

Townsend's Warbler      unc., Sp, S, F  
 Wilson's Warbler      Sp, S, F

Notes

**Towhees, Sparrows, Juncos**

Green-tailed Towhee      unc., Sp, S, F  
 Spotted Towhee      unc., Sp, S, F  
 American Tree Sparrow      unc., F, W, Sp  
 Chipping Sparrow      unc., Sp, S, F  
 Brewer's Sparrow      unc., Sp, S, F  
 Vesper Sparrow      unc., Sp, S, F  
 Savannah Sparrow      unc., Sp, S, F  
 Song Sparrow      year round  
 Lincoln's Sparrow      occ., Sp, S, F  
 Harris's Sparrow      occ., F, W, Sp  
 White-crowned Sparrow      Sp, S, F  
 Dark-eyed Junco      year round

**Tanagers**

Western Tanager      unc., Sp, S, F

**Blackbirds, Orioles**

Red-winged Blackbird      Sp, S, F  
 Western Meadowlark      Sp, S, F  
 Yellow-headed Blackbird      Sp, S, F  
 Brewer's Blackbird      Sp, S, F  
 Common Grackle      unc., Sp, S, F  
 Brown-headed Cowbird      Sp, S, F  
 Bullock's Oriole      Sp, S, F

**Finches, Grosbeaks**

Snow Bunting      unc., F, W  
 Lazuli Bunting      unc., Sp, S, F  
 Black-headed Grosbeak      unc., Sp, S, F  
 Pine Grosbeak      rare, F, W, Sp  
 Purple Finch      rare, F, W, Sp  
 Cassin's Finch      occ., F, W, Sp  
 House Finch      year round  
 Red Crossbill      occ., F, W, Sp  
 White-winged Crossbill      rare, F, W, Sp  
 Common Redpoll      rare, F, W, Sp  
 Pine Siskin      unc., F, W, Sp  
 Lesser Goldfinch      rare, year round  
 American Goldfinch      year round  
 Evening Grosbeak      occ., Sp, S, F

**Weaver Finches**

House Sparrow      year round



Bald Eagles  
 Photo by Kit Struthers

Snake River Audubon Society, a chapter of the National Audubon Society, meets on third Thursdays, September, October, November, January, February, March, and April, at 7:30 PM in the large meeting room downstairs in the Idaho Falls Public Library. Field trips are scheduled about once a month. Christmas Bird Counts are held in Idaho Falls, Rexburg and Howe. Check out Snake River Audubon Society on Facebook and on the web.

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Bird List  
 Idaho Falls, Idaho



Osprey  
 Photo by Steve Butterworth

The City of Idaho Falls owns and operates four run-of-the-river hydro-electric plants along a ten mile stretch of the Snake River. Along the way, there are parks, wetlands, farms, open range, residential areas, and industrial/commercial development. The Pacific and Central flyways overlap here. As a result, many species of birds are resident or migrate through the area. Bald Eagles are year round residents, and Ospreys nest here.

Sp= spring      F = fall  
 S = summer      W = winter  
 unc. = uncommon      occ. = occasional

Unless otherwise noted, birds are relatively common to common.

**Geese, Swans, Ducks**

Snow Goose	unc., Sp
Ross's Goose	occ., Sp
Cackling Goose	rare, year round
Canada Goose	year round
Trumpeter Swan	year round
Tundra Swan	unc., Sp, F
Wood Duck	unc., W, Sp
Gadwall	Sp, S, F
Eurasian Wigeon	rare, Sp
American Wigeon	year round
Mallard	year round
Blue-winged Teal	unc., Sp, S
Cinnamon Teal	Sp, S, F
Northern Shoveler	Sp, S, F
Northern Pintail	Sp, S, F
Green-winged Teal	unc., Sp, S, F
Canvasback	Sp, F
Redhead	year round
Ring-necked Duck	year round
Greater Scaup	occ., Sp, F
Lesser Scaup	year round
Surf Scoter	rare, F
White-winged Scoter	rare, F
Long-tailed Duck	rare, W, Sp
Bufflehead	year round
Common Goldeneye	F, W, Sp
Barrow's Goldeneye	F, W, Sp
Hooded Merganser	F, W, Sp
Common Merganser	F, W, Sp
Red-breasted Merganser	unc., Sp, F
Ruddy Duck	Sp, S, F

**Gallinaceous birds**

Gray Partridge	year round
Ring-necked Pheasant	year round

**Loons, Grebes**

Pacific Loon	rare, F
Common Loon	Sp, F
Pied-billed Grebe	Sp, S, F
Horned Grebe	unc., Sp, F
Eared Grebe	Sp, S, F
Western Grebe	Sp, S, F
Clark's Grebe	unc., Sp, S, F

**Cormorants, Pelicans**

Double-crested Cormorant	Sp, S, F
White Pelican	Sp, S

**Hérons, Bitterns, Ibis**

Great Blue Heron	year round
Snowy Egret	unc., Sp, S, F
Black-crowned Night-Heron	unc., Sp, S, F
White-faced Ibis	Sp, F

