

Kerr Scott Reservoir and Dam Bird Checklist

Revised March 2015

Key: W=winter, Sp=spring, Su=summer, F=fall
 A=abundant, S=sometimes seen, R=rare, X=extremely rare, -=no records or reports

	W	Sp	Su	F		W	Sp	Su	F
					Sharp-shinned Hawk	R	R	R	R
					Cooper's Hawk	R	R	R	R
					Red-shouldered Hawk	S	S	S	S
					Broad-winged hawk	-	R	S	S
					Red-tailed Hawk	S	S	S	S
					Rough-legged Hawk	X	-	-	-
					Golden Eagle	-	-	-	X
					Semipalmated Plover	-	X	-	-
					Killdeer	S	S	S	S
					Willet	-	-	X	-
Greater White-fronted Goose	X	-	-	-	Spotted Sandpiper	S	S	S	S
Snow Goose	R	-	-	R	Solitary Sandpiper	-	S	R	R
Ross's Goose	X	-	-	-	Greater Yellowlegs	-	X	-	X
Canada Goose	A	A	A	A	Lesser Yellowlegs	-	X	-	-
Wood Duck	R	R	R	R	Upland Sandpiper	-	-	X	-
Gadwall	R	-	-	-	Marbled Godwit	-	-	X	-
American Wigeon	X	-	-	-	Least Sandpiper	-	R	-	X
American Black Duck	R	R	-	R	Pectoral Sandpiper	-	-	-	X
Mallard	A	A	A	A	Dunlin	-	-	X	-
Blue-winged Teal	R	-	-	-	Buff-breasted Sandpiper	-	-	-	X
Northern Shoveler	-	X	-	X	Wilson's Snipe	R	R	-	R
Northern Pintail	R	-	-	-	American Woodcock	R	R	R	R
Green-winged Teal	X	-	-	-	Bonaparte's Gull	R	R	-	R
Canvasback	R	-	-	-	Laughing Gull	-	-	X	-
Redhead	R	-	-	R	Ring-billed Gull	S	S	-	S
Ring-necked Duck	R	R	-	-	Herring Gull	X	-	-	-
Lesser Scaup	R	-	-	-	Lesser Black-backed Gull	X	-	-	-
Greater Scaup	R	-	-	-	Caspian Tern	-	-	X	-
Long-tailed Duck	X	-	-	-	Common Tern	-	X	-	-
Common Goldeneye	X	-	-	-	Forster's Tern	-	-	X	-
Bufflehead	R	-	-	R	Black Tern	-	-	X	-
Common Merganser	R	-	-	-	Rock Pigeon	A	A	A	A
Hooded Merganser	S	S	-	-	Mourning Dove	A	A	A	A
Red-breasted Merganser	R	R	-	-	Yellow-billed Cuckoo	-	S	S	S
Ruddy Duck	R	R	-	R	Eastern Screech-owl	R	R	R	S
Northern Bobwhite	X	X	X	X	Great-horned Owl	R	R	R	R
Wild Turkey	S	S	S	S	Barred Owl	S	S	S	S
American Coot	X	X	-	-	Common Nighthawk	-	-	R	R
Common Loon	S	R	-	R	Chuck-wills-widow	-	S	S	S
Pied-billed Grebe	S	S	-	S	Eastern Whip-poor-will	-	S	S	S
Horned Grebe	R	R	-	-	Chimney Swift	-	S	S	S
Red-necked Grebe	X	X	-	-	Ruby-throated Hummingbird	-	S	S	S
Double-crested Cormorant	R	R	R	R	Belted Kingfisher	S	S	S	S
Anhinga	-	-	-	X	Red-headed Woodpecker	X	-	-	X
Brown Pelican	-	X	-	-	Red-bellied Woodpecker	A	A	A	A
Great Blue Heron	S	S	S	S	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	R	R	-	R
Great Egret	-	X	X	-	Downy Woodpecker	A	A	A	A
Little Blue Heron	-	-	X	X	Hairy Woodpecker	S	S	S	S
Green Heron	-	X	X	X	Northern Flicker	S	S	S	S
Glossy Ibis	-	X	-	-	Pileated Woodpecker	S	S	S	S
Black Vulture	S	S	S	S	American Kestrel	R	R	R	R
Turkey Vulture	A	A	A	A	Merlin	-	X	-	R
Osprey	-	S	-	-	Eastern Wood-pewee	-	R	S	R
Swallow-tailed Kite	-	-	X	-	Acadian Flycatcher	-	R	S	R
Bald Eagle	R	R	R	R	Willow Flycatcher	-	R	R	-
Northern Harrier	-	-	-	X	Eastern Phoebe	S	A	A	A

