



# CHECKLIST OF THE BIRDS OF ARIZONA

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Our meetings are open to everyone and happen on the second  
Wednesday of each month, September through May.  
Socializing begins at 6:30 PM and the program begins at 7 PM

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(NW corner of Cholla and 59th Ave), Glendale, AZ

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## DUCKS, GEESE & SWANS

- \_ Black-bellied Whistling-Duck
- \_ Fulvous Whistling-Duck
- \_ Greater White-fronted Goose
- \_ Snow Goose
- \_ Ross' Goose
- \_ Brant
- \_ Cackling Goose
- \_ Canada Goose
- \_ Trumpeter Swan
- \_ Tundra Swan
- \_ Wood Duck
- \_ Gadwall
- \_ Eurasian Wigeon
- \_ American Wigeon
- \_ Mallard
- \_ Blue-winged Teal
- \_ Cinnamon Teal
- \_ Northern Shoveler
- \_ Northern Pintail
- \_ Garganey
- \_ Baikal Teal
- \_ Green-winged Teal
- \_ Canvasback
- \_ Redhead
- \_ Ring-necked Duck
- \_ Tufted Duck
- \_ Greater Scaup
- \_ Lesser Scaup
- \_ Harlequin Duck
- \_ Surf Scoter
- \_ White-winged Scoter

- \_ Black Scoter
- \_ Long-tailed Duck
- \_ Bufflehead
- \_ Common Goldeneye
- \_ Barrow's Goldeneye
- \_ Hooded Merganser
- \_ Common Merganser
- \_ Red-breasted Merganser
- \_ Ruddy Duck

## NEW WORLD QUAILS

- \_ Scaled Quail
- \_ California Quail
- \_ Gambel's Quail
- \_ Northern Bobwhite
- \_ Montezuma Quail

## PARTRIDGES, GROUSE & TURKEY

- \_ Chukar
- \_ Ring-necked Pheasant
- \_ Dusky Grouse
- \_ Wild Turkey

## LOONS

- \_ Red-throated Loon
- \_ Pacific Loon
- \_ Common Loon
- \_ Yellow-billed Loon

## GREBES

- \_ Least Grebe
- \_ Pied-billed Grebe
- \_ Horned Grebe
- \_ Red-necked Grebe
- \_ Eared Grebe
- \_ Western Grebe
- \_ Clark's Grebe

## ALBATROSSES

- \_ Laysan Albatross

## SHEARWATERS

- \_ Sooty Shearwater

## STORM-PETRELS

- \_ Leach's Storm-Petrel
- \_ Black Storm-Petrel
- \_ Least Storm-Petrel

## TROPICBIRDS

- \_ White-tailed Tropicbird
- \_ Red-billed Tropicbird

## STORKS

- \_ Wood Stork

## FRIGATEBIRDS

- \_ Magnificent Frigatebird

## BOOBIES

- \_ Blue-footed Booby
- \_ Brown Booby

## CORMORANTS

- \_ Neotropic Cormorant
- \_ Double-crested Cormorant

## DARTERS

- \_ Anhinga

## PELICANS

- \_ American White Pelican
- \_ Brown Pelican

## BITTERNS, HERONS, & ALLIES

- \_ American Bittern
- \_ Least Bittern
- \_ Great Blue Heron
- \_ Great Egret
- \_ Snowy Egret
- \_ Little Blue Heron
- \_ Tricolored Heron
- \_ Reddish Egret
- \_ Cattle Egret
- \_ Green Heron
- \_ Black-crowned Night-Heron
- \_ Yellow-crowned Night-Heron

## IBISES AND SPOONBILLS

- \_ White Ibis
- \_ Glossy Ibis
- \_ White-faced Ibis
- \_ Roseate Spoonbill

## NEW WORLD VULTURES

- \_ Black Vulture
- \_ Turkey Vulture
- \_ California Condor

## OSPREY

- \_ Osprey

## KITES, HAWKS, EAGLES & ALLIES

- \_ Swallow-tailed Kite
- \_ White-tailed Kite
- \_ Mississippi Kite
- \_ Bald Eagle
- \_ Northern Harrier
- \_ Sharp-shinned Hawk
- \_ Cooper's Hawk
- \_ Northern Goshawk
- \_ Common Black Hawk
- \_ Harris' Hawk
- \_ Red-shouldered Hawk
- \_ Broad-winged Hawk
- \_ Gray Hawk
- \_ Short-tailed Hawk
- \_ Swainson's Hawk
- \_ White-tailed Hawk
- \_ Zone-tailed Hawk
- \_ Red-tailed Hawk
- \_ Ferruginous Hawk
- \_ Rough-legged Hawk
- \_ Golden Eagle

