

FISHEATING CREEK BIRD LIST

Fisheating Creek Wildlife Management Area



Florida's Wildlife Management Areas and Environmental Areas are home to an incredible diversity of birds. A continuous turnover of species in response to migratory movements ensures birders ever-changing experiences matched to the seasons.

We have prepared this checklist of birds to help you keep track of our spectacular and precious birdlife.

You may also consult on-line with FWC's Breeding Bird atlas data (MyFWC.com/bba).

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Symbols Used in This Checklist

Type

- species confirmed on this site
- species probably occurs on this site, based on habitat, range and (usually) confirmed occurrence in nearby regions.
- exotic (non-native) species

Seasons

Spring	March-May
Summer	June-August
Fall	September-November
Winter	December-February

Breeding

- ▲ Species is known to breed in the area
- △ Species probably breeds in the area

Birds occurring near the WMA/WEA, but not actually recorded within its borders, are counted on the list if suitable habitat exists and if reasonable probability exists that the bird will occur there in the future. Thus, very rare birds recorded outside the WMA are not included on the list, but common birds are.

How you can help

This checklist is just a starting point. We are counting on you and other birders to let us know if you note additions or changes in status to species on this list. Please send corrections to:

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	Breeding	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
LOONS					
___ Common Loon		●		●	●

GREBES					
___ Pied-billed Grebe		●	●	●	●

CORMORANTS					
___ Double-crested Cormorant	▲	●	●	●	●

ANHINGA					
___ Anhinga	▲	●	●	●	●

BITTERNS, HERONS AND EGRETS					
___ Least Bittern			●	●	●
___ Great Blue Heron	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Great Egret	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Snowy Egret	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Little Blue Heron	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Tricolored Heron	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Cattle Egret	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Green Heron	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Black-crowned Night-Heron	▲	●	●	●	●

IBIS					
___ White Ibis		●	●	●	●

NEW WORLD VULTURES					
___ Black Vulture	△	●	●	●	●
___ Turkey Vulture	△	●	●	●	●

DUCKS, GEESE AND SWANS					
___ Snow Goose					●
___ Wood Duck	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Mottled Duck		●	●	●	●

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___ Blue-winged Teal		●		●	●
___ Ring-necked Duck		●		●	●
___ Hooded Merganser		●		●	●

OSPREY, KITES, HAWKS AND EAGLES					
___ Osprey	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Swallow-tailed Kite	▲	●	●		
___ Bald Eagle	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Northern Harrier		●		●	●
___ Sharp-shinned Hawk		●		●	●
___ Red-shouldered Hawk	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Red-tailed Hawk	▲	●	●	●	●

FALCONS					
___ American Kestrel	▲	●		●	●

TURKEY					
___ Wild Turkey	▲	●	●	●	●

QUAIL					
___ Northern Bobwhite	▲	●	●	●	●

RAILS, GALLINULES, MOORHENS AND COOTS					
___ Purple Gallinule	△	●	●	●	
___ Common Moorhen	▲	●	●	●	●
___ American Coot	▲	●	●	●	●

LIMPKIN					
___ Limpkin		●	●	●	●

CRANES					
___ Sandhill Crane	▲	●	●	●	●

PLOVERS					
___ Killdeer	△	●	●	●	●

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SANDPIPERS

___ Spotted Sandpiper	●		●	●	
___ Wilson's Snipe		●		●	●
___ American Woodcock		●		●	●

PIGEONS AND DOVES

___ Rock Pigeon		◐	◐	◐	◐
___ Eurasian Collared-Dove		◐	◐	◐	◐
___ Mourning Dove	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Common Ground-Dove	▲	●	●	●	●

CUCKOOS

___ Yellow-billed Cuckoo	△	●	●	●	
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BARN OWL

___ Barn Owl	▲	●	●	●	●
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OWLS

___ Eastern Screech-Owl	△	●	●	●	●
___ Great Horned Owl	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Barred Owl	▲	●	●	●	●

