



# SOUTH DAKOTA ORNITHOLOGISTS' UNION - Checklist for the Fall Season

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Statewide status codes indicated after each species name - R = regular (7-10 of the last 10 years); C = casual (3-6 of the last 10 years); A = accidental (3 or fewer times of the last 10 years); and H = hypothetical (probable but not proven to have been seen in the state). A species preceded by an asterisk (\*) is considered regular for the selected checklist.

## Ducks, Geese, and Swans

### (Anatidae)

\_\_\_ Black-bellied Whistling Duck (C)  
\_\_\_ \* Snow Goose (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Ross's Goose (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Greater White-fronted Goose (R)  
\_\_\_ Brant (C)  
\_\_\_ \* Cackling Goose (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Canada Goose (R)  
\_\_\_ Mute Swan (C)  
\_\_\_ \* Trumpeter Swan (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Tundra Swan (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Wood Duck (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Blue-winged Teal (R)  
\_\_\_ Cinnamon Teal (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Northern Shoveler (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Gadwall (R)  
\_\_\_ Eurasian Wigeon (A)  
\_\_\_ \* American Wigeon (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Mallard (R)  
\_\_\_ American Black Duck (C)  
\_\_\_ Mottled Duck (A)  
\_\_\_ \* Northern Pintail (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Green-winged Teal (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Canvasback (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Redhead (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Ring-necked Duck (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Greater Scaup (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Lesser Scaup (R)  
\_\_\_ King Eider (A)  
\_\_\_ Harlequin Duck (A)  
\_\_\_ \* Surf Scoter (R)  
\_\_\_ White-winged Scoter (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Black Scoter (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Long-tailed Duck (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Bufflehead (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Common Goldeneye (R)  
\_\_\_ Barrow's Goldeneye (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Hooded Merganser (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Common Merganser (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Red-breasted Merganser (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Ruddy Duck (R)  
**New World Quail**  
**(Odontophoridae)**  
\_\_\_ \* Northern Bobwhite (R)  
**Partridges, Grouse, Turkeys, and Old World Quail**  
**(Phasianidae)**  
\_\_\_ \* Wild Turkey (R)

\_\_\_ Ruffed Grouse (R)  
\_\_\_ Greater Sage-Grouse (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Sharp-tailed Grouse (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Greater Prairie-Chicken (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Gray Partridge (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Ring-necked Pheasant (R)

### Grebes (Podicipedidae)

\_\_\_ \* Pied-billed Grebe (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Horned Grebe (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Red-necked Grebe (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Eared Grebe (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Western Grebe (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Clark's Grebe (R)

### Pigeons and Doves

#### (Columbidae)

\_\_\_ \* Rock Pigeon (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Eurasian Collared-Dove (R)  
\_\_\_ White-winged Dove (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Mourning Dove (R)

### Cuckoos, Roadrunners, and

#### Anis (Cuculidae)

\_\_\_ \* Yellow-billed Cuckoo (R)  
\_\_\_ Black-billed Cuckoo (R)

### Goatsuckers (Caprimulgidae)

\_\_\_ \* Common Nighthawk (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Common Poorwill (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Eastern Whip-poor-will (R)

### Swifts (Apodidae)

\_\_\_ \* Chimney Swift (R)  
\_\_\_ \* White-throated Swift (R)

### Hummingbirds (Trochilidae)

\_\_\_ Rivoli's Hummingbird (A)  
\_\_\_ \* Ruby-throated Hummingbird (R)  
\_\_\_ Black-chinned Hummingbird (A)  
\_\_\_ Anna's Hummingbird (C)  
\_\_\_ Costa's Hummingbird (A)  
\_\_\_ Calliope Hummingbird (C)  
\_\_\_ \* Rufous Hummingbird (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Broad-tailed Hummingbird (R)

### Rails, Gallinules, and Coots

#### (Rallidae)

\_\_\_ \* Virginia Rail (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Sora (R)  
\_\_\_ Common Gallinule (C)  
\_\_\_ \* American Coot (R)  
\_\_\_ Yellow Rail (C)

### Cranes (Gruidae)

\_\_\_ \* Sandhill Crane (R)  
\_\_\_ Whooping Crane (R)

