

Mt. Vernon Baptist Church Cemetery (Bamboo Road Meadows)

Location: 3505 Bamboo Rd., Boone, NC 28607 (GPS 36.200339,-81.6093796)

Species of Interest: mainly important for breeding population of Bobolinks which can be seen in the field below the cemetery from late April through late June

Barn Swallow	Eastern Meadowlark
Eastern Towhee	Bobolink
Field Sparrow	Red-Winged Blackbird
Chipping Sparrow	
Grasshopper Sparrow	

eBird bar chart: <https://ebird.org/barchart?r=L3627855&yr=all&m=>

Habitats: grassland

Access and Parking

Parking: limited to a few paved spaces at the cemetery

Drinking water: not available

Restrooms: not available

Accessibility: yes; birding limited to parking lot

Site Description

Ownership: private

Special considerations: possible to observe birds from small roads behind church, church parking lots, and playing fields

Directions: From Boone, take US 421 east for 2.2 miles. At stoplight, turn right on Bamboo Rd. Follow it for 2.5 miles. Mt. Vernon Baptist Church will be on the right ahead. Just before you reach the church, look on the left for a small cemetery.