reported for American Bittern, Great Blue Heron, and Black-crowned Night-Heron. Three Glossy Ibises arrived at MNWR in mid-April and continued into early May. A **White-faced Ibis** appeared there for one day in mid-May.

The last Golden Eagle in the Region was spotted on 3 April, an early departure date. Bald Eagles were abundant with a new high count of 77 at MNWR in mid-May. The only Northern Saw-whet Owl report came from the Town of Ithaca in mid-March. A nest full of Peregrine chicks with their parents at Taughannock Falls State Park produced a spring high count of six.

Stewart Park attracted a high count of Belted Kingfishers and Sapsucker Woods produced a high count of Red-bellied Woodpeckers. The Regionally scarce Red-headed Woodpecker occurred in five counties.

Except for an early arriving Olive-sided Flycatcher at Breesport Park on 6 May, arrival dates and maximum counts of flycatchers were normal. An estimated 5000 American Crows at Stewart Park was a new high.

A Cliff Swallow at MNWR on 31 March was early. There was a high count of Northern Rough-winged Swallows at the Horseheads Marsh and of Barn Swallows at Lake Road Bluff in the Town of Ledyard.

Observers found individual Sedge Wrens in the Town of Starkey and in the Town of Caroline in early May. A Ruby-crowned Kinglet in Ithaca on 6 March was early. Twenty Eastern Bluebirds in the Town of Ithaca in late March was high. A Brown Thrasher in the Town of Elmira on 1 April was early. The maximum count of 42 Cedar Waxwings was low. The count of 50 House Sparrows at Stewart Park was high.

The Region had an almost complete assortment of winter finches lingering. One Evening Grosbeak lingered through the end of the season in the Town of Van Etten where the peak number had reached 84 in early May. There was a high count of Purple Finches in the Town of Erin. Common Redpolls had their peak in the Town of Van Etten in mid-March. The last one was in the Town of Romulus on the late date of 4 May. The last reported Hoary Redpoll was in the Town of Ovid 9 March. Red Crossbills peaked at Summerhill State Forest in mid-April and some lingered in the Region through the end of the season. The last White-winged Crossbill was in the Town of Potter on 20 April. The maximum count of Pine Siskins was in early May and some were still in the Region through the end of May.

The only report of Clay-colored Sparrow was from the Town of Danby on the early date of 17 April. Otherwise, arrival dates and maximum counts of sparrow species were normal.

The Region's only Yellow-breasted Chat appeared at MNWR on 19 May and continued through the end of the season. Arrival dates for icterids were normal. Observers reported high counts for Baltimore Oriole at Lindsay-Parsons Biodiversity Preserve and, surprisingly, for Rusty Blackbird at MNWR.

Early arriving warblers were a Northern Waterthrush on 19 April, a Prothonotary Warbler at MNWR on 3 May, a Hooded Warbler in the Town of Van Etten on 28 April, and a Yellow-rumped Warbler on 14 March. A high count of nine Mourning Warblers came from the Town of Avoca. The Town of Jerusalem produced a high count of 11 Hooded Warblers. An Orange-crowned Warbler was at the Durland Preserve on the late date of 23 May. Golden-winged Warblers appeared at seven different sites, one in Chemung County and six in Tompkins County. A Yellow-throated Warbler was in the Town of Caroline 29 April through 2 May.

Lastly, 34 Northern Cardinals at Kendal at Ithaca was a high count.

