

BIRD REPORT

Great Blue Heron - 1 at Alberry Plains on Jan. 9 (AH, HH, DW, EW); 1 at Wright's Creek in East Royalty on Jan. 15 (BG, fide JW); 1 at Worth's Pond in Millview on Feb. 7 (RBM).

Mallard - 1 m at Crosby's Pond in Bonshaw on Feb. 15 (JS); 1 m at Beach Grove on Mar. 3 (JDM).

Black Duck - 20-40 at Beach Grove Causeway and 8-10 at Fullerton's Marsh through Feb., first courting activity seen at Beach Grove Causeway on Mar. 3 (JDM).

Pintail - 1 f in Bonshaw on Feb. 20 (ACK, JB).

Common Merganser - 8-20 at Beach Grove Causeway and 6-15 at Fullerton's Marsh through Feb. (JDM).

Sharp-shinned Hawk - 1 at Oyster Bed Bridge on Jan. 23 (WEC); 1 in Montague on Feb. 20 (VB); 1 in Donagh on Feb. 24 (JDM).

Red-tailed Hawk - 1 at the CBC tower in Charlottetown about Jan. 25 (JS); 1 at Bonshaw on Feb. 13 (ACK, JB).

Bald Eagle - 3 imm. together plus 1 ad. at West River Causeway on Feb. 20 (ACK, JB); 1 at Murray River on Feb. 28 (CH).

Peregrine Falcon - 1 at Holland Cove on Feb. 20 (ACK, JB).

Gray Partridge - 7 at Milltown Cross on Feb. 10 (WEC); 7 in New Dominion about Feb. 10 (IGM); 8 in Springvale on Feb. 13 (GGH); 18 at Beach Grove on Feb. 21 and 23 and 2 at Upton Rd. on Feb. 23 (JDM).

Mourning Dove - 1 in Cable Head on Dec. 15 (GK); 1 in Bellevue on Feb. 8 (WEC); 1 in York on Mar. 1 (DV).

Great Horned Owl - 1 in Springvale hooting at dusk on Feb. 13 and at 11:00 a.m. on Mar. 1 (GGH); 1 at MacInnis' Dam, Souris Line Road on Feb. 22 (GM).

Downy Woodpecker - 1 on Up. Prince St. in Charlottetown on Feb. 20 (ACK, JB).

Black-backed Three-toed Woodpecker - 1 probable about Jan. 15 (JL fide JW).

Gray Jay - 1 in Cardross on Mar. 1 (WEC).

Common Raven - 51 in Springvale flying NE in a long flock at dusk on Jan. 10 (GGH).

Robin - 1 in Montague on Feb. 16 (SS); 1 in Greenvale on Mar. 1 (JS).

Eastern Meadowlark - 1 in P.E.I. National Park about Feb. 10 (PM).

Common Grackle - 1 in Crossroads on Jan. 7 (AM).

Brown-headed Cowbird - 6 at Up. Prince St. in Ch'town on Feb. 20 (ACK, JB).

Rufous-sided Towhee - 1 at the Willms' feeder in East Royalty from Dec. to at least Mar. 1 (CW, MW).

Dark-eyed Junco - 4 in Milltown on Feb. 16 and 5 there on Feb. 21, 5 in Grandview on Feb. 18 and 19 (WEC).

Snow Bunting - a flock of about 300 in Brooklyn on Feb. 14 (LA); 15+ in Cherry Valley on Feb. 14 (RBM); 15 + 20 in Brooklyn and 100 in Grandview on Feb. 19 (WEC); 2 flocks on the Colville Rd. on Feb. 25 and about 3 doz. in Bonshaw on Feb. 26 (JS).

Red Fox - 1 in Brooklyn on Feb. 16 (LA).