

Birds of the Léon-Provancher ecological reserve

2017 annotated list

This seasonal list of the Birds of The Léon-Provancher ecological reserve counts 240 species, plus three exotics, by applying the criterion "observed from the Territory".

Legends

* - Seen at the St-Lawrence only.

N - Regular Nichor

n - Irregular Nichor

A - Abundant : present annually, seen almost always and in great number.

C - Common : present annually, seen frequently and in a variable number.

O - Occasional : present annually, seldom seen, only small numbers.

R - Rare : usually present annually, seen one or a few times per season.

V - Very rare : not observed each year, only a handful of reports.

Seasons

SP -Spring: March, April, May

SU -Summer: June, July

A -Autumn: August, September, October, November

W -Winter: December, January, February

Additions

Since 2013

Barnacle Goose
Upland Sandpiper
Sanderling
White-rumped Sandpiper
Red-necked Phalarope
Caspian Tern
Barred Owl
Northern Saw-whet Owl
Clay-colored Sparrow

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SPECIES	N/n	SP	SU	A	W
ANATIDAE					
Greater white-fronted Goose*		V			
Snow Goose*		O	V	O	V
Ross's Goose*		V			
Brant*		V			
Barnacle Goose*		V			
Cackling Goose*		V			
Canada Goose		A	V	C	V
Mute Swan			V		
Wood Duck	n	C	O	O	
Gadwall	n	O	O	R	
Eurasian Wigeon		V	V		
American Wigeon	n	O	R	O	V
American Black Duck	N	A	A	A	V
Mallard	N	A	A	A	V
Blue-winged Teal	N	C	O	R	
Northern Shoveler	n	O	R	R	
Northern Pintail	n	C	O	R	V
Green-winged Teal	N	C	R	C	V
Canvasback		V			
Redhead		V		V	
Ring-necked Duck	N	C	O	C	
Greater Scaup*		C	V	C	V
Lesser Scaup		C	V	C	V
Common Eider*		V			V
Surf Scoter*		R		R	
White-winged Scoter*		R	V	R	
Black Scoter*		R			
Long-tailed Duck*		V		V	V
Bufflehead		R		O	V
Common Goldeneye		A	R	A	O
Barrow's Goldeneye*		V			V
Hooded Merganser		O	R	C	
Common Merganser		C	V	C	C
Red-breasted Merganser*		R	V	O	V
Ruddy Duck	n	V	V	V	
PHASIANIDAE					
Grey Partridge				V	
Ruffed Grouse	N	O	O	O	O
GAVIIDAE					
Red-throated Loon*				V	
Common Loon*		O	R	O	V
PODICIPEDIDAE					
Pied-billed Grebe	N	C	C	C	
Horned Grebe*		V			
Red-necked Grebe*		V		V	
PHALACROCORACIDAE					
Doubled-crested Cormorant		O	O	O	
ARDEIDAE					
American Bittern	N	O	O	R	
Least Bittern		V	V		
Great Blue Heron		C	C	A	V
Great Egret			V	V	
Tricolored Heron		V			
Green Heron	N	C	C	C	
Black-crowned Night-Heron		R			

SPECIES	N/n	SP	SU	A	W
CATHARTIDAE					
Turkey Vulture		O	O	O	
ACCIPITRIDAE					
Osprey		C	C	O	
Bald Eagle		V			
Northern Harrier	n	O	C	O	
Sharp-shinned Hawk		C	R	C	V
Cooper's Hawk		V		V	
Northern Goshawk		R	R	R	R
Red-shouldered Hawk		R			
Broad-winged Hawk		O	R	O	
Red-tailed Hawk		O	R	O	V
Rough-legged Hawk		R		R	V
Golden Eagle		V		V	
RALLIDAE					
Virginia Rail	N	C	C	V	
Sora	N	C	C	V	
Common Moorhen	N	O	O	O	
American Coot	n	R	R	V	
GRUIDAE					
Sandhill Crane		V			
CHARADRIIDAE					
Black-bellied Plover*				V	
Semipalmated Plover*		R	R	O	
Killdeer	N	C	C	C	
SCOLOPACIDAE					
Upland Sandpiper			V		
Spotted Sandpiper	N	C	O	C	
Solitary Sandpiper		O	R	R	
Greater Yellowlegs		O	R	O	
Lesser Yellowlegs		O	R	O	
Ruddy Turnstone		V			
Sanderling*			V		
Dunlin		V			
Purple Sandpiper					V
Baird's Sandpiper		V			
Least Sandpiper		C	O	C	
White-rumped Sandpiper*		V			
Pectoral Sandpiper				V	
Semipalmated Sandpiper		O	R	O	
Short-billed Dowitcher		R	V	R	
Wilson's Snipe	N	C	O	O	
American Woodcock	N	O	O	O	
Phalarope de Wilson		V			
Red-necked Phalarope				V	
Long-tailed Jaeger*			V		
ALCIDAE					
Common Murre*		V			
LARIDAE					
Black-legged Kittiwake		V			
Bonaparte's Gull*		V		R	
Laughing Gull*		V			
Ring-billed Gull		A	A	A	V
Herring Gull		C	O	C	R
Iceland Gull		V			
Lesser Black-backed Gull*		V			