## Stilts and Avocets

### (Recurvirostridae)

\_\_\_ \* Black-necked Stilt (R)  
\_\_\_ \* American Avocet (R)

## Lapwings and Plovers

### (Charadriidae)

\_\_\_ \* Black-bellied Plover (R)  
\_\_\_ \* American Golden-Plover (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Killdeer (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Semipalmated Plover (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Piping Plover (R)

## Sandpipers, Phalaropes, and

### Allies (Scolopacidae)

\_\_\_ \* Upland Sandpiper (R)  
\_\_\_ Long-billed Curlew (R)  
\_\_\_ Hudsonian Godwit (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Marbled Godwit (R)  
\_\_\_ Ruddy Turnstone (R)  
\_\_\_ Red Knot (C)  
\_\_\_ \* Stilt Sandpiper (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Sanderling (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Dunlin (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Baird's Sandpiper (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Least Sandpiper (R)  
\_\_\_ White-rumped Sandpiper (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Buff-breasted Sandpiper (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Pectoral Sandpiper (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Semipalmated Sandpiper (R)  
\_\_\_ Western Sandpiper (C)  
\_\_\_ \* Short-billed Dowitcher (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Long-billed Dowitcher (R)  
\_\_\_ American Woodcock (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Wilson's Snipe (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Spotted Sandpiper (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Solitary Sandpiper (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Lesser Yellowlegs (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Willet (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Greater Yellowlegs (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Wilson's Phalarope (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Red-necked Phalarope (R)

### Skuas and Jaegers

#### (Rallidae)

\_\_\_ Pomarine Jaeger (A)  
\_\_\_ Parasitic Jaeger (A)  
**Auks, Murres, and Puffins**  
**(Alcidae)**  
\_\_\_ Ancient Murrelet (A)  
**Gulls, Terns, and Skimmers**  
**(Laridae)**

\_\_\_ Black-legged Kittiwake (C)  
\_\_\_ \* Sabine's Gull (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Bonaparte's Gull (R)  
\_\_\_ Little Gull (C)  
\_\_\_ \* Franklin's Gull (R)  
\_\_\_ Short-billed Gull (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Ring-billed Gull (R)  
\_\_\_ \* California Gull (R)  
\_\_\_ \* American Herring Gull (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Iceland Gull (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Lesser Black-backed Gull (R)  
\_\_\_ Glaucous Gull (R)  
\_\_\_ Great Black-backed Gull (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Least Tern (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Caspian Tern (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Black Tern (R)  
\_\_\_ Common Tern (R)  
\_\_\_ Arctic Tern (C)  
\_\_\_ \* Forster's Tern (R)

### Loons (Gaviidae)

\_\_\_ Red-throated Loon (C)  
\_\_\_ Pacific Loon (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Common Loon (R)

## Cormorants

### (Phalacrocoracidae)

\_\_\_ \* Double-crested Cormorant (R)  
\_\_\_ Neotropic Cormorant (C)

### Pelicans (Pelecanidae)

\_\_\_ \* American White Pelican (R)  
\_\_\_ Brown Pelican (A)

## Bitterns, Herons, and Allies

### (Ardeidae)

\_\_\_ Least Bittern (R)  
\_\_\_ \* American Bittern (R)  
\_\_\_ Little Blue Heron (C)  
\_\_\_ \* Snowy Egret (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Black-crowned Night-Heron (R)  
\_\_\_ Yellow-crowned Night-Heron (C)  
\_\_\_ \* Green Heron (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Great Egret (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Western Cattle Egret (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Great Blue Heron (R)

## Ibises and Spoonbills

### (Threskiornithidae)

\_\_\_ \* White-faced Ibis (R)

## New World Vultures

### (Cathartidae)

\_\_\_ \* Turkey Vulture (R)

## Ospreys (Pandionidae)

\_\_\_ \* Osprey (R)

