

Howard County Bird Club

A Chapter of the Maryland Ornithological Society (MOS)

Field Trip: Howard Spring Waterfowl Search

Trip Leader: Kurt Schwarz

Date of Trip: Saturday, March 24, 2018

Details: The Spring Waterfowl Search enjoyed mostly sunny skies, starting at 32 degrees, rising to 40. A breeze kept it cool. Waterfowl were in short supply, alas. We began at Lake Elkhorn, then to Lake Kittamaquidi, next Wilde Lake, and finally Centennial.

Number: 6

- Canada Goose 38
- Mallard 2
- Ring-necked Duck -15
- Bufflehead 5
- Hooded Merganser 18
- Red-breasted Merganser 4
- Pied-billed Grebe - 3
- Double-crested Cormorant 6
- Great Blue Heron 3
- Black Vulture 3
- Osprey 2
- Red-shouldered Hawk 1
- Ring-billed Gull 51
- Mourning Dove 3
- Red-bellied Woodpecker 4
- Downy Woodpecker 4
- Hairy Woodpecker 1
- Northern Flicker 1
- Eastern Phoebe 2
- Blue Jay 9
- American Crow 7
- Fish Crown 33
- Northern Rough-winged Swallow 5
- Tree Swallow 8
- Carolina Chickadee 9
- Tufted Titmouse 10
- White-breasted Nuthatch 3
- Carolina Wren 5
- Eastern Bluebird 5
- American Robin 13
- Northern Mockingbird 1
- Field Sparrow 1
- Dark-eyed Junco 1
- White-throated Sparrow 12
- Song Sparrow 2
- Northern Cardinal 13
- Red-winged Blackbird 3
- Common Grackle 3
- House Finch 2
- American Goldfinch 7
- House Sparrow - 2