



Seasonal Bird List

Southwest Nature Preserve, 5201 Bowman Springs Road, just south of I-20, Arlington, Texas



The Southwest Nature Preserve:
58 acres of Cross Timbers ecosystem
 In 2004 this 58-acre tract, a remnant of the Cross Timbers ecological zone, was threatened with development. The Trust for Public Land purchased the tract until Arlington voters OK'd \$13.6 million in park bonds to save it as a nature preserve. It was dedicated Oct. 19, 2013.

A birding "hot spot"
 With more than 135 species identified, the preserve is recognized by Cornell University's eBird as one of the "hot spots" to see birds in Tarrant County. Since many are not permanent residents, this bird list tells what birds are in season for the time



you next visit. This map identifies four types of habitat.

Painted Buntings visit the preserve May-July each year.



Key: . = Not present

C = Common

U = Uncommon

	Ja	Fe	Ma	Ap	My	Jn	Jy	Au	Se	Oc	No	De
Black-bellied Whistling-Duck	.	.	.	U	.	U	.	.	.	.	.	.
Canada Goose	.	.	.	.	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Gadwall	C	C	C	.	U	.	.	.	.	U	C	C
American Wigeon	C	C	C	.	.	.	.	.	.	U	C	C
Mallard	C	C	C	C	C	U	.	.	U	U	C	C
Blue-winged Teal	U	U	U	U	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Northern Shoveler	C	C	C	.	.	.	.	.	.	U	C	C
Northern Pintail	U	C	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Green-winged Teal	U	C	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	U	.	.
Canvasback	U	U	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Redhead	U	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	U
Ring-necked Duck	C	C	C	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	C	C
Lesser Scaup	C	C	C	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	U
Bufflehead	C	C	C	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	C	C
Hooded Merganser	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	U
	Ja	Fe	Ma	Ap	My	Jn	Jy	Au	Se	Oc	No	De
Ruddy Duck	U	U	.	.	U	.	.	.	.	.	U	U
Pied-billed Grebe	C	C	C	U	U	.	.	.	U	U	C	C
Double-crested Cormorant	C	C	C	C	U	U	.	.	.	U	.	U
Great Blue Heron	C	C	C	C	C	U	U	U	C	U	C	C
Great Egret	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	.	C	U	C
Snowy Egret	.	.	.	U	U	U	.	.	.	.	.	.
Little Blue Heron	.	.	.	C	C	U	.	U	C	.	.	.
Cattle Egret	.	.	.	C	C	C	C	C	U	.	.	.
Green Heron	.	.	.	C	C	C	C	C	U	.	.	.
Black Vulture	C	C	C	C	U	U	U	C	.	C	.	U
Turkey Vulture	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	U	U	C	U	U
Mississippi Kite	.	.	.	.	C	U	U	C	.	.	.	.
Sharp-shinned Hawk	U	C	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	C
Cooper's Hawk	U	U	U	U	U	.	U	.	U	.	.	.
Red-shouldered Hawk	C	C	U	.	U	U	.	.	.	.	C	U
	Ja	Fe	Ma	Ap	My	Je	Jy	Au	Se	Oc	No	De
Broad-winged Hawk	.	.	U	C	.	U	.	.	U	.	.	.
Swainson's Hawk	.	.	.	U	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Red-tailed Hawk	C	C	U	.	U	U	.	.	U	.	C	U
American Coot	C	C	C	U	U	.	.	.	.	U	U	C
Sandhill Crane	.	U	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Killdeer	.	U	U	U	U	.	.	.	.	C	U	U
Spotted Sandpiper	.	.	.	U	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Franklin's Gull	.	.	.	C	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ring-billed Gull	C	C	U	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	U	C
Rock Pigeon	C	C	U	U	C	U	C	.	C	.	U	.
Eurasian Collared-Dove	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	U	.	.	.	.
White-winged Dove	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	U	U	C
Mourning Dove	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Yellow-billed Cuckoo	.	.	.	.	C	C	C	.	.	.	.	.
Greater Roadrunner	.	U	.	U	U	U	.	.	.	U	.	U