## RAILS, GALLINULES & COOTS

- \_ Black Rail
- \_ Clapper Rail
- \_ Virginia Rail
- \_ Sora
- \_ Purple Gallinule
- \_ Common Gallinule
- \_ American Coot

## CRANES

- \_ Sandhill Crane

## STILTS AND AVOCETS

- \_ Black-necked Stilt
- \_ American Avocet

## PLOVERS

- \_ Black-bellied Plover
- \_ American Golden-Plover
- \_ Pacific Golden-Plover
- \_ Snowy Plover
- \_ Semipalmated Plover
- \_ Killdeer
- \_ Mountain Plover

## JACANAS

- \_ Northern Jacana

## SANDPIPERS, PHALAROPES, & ALLIES

- \_ Spotted Sandpiper
- \_ Solitary Sandpiper
- \_ Wandering Tattler
- \_ Greater Yellowlegs

- \_ Willet
- \_ Lesser Yellowlegs
- \_ Upland Sandpiper
- \_ Whimbrel
- \_ Long-billed Curlew
- \_ Hudsonian Godwit
- \_ Marbled Godwit
- \_ Ruddy Turnstone
- \_ Black Turnstone
- \_ Red Knot
- \_ Ruff
- \_ Sharp-tailed Sandpiper
- \_ Stilt Sandpiper
- \_ Sanderling
- \_ Dunlin
- \_ Baird's Sandpiper
- \_ Least Sandpiper
- \_ White-rumped Sandpiper
- \_ Buff-breasted Sandpiper
- \_ Pectoral Sandpiper
- \_ Semipalmated Sandpiper
- \_ Western Sandpiper
- \_ Short-billed Dowitcher
- \_ Long-billed Dowitcher
- \_ Wilson's Snipe
- \_ Wilson's Phalarope
- \_ Red-necked Phalarope
- \_ Red Phalarope

## SKUAS AND JAEGERS

- \_ Pomarine Jaeger
- \_ Parasitic Jaeger
- \_ Long-tailed Jaeger

## GULLS, TERNS, & SKIMMERS

- \_ Black-legged Kittiwake
- \_ Ivory Gull
- \_ Sabine's Gull
- \_ Bonaparte's Gull
- \_ Common Gull
- \_ Franklin's Gull
- \_ Heermann's Gull
- \_ Mew Gull
- \_ Ring-billed Gull
- \_ Western Gull
- \_ Yellow-footed Gull
- \_ California Gull
- \_ Herring Gull
- \_ Thayer's Gull
- \_ Lesser Black-backed Gull
- \_ Glaucous-winged Gull
- \_ Glaucous Gull
- \_ Least Tern
- \_ Gull-billed Tern
- \_ Caspian Tern
- \_ Black Tern
- \_ Common Tern
- \_ Arctic Tern
- \_ Forster's Tern
- \_ Royal Tern
- \_ Elegant Tern
- \_ Black Skimmer

## PIGEONS AND DOVES

- \_ Rock Pigeon
- \_ Band-tailed Pigeon

- \_ Eurasian Collared-Dove
- \_ Inca Dove
- \_ Common Ground-Dove
- \_ Ruddy Ground-Dove
- \_ White-winged Dove
- \_ Mourning Dove

## CUCKOOS, ROADRUNNERS, & ANIS

- \_ Yellow-billed Cuckoo
- \_ Black-billed Cuckoo
- \_ Greater Roadrunner
- \_ Groove-billed Ani

## BARN OWLS

- \_ Barn Owl

## TYPICAL OWLS

- \_ Flamulated Owl
- \_ Western Screech-Owl
- \_ Whiskered Screech-Owl
- \_ Great Horned Owl
- \_ Northern Pygmy-Owl
- \_ Ferruginous Pygmy-Owl
- \_ Elf Owl
- \_ Burrowing Owl
- \_ Spotted Owl
- \_ Long-eared Owl
- \_ Short-eared Owl
- \_ Northern Saw-whet Owl

## GOATSUCKERS

- \_ Lesser Nighthawk
- \_ Common Nighthawk
- \_ Common Poorwill
- \_ Buff-collared Nightjar
- \_ Mexican Whip-poor-will