	W	Sp	Su	F		W	Sp	Su	F
Great Crested Flycatcher	-	S	S	-	Bay-breasted Warbler	-	-	-	X
Eastern Kingbird	-	S	S	-	Yellow Warbler	-	R	-	-
White-eyed Vireo	-	S	S	S	Chestnut-sided Warbler	-	R	-	-
Yellow-throated Vireo	-	S	S	-	Blackpoll Warbler	-	R	-	X
Blue-headed Vireo	-	S	S	R	Black-throated Blue Warbler	-	R	-	R
Red-eyed Vireo	-	A	A	A	Palm Warbler	R	S	-	S
Philadelphia Vireo	-	-	X	-	Pine Warbler	S	A	S	S
Blue Jay	A	A	A	A	Yellow-rumped Warbler	S	A	-	-
American Crow	A	A	A	A	Yellow-throated Warbler	S	S	-	-
Fish Crow	S	S	S	S	Prairie Warbler	R	R	-	-
Common Raven	R	R	-	R	Black-throated Green Warbler	-	R	-	R
Purple Martin	-	R	R	-	Wilson's Warbler	-	X	-	-
Tree Swallow	-	A	A	S	Yellow-breasted Chat	-	S	S	-
Northern Rough-winged Swallow	-	S	S	-	Eastern Towhee	S	A	A	A
Cliff Swallow	-	S	S	-	Chipping Sparrow	R	S	R	-
Bank Swallow	-	X	-	-	Field Sparrow	S	S	R	S
Barn Swallow	-	A	A	-	Vesper Sparrow	-	R	-	-
Carolina Chickadee	A	A	A	A	Savannah Sparrow	R	R	-	-
Tufted Titmouse	A	A	A	A	Henslow's sparrow	-	-	X	-
Red-breasted Nuthatch	R	R	-	R	Fox Sparrow	R	R	-	-
White-breasted Nuthatch	A	A	R	A	Song Sparrow	A	A	A	A
Brown-headed Nuthatch	S	S	S	S	White-throated Sparrow	A	A	-	A
House Wren	R	S	S	S	White-crowned Sparrow	S	S	S	-
Winter Wren	R	R	-	R	Dark-eyed Junco	A	A	A	-
Carolina Wren	A	A	A	A	Scarlet Tanager	-	S	S	R
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	-	S	S	R	Northern Cardinal	A	A	A	A
Golden-crowned Kinglet	S	S	-	S	Rose-breasted Grosbeak	-	S	-	S
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	S	S	-	S	Blue Grosbeak	-	R	R	-
Eastern Bluebird	A	A	A	A	Indigo Bunting	-	A	A	A
Veery	-	R	-	-	Bobolink	-	X	-	-
Gray-cheeked Thrush	-	X	-	-	Red-winged Blackbird	S	S	R	S
Swainson's Thrush	-	-	-	S	Eastern Meadowlark	R	R	R	R
Hermit Thrush	S	S	-	S	Rusty Blackbird	-	X	-	-
Wood Thrush	-	S	S	S	Common Grackle	S	S	S	S
American Robin	A	A	S	A	Brown-headed Cowbird	R	S	S	S
Gray Catbird	-	S	S	R	Orchard Oriole	-	S	S	-
Northern Mockingbird	A	A	A	A	Baltimore Oriole	-	R	-	R
Brown Thrasher	R	S	S	S	Purple Finch	R	R	-	R
European Starling	A	A	A	A	House Finch	S	S	S	S
American Pipit	-	X	-	-	Pine Siskin	R	R	-	R
Cedar Waxwing	S	S	S	S	American Goldfinch	S	S	S	S
Ovenbird	-	S	S	R	House Sparrow	R	R	R	R
Worm-eating Warbler	-	S	S	R					
Louisiana waterthrush	-	R	R	-					
Golden-winged Warbler	-	R	-	-					
Black-and-white warbler	R	S	S	S	Notes:				
Prothonotary Warbler	-	R	R	-	List compiled by Guy McGrane and based on 3 primary				
Tennessee Warbler	-	-	-	R	sources: 1) Birds of North Carolina from the Carolina				
Kentucky Warbler	-	R	R	R	bird club, found on the web at				
Common Yellowthroat	-	S	S	R	http://www.carolinabirdclub.org/ncbirds/accounts.php ,				
Hooded Warbler	-	S	S	R	and 2)ebird.org species record lists, and 3) personal				
American Redstart	-	R	-	-	experience and conversations with other birders.				
Cape May Warbler	-	R	-	-					
Cerulean Warbler	-	X	-	-	These sources were used for the period from year 1990				
Northern Parula	-	S	S	-	to the present, in the immediate area of W. Kerr Scott				
Magnolia Warbler	-	X	-	-	Dam and Reservoir to compile this list. List Current as of				
					August, 2015.				

Updates:

- Added American Coot after personal sighting at Vis Ctr. and conf. by Brad Carey on 4/10/2014. GM
- Revised Red-necked Grebe to reflect spring sightings in 2014, as of 4/29/2014. GM
- Added Common Tern after personal sighting on 4/29/2014. GM
- Lesser Black-backed Gull added after personal sighting with IK on 2/22/2015
- Laughing Gull added 2/23/2015 after IK sighting in fall 2014
- Black Tern added 2/23/2015 after multiple sightings fall 2014
- Bonaparte's Gull added 2/23/2015 after multiple sightings over past year.
- Common Goldeneye added 2/23/2015 after a few recent sightings
- Ruddy Duck added 2/23/15 after sightings this winter
- Canvasback added 2/23/15 after recent report from J Pope
- Bank Swallow added 2/23/15 after spring 2014 sighting by IK
- Willet added after Sept '14 sighting by GM
- Marbled Godwit added after Sept '14 sighting by IK et al