## Hawks, Kites, Eagles, and

### Allies (Accipitridae)

\_\_\_ \* Golden Eagle (R)  
\_\_\_ Mississippi Kite (C)  
\_\_\_ \* Northern Harrier (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Sharp-shinned Hawk (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Cooper's Hawk (R)  
\_\_\_ \* American Goshawk (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Bald Eagle (R)  
\_\_\_ Red-shouldered Hawk (C)  
\_\_\_ \* Broad-winged Hawk (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Swainson's Hawk (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Red-tailed Hawk (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Rough-legged Hawk (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Black Tern (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Ferruginous Hawk (R)

## Barn Owls (Tytonidae)

\_\_\_ American Barn Owl (R)

## Typical Owls (Strigidae)

\_\_\_ \* Eastern Screech-Owl (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Great Horned Owl (R)  
\_\_\_ Snowy Owl (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Burrowing Owl (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Barred Owl (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Long-eared Owl (R)  
\_\_\_ Short-eared Owl (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Northern Saw-whet Owl (R)

## Kingfishers (Alcedinidae)

\_\_\_ \* Belted Kingfisher (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Warbling Vireo (R)

## Woodpeckers and Allies

### (Picidae)

\_\_\_ \* Yellow-bellied Sapsucker (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Red-naped Sapsucker (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Northern Shrike (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Lewis's Woodpecker (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Red-headed Woodpecker (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Red-bellied Woodpecker (R)  
\_\_\_ \* American Three-toed Woodpecker (R)

\_\_\_ \* Black-backed Woodpecker (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Downy Woodpecker (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Hairy Woodpecker (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Pileated Woodpecker (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Northern Flicker (R)

## Caracaras and Falcons

### (Falconidae)

\_\_\_ \* American Kestrel (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Merlin (R)  
\_\_\_ Gyrfalcon (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Peregrine Falcon (R)

\_\_\_ \* Prairie Falcon (R)

## Tyrant Flycatchers

### (Tyrannidae)

\_\_\_ \* Olive-sided Flycatcher (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Western Wood-Pewee (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Eastern Wood-Pewee (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Yellow-bellied Flycatcher (R)  
\_\_\_ Alder Flycatcher (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Willow Flycatcher (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Least Flycatcher (R)  
\_\_\_ Hammond's Flycatcher (A)  
\_\_\_ \* Dusky Flycatcher (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Western Flycatcher (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Eastern Phoebe (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Say's Phoebe (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Great Crested Flycatcher (R)  
\_\_\_ Great Kiskadee (A)  
\_\_\_ Cassin's Kingbird (C)  
\_\_\_ \* Western Kingbird (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Eastern Kingbird (R)  
\_\_\_ Scissor-tailed Flycatcher (A)

## Vireos (Vireonidae)

\_\_\_ White-eyed Vireo (C)  
\_\_\_ \* Bell's Vireo (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Yellow-throated Vireo (R)  
\_\_\_ Cassin's Vireo (C)  
\_\_\_ \* Blue-headed Vireo (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Plumbeous Vireo (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Philadelphia Vireo (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Warbling Vireo (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Red-eyed Vireo (R)

## Shrikes (Laniidae)

\_\_\_ \* Loggerhead Shrike (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Northern Shrike (R)

## Jays and Crows (Corvidae)

\_\_\_ \* Canada Jay (R)  
\_\_\_ Pinyon Jay (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Blue Jay (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Black-billed Magpie (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Clark's Nutcracker (R)  
\_\_\_ \* American Crow (R)  
\_\_\_ \* Common Raven (R)

## Chickadees and Titmice

### (Paridae)

\_\_\_ \* Black-capped Chickadee (R)  
\_\_\_ Tufted Titmouse (A)

## Larks (Alaudidae)

\_\_\_ \* Horned Lark (R)

## Swallows (Hirundinidae)

\_\_\_\* Northern Rough-winged Swallow (R)  
\_\_\_\* Purple Martin (R)  
\_\_\_\* Tree Swallow (R)  
\_\_\_\* Violet-green Swallow (R)  
\_\_\_\* Bank Swallow (R)  
\_\_\_\* Barn Swallow (R)  
\_\_\_\* Cliff Swallow (R)

#### **Kinglets (Regulidae)**

\_\_\_\* Golden-crowned Kinglet (R)  
\_\_\_\* Ruby-crowned Kinglet (R)