## SWIFTS

- \_ Black Swift
- \_ Chimney Swift
- \_ Vaux's Swift
- \_ White-throated Swift

## HUMMINGBIRDS

- \_ Magnificent Hummingbird
- \_ Plain-capped Starthroat
- \_ Blue-throated Hummingbird
- \_ Lucifer Hummingbird
- \_ Ruby-throated Hummingbird
- \_ Black-chinned Hummingbird
- \_ Anna's Hummingbird
- \_ Costa's Hummingbird
- \_ Bumblebee Hummingbird
- \_ Broad-tailed Hummingbird
- \_ Rufous Hummingbird
- \_ Allen's Hummingbird
- \_ Calliope Hummingbird
- \_ Broad-billed Hummingbird
- \_ Berylline Hummingbird
- \_ Cinnamon Hummingbird
- \_ Violet-crowned Hummingbird
- \_ White-eared Hummingbird

## TROGONS

- \_ Elegant Trogon
- \_ Eared Quetzal

**KINGFISHERS**

- \_ Belted Kingfisher
- \_ Green Kingfisher

**WOODPECKERS AND ALLIES**

- \_ Lewis' Woodpecker
- \_ Red-headed Woodpecker
- \_ Acorn Woodpecker
- \_ Gila Woodpecker
- \_ Williamson's Sapsucker
- \_ Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
- \_ Red-naped Sapsucker
- \_ Red-breasted Sapsucker
- \_ Ladder-backed Woodpecker
- \_ Downy Woodpecker
- \_ Hairy Woodpecker
- \_ Arizona Woodpecker
- \_ Am. Three-toed Woodpecker
- \_ Northern Flicker
- \_ Gilded Flicker

**CARACARAS AND FALCONS**

- \_ Crested Caracara
- \_ American Kestrel
- \_ Merlin
- \_ Aplomado Falcon
- \_ Peregrine Falcon
- \_ Prairie Falcon

**PARROTS**

- \_ Rosy-faced Lovebird
- \_ Thick-billed Parrot

**TYRANT FLYCATCHERS**

- \_ Nor. Beardless-Tyrannulet
- \_ Tufted Flycatcher
- \_ Olive-sided Flycatcher
- \_ Greater Pewee
- \_ Western Wood-Pewee
- \_ Eastern Wood-Pewee
- \_ Yellow-bellied Flycatcher
- \_ Acadian Flycatcher
- \_ Willow Flycatcher
- \_ Least Flycatcher
- \_ Hammond's Flycatcher
- \_ Gray Flycatcher
- \_ Dusky Flycatcher
- \_ Pacific-slope Flycatcher
- \_ Cordilleran Flycatcher
- \_ Buff-breasted Flycatcher
- \_ Black Phoebe
- \_ Eastern Phoebe
- \_ Say's Phoebe
- \_ Vermilion Flycatcher
- \_ Dusky-capped Flycatcher
- \_ Ash-throated Flycatcher
- \_ Nutting's Flycatcher
- \_ Great Crested Flycatcher
- \_ Brown-crested Flycatcher
- \_ Great Kiskadee
- \_ Sulphur-bellied Flycatcher
- \_ Tropical Kingbird
- \_ Cassin's Kingbird
- \_ Thick-billed Kingbird
- \_ Western Kingbird

- \_ Eastern Kingbird
- \_ Scissor-tailed Flycatcher

**TITYRAS AND ALLIES**

- \_ Gray-collared Becard
- \_ Rose-throated Becard

**SHRIKES**

- \_ Loggerhead Shrike
- \_ Northern Shrike

**VIREOS**

- \_ White-eyed Vireo
- \_ Bell's Vireo
- \_ Black-capped Vireo
- \_ Gray Vireo
- \_ Yellow-throated Vireo
- \_ Plumbeous Vireo
- \_ Cassin's Vireo
- \_ Hutton's Vireo
- \_ Warbling Vireo
- \_ Philadelphia Vireo
- \_ Red-eyed Vireo
- \_ Yellow-green Vireo

**JAYS, MAGPIES, CROWS,****& RAVENS**

- \_ Gray Jay
- \_ Pinyon Jay
- \_ Steller's Jay
- \_ Blue Jay
- \_ Western Scrub-Jay
- \_ Mexican Jay
- \_ Clark's Nutcracker
- \_ Black-billed Magpie
- \_ American Crow
- \_ Chihuahuan Raven
- \_ Common Raven