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ABBREVIATIONS

AF – Arnot Forest; **BL** – Beebe L, TOMP; **BLNA** – Bluegrass Lane Natural Area, TOMP; **CanL** – Canandaigua L, ONTA; **CLSP** – Cayuga L SP; **CygL** – Cayuga L; **DSF** – Danby State Forest, TOMP; **GCC** – Geneva Country Club, ONTA; **HH** – Hog Hole, TOMP; **HO** – Hawthorn Orchard, TOMP; **IR** – Ithaca Res, TOMP; **LPBP** – Lindsay-Parsons Biodiversity Pres, TOMP; **LPSP** – Long Pt SP; **MNWR** – Montezuma NWR; **MtP** – Mt Pleasant, TOMP; **MyPt** – Myers Pt, TOMP; **OP** – Ontario Pathways, ONTA; **QCM** – Queen Catharine Marsh, SCHU; **RRRP** – Ridgeway Road Rail Trail, TOMP; **SenL** – Seneca L; **SLSP** – Seneca L SP; **SPNA** – Salt Pt Natural Area, TOMP; **StP** – Stewart P, TOMP; **SW** – Sapsucker Woods, TOMP; **TCar** – T Caroline, TOMP; **TDry** – T Dryden, TOMP; **TFay** – T Fayette, SENE; **Tlth** – T Ithaca, TOMP; **TJer** – T Jerusalem, YATE; **TMor** – T Moravia, CAYU; **TOv** – T Ovid, SENE; **TPot** – T Potter, YATE; **TRom** – T Romulus, SENE; **TTyr** – T Tyre, SENE; **TVE** – T Van Etten, CHEM.

WATERFOWL – HUMMINGBIRDS

Ross's Goose: arr Tlth 9 Mar; last CygL SENE 22 Mar.

Greater White-fronted Goose: T Geneva SENE 13 Mar (TLe, rec).

Brant: arr LPBP 16 May (mob, ph); max 31 MNWR 16 May (MMi, ph, early); last 5 MNWR 20 May; T Throop CAYU 20 May.

Cackling Goose: max 36 SLSP 7 Mar; last BL 22 Mar, early.

Barnacle x Cackling Goose (hybrid): SLSP 9 Mar (BCL, ph); SLSP 19 Mar (TLe, ph).

Snow x Canada Goose (hybrid): SLSP 7-9 Mar (mob, ph); CygL SENE 7 Mar (JM, ph); Ecology House TOMP 9 Mar (THE!).

Mute Swan: max 30 CygL SENE 7 Mar (JM, SO), high; last MNWR 23 May (FM), late..

Trumpeter Swan: max 20 MNWR 20 Mar (RCO, JP), high.

Tundra Swan: max 1000 Cyg L SENE 10 Mar; last TDry 20 Mar, early.

Wood Duck: max 100 QCM 16 Mar (BCA, DD), high.

Blue-winged Teal: arr 8 MNWR 23 Mar; max 100 MNWR 11-24 Apr. **TJer**

Eurasian Wigeon: arr East Shore P TOMP 5 Mar; max 2 Seneca Trail SENE 15 Mar; last 2 MNWR 23 Apr.

Green-winged Teal: arr 4 SPNA 7 Mar; max 950 MNWR 8 May.

Canvasback: max 20,000 CLSP 20 Mar (SB, BWal!), high; last 2 MNWR 24 Apr.

Redhead: max 60,000 CLSP 21 Mar (JM!), high.

Redhead x Ring-necked Duck (hybrid): MNWR 5 May (TLe!).

TUFTED DUCK: CanL 3-20 Mar (mob, ph).

Greater Scaup: max 4000 CLSP 21 Mar (JM!), high; last 3 MNWR 13 May.

Lesser Scaup: max 8000 CLSP 21 Mar (JM!), high; last 4 MNWR 30 May.

Redhead x Scaup (sp.) (hybrid): Hi Tor WMA YATE 6 Mar (JM, LiS. ph).

Ring-necked Duck x Scaup (sp.) (hybrid): StP 27 Mar (THE, DaH!).

Surf Scoter: arr CanL 8 Apr; max 6 GCC 19 Apr; last 2 Aurua High Banks CAYU 8 May; 2 MyPt 8 May.

White-winged Scoter: arr MyPt 3 Mar; max 100 MyPt 8 May (mob), high; last 2 MyPt 20 May.

Black Scoter: arr Waterloo Treatment Plant SENE 13 Apr; max 2 SenL SENE 14 Apr; last Waterloo Treatment Plant SENE 20 May; SenL SENE 20 May.

Long-tailed Duck: max 135 SenL SENE 13 Apr; last 4 SenL SENE 20 May.

Common Goldeneye: max 200 SLSP 7 Mar; last 2 SLSP 16 May.

Pied-billed Grebe: arr 2 MNWR 13 Mar; max 33 MNWR 13 Apr.