**Vultures, Hawks, Falcons**

Turkey Vulture	Sp, S, F
Osprey	Sp, S, F
Bald Eagle	year round
Northern Harrier	year round
Sharp-shinned Hawk	unc., year round
Cooper's Hawk	unc., F, W, Sp
Northern Goshawk	rare, F, W, Sp
Swainson's Hawk	Sp, S, F
Red-tailed Hawk	year round
Ferruginous Hawk	unc., Sp, S, F
Rough-legged Hawk	F, W, Sp
Golden Eagle	unc., year round
American Kestrel	year round
Merlin	unc., F, W, Sp
Gyr Falcon	rare, F, W, Sp
Peregrine Falcon	rare, Sp, S, F
Prairie Falcon	year round

**Coots, Shorebirds**

American Coot	year round
Sandhill Crane	Sp, S, F
Killdeer	Sp, S, F
American Avocet	unc., Sp, S, F
Spotted Sandpiper	unc., Sp, S, F
Willet	occ., Sp, S, F
Semipalmated Sandpiper	occ., Sp, S, F
Western Sandpiper	occ., Sp, S, F
Least Sandpiper	occ., Sp, S, F
Common Snipe	unc., Sp, S, F
Wilson's Phalarope	unc., Sp, F

**Gulls, Terns**

Franklin's Gull	Sp, S, F
Ring-billed Gull	Sp, S, F
California Gull	Sp, S, F
Herring Gull	occ., F, W, Sp
Caspian Tern	Sp, S, F
Forster's Tern	unc., Sp, S

**Pigeons, Doves**

Rock Pigeon	year round
Eurasian Collared-Dove	year round
Mourning Dove	year round

**Owls**

Great Horned Owl	year round
Snowy Owl	rare, W
Long-eared Owl	occ., F, W, Sp
Short-eared Owl	unc., Sp, S, F

**Goatsuckers**

Common Nighthawk	unc., Sp, S, F
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**Hummingbirds**

Black-chinned Hummingbird	Sp, S, F
Calliope Hummingbird	unc., Sp, S, F
Broad-tailed Hummingbird	Sp, S, F
Rufous Hummingbird	unc., S, F

**Kingfishers**

Belted Kingfisher	year round
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**Woodpeckers**

Red-naped Sapsucker	unc., Sp, S
Downy Woodpecker	unc., year round
Hairy Woodpecker	occ., F, W, Sp
Northern Flicker	year round

**Flycatchers**

Western Wood-Pewee	unc., Sp, S, F
Western Kingbird	Sp, S, F
Eastern Kingbird	Sp, S, F
Willow Flycatcher	unc., Sp, S, F
Hammond's Flycatcher	unc., Sp, S, F
Dusky Flycatcher	unc., Sp, S, F
Cordilleran Flycatcher	occ., Sp, S, F

**Shrikes**

Loggerhead Shrike	unc., Sp, S, F
Northern Shrike	unc., F, W, Sp

**Vireos**

Cassin's Vireo	rare, Sp, F
Warbling Vireo	unc., Sp, S, F

**Jays, Magpies, Crows**

Steller's Jay	unc., F, W, Sp
Blue Jay	rare, F, W, Sp
Black-billed Magpie	year round
American Crow	year round
Common Raven	year round

**Larks**

Horned Lark	year round
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**Swallows**

Tree Swallow	Sp, S, F
Violet-green Swallow	unc., Sp, S, F
No. Rough-winged Swallow	Sp, S, F
Bank Swallow	Sp, S, F
Cliff Swallow	Sp, S, F
Barn Swallow	Sp, S, F

**Chickadees, Nuthatch, Titmice**

Black-capped Chickadee	year round
Mountain Chickadee	unc., F, W, Sp
Juniper Titmouse	unc., Sp, S, F
Red-breasted Nuthatch	year round
Brown Creeper	unc., F, W, Sp

**Wrens, Dipper, Kinglets**

House Wren	Sp, S, F
Marsh Wren	unc., Sp, S, F
American Dipper	occ., F, W, Sp
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	unc., F, W, Sp
Golden-crowned Kinglet	occ., F, W, Sp

**Thrushes, Solitaires**

Mountain Bluebird	unc., Sp, S, F
Townsend's Solitaire	unc., F, W, Sp
Swainson's Thrush	unc., Sp, S, F
Hermit Thrush	unc., Sp, S, F
American Robin	year round
Northern Mockingbird	rare, year round

**Starlings**

European Starling	year round
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**Pipits**

American Pipit	unc., Sp, F
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**Waxwings**

Bohemian Waxwing	unc., F, W, Sp
Cedar Waxwing	year round

**Warblers**

Nashville Warbler	unc., Sp, S, F
MacGillivray's Warbler	unc., Sp, S, F
Yellow Warbler	Sp, S, F
Yellow-rumped Warbler	Sp, S, F