**LARKS**

- \_ Horned Lark

**SWALLOWS**

- \_ Purple Martin
- \_ Brown-chested Martin
- \_ Tree Swallow
- \_ Violet-green Swallow
- \_ Gray Flycatcher
- \_ Bank Swallow
- \_ Cliff Swallow
- \_ Cave Swallow
- \_ Barn Swallow

**CHICKADEES AND****TITMICE**

- \_ Black-capped Chickadee
- \_ Mountain Chickadee
- \_ Mexican Chickadee
- \_ Bridled Titmouse
- \_ Juniper Titmouse

**PENDULINE-TITS**

- \_ Verdin

**BUSHTITS**

- \_ Bushtit

**NUTHATCHES**

- \_ Red-breasted Nuthatch
- \_ White-breasted Nuthatch
- \_ Pygmy Nuthatch

**CREEPERS**

- \_ Brown Creeper

**WRENS**

- \_ Rock Wren
- \_ Canyon Wren
- \_ House Wren
- \_ Pacific Wren
- \_ Winter Wren
- \_ Sedge Wren
- \_ Marsh Wren
- \_ Carolina Wren
- \_ Bewick's Wren
- \_ Cactus Wren
- \_ Sinaloa Wren

**GNATCATCHERS**

- \_ Blue-gray Gnatcatcher
- \_ Black-tailed Gnatcatcher
- \_ Black-capped Gnatcatcher

**DIPPERS**

- \_ American Dipper

**KINGLETS**

- \_ Golden-crowned Kinglet
- \_ Ruby-crowned Kinglet

**OLD WORLD FLYCATCHERS**

- \_ Northern Wheatear

**THRUSHES**

- \_ Eastern Bluebird
- \_ Western Bluebird
- \_ Mountain Bluebird
- \_ Townsend's Solitaire
- \_ Veery
- \_ Gray-cheeked Thrush
- \_ Swainson's Thrush
- \_ Hermit Thrush
- \_ Wood Thrush
- \_ Rufous-backed Robin
- \_ American Robin
- \_ Varied Thrush
- \_ Aztec Thrush

**MOCKINGBIRDS, THRASHERS & ALLIES**

- \_ Blue Mockingbird
- \_ Gray Catbird
- \_ Curve-billed Thrasher
- \_ Brown Thrasher
- \_ Bendire's Thrasher
- \_ Le Conte's Thrasher
- \_ Crissal Thrasher
- \_ Sage Thrasher
- \_ Northern Mockingbird

**STARLINGS & ALLIES**

- \_ European Starling

**WAGTAILS AND PIPITS**

- \_ White Wagtail
- \_ Red-throated Pipit
- \_ American Pipit
- \_ Sprague's Pipit

**WAXWINGS**

- \_ Bohemian Waxwing
- \_ Cedar Waxwing

**SILKY-FLYCATCHERS**

- \_ Phainopepla

**OLIVE WARBLER**

- \_ Olive Warbler

**LONGSPURS & SNOW BUNTINGS**

- \_ Lapland Longspur
- \_ Smith's Longspur
- \_ McCown's Longspur
- \_ Chestnut-collared Longspur
- \_ Snow Bunting

**WOOD WARBLERS**

- \_ Ovenbird
- \_ Worm-eating Warbler
- \_ Louisiana Waterthrush
- \_ Northern Waterthrush
- \_ Golden-winged Warbler
- \_ Blue-winged Warbler
- \_ Black-and-white Warbler
- \_ Prothonotary Warbler
- \_ Swainson's Warbler
- \_ Crescent-chested Warbler
- \_ Tennessee Warbler
- \_ Orange-crowned Warbler
- \_ Lucy's Warbler
- \_ Nashville Warbler
- \_ Virginia's Warbler
- \_ Connecticut Warbler
- \_ MacGillivray's Warbler
- \_ Mourning Warbler
- \_ Kentucky Warbler
- \_ Common Yellowthroat
- \_ Hooded Warbler
- \_ American Redstart
- \_ Cape May Warbler
- \_ Cerulean Warbler
- \_ Northern Parula
- \_ Tropical Parula
- \_ Magnolia Warbler
- \_ Bay-breasted Warbler
- \_ Blackburnian Warbler
- \_ Yellow Warbler
- \_ Chestnut-sided Warbler
- \_ Blackpoll Warbler
- \_ Black-throated Blue Warbler
- \_ Palm Warbler
- \_ Pine Warbler
- \_ Yellow-rumped Warbler
- \_ Yellow-throated Warbler
- \_ Prairie Warbler
- \_ Grace's Warbler
- \_ Black-throated Gray Warbler
- \_ Townsend's Warbler
- \_ Hermit Warbler
- \_ Black-throated Green Warbler