Horned Grebe: arr 3 Lake Road Bluff CAYU 8 Mar; max 20 Aurora Bay Boathouse CAYU 20 Mar; SenL SENE 19 Apr.

Red-necked Grebe: max 6 SenL SENE 19 Apr; last 5 SenL SENE 17 May.

Mourning Dove: max 50 TVE 4 Mar (JCorc), high.

Yellow-billed Cuckoo: arr TMor 8 May; max 5 TVE 24 May.

Black-billed Cuckoo: arr HO 4 May; max 7 MNWR 20 May.

Common Nighthawk: arr Monkey Run TOMP 17 May; max 22 BLNA 20 May (BWal!), high.

Eastern Whip-poor-will: arr TVE 28 Apr (JCorc, MPe, rec); T Erwin STEU 28 Apr (AK), early.

Chimney Swift: arr 2 StP 17 Apr; max 150 One Franklin Square ONTA 30 Apr.

Ruby-throated Hummingbird: arr Ithaca 30 Apr; max 5 MNWR 21 May.

RAILS – TROPICBIRDS

Virginia Rail: arr Hile School Road Wetland TOMP 10 Apr; max 6 QCM 1 May.

Sora: arr Hile School Road Wetland TOMP 11 Apr; max 3 T Lansing TOMP 8 May (JM, TSa); Etna Fringed Gentian Area TOMP 8 May (JM, TSa); 3 MNWR 16 May (SB, JM), high.

Common Gallinule: arr MNWR 11 Apr; max 12 MNWR 9 May.

Sandhill Crane: arr 3 QCM 7 Mar; max 21 MNWR 19 Mar (DK), high.

Black-bellied Plover: arr 3 MNWR 11 May; max 21 MyPt 25 May.

Semipalmated Plover: arr 2 MNWR 9 May; max 180 MNWR 16 May.

Upland Sandpiper: arr Lott Farm SENE 18 Apr.

Whimbrel: arr 4 TVE 21 May, nocturnal; max 45 MyPt 25 May (PH, THE), high; last 3 City Pier 26 May; SenL SENE 26 May.

Ruddy Turnstone: arr 2 MNWR 21 May; max 17 Geneva Lakefront P ONTA 26 May.

Red Knot: arr & max 3 MNWR 29 May, late.

RUFF: MNWR 22 May (mob, ph).

Sanderling: arr StP 22 Mar (LeSa, ph, LSu, SSu).

Dunlin: arr 2 MNWR 10 Apr; max 250 MNWR 22 May.

Least Sandpiper: arr MNWR 29 Apr; max 3700 MNWR 16 May (TLe!), high.

White-rumped Sandpiper: arr 2 MNWR 8 May; max 5 MNWR 28 May.

Pectoral Sandpiper: arr MNWR Apr 9; max 19 MNWR 13 Apr.

Semipalmated Sandpiper: arr MNWR 11 May; max 175 MNWR 28 May.

Short-billed Dowitcher: arr 2 MNWR 13 May; max 25 TVE 21 May, nocturnal; last 20 MNWR 29 May.

Long-billed Dowitcher: MNWR 12 May (JM!).

American Woodcock: arr 2 TRom 9 Mar; T Canandaigua ONTA 9 Mar; max 18 Dryden Rail Trail TOMP 20 Mar; 18 T Veteran CHEM 27 Apr.

Wilson's Snipe: TDry 20 Mar; max 30 MNWR 26 Apr.

Spotted Sandpiper: arr Canvasback Camp SENE 14 Apr; max 10 MNWR 12 May.

Solitary Sandpiper: arr 2 MNWR 23 Apr; max 15 TTyr 2 May; 15 Goetchicus Wetland Pres TOMP 8 May.

Lesser Yellowlegs: arr 10 MNWR 10 Apr; max 1200 MNWR 12 May (JM!), high.

Willet: arr & max 9 SenL YATE 2 May.

Greater Yellowlegs: arr 3 MNWR 28 Mar; max 400 MNWR 12 May (JM!), high.

Wilson's Phalarope: arr MNWR 12 May; max 6 MNWR 24 May (GD!), high.

