

# 2015 CHRISTMAS COUNT

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The Alan Devoe Bird Club's 2015 Chatham Christmas Bird Count (NYCM) was held on Saturday, December 19<sup>th</sup>. 67 species were seen by 12 field parties.

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	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	TOTAL
Snow Goose	250												250
Canada Goose	250	642	113	58	350	400	9	500		155	236	81	2794
Mute Swan										3			3
American Black Duck	8										5		13
Mallard	4	71	47	9	23			5	2	42	4		207
Hooded Merganser		6	12										18
Common Merganser	4	81	60		33					2	2		182
Wild Turkey	1			8			14		7				30
Double-crested										7			7
Great Blue Heron	1				1	1							3
Black Vulture										1			1
Turkey Vulture						1		1					2
Bald Eagle	2	2	1		2					4	3	1	15
Northern Harrier					2			1					3
Sharp-shinned Hawk							1			1	1		3
Cooper' s Hawk	1		1								1		3
Red-tailed Hawk	4	5	2	5	2	4	4	5	1	6	4	3	45
Rough-legged Hawk									1				1
American Kestrel	1					1					1	1	4
Merlin			1										1
Peregrine Falcon		1								1			2
Virginia Rail	1												1
Ring-billed Gull	6	33	15							33	10	20	117
Herring Gull										1		2	3
Rock Pigeon	65	8	74	1	35	5		80	2	113	20	3	406
Mourning Dove	1	8	9	32	25		7	2	2	18	31	3	138
Eastern Screech-Owl	6									2	3		11
Great Horned Owl											2		2
Barred Owl		1											1
Belted Kingfisher										3			3
Red-bellied Woodpecker	2	2	4	4	1	4	1	3	2	7	7	5	42
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	2		1				1	1		1	1		7
Downy Woodpecker	15	6	6	7	1	10	3		5	14	10	4	81
Hairy Woodpecker		1	3	1	1	2	1		1	2	2		14
Northern Flicker	1	1					1		1	2	3	3	12
Pileated Woodpecker	4	2		1		1		1		1	2	1	13
Blue Jay	14	12	19	10	13	11	42	16	8	28	9	35	217
American Crow	164	86	42	34	23	25	23	39	11	40	175	12	674
Common Raven	2	1	1		2		1			1	1		9
Horned Lark										120			120
Black-capped Chickadee	80	23	18	67	28	17	21	7	9	35	23	20	348
Tufted Titmouse	10	7	6	20	9	10	6	9	8	15	5	25	130
Red-breasted Nuthatch				1									1
White-breasted Nuthatch	38	10	7	11	4	7	3	4	4	13	13	10	124

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Brown Creeper										1	1		2
Carolina Wren		2								1	1		4
Winter Wren										1			1
Eastern Bluebird	15	2	18	8	10		14	8	5	25	2	4	111
American Robin	120	164	727	1266	411	14	59	13	27	342	48	1	3192
Northern Mockingbird	4	1	3			1		1	1	2	1	3	17
European Starling	54	265	741	87	61	60	80	72	149	1380	218	100	3267
Cedar Waxwing	7		24			2	1			1			35
American Tree Sparrow	6		2					3		11	5	1	28
Song Sparrow	5		1							8	1	2	17
Swamp Sparrow	1												1
White-throated Sparrow	5	6	14		6	3				9	7	15	65
Dark-eyed Junco	37	29	47	4	87	26	110	28	59	134	56	64	681
Scarlet Tanager													
Northern Cardinal	7	8	6	3	1	1	6	2	3	14	3	5	59
Red-Winged Blackbird	22		2							25			49
Common Grackle	1500	1		1									1502
Brown-headed Cowbird	44			2							6		52
Purple Finch										3			3
House Finch	4	2	6	18		5	12		2	11	24	11	95
Common Redpoll								2					2
Pine Siskin	1		15										16
American Goldfinch	8	16	8	24	2	6	5		13	18	42	4	146
House Sparrow	12	43	14	50	13	28	23	1	10	7	23	20	244
<b>Total</b>	<b>2538</b>	<b>1548</b>	<b>2070</b>	<b>1732</b>	<b>1146</b>	<b>645</b>	<b>448</b>	<b>804</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>2664</b>	<b>1012</b>	<b>459</b>	<b>15399</b>

Group	Leader	Species	Hours /Car	Hours /Foot	Total Hour	Miles /Car	Miles /Foot	Total Miles
A	HOPKINS	45	5	6	11	67	3	70 SwSp
B	SOLE	34	7	2	9	26	2	28 BdOw
C	PIWOWARSKI	36	4	5	9	34	3	37 Merl
D	BERNSTEIN	26	6	1	7	44	1	45 RBNu
E	GRACE	26	6	2	8	63	2	65
F	ULMER	25	5	1	6	47	1	48
G	KERN	25	4	1	5	31	0	31
H	SPECHT	25	5	0	5	47	0	47 CoRe
I	WHITBY	24	3	4	7	36	0	36 RLHa
J	COOK	47	6	5	11	50	2	52
K	SCHNEIDER	41	4	6	10	65	2	67 GHOW
L	GUTHRIE	29	5	1	6	10	1	11
		68	60	34	94	520	17	537

MuSw, DCCo, BkVu, BeKi, HoLa, WiWr, PuFi