- \_ Fan-tailed Warbler
- \_ Rufous-capped Warbler
- \_ Canada Warbler
- \_ Wilson's Warbler
- \_ Red-faced Warbler
- \_ Painted Redstart
- \_ Slate-throated Redstart
- \_ Yellow-breasted Chat

**NEW WORLD SPARROWS & ALLIES**

- \_ Green-tailed Towhee
- \_ Spotted Towhee
- \_ Eastern Towhee
- \_ Rufous-crowned Sparrow
- \_ Canyon Towhee
- \_ Abert's Towhee
- \_ Rufous-winged Sparrow
- \_ Botteri's Sparrow
- \_ Cassin's Sparrow
- \_ American Tree Sparrow
- \_ Chipping Sparrow
- \_ Clay-colored Sparrow
- \_ Brewer's Sparrow
- \_ Field Sparrow
- \_ Black-chinned Sparrow
- \_ Vesper Sparrow
- \_ Lark Sparrow
- \_ Five-striped Sparrow
- \_ Black-throated Sparrow
- \_ Sagebrush Sparrow
- \_ Bell's Sparrow
- \_ Lark Bunting
- \_ Savannah Sparrow
- \_ Grasshopper Sparrow
- \_ Baird's Sparrow
- \_ Le Conte's Sparrow
- \_ Nelson's Sparrow
- \_ Fox Sparrow
- \_ Song Sparrow
- \_ Lincoln's Sparrow
- \_ Swamp Sparrow
- \_ White-throated Sparrow
- \_ Harris's Sparrow
- \_ White-crowned Sparrow
- \_ Golden-crowned Sparrow
- \_ Dark-eyed Junco
- \_ Yellow-eyed Junco

**BLACKBIRDS & ALLIES**

- \_ Bobolink
- \_ Red-winged Blackbird
- \_ Eastern Meadowlark (*lilianae*)
- \_ Western Meadowlark
- \_ Yellow-headed Blackbird
- \_ Rusty Blackbird
- \_ Brewer's Blackbird
- \_ Common Grackle
- \_ Great-tailed Grackle
- \_ Bronzed Cowbird
- \_ Brown-headed Cowbird
- \_ Black-vented Oriole
- \_ Orchard Oriole
- \_ Hooded Oriole
- \_ Streak-backed Oriole
- \_ Bullock's Oriole
- \_ Baltimore Oriole
- \_ Scott's Oriole

**FINCHES & ALLIES**

- \_ Gray-crowned Rosy-Finch
- \_ Black Rosy-Finch
- \_ Pine Grosbeak
- \_ House Finch
- \_ Purple Finch
- \_ Cassin's Finch
- \_ Red Crossbill
- \_ White-winged Crossbill
- \_ Pine Siskin
- \_ Lesser Goldfinch
- \_ Lawrence's Goldfinch
- \_ American Goldfinch
- \_ Evening Grosbeak

**OLD WORLD SPARROWS**

- \_ House Sparrow

**WRITE-INS**


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**NOTE:** If you have a write-in, it may be a new species for Arizona and you should document the sighting. **Please document your sightings with photographs, preferably with an automatic date-stamp on the image.**

Submit your sighting and supporting evidence to Arizona Field Ornithologists [www.azfo.org](http://www.azfo.org).

Sonoran Audubon Society encourages birders to **eBird** their observations at [www.ebird.org](http://www.ebird.org). Please include counts for each species.

**CARDINALS, GROSBEAKS, & ALLIES**

- \_ Hepatic Tanager
- \_ Summer Tanager
- \_ Scarlet Tanager
- \_ Western Tanager
- \_ Flame-colored Tanager
- \_ Northern Cardinal
- \_ Pyrrhuloxia
- \_ Yellow Grosbeak
- \_ Rose-breasted Grosbeak
- \_ Black-headed Grosbeak
- \_ Blue Grosbeak
- \_ Lazuli Bunting
- \_ Indigo Bunting
- \_ Varied Bunting
- \_ Painted Bunting
- \_ Dickcissel