## **Howard County Bird Club**

## A Chapter of the Maryland Ornithological Society (MOS)

Field Trip: Sunday, November 01, 2009

Trip Leader: Schwarz, Kurt

Date of Trip: Sunday, November 01, 2009

**Location:** Centennial Park

**Details:** 8-11:00 a.m. Light to moderate rain throughout. Temperatures in the low 50s F. No wind.

Number on trip: 5

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

• Canada Goose:

• Mallard:

Ruddy Duck: 7Pied-billed Grebe: 2

Great Egret: 1 Black Vulture: 3 Cooper's Hawk:

• Red-shouldered Hawk: 1

Ring-billed Gull: 1Herring Gull: 1Rock Pigeon:

Belted Kingfisher: 1Red-bellied Woodpecker:

Rea-beilled WoodpeckerDowny Woodpecker: 2

Northern Flicker:

• Blue Jay:

• American Crow:

• Fish Crow:

• Carolina Chickadee:

• Tufted Titmouse:

White-breasted Nuthatch: 3

• Carolina Wren:

Golden-crowned Kinglet: 2Ruby-crowned Kinglet: 5

• Eastern Bluebird:

• American Robin:

• Northern Mockingbird:

• Cedar Waxwing: 20

• Yellow-rumped Warbler:

• Eastern Towhee: 1

Field Sparrow: 1

Song Sparrow:

• White-throated Sparrow:

Northern Cardinal:

Red-winged Blackbird:

• American Goldfinch:

## Comments:

Four other insane people showed up. We were also joined for a bit by Mike Kerwin, who prior to our arrival at his usual station had seen an unidentified accipter. Prior to walks start, the leader had briefly ventured down the trail and spotted an aberrant sparrow, with largely white head. His best guess is it was a Song Sparrow. It disappeared before he could run back for the camera, and it was not relocated on the walk. Presumed leucistic Song Sparrow.