GOATSUCKERS

___ Common Nighthawk	▲	●	●	●	
___ Chuck-will's-widow	▲	●	●	●	

SWIFTS

___ Chimney Swift	▲	●	●	●	
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HUMMINGBIRDS

___ Ruby-throated Hummingbird	▲	●	●	●	
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KINGFISHER

___ Belted Kingfisher		●	●	●	●
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WOODPECKERS

___ Red-headed Woodpecker	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Red-bellied Woodpecker	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Yellow-bellied Sapsucker		●		●	●
___ Downy Woodpecker	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Hairy Woodpecker	△	●	●	●	●
___ Northern Flicker	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Pileated Woodpecker	▲	●	●	●	●

FLYCATCHERS

___ Eastern Wood-Pewee	▲	●	●	●	
___ Acadian Flycatcher	△	●	●	●	
___ Eastern Phoebe		●		●	●
___ Great Crested Flycatcher	▲	●	●	●	
___ Eastern Kingbird	▲	●	●	●	

SHRIKES

___ Loggerhead Shrike	▲	●	●	●	●
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VIREOS

___ White-eyed Vireo	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Yellow-throated Vireo		●	●	●	
___ Red-eyed Vireo	▲	●	●	●	

JAYS AND CROWS

___ Blue Jay	▲	●	●	●	●
___ American Crow	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Fish Crow	▲	●	●	●	●

MARTINS AND SWALLOWS

___ Purple Martin	▲	●	●	●	
___ Tree Swallow		●		●	●
___ Northern Rough-winged Swallow	▲	●	●	●	

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___ Eastern Phoebe		●		●	●
___ Great Crested Flycatcher	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Eastern Kingbird	△	●	●	●	

SHRIKES					
___ Loggerhead Shrike	▲	●	●	●	●

VIREOS					
___ White-eyed Vireo	▲	●	●	●	●

JAYS AND CROWS					
___ Blue Jay	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Florida Scrub-Jay		●	●	●	●
___ American Crow	△	●	●	●	●
___ Fish Crow	△	●	●	●	●

MARTINS AND SWALLOWS					
___ Purple Martin	▲	●	●	●	
___ Tree Swallow		●		●	●
___ Northern Rough-winged Swallow		●	●	●	
___ Barn Swallow		●	●	●	

CHICKADEES AND TITMICE					
___ Tufted Titmouse	▲	●	●	●	●

WRENS					
___ Carolina Wren	▲	●	●	●	●
___ House Wren		●		●	●
___ Marsh Wren		●		●	●

GNATCATCHERS					
___ Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	▲	●		●	●

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THRUSHES					
___ Eastern Bluebird	▲	●	●	●	●
___ American Robin		●		●	●

CATBIRD, MOCKINGBIRD AND THRASHER					
___ Gray Catbird		●		●	●
___ Northern Mockingbird	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Brown Thrasher	▲	●	●	●	●

STARLING					
___ European Starling	▲	◐	◐	◐	◐

NEW WORLD WARBLERS					
___ Northern Parula		●		●	●
___ Yellow Warbler		●		●	
___ Cape May Warbler		●		●	
___ Black-throated Blue Warbler		●		●	
___ Yellow-rumped Warbler		●		●	●
___ Yellow-throated Warbler		●		●	●
___ Pine Warbler	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Prairie Warbler		●		●	●
___ Palm Warbler		●		●	●
___ Black-and-white Warbler		●		●	●
___ American Redstart		●		●	●
___ Prothonotary Warbler	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Ovenbird		●		●	●
___ Northern Waterthrush		●		●	●
___ Common Yellowthroat	▲	●	●	●	●

TANAGERS					
___ Summer Tanager		●	●	●	

TOWHEE, SPARROWS AND JUNCO					
___ Eastern Towhee	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Bachman's Sparrow	▲	●	●	●	●

NOTES

	Breeding	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
___ Savannah Sparrow		●		●	●
___ Swamp Sparrow		●		●	●

CARDINAL, GROSBEAKS AND BUNTINGS

___ Northern Cardinal	▲	●	●	●	●
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BLACKBIRDS, GRACKLES AND ORIOLES

___ Bobolink		●		●	
___ Red-winged Blackbird	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Eastern Meadowlark	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Common Grackle	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Boat-tailed Grackle	▲	●	●	●	●
___ Brown-headed Cowbird		●		●	●
___ Baltimore Oriole		●		●	●

FINCHES

___ American Goldfinch		●		●	●
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OLD WORLD SPARROWS

___ House Sparrow	▲	◐	◑	◒	◓
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Acknowledgements:

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