

seems to fail that if I chase a bird in other parts of the province, the same species always seems to show up around home.

PEI WINTER LIST:

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SPECIES OBSERVED: 114

LOONS

Red-throated Loon
Common Loon

GANNETS

Northern Gannet

CORMORANTS

Double-crested Cormorant
Great Cormorant

HERONS & BITTERNs

Great Blue Heron
American Bittern

DUCKs & GEEsE

Snow Goose
Canada Goose
Eurasian Wigeon
American Wigeon
Gadwall
Green-winged Teal
Mallard
American Black Duck
Northern Pintail
Ring-necked Duck
Greater Scaup
Lesser Scaup
Common Eider
King Eider
Harlequin Duck
Long-tailed Duck
Black Scoter
Surf Scoter
White-winged Scoter
Common Goldeneye
Barrow's Goldeneye
Bufflehead
Hooded Merganser
Red-breasted Merganser
Common Merganser

HAWKs, EAGLEs AND KITEs

Bald Eagle
Northern Harrier
Sharp-shinned Hawk
Northern Goshawk
Red-tailed Hawk
Rough-legged Hawk

FALCONs

American Kestrel
Merlin
Gyr Falcon

GROUSE

Ruffed Grouse
Sharp-tailed Grouse

PHEASANTs AND PARTRIDGEs

Gray Partridge
Ring-necked Pheasant

RAILs AND COOTs

American Coot

SANDPIPERs

Purple Sandpiper

GULLs

Mew Gull
Ring-billed Gull
Great Black-backed Gull
Glaucous Gull
Iceland Gull
Lesser Black-backed Gull
American Herring Gull
Black-headed Gull
Bonaparte's Gull
Black-legged Kittiwake

AUKs & MURREs

Dovekie
Common Murre
Razorbill
Black Guillemot

PIGEONs AND DOVEs

Rock Dove
Mourning Dove

OWLs

Great Horned Owl
Snowy Owl
Barred Owl
Long-eared Owl
Short-eared Owl

KINGFISHERs

Belted Kingfisher

WOODPECKERs

Downy Woodpecker
Hairy Woodpecker
Northern Flicker
Pileated Woodpecker

LARKs

Horned Lark

KINGLETs

Golden-crowned Kinglet

WAXWINGs

Bohemian Waxwing
Cedar Waxwing

MOCKINGBIRDs AND THRASHERs

Northern Mockingbird
Brown Thrasher