Black-legged Kittiwake: SenL Camp SENE 13 Apr (TLe!).

Bonaparte's Gull: arr CanL 3 Mar (MBR, ph, FKD, ph), early; max 260 LPSP 8 May.

Little Gull: arr CanL 8 Apr; last LPSP 8 May.

Laughing Gull: SenL SENE 26 May (BCa, KyG, ph).

Franklin's Gull: MyPt 19 Apr (JM, ph).

Iceland Gull: last 2 Lighthouse Pt Natural Area TOMP 3 Mar.

Lesser Black-backed Gull: max 12 StP 14 Mar.

Glaucous Gull: CygL SENE 7 Mar; StP 12 Mar.

Caspian Tern: arr 2 MNWR 8 Apr; max 46 MNWR 23 Apr.

Black Tern: arr 26 MNWR 3 May; max 80 MNWR 14 May.

Common Tern: arr 42 SenL SENE 21 Apr; max 85 LPSP 8 May (JM!, TSa), high.

Forster's Tern: arr MyPt 2 May; max 3 LPSP 8 May; last LPSP 20 May.

LOONS – PARAKEET

Red-throated Loon: max 4 GCC 19 Apr; last Atwater Meadows P ONTA 12 May.

American Bittern: arr MNWR 11 Apr; max 4 TVE 27 Apr (JCorc, MPe), nocturnal, high..

Least Bittern: arr Sperr Memorial P CHEM 8 May; Van Eten Wildlife Sanctuary CHEM 8 May; max 2 QCM 22 May.

Great Blue Heron: max 202 MNWR 9 May (EMu!, ph), high.

Great Egret: arr Sunset P TOMP 6 Apr; max 24 MNWR 20 May.

Green Heron: arr IR 13 Apr; max 9 Ecology House TOMP 5 May, nocturnal.

Black-crowned Night-Heron: arr MNWR 11 Apr; max 47 MNWR 14 May (TLe!, RSt, AdT), high.

Glossy Ibis: arr 3 MNWR 10 Apr (RSi, ph), early; max 3 MNWR 10 Apr–6 May.

WHITE-FACED IBIS: MNWR 15 May (mob, ph).

Osprey: arr MNWR 20 Mar; max 13 MNWR 31 May.

Golden Eagle: max 4 BLNA 10 Mar; 4 MtP 10 Mar; last T Ulysses TOMP 3 Apr, early.

Bald Eagle: max 77 MNWR 18 May (TLe!), high.

Broad-winged Hawk: arr T Canandaigua ONTA 8 Apr; max 19 BLNA 19 Apr; 19 BL 27 Apr.

Rough-legged Hawk: max 2 MNWR 2 Apr; last MNWR 26 Apr.

Snowy Owl: max 2 Finger Lakes Regional Airport SENE 14 Mar; last Finger Lakes Regional Airport SENE 17 Mar.

Short-eared Owl: max 2 T Phelps ONTA 29 Mar; 2 TOv 25 Mar; last MNWR 12 Apr.

Northern Saw-whet Owl: Tith 15 Mar (JGK).

Belted Kingfisher: max 9 StP 7 May (JAb), high.

Red-headed Woodpecker: arr Mulholland Wildflower Pres TOMP 19 Apr; max 2 TPot 14-27 May.

Red-bellied Woodpecker: max 12 SW 3 May (WvH), high.

Yellow-bellied Sapsucker: arr 2 LPBP 27 Mar.

Peregrine Falcon: max 6 Taughannock Falls SP 16 May (SB, JM!), high.

FLYCATCHERS – SNOW BUNTING

Great Crested Flycatcher: arr Dryden Rail Trail 30 Apr; max 7 SW 21 May.

Eastern Kingbird: arr Dryden L TOMP 24 Apr; max 8 SW 21 May; 8 QCM 10 May; 8 Canandaigua L YATE 31 May.

Olive-sided Flycatcher: arr Breesport P CHEM 6 May (AC!), early.last TVE 24 May; Tlth 24 May.

Eastern Wood-Pewee: arr HH 8 May; DSF 8 May; max 10 LPBP 31 May.

