Greenville County Bird Club Trip Report

Date: November 5, 2011

Location: Townville area, Anderson County, SC

Leader: Matt Johnson

Comments: Hello All,

We had a productive, albeit chilly and windy, morning birding the Townville area today. Twelve members plus one guest (who is now a new member!) made the loop around Dobbins and Prater Farm, and then searched in vain for the leucistic Red-tailed Hawk that was spotted near Townville last weekend. Highlights of the day were Vesper, Grasshopper, White-throated and White-crowned Sparrows, Barred Owl, Loggerhead Shrike, Horned Lark, and American Pipit.

All total, we tallied 53 species. My ebird report is listed below...please let me know if there were any species that I missed, or numbers of species that don't seem right.

Matt Johnson

Nov 5, 2011 8:15 AM - 1:30 PM
Protocol: Traveling
10.0 mile(s)

Mallard  4
Green-winged Teal  23
Ring-necked Duck  1
Double-crested Cormorant  20
Great Blue Heron  1
Black Vulture  9
Turkey Vulture  8
Northern Harrier  1
Sharp-shinned Hawk  1
Cooper's Hawk  2
Red-shouldered Hawk  2
Red-tailed Hawk  3
American Kestrel  2
Killdeer  21
Rock Pigeon  20
Mourning Dove  30
Barred Owl 1
Belted Kingfisher 2
Red-bellied Woodpecker 2
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker 1
Downy Woodpecker 2
Northern Flicker 3
Eastern Phoebe 4
Loggerhead Shrike 1
Blue Jay 7
American Crow 150
Horned Lark 5
Carolina Chickadee 2
Carolina Wren 2
Golden-crowned Kinglet 1
Ruby-crowned Kinglet 2
Eastern Bluebird 15
American Robin 7
Northern Mockingbird 4
European Starling 60
American Pipit 30
Cedar Waxwing 87
Palm Warbler 3
Yellow-rumped Warbler 3
Eastern Towhee 2
Field Sparrow 1
Vesper Sparrow 3
Savannah Sparrow 4
Grasshopper Sparrow 1
Song Sparrow 27
Swamp Sparrow 3
White-throated Sparrow 2
White-crowned Sparrow 3
Northern Cardinal 2
Red-winged Blackbird 35
Eastern Meadowlark 45
Brown-headed Cowbird 12
House Sparrow 35