

SPRING BIRD
COUNT—1971

Total Individuals	COAST				COASTAL PLAIN						PIEDMONT								MTN.					
	Morehead City, N.C. 17 April	Wilmington, N.C. 24 April	Southport, N.C. 25 April	Charleston, S.C. 25 April	Beaufort Co., N.C. 9 May	Pamlico Co., N.C. 2 May	Rocky Mount, N.C. 9 May	Fayetteville, N.C. 6 May	Southern Pines, N.C. 29 April	Dillon, S.C. 1 May	Eastover, S.C. 10 May	Henderson, N.C. 1 May	Raleigh, N.C. 1 May	Chapel Hill, N.C. 25 April	Greensboro, N.C. 8 May	Winston-Salem, N.C. 1 May	Stanly Co., N.C. 24 April	Charlotte, N.C. 1 May		Greenville, S.C. 1 May	Elkin-Ronda, N.C. 24 April	Caldwell Co., N.C. 28 April	Avery Co., N.C. 6 May	Buncombe Co., N.C. 24 April
Warbling Vireo	11	1	2	7	22	22	5	8	7	7	1	1	19	3	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Black-and-white Warbler	146	16	12	12	2	2	5	8	7	1	1	1	13	3	13	2	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	32
Prothonotary Warbler	107	9	5	8	1	1	2	5	2	5	1	1	13	4	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Swainson's Warbler	8	4	3	3	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	4	1	1	2	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	4
Worm-eating Warbler	32	4	4	3	3	3	1	1	3	1	1	1	4	1	1	2	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	4
Golden-winged Warbler	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Blue-winged Warbler	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Tennessee Warbler	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Orange-crowned Warbler	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Nashville Warbler	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	30	16	10	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	8
Parula Warbler	558	171	13	200	24	7	28	4	4	5	5	1	30	16	15	12	10	10	6	1	1	1	13	
Yellow Warbler	121	4	2	9	6	3	1	4	4	4	4	1	21	5	6	6	6	6	1	1	1	1	2	
Magnolia Warbler	14	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	
Cape May Warbler	21	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7	
Black-th. Blue Warbler	70	265	70	44	8	3	27	7	5	105	2	45	12	2	12	156	11	5	1	1	1	1	6	
Myrtle Warbler	2,092	342	20	64	8	3	27	4	1	24	2	2	428	251	96	6	50	164	6	1	1	1	6	
Black-th. Green Warbler	103	20	1	6	64	3	27	7	5	105	2	45	12	2	12	156	11	5	1	1	1	1	6	
Cerulean Warbler	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	3	2	6	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Black-th. Blue Warbler	12	11	66	2	86	2	1	3	6	2	1	5	19	8	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	9
Yellow-throated Warbler	233	11	66	2	86	2	1	3	6	2	1	5	19	8	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	9
Chestnut-sided Warbler	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
Bay-breasted Warbler	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
Blackpoll Warbler	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32
Pine Warbler	259	34	19	64	4	1	3	11	8	5	3	1	25	15	7	16	22	4	1	1	1	1	1	1
Prairie Warbler	360	62	54	42	62	20	10	8	5	3	7	3	23	15	3	7	6	23	1	1	1	1	1	4
Palm Warbler	22	2	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Ovenbird	158	9	1	2	9	1	4	6	14	1	1	10	37	4	28	15	7	6	2	1	1	1	9	9
Northern Waterthrush	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18
Louisiana Waterthrush	38	38	38	38	38	38	38	38	38	38	38	38	38	38	38	38	38	38	38	38	38	38	38	38
Kentucky Warbler	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40
Connecticut Warbler	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Yellowthroat	473	28	60	23	58	18	9	15	6	1	5	67	56	36	17	9	25	1	2	2	2	2	20	
Yellow-breasted Chat	142	142	142	142	142	142	142	142	142	142	142	142	142	142	142	142	142	142	142	142	142	142	142	142
Hooded Warbler	210	16	34	13	55	10	8	4	5	2	1	4	22	10	2	6	1	21	3	2	2	2	4	4
Wilson's Warbler	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Canada Warbler	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
American Redstart	122	122	122	122	122	122	122	122	122	122	122	122	122	122	122	122	122	122	122	122	122	122	122	122
House Sparrow	4,866	65	232	8	19	234	150	1,490	95	138	75	53	30	34	11	92	10	19	15	3	12	76	5	
Bobolink	1,018	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14
Eastern Meadowlark	1,510	121	87	10	51	61	15	61	15	13	5	4	112	68	223	155	300	56	6	6	6	6	2	
Red-winged Blackbird	4,151	605	1,085	91	228	311	77	204	125	80	35	26	176	82	410	183	250	47	12	28	28	16	48	

