

Greenville County Bird Club Trip Report

Date: September 9, 2017

Event: Raptor Identification Workshop, Caesars Head State Park, SC

Leaders: Tim Lee and Jeff Click



Tim Lee, coordinator of the Hawk Watch program at Caesars Head State Park, treated several GCBC members were treated to a very informative workshop on identification of raptors in flight, followed by a visit to the overlook at the park to put it into practice. Some members gathered in addition before the workshop for some birding at nearby Ashmore Heritage Preserve. The combined species list is below.

Species List (33 total)

Wild Turkey
Black Vulture
Turkey Vulture
Sharp-shinned Hawk
Cooper's Hawk
Broad-winged Hawk
Red-tailed Hawk
Chimney Swift
Ruby-throated Hummingbird
Downy Woodpecker
Hairy Woodpecker
Pileated Woodpecker
Peregrine Falcon
Eastern Wood-Pewee
Yellow-throated Vireo
Blue Jay
American Crow
Common Raven
Carolina Chickadee
Tufted Titmouse
Red-breasted Nuthatch
White-breasted Nuthatch
Carolina Wren
Wood Thrush
Worm-eating Warbler
Black-and-white Warbler
Hooded Warbler
Cape May Warbler
Pine Warbler
Dark-eyed Junco
Scarlet Tanager
Northern Cardinal
American Goldfinch