#### **Waxwings (Bombycillidae)**

\_\_\_\* Bohemian Waxwing (R)  
\_\_\_\* Cedar Waxwing (R)

#### **Nuthatches (Sittidae)**

\_\_\_\* Red-breasted Nuthatch (R)  
\_\_\_\* White-breasted Nuthatch (R)  
\_\_\_\* Pygmy Nuthatch (R)

#### **Creepers (Certhiidae)**

\_\_\_\* Brown Creeper (R)

#### **Gnatcatchers (Poliophtidae)**

\_\_\_\* Blue-gray Gnatcatcher (R)

#### **Wrens (Troglodytidae)**

\_\_\_\* Rock Wren (R)  
\_\_\_\* Canyon Wren (R)  
\_\_\_\* Northern House Wren (R)  
\_\_\_ Pacific Wren (R)  
\_\_\_\* Winter Wren (R)  
\_\_\_\* Sedge Wren (R)  
\_\_\_\* Marsh Wren (R)  
\_\_\_ Carolina Wren (C)

#### **Mockingbirds and Thrashers**

##### **(Mimidae)**

\_\_\_\* Gray Catbird (R)  
\_\_\_\* Brown Thrasher (R)  
\_\_\_ Sage Thrasher (R)  
\_\_\_ Northern Mockingbird (R)

##### **Starlings (Sturnidae)**

\_\_\_\* European Starling (R)

##### **Dippers (Cinclidae)**

\_\_\_\* American Dipper (R)

##### **Thrushes (Turdidae)**

\_\_\_\* Eastern Bluebird (R)  
\_\_\_\* Mountain Bluebird (R)  
\_\_\_\* Townsend's Solitaire (R)  
\_\_\_ Varied Thrush (C)  
\_\_\_\* Veery (R)  
\_\_\_ Gray-cheeked Thrush (R)  
\_\_\_\* Swainson's Thrush (R)  
\_\_\_\* Hermit Thrush (R)  
\_\_\_\* Wood Thrush (R)  
\_\_\_\* American Robin (R)

#### **Old World Sparrows**

##### **(Passeridae)**

\_\_\_\* House Sparrow (R)

#### **Wagtails and Pipits**

##### **(Motacillidae)**

\_\_\_\* American Pipit (R)  
\_\_\_\* Sprague's Pipit (R)

#### **Fringilline and Cardueline**

#### **Finches and Allies**

#### **(Fringillidae)**

\_\_\_\* Evening Grosbeak (R)  
\_\_\_ Pine Grosbeak (R)  
\_\_\_ Brambling (A)  
\_\_\_ Gray-crowned Rosy-Finch (C)  
\_\_\_\* House Finch (R)  
\_\_\_\* Purple Finch (R)  
\_\_\_\* Cassin's Finch (R)  
\_\_\_ Redpoll (R)  
\_\_\_\* Red Crossbill (R)  
\_\_\_ White-winged Crossbill (C)  
\_\_\_\* Pine Siskin (R)  
\_\_\_\* Lesser Goldfinch (R)  
\_\_\_\* American Goldfinch (R)

#### **Longspurs and Snow**

##### **Buntings (Calcariidae)**

\_\_\_\* Lapland Longspur (R)  
\_\_\_\* Chestnut-collared Longspur (R)  
\_\_\_ Smith's Longspur (C)  
\_\_\_ Thick-billed Longspur (C)  
\_\_\_\* Snow Bunting (R)