SPRING BIRD COUNT — 1971

ELOISE F. POTTER

Where Carolina Bird Club census figures are concerned, records are made only to be broken. The total number of species tallied on the 1971 Spring Bird Count was 259, five more than the record set last year. Wilmington alone listed an almost unbelievable 186 species, followed by the other three coastal counts: Morehead, 167; Southport (a new count area encompassing Smith Island), 166; and Charleston, 162. Inland Winston-Salem and Raleigh had outstanding counts with 134 and 131 species respectively.

While the 259 species do not include any first records for the Carolinas, several are worthy of comment. The Eared Grebe (Southport) is the fourth record for the Carolinas and the first known spring occurrence (*Chat*, 23:62, 30:25, 32:20). The King Eider (Southport) also appears to be the first spring record for that species in the Carolinas. Baird's Sandpipers have occurred in spring several times in South Carolina (*South Carolina Bird Life*, 1970, p. 242 and 599), but the four reported from Wilmington are the first known spring migrants for North Carolina. While Painted Buntings are not new to Eastover, the 11 found on the present count plus two from Stanley County suggest that an unusually large number may have visited the central Carolinas this spring. See compilers' comments for details of these and other species of special interest.

COMPILERS' COMMENTS

MOREHEAD CITY, N.C. (center 1 mile NW of Phillips Island in lower Newport River).

17 April. The early count date is probably responsible for the occurrences, absences, or changes in numbers of many species. A few *White Ibis* are now resident in the lower Newport River area. A pair of *Common Mergansers* were on Newport River where Don McCrimmon and Bob Soots compared them with nearby Red-breasted Mergansers. *Broad-winged Hawk* (Harry LeGrand, John Wright) found near Mill Creek is rare in this area. *Red-breasted Nuthatch* and *Solitary Vireo* (H. LeGrand, J. Wright) were also at Mill Creek where they had been seen earlier by compiler.—JOHN O. FUSSELL III, Box 520, Morehead City, N.C.

WILMINGTON, N.C. (center Myrtle Grove Junction).

24 April. The number of *Anhingas* is the largest ever reported. Polly Mebane saw the *Black Rail* on Bradley Creek at a distance of 8 feet. *Baird's Sandpipers* (Jack and Eloise Potter) were at Orton. Field marks seen at close range include small size (about same as Swamp Sparrow), scaled backs, dark legs, absence of white in wing in flight, and upper breast streaked as in the much larger Pectoral Sandpiper. John Fussell and Harry LeGrand saw the *Wilson's Phalarope* at close range on mudflats at Carolina Beach; white rump patch seen in flight. *Traill's Flycatcher* (Edna Appleberry, Greg Massey) was singing from a large sweet gum tree in a small swamp at Echo Dairy Farm. Massey has seen and heard this species in the mountains.—FRANCES NEEDHAM, P.O. Box 204, Wrightsville Beach, N. C.

SOUTHPORT, N.C. (center Battery Island, Brunswick County).

25 April. *Eared Grebe* (J.F. Parnell, Elaine and Doug Kibbe) was viewed on water at 50 to 100 yards with 8X binoculars. Bill shape, head pattern, and dark neck were carefully noted by Parnell, who had previously seen and photographed the species at Wrightsville Beach (*Chat*, 30:25). The bird was about half way between winter and summer plumage. *King Eider* (J.F. Parnell, Jack and Eloise Potter, Doug and Elaine Kibbe, John Fussell, Frank McBride) was a first year male seen 200 to 300 yards offshore in a flock of about 75 scoters. Although heat waves restricted visibility, the dark back, white breast, white flank patches, general head shape, and reddish bill could be seen through the 30X scope. Other species unusual for the area included a *Magnolia*

Warbler (J.H. Carter III), *Louisiana Waterthrush* (Doug Kibbe), and *Rose-Breasted Grosbeak* (Harry LeGrand).—J.H. CARTER III, Box 891, Southern Pines, N.C.

CHARLESTON, S.C. (center 14 miles NE of Mt. Pleasant and ½ mile E of Hwy 17).