Yellow-bellied Flycatcher: arr IR 21 May; max 2 HO 23 May.

Acadian Flycatcher: arr Hi Tor WMA YATE 20 May; max 4 Cayuta Creek SCHU 27 May.

Alder Flycatcher: arr T Hector SCHU 16 May; TCar 16 May; TDry 16 May; max 11 SW 27 May.

Willow Flycatcher: arr MNWR 14 May; max 9 MNWR 22 May.

Least Flycatcher: arr Keuka L Outlet Trail YATE 27 Apr; max 6 T Wheeler STEU 22 May.

Eastern Phoebe: arr Palmer Woods TOMP 11 Mar; max 9 T Venice CAYU 8 Apr.

Northern Shrike: last Steam Mill Fen TOMP 4 Apr.

Yellow-throated Vireo: arr TVE 29 Apr; max 9 Kashong Conservation Area ONTA 9 May.

Blue-headed Vireo: arr TVE 10 Apr; Texas Hollow State Forest SCHU 10 Apr; SW 10 Apr; TDry 10 Apr; max 8 Robert Treman SP 13 May.

Philadelphia Vireo: arr TTYr 7 May; max 2 Robert Treman SP 15 May.

Warbling Vireo: arr T Venice CAYU 27 Apr; Cayuga Heights 27 Apr; max 15 SPNA 7 May.

Red-eyed Vireo: arr MNWR 3 May; Goethicus Wetland Pres TOMP 3 May; max 46 DSF 17 May.

American Crow: max 5000 StP 10 Mar (JM), high.

Purple Martin: arr 6 MNWR 5 Apr; max 50 MNWR 3-24 May.

Tree Swallow: arr 5 LPSP 11 Mar; 3 MNWR 11 Mar; 3 T Seneca Falls SENE 11 Mar; max 1246 MNWR 11 Apr.

Northern Rough-winged Swallow: arr 2 Cornell Research Ponds TOMP 30 Mar; max 55 Horseheads Marsh CHEM 8 May (JCorc, MPe), high.

Bank Swallow: arr MNWR 11 Apr; max 80 SenL SENE 8 May; 80 MyPt 8 May.

Cliff Swallow: arr MNWR 31 Mar (GD!), early; max 10 T Erwin STEU 11 May; 10 Grove Street Fishing Access CHEM 30 May
Barn Swallow: arr StP 1 Apr; max 1200 Lake Road Bluff CAYU 8 May (JM!, TSa), high.
House Wren: arr Ithaca 13 Apr; max 10 HO 9 May.
Winter Wren: arr TDry 23 Mar; max 6 AF 24 May.
Sedge Wren: T Starkey YATE 2 May (KR, rec); TCar 4 May (HAd, THo!).
Marsh Wren: arr MNWR 11 Apr; max 27 MNWR 31 May.
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher: arr GCC 22 Apr; max 5 Frontenac Pt SENE 6 May.
Ruby-crowned Kinglet: arr Ithaca 6 Mar (Dave Nutter!), early; max 25 RRRT 20 Apr.
Eastern Bluebird: max 20 Tlth 25 Mar (PH), high.
Veery: arr BL 1 May; max 17 DSF 22 May.
Gray-cheeked Thrush: arr TVE 20 May; BL 20 May; max 5 BL 24 May; 5 TVE 26 May.
Swainson's Thrush: arr TMor 7 May; Tlth 7 May; max 62 TVE 20 May, nocturnal.
Hermit Thrush: arr TDry 1 Apr; TCar 1 Apr; max 7 Gleason Meadows CHEM 24 Apr.
Wood Thrush: arr Summerhill State Forest CAYU 28 Apr; T Veteran CHEM 28 Apr; max 10 IR 21 May.
Gray Catbird: arr T Erin CHEM 15 Apr; max 25 Dryden L TOMP 9 May; 25 RRRT 16 May.
Brown Thrasher: arr T Elmira CHEM 1 Apr (Anita Seaberg!), early; max 6 Catharine Valley Trail SCHU 25 Apr.
Cedar Waxwing: max 42 Tlth 18 May, low.
House Sparrow: max 50 StP 15 Mar (THE, SO), high.
American Pipit: arr BLNA 9 Mar; max 250 T Benton YATE 18 Apr. last Tlth 21 May.
Evening Grosbeak: max 84 TVE 8 May.
Purple Finch: max 42 T Erin CHEM 8 May (WBl), high.
Common Redpoll: max 250 TVE 18 Mar; last TRom 4 May (MiPa!), late.
Hoary Redpoll: max 2 TPot 6 Mar; last TOv 9 Mar.
Red Crossbill: max 20 Summerhill State Forest CAYU 14 Apr.
White-winged Crossbill: max 5 Cornell University 1 Mar; last TPot 20 Apr.
Pine Siskin: max 36 TDry 9 May.
Lapland Longspur: arr 35 TFay 10 Apr; last TFay 22 Apr.
Snow Bunting: max 400 Savannah Mucklands SENE 8 Mar; last T Seneca ONTA 2 Apr.

