

Count Summary Report

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Count Name: Bastrop-Buescher State Parks	Count Code: TXBB	Count Date: 1/1/2016
Organizations & Sponsors:	# of Party Hours: 81.75	Species reported on count date: 114

Compiler(s)

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Start & End Times

Start time	End time
05:30 AM	05:30 PM

Effort

Observers	
In Field	Total Number: 35
	Minimum Number of Parties (daylight): 9
	Maximum Number of Parties (daylight): 10
At Feeders	Total Number: 3

Party Hours and Distance (excludes viewing at feeders and nocturnal birding)			
By	Hours	Distance	Units
Foot	31.00	29.74	Miles
Car	49.00	408.20	Miles
Air			
All-Terrain Vehicle			
Bicycle			
Dog Sled			
Golfcart			
Horseback			
Motorized Boat	1.75	10.50	Miles
Non-Motorized Boat			
Skis/Xc-Skis			
Snowmachine			
Snowshoe			
Wheelchair			

Other Time and Distance			
	Hours	Distance	Units
At Feeders	7.50		

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Nocturnal Birding	5.50	38.90	Miles
Total Party	81.75	448.44	Miles

Weather

Weather Summary			
Temperature	Minimum: 43.0 Fahrenheit	Maximum: 46.0 Fahrenheit	
Wind Direction	North		
Wind Velocity	Minimum: 5.00 Miles/hour	Maximum: 12.00 Miles/hour	
Snow Depth	Minimum: 0.00 Inches	Maximum: 0.00 Inches	
Still Water	Open		
Moving Water	Open		
AM and PM Conditions			
Cloud Cover	AM: Cloudy	PM: Cloudy	
AM Rain	Light		
AM Snow	None		
PM Rain	None		
PM Snow	None		

Checklist

Species	Number or cw	Flags	Max Number	# Of Counts	Editor Comm.
Black-bellied Whistling-Duck	67		175/112	13	
Greater White-fronted Goose	80	US, HC,	80/116	7	
Snow Goose	cw	US,	65/96	3	
Wood Duck	3		112/84	33	
Gadwall	60		1878/90	39	
American Wigeon	7		314/95	37	
Mallard	5		159/84	38	
Blue-winged Teal	4		34/111	12	
Northern Shoveler	39		273/95	32	
Green-winged Teal	1		157/84	14	
Canvasback	3		64/107	27	
Redhead	18		72/114	23	
Ring-necked Duck	47		190/84	34	
Bufflehead	2		58/92	34	
Hooded Merganser	8		19/109	26	
Ruddy Duck	29		250/108	23	
duck sp.	20		174/89	24	

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Wild Turkey	7		36/115	11	
Least Grebe	cw		35/88	7	
Pied-billed Grebe	55		173/111	38	
Eared Grebe	1		150/108	24	
Neotropic Cormorant	38		591/112	16	
Double-crested Cormorant	127		525/86	39	
American White Pelican	8		15/109	11	
Great Blue Heron (Blue form)	37		50/113	39	
Great Egret	24		36/108	37	
Black-crowned Night-Heron	13		33/114	5	
Black Vulture	397		950/115	39	
Turkey Vulture	215		747/96	39	
Osprey	10		14/108	36	
Northern Harrier	4		29/81	37	
Sharp-shinned Hawk	2		12/87	33	
Cooper's Hawk	5		10/88	32	
Accipiter sp.	1		2/99	8	
Bald Eagle	3		9/88	23	
Red-shouldered Hawk	41		64/92	39	
Red-tailed Hawk	42		110/87	39	
hawk sp.	1		6/99	6	
American Coot	1913		4383/96	39	
Killdeer	128		435/85	39	
Spotted Sandpiper	3		41/86	37	
Greater Yellowlegs	1		32/95	32	
Least Sandpiper	19		46/98	25	
Calidris sp.	12		12/116	1	
Rock Pigeon (Feral Pigeon)	130		363/86	37	
Eurasian Collared-Dove	15		101/114	15	
Inca Dove	14		138/97	37	
White-winged Dove	236		587/104	23	
Mourning Dove	130		1868/92	38	
Greater Roadrunner	3		11/82	34	
Eastern Screech-Owl	4		12/106	29	
Great Horned Owl	1		20/114	32	
Barred Owl	3		17/92	33	
Belted Kingfisher	8		28/86	39	