25 April. This year's count was held about a week earlier than in 1970, which probably explains some of the transient species missed last year. In certain cases, such as the Eastern Kingbird and the White-throated and Savannah Sparrows, the larger numbers of individuals this year undoubtedly reflect delayed migration. Kingbirds were commonly seen in local aggregations of 10 or more. *Upland Plovers* were seen by W.F. Robey, J.R. Gauthey, and Mr. and Mrs. Eric Cooper.—JULIAN R. HARRISON, Biology Department, College of Charleston, Charleston, S.C. 29401.

BEAUFORT COUNTY, N.C. (center where Upper Goose Creek enters Pamlico River).

9 May. *Black-crowned Night Heron* (Geraldine Cox) was flying and calling.—GERALDINE COX, Route 1, Box 115, Merritt, N.C. 28556.

PAMLICO COUNTY, N.C. (center in Florence at 1324 and 1329 intersection).

2 May. *Glossy Ibis* is first record for this part of the county. *Yellow Warbler* appears on our count for the first time.—MARVIN TURNAGE, Route 1, Box 25, Bayboro, N.C. 28515.

ROCKY MOUNT, N.C. (center Battleboro).

9 May. The number of Turkey Vultures (14) is relatively good for our area.—JOHN L. THOMPSON, 500 Evergreen Road, Rocky Mount, N.C. 27801.

FAYETTEVILLE, N.C. (center Methodist College).

6 May. *Grasshopper Sparrow* seen by Henry A. Rankin Jr. and compiler represents first definite record for area.—JOHN S. BUTLER JR., P.O. Box 3512, Fayetteville, N.C. 28305.

SOUTHERN PINES, N.C. (center 3 miles NE of Southern Pines at Niagara).

29 April. *Black-crowned Night Heron*, Long-billed and Short-billed Marsh Wrens were seen by compiler. *Black Tern* (count period, JHC) is third spring record for area.—J.H. CARTER III, P.O. Box 891, Southern Pines, N.C.

DILLON, S.C. (center Dillon).

1 May. *Pectoral Sandpiper* (JHW) was at a rain pond 18-28 April. The pond was formed by over 5 inches of rain that fell the first two days of March, and it was visited by many shore birds until it went dry 5 May. At this pond on one day were 8 Greater Yellowlegs, 14 Lesser Yellowlegs, 18 Solitary Sandpipers, 1 Least Sandpiper, 6 Common Snipe, and 17 Blue-winged Teal.—JOHN H. WILSON, Box 535, Dillon, S.C. 29536.

EASTOVER, S.C. (center Eastover).

10 May. The number of *Painted Buntings* (11) is relatively large for our area.—KAY C. SISSON, 1617 Tanglewood Road, Columbia, S.C. 29204.

HENDERSON, N.C. (Henderson).

1 May.—MARY FRANCES CHAVASSE, 225 Orange Street, Henderson, N.C. 27536.

RALEIGH, N.C. (center Norfolk and Southern RR crossing, Lake Wheeler Road).

1 May. Migration peaked about one week after the count date. We added 30 species for the count period, most of them seen in the week after the count. Winter residents were not included unless seen on or after count day. The *Clay-colored Sparrow* seen by Harry LeGrand is one of the very few records of this species for North Carolina. Details are being forwarded to the General Field Notes editor.—R.J. HADER, 3313 Cheswick Drive, Raleigh, N.C.

CHAPEL HILL, N.C. (center at Columbia and Franklin Streets).

25 April. Our species total of 113 was rather good considering the early count date and late migration. Most noteworthy were the species we missed (Acadian Flycatcher, Wood Pewee, Kentucky Warbler) or nearly missed (Indigo Bunting, 1). All but a few of our 23 count period species were seen after 25 April. The three *Cerulean Warblers* were located by song and carefully studied by Judy and Jim Deaton. Most of the shorebirds (JOP) were at a small, partly drained farm pond.—JAMES O. PULLMAN, Route 6, Box 149 Chapel Hill, N.C. 27514.

GREENSBORO, N.C. (center at Radio Station WBIG near NW edge of city).

8 May. Reddish crown and single breast spot of *Tree Sparrow* were seen clearly at home feeder by Frank L. Fish and others. Etta Schiffman and others studied the *Sanderlings* along with other shorebirds. The species is unusual in our area, mostly occurring in early fall. *Blue-winged Teal* were found at upper Lake Brandt both before and after count day by Etta Schiffman and Jean F. Gertz.—THOMAS E. STREET, 411 N. Spring Street, Greensboro, N.C. 27401.