NEW WORLD SPARROWS – CARDINALIDS

Eastern Towhee: arr TMor 17 Mar; max 16 TJer 15 May.
American Tree Sparrow: max 27 MNWR 20 Mar; last Geneva 25 Apr; QCM 25 Apr.
Chipping Sparrow: arr Richard Outhouse Memorial P ONTA 13 Mar; max 22 Cornell University 16-22 Apr; BL 20 Apr.
Clay-colored Sparrow: T Danby TOMP 17 Apr (mob!), early.
Field Sparrow: arr TOv 4 Mar; max 17 Sampson SP 24 Apr.
Vesper Sparrow: arr TDry 28 Mar; max 5 BLNA 7 Apr; 5 TFay 14 Apr.
Savannah Sparrow: arr 2 MNWR 25 Mar; max 24 T Seneca Falls SENE 20 Apr.
Grasshopper Sparrow: arr TOv 2 May; max 4 TOv 5 May.
Fox Sparrow: arr Ithaca 11 Mar; TCar 11 Mar; 2 Palmer Woods TOMP 11 Mar; 2 Tlth 11 Mar; max 17 TCar 3 Apr; last OP 4 May.
Lincoln's Sparrow: arr HO 2 May; SW 2 May; Finger Lakes National Forest SCHU 2 May; max 2 QCM 8 May; 2 LPBP 8 May; last MNWR 22 May; T Wheeler STEU 22 May.
White-crowned Sparrow: arr 3 TPot 18 Apr; max 20 Sperr Memorial P CHEM 8 May; last AF TOMP 22 May.
Yellow-breasted Chat: MNWR 19 May thru (mob, ph).
Yellow-headed Blackbird: TTyr 9 Mar (DK, ph).
Bobolink: arr QCM 25 Apr; max 40 T Ledyard CAYU 7 May.
Eastern Meadowlark: arr 3 Watkins Glen 9 Mar; TCar 9 Mar; max 13 TDry 20 Mar.
Orchard Oriole: arr MyPt 30 Apr; max 5 Ithaca Farmers Market TOMP 3 May; 5 SPNA 7-14 May.
Baltimore Oriole: arr T Newfield TOMP 27 Apr; max 40 LPBP 10 May (LeD, PH), high.
Rusty Blackbird: max 300 MNWR 8 May (JM!, TSa), high; last 4 SW 14 May; 2 Ithaca Tompkins Airport TOMP 14 May.
Ovenbird: arr BL 27 Apr; max 26 DSF 17 May.
Worm-eating Warbler: arr & max 2 LPBP 8 May.
Louisiana Waterthrush: arr Six Mile Creek Natural Area TOMP 8 Apr; max 5 Bald Hill TOMP 23 Apr.
Northern Waterthrush: arr Mulholland Wildflower Garden TOMP 19 Apr (ED, LeD!), early.

Golden-winged Warbler: arr & max 2 TVE 4 May; last Monkey Run TOMP 14 May.

Blue-winged Warbler: arr TVE 28 Apr; T Catharine SCHU 28 Apr; TCar 28 Apr; max 14 LPBP 10 May.

