

A Guide to the Birds of Seven Islands State Birding Park



From the novice to the professional, birders and researchers find Seven Islands an ideal location for avian observation. The park is located along the migratory path of many bird species and during the breeding season birds can be found nesting at the park. Guests can easily spend several hours strolling through the park's varied habitats enjoying the scenery and song of these feathered jewels. Mornings are usually the best time for birding but late afternoons, before dusk can also be rewarding. (This species list has been created based on recorded observations in www.eBird.org.)

Species Checklist

Waterfowl

<input type="checkbox"/>	American Black Duck
<input type="checkbox"/>	American Wigeon
<input type="checkbox"/>	Blue-Winged Teal
<input type="checkbox"/>	Bufflehead
<input type="checkbox"/>	Canada Goose
<input type="checkbox"/>	Common Goldeneye
<input type="checkbox"/>	Domestic goose sp.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Egyptian Goose
<input type="checkbox"/>	Gadwall
<input type="checkbox"/>	Greater White-Fronted Goose
<input type="checkbox"/>	Greater Scaup
<input type="checkbox"/>	Green-Winged Teal
<input type="checkbox"/>	Hooded Merganser
<input type="checkbox"/>	Lesser Scaup
<input type="checkbox"/>	Mallard
<input type="checkbox"/>	Muscovy Duck
<input type="checkbox"/>	Northern Shoveler
<input type="checkbox"/>	Red-Breasted Merganser

<input type="checkbox"/>	Redhead
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ring-necked Duck
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ross's Goose
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ruddy Duck
<input type="checkbox"/>	Wood Duck

Grouse, Quail, and Allies

<input type="checkbox"/>	Northern Bobwhite
<input type="checkbox"/>	Wild Turkey

Grebes

<input type="checkbox"/>	Horned Grebe
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pied-billed Grebe

Pigeons and Doves

<input type="checkbox"/>	Mourning Dove
<input type="checkbox"/>	Rock Pigeon

Cuckoos

<input type="checkbox"/>	Black-billed Cuckoo
<input type="checkbox"/>	Yellow-billed Cuckoo

Nightjars

<input type="checkbox"/>	Common Nighthawk
<input type="checkbox"/>	Eastern Whip-poor-will

Swifts

<input type="checkbox"/>	Chimney Swift
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Hummingbirds

<input type="checkbox"/>	Ruby-throated Hummingbird
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Rails, Gallinules, and Allies

<input type="checkbox"/>	American Coot
<input type="checkbox"/>	Sora
<input type="checkbox"/>	Virginia Rail

Cranes

<input type="checkbox"/>	Sandhill Crane
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Shorebirds

<input type="checkbox"/>	American Avocet
<input type="checkbox"/>	American Woodcock
<input type="checkbox"/>	Greater Yellowlegs
<input type="checkbox"/>	Killdeer
<input type="checkbox"/>	Least Sandpiper
<input type="checkbox"/>	Lesser Yellowlegs
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pectoral Sandpiper
<input type="checkbox"/>	Solitary Sandpiper
<input type="checkbox"/>	Wilson's Snipe

Gulls, Terns, and Skimmers

<input type="checkbox"/>	Bonaparte's Gull
<input type="checkbox"/>	Forster's Tern
<input type="checkbox"/>	Herring Gull
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ring-billed Gull

Loons

<input type="checkbox"/>	Common Loon
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Cormorants and Anhingas

<input type="checkbox"/>	Double-crested Cormorant
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Pelicans

<input type="checkbox"/>	American White Pelican
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Hérons, Ibis, and Allies

<input type="checkbox"/>	American Bittern
<input type="checkbox"/>	Black-crowned Night Heron
<input type="checkbox"/>	Cattle Egret
<input type="checkbox"/>	Great Blue Heron

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<input type="checkbox"/>	Green Heron
<input type="checkbox"/>	Little Blue Heron
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Vultures, Hawks, and Allies

<input type="checkbox"/>	Bald Eagle
<input type="checkbox"/>	Black Vulture
<input type="checkbox"/>	Broad-Winged Hawk
<input type="checkbox"/>	Cooper's Hawk
<input type="checkbox"/>	Golden Eagle
<input type="checkbox"/>	Mississippi Kite
<input type="checkbox"/>	Northern Harrier
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Red-shouldered Hawk
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Sharp-shinned Hawk
<input type="checkbox"/>	Swallow-tailed Kite
<input type="checkbox"/>	Turkey Vulture

Owls

<input type="checkbox"/>	Barn Owl
<input type="checkbox"/>	Barred Owl
<input type="checkbox"/>	Eastern Screech Owl
<input type="checkbox"/>	Great Horned Owl
<input type="checkbox"/>	Northern Saw-whet Owl

Kingfishers

<input type="checkbox"/>	Belted Kingfisher
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Woodpeckers

<input type="checkbox"/>	Downy Woodpecker
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Northern Flicker
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pileated Woodpecker
<input type="checkbox"/>	Red-bellied Woodpecker
<input type="checkbox"/>	Red-headed Woodpecker
<input type="checkbox"/>	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker

Falcons and Caracaras

<input type="checkbox"/>	American Kestrel
<input type="checkbox"/>	Merlin
<input type="checkbox"/>	Peregrine Falcon

Tyrant Flycatchers

<input type="checkbox"/>	Acadian Flycatcher
<input type="checkbox"/>	Alder/Willow Flycatcher (Traill's Flycatcher)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Eastern Kingbird
<input type="checkbox"/>	Eastern Phoebe
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Olive-sided Flycatcher
<input type="checkbox"/>	Willow Flycatcher
<input type="checkbox"/>	Yellow-bellied Flycatcher

Vireos

<input type="checkbox"/>	Blue-headed Vireo
<input type="checkbox"/>	Philadelphia Vireo
<input type="checkbox"/>	Red-eyed Vireo
<input type="checkbox"/>	Warbling Vireo
<input type="checkbox"/>	White-eyed Vireo

