

UNCOMMON BIRDS OF BEAR CREEK LAKE PARK

STATUS

B known breeder

M regular spring or fall migrant

R Resident throughout the year

W Winter resident

V irregular during any season

Species	Date(s)	Status	Comments
Tundra Swan	12-05-08	M, V	seen only once
Greater White-fronted Goose	12-05-08	W, V	seen only once
Greater Scaup	various	M	seen most years
Surf Scoter	10-2006	M, V	seen Oct. 23-26, 2006
White-winged Scoter	11-17-06	M, V	seen only once
Barrow's Goldeneye	various	W, V	seen some years
Red-breasted Merganser	various	M, V	seen occasionally
Common Loon	various	W, V	seen occasionally
Clark's Grebe	various	M, V	seen occasionally
Great Egret	05-02-08 04-30-10	M, V	seen occasionally
Green Heron	various	M, V	seen in May/early June
Northern Goshawk	various	W, V	seen occasionally
Broad-winged Hawk	various	M, V	seen occasionally in migration
Merlin	various	W, V	seen occasionally
Sandhill Crane	various	M	flying over
Long-billed Curlew	5-01-09	M, V	seen only once
Hudsonian Godwit	5-10-08	M, V	seen only once
Great Black-backed Gull	4-10-07	W, V	seen only once; fierce wind from the east. Pelican Pt.
Black Tern	9-14-07	M, V	seen only once; BC inlet
Ancient Murrelet	11-08-04	V	seen only once; SW quadrant
Barn Owl	various	B	have bred in Soda Lake barns
Burrowing Owl	various	M	seen on occasion
Long-eared Owl	various	R	seen rarely; has bred in BCLP
Black-chinned Hummingbird	various	B	confirmed breeding in 6-2012.
Lewis's Woodpecker	various	M, V	seen rarely

Red-headed Woodpecker	various	M, V	seen rarely
Red-naped Sapsucker	various	M, V	seen rarely
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	11-24-08	M, V	juvenile seen near Campground
Willow Flycatcher	various	M	seen most years
Least Flycatcher	various	M	seen most years
Gray Flycatcher	various	M, V	seen occasionally
Eastern Phoebe	various	M, V	seen in 2004 and 2008
Black Phoebe	5-16-10	M, V	seen only once
Ash-throated Flycatcher	7-19-07	M, V	seen only once
Scissor-tailed Flycatcher	several	M, V	seen rarely
Cassin's Vireo	several	M, V	seen rarely
Winter Wren	several	W, V	not sure Eastern/Pacific
Eastern Bluebird	various	M	seen most years
Varied Thrush	several	M, V	seen several times
Veery	5-11-09	M, V	seen once; SW Cove
Nashville Warbler	various	M, V	seen most years
Palm Warbler	5-14-09 10-02-12	M, V	Western race; Pelican Pt.
Townsend's Warbler	various	M,	seen most years
Black-throated Gray Warbler	8-21-04	M, V	seen only once
Blackburnian Warbler	9-01-12	M, V	seen only once; BC inlet
American Redstart	various	M	seen on occasion
Worm-eating Warbler	10-02-04	M, V	seen only once; Fitness #1
Northern Waterthrush	various	M	seen most years
Summer Tanager	07-28-12	M, V	first year bird; seep by road
Cassin's Sparrow	08-22-04	M, V	two birds; seen only once
Clay-colored Sparrow	various	M	seen most years
Sage Sparrow	10-13-11	M, V	seen only once; Cottonwood TH
White-throated Sparrow	various	W, V	seen some winters
Harris's Sparrow	various	W, V	seen some winters
McCown's Longspur	4-26-03	M, V	seen once; next to Fox Hills GC
Black-headed Grosbeak	various	B	confirmed breeding 08-12
Rose-breasted Grosbeak	various	M, V	along Owl Trail
Blue Grosbeak	various	B	confirmed breeding 08-12; young left nest on 8-23-12
Bobolink	various	M, V	usually seen around 5-17 most years
Orchard Oriole	various	M, V	seen occasionally in migration