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Green Kingfisher	cw		2/85	11	
Red-headed Woodpecker	5		45/85	21	
Red-bellied Woodpecker	138		216/114	39	
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	16		122/92	39	
Ladder-backed Woodpecker	1		12/100	27	
Downy Woodpecker	38		64/85	39	
Hairy Woodpecker	1		9/113	22	
Northern Flicker	8		53/91	28	
Northern Flicker (Yellow-shafted)	3		194/88	35	
Pileated Woodpecker	39		45/113	36	
Crested Caracara	73		75/114	38	
American Kestrel	46		134/87	39	
Merlin	1		4/82	18	
Eastern Phoebe	58		109/111	39	
Vermilion Flycatcher	2	HC,	2/116	4	
Loggerhead Shrike	14		100/82	39	
Blue-headed Vireo	1		15/109	28	
Blue Jay	110		257/85	39	
American Crow	498		1781/89	39	
Barn Swallow	5	US,	5/116	1	
Cave Swallow	44	HC,	44/116	8	
Carolina Chickadee	210		470/86	39	
Tufted Titmouse	104		291/86	37	
Tufted x Black-crested Titmouse (hybrid)	12		144/114	3	
House Wren	6		45/114	38	
Winter Wren	2		4/111	4	
Carolina Wren	140		182/99	39	
Bewick's Wren	5		50/92	38	
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	2		16/103	22	
Golden-crowned Kinglet	6		110/86	35	
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	106		605/92	39	
Eastern Bluebird	221		2435/92	38	
Hermit Thrush	14		152/83	39	
American Robin	361		16399/84	39	
Brown Thrasher	1		22/85	35	
Northern Mockingbird	171		283/90	39	
European Starling	469		14785/84	38	
American Pipit	164		288/108	37	

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Cedar Waxwing	2372		7314/83	38	
Orange-crowned Warbler	22		49/97	39	
Common Yellowthroat	12	HC,	12/116	28	
Pine Warbler	61		316/113	39	
Yellow-rumped Warbler	647		1542/86	31	
Yellow-rumped Warbler (Myrtle)	360		2690/92	32	
Yellow-rumped Warbler (Audubon's)	1		386/94	22	
Chipping Sparrow	891		1487/88	39	
Field Sparrow	106		676/88	39	
Lark Sparrow	45		70/83	32	
Fox Sparrow	12		79/88	35	
Dark-eyed Junco	16		463/84	22	
Dark-eyed Junco (Slate-colored)	11		337/83	35	
White-crowned Sparrow	41		790/92	39	
Harris's Sparrow	20		293/89	36	
White-throated Sparrow	107		847/88	39	
Vesper Sparrow	502		1292/88	39	
Savannah Sparrow	161		880/88	38	
Song Sparrow	29		356/87	39	
Lincoln's Sparrow	33		218/87	39	
Swamp Sparrow	1		22/91	30	
Spotted Towhee	1		21/90	30	
sparrow sp.	60		205/84	26	
Northern Cardinal	453		1200/92	39	
Pyrrhuloxia	14	HC,	14/116	8	
Red-winged Blackbird	1004		13986/114	39	
Western Meadowlark	1		41/94	33	
Eastern Meadowlark	329		493/95	38	
Western/Eastern Meadowlark	601		1744/88	38	
Common Grackle	355		23911/83	37	
Great-tailed Grackle	481		2000/94	36	
Brown-headed Cowbird	650		15765/92	37	
blackbird sp.	3200		40125/94	32	
House Finch	30		102/115	28	
Pine Siskin	182		707/84	27	
American Goldfinch	661		2514/96	39	
House Sparrow	136		547/80	38	

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Total Individuals	20747				
Total Species Reported	114				
cw = Reported count week US = Flagged as an unusual species HC = Flagged as an unusually high count LC = Flagged as an unusually low count					

Species Requiring Rare Bird Reports to be Submitted to Regional Editor

Species

Greater White-fronted Goose [Anser albifrons]

Snow Goose [Chen caerulescens]

Barn Swallow [Hirundo rustica]

Special Aspects

Bastrop has experienced a wet year. At the time of the count, there were many ponds throughout the circle. Fortunately the rain that was predicted for count day didn't materialize, but the wind did which made hearing some bird vocalizations challenging. And it potentially kept some species hunkered down.

Lake Bastrop which typically has a great assortment of waterfowl had very little variety and very small numbers except for American Coots. They were abundant!

Bastrop experienced another wildfire in 2015. The fire was much smaller than the 2011 fire. It burned some of the CBC circle but mainly in areas of limited or no access.

One area of Bastrop State Park was not surveyed this year due to the fact that the birder who has special access to the area was unable to participate this year.