

PVAS Birding 101 Outing to the Shenandoah River, Jefferson, US-WV

Apr 5, 2014 7:30 AM - 11:30 AM

Protocol: Traveling

10.0 mile(s)

Comments: Windy, 49F, Partly Cloudy

55 species

Canada Goose X

Wood Duck X

Mallard X

Ring-necked Duck X

Bufflehead X

Hooded Merganser X

Common Merganser X

Red-breasted Merganser X

Wild Turkey X

Pied-billed Grebe X

Horned Grebe X One in particular was in breeding plumage. Great looks at this individual through the spotting scope.

Red-necked Grebe X Everyone got to see the three birds through the spotting scope. These birds were near and up river of Moulton Park. One bird was molting into breeding plumage.

Double-crested Cormorant X

Great Blue Heron X

Black Vulture X

Turkey Vulture X

Osprey X

Bald Eagle X

Red-shouldered Hawk X

Red-tailed Hawk X

American Coot X

Rock Pigeon (Feral Pigeon) X

Mourning Dove X

Belted Kingfisher X

Red-bellied Woodpecker X

Downy Woodpecker X

Northern Flicker X

Pileated Woodpecker X

Eastern Kingbird X Nice views from within 25 feet. Easily ID'd. This was a very early arrival. Everyone was able to see the white-tipped tail and flycatcher shape.

American Crow X  
Fish Crow X  
Common Raven X  
Northern Rough-winged Swallow X  
Tree Swallow X  
Barn Swallow X  
Carolina Chickadee X  
Tufted Titmouse X  
White-breasted Nuthatch X  
Carolina Wren X  
Golden-crowned Kinglet X  
Eastern Bluebird X  
American Robin X  
European Starling X  
Louisiana Waterthrush X Heard singing at the parking area near the riffles. We had to move from that location before everyone was made aware that this species was singing.  
Palm Warbler X Nice looks at a bright yellow eastern-race Palm Warbler. Everyone was able to see the tail flicking behavior that is typical for this species.  
Yellow-rumped Warbler X  
Field Sparrow X Heard singing near the electrical substation. Became quiet when the group assembled at the road.  
Song Sparrow X  
Dark-eyed Junco X  
Northern Cardinal X  
Red-winged Blackbird X  
Common Grackle X  
Brown-headed Cowbird X  
American Goldfinch X  
House Sparrow X