	Ja	Fe	Ma	Ap	My	Je	Jy	Au	Se	Oc	No	De
Chuck-will's-widow	.	.	.	.	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Chimney Swift	.	.	.	C	C	C	C	U	U	.	.	.
Ruby-throated Hummngbrd	.	.	.	U	U	.	U	.	.	U	.	.
Black-chinned Hummngbrd	.	.	.	U	.	U	U	.	.	.	.	.
Belted Kingfisher	U	C	C	U	U	.	.	U	U	C	C	U
Red-bellied Woodpecker	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Downy Woodpecker	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Northern Flicker	U	C	C	.	.	.	.	.	.	C	C	C
American Kestrel	U	U	U	C	U	U	U	U	U	.	.	U
Eastern Wood-Pewee	.	.	.	.	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Least Flycatcher	.	.	.	.	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Eastern Phoebe	U	C	C	U	U	U	U	U	U	C	C	.
Great Crested Flycatcher	.	.	.	U	C	U	.	.	.	.	.	.
Western Kingbird	.	.	.	C	C	C	C	U	.	.	.	.
Scissor-tailed Flycatcher	.	.	.	C	C	C	C	U	U	U	.	.
	Ja	Fe	Ma	Ap	My	Je	Jy	Au	Se	Oc	No	De
White-eyed Vireo	.	U	U	C	C	C	C	C	C	U	.	.
Red-eyed Vireo	.	.	.	.	U	U	.	.	.	.	.	.
Blue Jay	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
American Crow	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Nrthrn Rough-wngd Swallow	.	.	.	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Purple Martin	.	.	U	C	C	C	C	.	.	.	.	.
Barn Swallow	.	.	U	C	C	C	C	C	U	.	.	.
Cliff Swallow	.	.	.	.	C	.	U	.	.	.	.	.
Carolina Chickadee	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Tufted Titmouse	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Brown Creeper	.	U	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
House Wren	.	.	.	U	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Carolina Wren	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Bewick's Wren	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	U	U	U
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	.	.	U	C	C	C	C	C	U	.	.	.
	Ja	Fe	Ma	Ap	My	Je	Jy	Au	Se	Oc	No	De
Golden-crowned Kinglet	C	C	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	C
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	C	C	C	U	U	.	.	.	.	C	C	C
Eastern Bluebird	U	C	U	U	U	U	C	U	U	U	U	U
Swainson's Thrush	.	.	.	U	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Hermit Thrush	.	U	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	U	.
American Robin	C	C	C	U	U	.	U	.	U	.	C	C
Gray Catbird	.	.	.	.	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Brown Thrasher	.	.	U	U	U	U	.	.	.	U	.	.
Northern Mockingbird	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	U	C	C	C
European Starling	U	.	U	U	C	C	C	.	C	.	.	.
Cedar Waxwing	C	U	C	C	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	C
Orange-crowned Warbler	C	C	U	C	U	U	C
Nashville Warbler	.	.	U	U	U	.	.	.	U	U	.	.
Common Yellowthroat	U	U	.	U	C
Yellow Warbler	U	.	.	.	U	.	.	.

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Yellow-rumped Warbler	C	C	C	C	U	U	C
Black-throated Green Warbler	U	.	.
Yellow-breasted Chat	U
Spotted Towhee	C	C	U	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	U
Eastern Towhee	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Chipping Sparrow	.	.	.	C	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	C
Clay-colored Sparrow	.	.	.	U	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Field Sparrow	C	C	C	C	U	.	.	.	.	C	C	C
Vesper Sparrow	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	U	.
Lark Sparrow	.	.	.	U	.	.	.	.	U	.	.	.
Savannah Sparrow	U	U	.	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Fox Sparrow	U	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	U	U
Song Sparrow	C	C	C	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	C	C
Lincoln's Sparrow	C	C	C	C	.	.	.	.	.	C	.	U
White-throated Sparrow	C	C	C	C	.	.	.	.	.	.	C	U
	Ja	Fe	Ma	Ap	My	Je	Jy	Au	Se	Oc	No	De
Harris's Sparrow	U	U	C	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	U
White-crowned Sparrow	U	C	C	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	U	U
Dark-eyed Junco	C	C	C	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	C	C
Summer Tanager	.	.	.	.	C	C	.	.	.	.	.	.
Northern Cardinal	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Blue Grosbeak	.	.	.	U	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Indigo Bunting	.	.	.	.	C	U	U	.	.	U	.	.
Painted Bunting	.	.	.	.	C	C	C	U	.	.	.	.
Red-winged Blackbird	C	C	C	C	C	C	U	.	.	.	U	U
Common Grackle	.	U	U	C	C	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Great-tailed Grackle	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	U	.	U	.	U
Brown-headed Cowbird	U	.	U	C	C	C	C	.	.	.	.	.
Orchard Oriole	.	.	.	.	C	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
House Finch	C	C	C	U	U	C	U	.	.	C	U	C
American Goldfinch	C	C	C	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	C	C
House Sparrow	U	U	.	.	U	C	U	.	.	.	.	.

Source: eBird, July 2015

RARE SIGHTINGS: Wood Duck, Cinnamon Teal, Greater Scaup, Upland Sandpiper, Ladder-backed Woodpecker, Olive-sided Flycatcher, Yellow-bellied Flycatcher, Bell's Vireo, Blue-headed Vireo, Graycheeked Thrush, American Pipit, Pine Warbler, Wilson's Warbler, Eastern/Western Meadowlark, Brewer's Blackbird, Baltimore Oriole, Pine Siskin

Friends of Southwest Nature Preserve is a volunteer organization. It is dedicated to develop, in partnership with the city of Arlington, wildlife habitat in a natural ecosystem for the public to enjoy. For public events, programs and volunteer opportunities, visit our website below.

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The Carolina Chickadee is a year-round resident in the preserve.