SPECIES	N/n	SP	SU	A	W
LARIDAE (suite)					
Glaucous Gull		V			
Great Black-backed Gull		C	O	C	R
Caspian Tern*		V	V		
Black Tern		V	V		
Common Tern*		R			
Arctic Tern*		V			
COLUMBIDAE					
Rock Pigeon		R	R	R	R
Mourning Dove	N	C	C	C	C
CUCULIDAE					
Black-billed Cuckoo		V	V	V	
STRIGIDAE					
Great Horned Owl	n	R	R	R	R
Snowy Owl					R
Barred Owl					V
Great Gray Owl					V
Boreal Owl				V	V
Northern Saw-whet Owl	n	V			
CAPRIMULGIDAE					
Common Nighthawk			R		
APODIDAE					
Chimney Swift			U	R	V
TROCHILIDAE					
Ruby-throated Hummingbird	N	C	C	C	
ALCEDINIDAE					
Belted Kingfisher	N	C	C	C	
PICIDAE					
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker		R			V
Downy Woodpecker	N	C	O	C	C
Hairy Woodpecker	N	C	O	C	C
Northern Flicker	N	A	A	C	V
Pileated Woodpecker		O	O		R
FALCONIDAE					
American Kestrel	N	C	C	O	V
Merlin		R	V	R	
Gyrfalcon					V
Peregrine Falcon					V
TYRANNIDAE					
Olive-sided Flycatcher		V			V
Eastern Wood-Pewee		O	O		
Yellow-bellied Flycatcher		R			
Alder Flycatcher	N	A	C	R	
Willow Flycatcher			V		
Least Flycatcher	N	A		O	
Eastern Phoebe		O	O	R	
Great Crested Flycatcher		O	R	V	
Eastern Kingbird	N	A	A	C	
LANIIDAE					
Northern Shrike		R		R	R
VIREONIDAE					
Yellow-throated Vireo		V			
Blue-headed Vireo		O	V	O	
Warbling Vireo	N	A	C	R	
Philadelphia Vireo		R			
Red-eyed Vireo	N	C	O	R	

SPECIES N/n SP SU A W

CORVIDAE
 Blue Jay N C C C C
 American Crow N A A A R
 Common Raven R R R R

ALAUDIDAE

Horned Lark R R

HIRUNDINIDAE

Purple Martin V
 Tree Swallow N A A
 Northern Rough-winged Swallow R R
 Bank Swallow C O R
 Cliff Swallow O R R
 Barn Swallow C O R

PARIDAE

Black-capped Chickadee N A A A A
 Boreal Chickadee V

SITTIDAE

Red-breasted Nuthatch R V R R
 White-breasted Nuthatch N O O O O

CERTHIIDAE

Brown Creeper O V O R

TROGLODYTIDAE

House Wren V
 Winter Wren O V O
 Marsh Wren V
 Carolina Wren V V

SYLVIIDAE

Blue-gray Gnatcatcher V

REGULIDAE

Golden-crowned Kinglet C C R
 Ruby-crowned Kinglet C V C

TURDIDAE

Eastern Bluebird V R
 Veery N C C O
 Grey-cheeked Thrush V
 Swainson's Thrush O R O
 Hermit Thrush O R O
 American Robin N A A A R

MIMIDAE

Gray Catbird N C C O
 Brown Thrasher n R R R
 Northern Mockingbird R R

STURNIDAE

European Starling N A A A C

MOTACILLIDAE

American Pipit R R

BOMBYCILLIDAE

Bohemian Waxwing R R O
 Cedar Waxwing N C A O R

CALCARIIDAE

Snow Bunting R R R

PARULIDAE

Ovenbird n O O V
 Northern Waterthrush O R
 Blue-winged Warbler V
 Black-and-white Warbler N C O

SPECIES N/n SP SU A W

PARULIDAE (suite)
 Tennessee Warbler C R
 Orange-crowned Warbler V V
 Nashville Warbler C V O
 Connecticut Warbler V
 Mourning Warbler n O R V
 Common Yellowthroat N A A C
 American Redstart N A C O
 Cape May Warbler R
 Northern Parula R
 Magnolia Warbler O O
 Bay-breasted Warbler R
 Blackburnian Warbler O
 Yellow Warbler N A A O
 Chestnut-sided Warbler N A C O
 Blackpoll Warbler R V
 Palm Warbler R R
 Pine Warbler V V
 Black-throated Blue Warbler N C O O
 Yellow-rumped Warbler A V A
 Black-throated Green Warbler C
 Canada Warbler R R
 Wilson's Warbler O
 Yellow-breasted Chat V V

EMBERIZIDAE

Eastern Towhee V
 American Tree Sparrow C C O
 Chipping Sparrow n R R R
 Clay-colored Sparrow V
 Field Sparrow V
 Vesper Sparrow V
 Savannah Sparrow C C R
 Fox Sparrow R R
 Song Sparrow N A A A V
 Lincoln's Sparrow V R
 Swamp Sparrow N C O O
 White-throated Sparrow N A C A V
 White-crowned Sparrow O O V
 Dark-eyed Junco C V C R

CARDINALIDAE

Scarlet Tanager V
 Northern Cardinal N O O O O
 Rose-breasted Grosbeak N C O V
 Indigo Bunting n O O R

ICTERIDAE

Bobolink n C O
 Red-winged Blackbird N A A C V
 Eastern Meadowlark O R
 Rusty Blackbird O V O V
 Common Grackle N A A C V
 Brown-headed Cowbird N C O O
 Baltimore Oriole N C O R

FRINGILLIDAE

Pine Grosbeak R R
 House Finch R R R
 Purple Finch n C O O O
 White-winged Crossbill R R
 Common Redpoll O R C
 Hoary Redpoll R V R
 Pine Siskin O R O C
 American Goldfinch N A A C O
 Evening Grosbeak R U R O

PASSERIDAE

House Sparrow N C C C C