

Greenville County Bird Club Trip Report

Date: Saturday, January 21, 2017
Location: Lake Conestee Nature Park, Greenville, SC
Event: Third Saturday {early and late} Outings at LCNP
Leaders: Michael Robertson and Denise DuPon
Species List & Narrative: Michael Robertson and Denise DuPon



Early Outing: 7:30 AM - 11:55 AM lead by Michael Robertson

Protocol: Traveling 3.5 mile(s)

Comments: Monthly outing of the Greenville Bird Club. Cloudy and 54 F at start, 57 F and pouring rain at finish, very pleasant walk. Around ballfields, then did the East Bay Loop, then to West Bay, to Crescent Slough, and back to cars. Drove to Spanco to look for Wilson's Snipe, found none.

50 species

Canada Goose	15		Winter Wren	1
Wood Duck	8		Carolina Wren	9
Mallard	14		Golden-crowned Kinglet	2
Northern Shoveler	3	West Bay	Ruby-crowned Kinglet	6
Lesser Scaup	1	East Bay	Eastern Bluebird	8
Pied-billed Grebe	3		Hermit Thrush	3
Great Blue Heron	9	7 at the nest	American Robin	5
American Coot	4		Brown Thrasher	5
Killdeer	1		Northern Mockingbird	2
Mourning Dove	7		European Starling	7
Barred Owl	1		Pine Warbler	4
Belted Kingfisher	2		Yellow-rumped Warbler	2
Red-headed Woodpecker	4		Field Sparrow	1
Red-bellied Woodpecker	1		Fox Sparrow	3
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	2		White-throated Sparrow	7
Downy Woodpecker	5		Song Sparrow	2
Northern Flicker	3		Swamp Sparrow	2
Pileated Woodpecker	2		Seen by David Kirk as he stayed behind to eat his brunch.	
Eastern Phoebe	3		Eastern Towhee	6
Blue Jay	3		Northern Cardinal	14
American Crow	2		Red-winged Blackbird	10
Carolina Chickadee	5		Rusty Blackbird	2
Tufted Titmouse	11		House Finch	8
White-breasted Nuthatch	2		Purple Finch	1
Brown-headed Nuthatch	4		American Goldfinch	2
Brown Creeper	2			

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Later outing led by Denise DuPon

Eight members (including 3 brand new members) had good luck today on the short walk! We started with amazing looks at a Red-shouldered Hawk eating its breakfast perched on the Wood Duck box just a few feet away from the parking lot at Spanco. We also had great looks at a pair of Pileated Woodpeckers from the West Bay overlook. The best part was we all arrived back at the cars before it started to rain :-)

Lake Conestee Nature Park, Greenville, South Carolina, US

Jan 21, 2017 7:56 AM - 10:49 AM

Protocol: Traveling 0.9 mile(s)

Comments: Cloudy, a little foggy, 56 F

41 species

Canada Goose	2	Brown-headed Nuthatch	2
Wood Duck	8	Brown Creeper	1
Mallard	13	Carolina Wren	3
Northern Shoveler	2	Golden-crowned Kinglet	1
Great Blue Heron	8	Ruby-crowned Kinglet	2
Red-shouldered Hawk	1	Eastern Bluebird	4
American Coot	2	Hermit Thrush	1
Killdeer	4	American Robin	1
Mourning Dove	3	Brown Thrasher	1
Belted Kingfisher	1	Northern Mockingbird	1
Red-headed Woodpecker	1	European Starling	5
Red-bellied Woodpecker	1	Cedar Waxwing	15
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	1	Pine Warbler	2
Downy Woodpecker	2	Yellow-rumped Warbler	2
Northern Flicker	2	White-throated Sparrow	5
Pileated Woodpecker	2	Song Sparrow	2
Eastern Phoebe	2	Eastern Towhee	4
Blue Jay	3	Northern Cardinal	4
American Crow	3	House Finch	1
Fish Crow	1		
Carolina Chickadee	7		
Tufted Titmouse	1		

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