

# Howard County Bird Club

A Chapter of the Maryland Ornithological Society (MOS)

## Field Trip: Thursday, April 17, 2008

**Trip Leader:** Byrnes, Joe

**Date of Trip:** Thursday, April 17, 2008

**Location:** Lake Elkhorn/Fore Bay

**Details:** 3 hours, sunny, cloudless, 1 mph wind from north, 50 - 60 degrees.

**Number on trip:** 10 (+ baby)

(Numbers of individuals are shown if they were recorded.)

- Canada Goose: 8
- Mallard: 6
- Great Blue Heron: 1
- Black Vulture: 3
- Turkey Vulture: 1
- Sharp-shinned Hawk: 1
- Red-shouldered Hawk: 3
- Mourning Dove: 3
- Barred Owl: 1
- Chimney Swift: 8
- Red-bellied Woodpecker: 4
- Downy Woodpecker: 8
- Northern Flicker: 1 Heard
- Eastern Phoebe: 1
- Blue Jay: 4
- American Crow: 10
- Tree Swallow: 10
- N. Rough-winged Swallow:
- Barn Swallow: 12
- Carolina Chickadee: 6
- Tufted Titmouse: 6
- White-breasted Nuthatch: 2
- Carolina Wren: 2
- House Wren: 2
- American Robin: 4
- Northern Mockingbird: 2
- European Starling: 6
- Yellow-rumped Warbler: 30
- Pine Warbler: 1
- Palm Warbler: 2
- Eastern Towhee: 1
- Field Sparrow: 1 Heard
- Song Sparrow: 3
- White-throated Sparrow: 6
- Dark-eyed Junco: 1
- Northern Cardinal: 10
- Red-winged Blackbird: 10
- Common Grackle: 12
- Brown-headed Cowbird: 5
- American Goldfinch: 4
- House Sparrow: 12

### Comments:

Barred Owl in NE corner of lake, high in a tree, being harassed by crows.