#### **New World Sparrows and**

##### **Towhees (Passerellidae)**

\_\_\_\* Grasshopper Sparrow (R)  
\_\_\_\* Lark Sparrow (R)  
\_\_\_\* Lark Bunting (R)  
\_\_\_\* Chipping Sparrow (R)  
\_\_\_\* Clay-colored Sparrow (R)  
\_\_\_\* Field Sparrow (R)  
\_\_\_ Brewer's Sparrow (R)  
\_\_\_\* Fox Sparrow (R)  
\_\_\_\* American Tree Sparrow (R)  
\_\_\_\* Dark-eyed Junco (R)  
\_\_\_\* White-crowned Sparrow (R)  
\_\_\_ Golden-crowned Sparrow (A)  
\_\_\_\* Harris's Sparrow (R)  
\_\_\_\* White-throated Sparrow (R)  
\_\_\_\* Vesper Sparrow (R)  
\_\_\_\* Le Conte's Sparrow (R)  
\_\_\_ Nelson's Sparrow (R)  
\_\_\_ Baird's Sparrow (R)  
\_\_\_ Henslow's Sparrow (A)  
\_\_\_\* Savannah Sparrow (R)  
\_\_\_\* Song Sparrow (R)  
\_\_\_\* Lincoln's Sparrow (R)  
\_\_\_\* Swamp Sparrow (R)  
\_\_\_\* Spotted Towhee (R)  
\_\_\_\* Eastern Towhee (R)

#### **Yellow-breasted Chat**

##### **(Icteriidae)**

\_\_\_\* Yellow-breasted Chat (R)

##### **Blackbirds (Icteridae)**

\_\_\_\* Yellow-headed Blackbird (R)  
\_\_\_\* Bobolink (R)  
\_\_\_ Eastern Meadowlark (R)  
\_\_\_\* Western Meadowlark (R)  
\_\_\_\* Orchard Oriole (R)  
\_\_\_ Bullock's Oriole (R)  
\_\_\_\* Baltimore Oriole (R)  
\_\_\_\* Red-winged Blackbird (R)  
\_\_\_\* Brown-headed Cowbird (R)  
\_\_\_\* Rusty Blackbird (R)

\_\_\_\* Brewer's Blackbird (R)

\_\_\_\* Common Grackle (R)

\_\_\_ Great-tailed Grackle (R)

#### **Wood-Warblers (Parulidae)**

\_\_\_\* Ovenbird (R)  
\_\_\_\* Northern Waterthrush (R)  
\_\_\_ Golden-winged Warbler (R)  
\_\_\_ Blue-winged Warbler (R)  
\_\_\_\* Black-and-white Warbler (R)  
\_\_\_\* Tennessee Warbler (R)  
\_\_\_\* Orange-crowned Warbler (R)  
\_\_\_\* Nashville Warbler (R)  
\_\_\_ Virginia's Warbler (R)  
\_\_\_\* MacGillivray's Warbler (R)  
\_\_\_\* Mourning Warbler (R)  
\_\_\_\* Common Yellowthroat (R)  
\_\_\_ Hooded Warbler (R)  
\_\_\_\* American Redstart (R)  
\_\_\_ Cape May Warbler (R)  
\_\_\_\* Northern Parula (R)  
\_\_\_\* Magnolia Warbler (R)  
\_\_\_\* Bay-breasted Warbler (R)  
\_\_\_\* Blackburnian Warbler (R)  
\_\_\_\* Yellow Warbler (R)  
\_\_\_\* Chestnut-sided Warbler (R)  
\_\_\_\* Lark Sparrow (R)  
\_\_\_\* Blackpoll Warbler (R)  
\_\_\_ Black-throated Blue Warbler (R)  
\_\_\_\* Palm Warbler (R)  
\_\_\_ Pine Warbler (A)  
\_\_\_\* Yellow-rumped Warbler (R)  
\_\_\_ Yellow-throated Warbler (A)  
\_\_\_ Townsend's Warbler (C)  
\_\_\_\* Black-throated Green Warbler (R)  
\_\_\_\* Canada Warbler (R)  
\_\_\_\* Wilson's Warbler (R)  
\_\_\_ Painted Redstart (A)

#### **Cardinals, Piranga Tanagers and Allies (Cardinalidae)**

\_\_\_ Summer Tanager (C)  
\_\_\_\* Scarlet Tanager (R)  
\_\_\_\* Western Tanager (R)  
\_\_\_\* Northern Cardinal (R)  
\_\_\_\* Rose-breasted Grosbeak (R)  
\_\_\_\* Black-headed Grosbeak (R)  
\_\_\_\* Blue Grosbeak (R)  
\_\_\_\* Lazuli Bunting (R)  
\_\_\_\* Indigo Bunting (R)  
\_\_\_\* Dickcissel (R)

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