Golden-winged x Blue-winged Warbler (hybrid): HO 15 May; Etna Fringed Gentian Area TOMP 25 May.

“Brewster’s” Warbler: Newtown Battlefield SP 8 May; Gleason Meadows CHEM 11 May.

Black-and-white Warbler: arr Geneva 25 Apr; max 8 TVE 4 May; 8 LPBP 16 May.

Prothonotary Warbler: arr MNWR 3 May (DK, ph), early; max 2 MNWR 10 May thru.

Tennessee Warbler: arr HH 29 Apr (KP!), early; max 6 TVE 19 May; 6 Black Diamond Trail TOMP 19 May; 6 MNWR 20 May; last TVE 25 May; Tlth 25 May.

Orange-crowned Warbler: arr SW 4 May; max 3 HO 8 May; last Durland Pres TOMP 23 May (JF!, YHS), late.

Nashville Warbler: arr TRom 27 Apr; max 11 HO 8 May.

Mourning Warbler: arr TDry 6 May; max 9 T Avoca STEU 22 May (CW!), high.

Common Yellowthroat: arr 2 TJer 23 Apr; max 20 QCM 8 May.

Hooded Warbler: arr TVE 28 Apr (JCorc, MPe!), early; max 11 TJer 15 May (LyD, NJ, BWi!), high; 11 DSF (JM!), high.

American Redstart: arr Tlth 28 Apr; T Lansing TOMP 28 Apr.

Cape May Warbler: arr Ithaca 2 May; max 6 BL 15 May; last MNWR 23 May.

Cerulean Warbler: arr 2 OP 4 May; max 6 MNWR 20 May.

Northern Parula: arr 2 T Enfield TOMP 28 Apr; max 14 Lake View Cemetery TOMP 5 May; last MNWR 25 May; Sweedler-Lick Brook Pres TOMP 25 May; Edwards Lake Cliffs Pres TOMP 25 May.

Magnolia Warbler: arr 2 Roy H Park Pres TOMP 2 May; Northeast Ithaca 2 May; TCar 2 May; max 6 TVE 18 May; 6 HO 18 May.

Bay-breasted Warbler: arr Lake View Cemetery TOMP 5 May; max 12 Shindagin Hollow State Forest TOMP 18 May; last MNWR 30 May.

Blackburnian Warbler: arr Ithaca 30 Apr; max 12 TVE 26 May.

Yellow Warbler: arr HH 20 Apr; max 32 SLSP 11 May; 32 MNWR 15 May.

Chestnut-sided Warbler: arr Birdseye Hollow State Forest STEU 1 May; T Danby TOMP 1 May; max 35 AF TOMP 16-22 May.

Blackpoll Warbler: arr Ithaca 8 May; max 6 MtP 22 May.

Black-throated Blue Warbler: arr TCar 28 Apr; TDry 28 Apr; max 16 Shindagin Hollow State Forest TOMP 9 May.

Palm Warbler: arr SW 8 Apr; max 16 StP 8 May; last Kashong Conservation Area ONTA 22 May.

Pine Warbler: arr T Prattsburgh STEU 27 Mar; max 8 RRRT 20 Apr.

Yellow-rumped Warbler: arr Ithaca 14 Mar (Dave Nutter!), early; max 70 TOv 4 May.

Yellow-throated Warbler: TCar 29 Apr-2 May (mob, ph).

Prairie Warbler: arr 2 LPBP 1 May; max 8 LPBP 14-22 May.

Black-throated Green Warbler: arr Ithaca 24 Apr; max 14 Connecticut Hill WMA SCHU 10 May.

Canada Warbler: arr T Ulysses TOMP 3 May; max 15 AF SCHU 24 May.

Wilson’s Warbler: arr Fall Creek North Natural Area TOMP 2 May.

Scarlet Tanager: arr OP 28 Apr; max 12 MtP 17 May.

Northern Cardinal: max 34 Kendal at Ithaca TOMP 25 Apr (GF), high.

Rose-breasted Grosbeak: arr 2 TDry 20 Apr; max 19 T Summerhill CAYU 8 May.

Indigo Bunting: arr TVE 28 Apr; max 9 AF SCHU 23 May.