WINSTON-SALEM, N.C. (center intersection of I-40 and Silas Creek Pkwy).

1 May. *Trail's Flycatcher* (Janice Levitt) was singing "witch-brew" song; seen and heard at close range. *Nashville Warbler* is a regular if uncommon spring migrant. Six birds were seen this year at Winston-Salem during the count period. *Connecticut Warbler* (Ruth Hill, Susan Moore) was watched closely at eye level; gray hood and eye-ring noted. *Wilson's Warbler* (Ramona Snavelly) was a male. *Lincoln's Sparrow* (Ramona Snavelly, Ruth Hill, others) was studied closely for nearly 20 minutes.—C. ROYCE HOUGH III, 713 Lankashire Road, Winston-Salem, N.C. 27106.

STANLY COUNTY, N.C. (center about 2 miles NW of Badin).

24 April. *Cattle Egret* was seen Tuesday before count. Rough-legged Hawk was seen over Tucker Town Lake by Harold Morris and Barrett Crook. Barrett and Vera Crook studied one at same lake 15 April 1968. Pair of *Painted Buntings* was seen by Grace Morris in her yard in the Brickyard area. Cowbirds are increasing.—MRS. BARRETT CROOK, New London, N.C. 28127.

CHARLOTTE, N.C. (center at South Boulevard and Woodlawn Road).

1 May. *Osprey* (Mrs. W.G. Cobey) was an excellent find. *Pileated Woodpecker* (Mrs. Jerry Lee) has been frequenting suburban yards in northwestern Mecklenburg County. There was obviously a heavy wave of Myrtle Warblers. White-crowned Sparrow (Olin Wearn) is seldom reported in this area. As usual, some fairly common species were missed, and some uncommon ones reported, i.e., the Northern Waterthrush (David Wright) was seen, but not the Louisiana.—MR. AND MRS. JOSEPH R. NORWOOD, 1329 Goodwin Avenue, Charlotte, N.C. 28205.

GREENVILLE, S.C. (center intersection Hwy 29 and 291).

1 May.—ROSA LEE HART, Route 1, Travelers Rest, S.C. 29690.

ELKIN-RONDA, N.C. (center 2 miles N of Elkin on US 21).

24 April. *Osprey* was seen by Wendell P. Smith and Fred Masten Jr. Garvin Hughes, Virginia Hart, and compiler saw the *Tree Sparrow*.—LIN HENDREN, Box 148, Elkin, N.C. 28621.

CALDWELL COUNTY, N.C. (center Lenoir).

28 April. *Least Sandpiper* was a good find.—HELEN MYERS, 310 Beall Street, Lenoir, N.C. 28645.

AVERY COUNTY, N.C. (center Grandfather Mountain Golf and Country Club entrance).

6 May. Rough-winged Swallow was seen by Mrs. Reber Boulton of Nashville, Tennessee. Rose-breasted Grosbeaks were unusually numerous for this time of year.—MRS. RICHARD PROCTOR, 381 Westview Drive, Winston-Salem, N.C. 27104.

BUNCOMBE COUNTY, N.C. (center 300 Wilson Avenue, Swannanoa).

24 April. Adult *Little Blue Heron* (Mark Hall, Walter Hall, RCR) at Lake Tomahawk was unusual since this species occurs here mostly in immature plumage. Greater Yellowlegs (Walter Hall, Anne Hesterley) was also at Lake Tomahawk where Jane Holt saw one on 9 May. *Philadelphia Vireo* (John, Joseph, Joy and Joyce Hall) was in Fairview area.—ROBERT C. RUIZ, 300 Wilson Avenue, Swannanoa, N.C. 28778.

OBSERVERS

MOREHEAD CITY, N.C.: Buzzy Bryson, Scott Clark, Martha Farmer, Tom Fisher, J.O. Fussell Jr., J.O. Fussell III, Karen Griffin, R.J. Hader, Will Hon, Edmund LeGrand, Harry LeGrand, Charles Lincoln, Don McCrimmon, Eugene Pond, T.L. Quay, Bob and Mary Simpson, Bob Soots, Anne Sprinkle, Robert Strider, Bob and Elizabeth Teulings, Sam Weatherly, Pete Willis, John Wright.

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ON VACATION

No General Field Notes appear in the September *Chat* because the department editor was in Alaska when the deadline arrived. Jim Parnell promises readers an unusually large number of notes for the December issue, which will also feature Jay Carter's species list of the birds of the central Sandhills of North Carolina.—EFP