

Greenville County Bird Club Trip Report

Date: September 21, 2013

Location: Lake Conestee Nature Park

Leader: Paul Serridge

The migration count at Conestee this morning was not too great except for the turnout of birders - we had 16 participants including 7 non-members. The group had a very international flavor - 3 from France, 4 Brits, and a visitor from China.

We dipped on many common species (including Canada Goose and Goldfinch!) and the warblers reported earlier in the week had either moved on or we just missed them.

Fortunately the rain held off apart from a very few sprinkles but the radar was far from promising around noon and so the plan to bird after lunch was shelved.

Veery and Turkey Vulture were new species for the month, bringing this month's species total to 75. A migration count report will be filed with JB Hines.

Good birding,

Paul

Lake Conestee Nature Park, Greenville, US-SC

Sep 21, 2013 6:45 AM - 11:45 AM

Protocol: Traveling

4.0 mile(s)

43 species

Wood Duck 2

Mallard 51

Great Blue Heron 4

Turkey Vulture 1

Red-shouldered Hawk 4

Killdeer 5

Mourning Dove 7

Yellow-billed Cuckoo 1

Chimney Swift 75

Ruby-throated Hummingbird 4

Belted Kingfisher 2

Red-bellied Woodpecker 5

Downy Woodpecker 5
Northern Flicker 3
Pileated Woodpecker 2
Eastern Wood-Pewee 4
Eastern Phoebe 6
White-eyed Vireo 2
Red-eyed Vireo 1
Blue Jay 9
American Crow 2
Fish Crow 2
Carolina Chickadee 7
Tufted Titmouse 6
White-breasted Nuthatch 3
Brown-headed Nuthatch 4
Carolina Wren 13
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher 4
Eastern Bluebird 10
Veery 1
American Robin 5
Brown Thrasher 9
Northern Mockingbird 6
European Starling 31
American Redstart 3
Chestnut-sided Warbler 3
Pine Warbler 2
Eastern Towhee 2
Scarlet Tanager 2 Females or imm. males
Northern Cardinal 12
Red-winged Blackbird 3
Common Grackle 20
House Finch 2

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