

MAY 18, 2024 - CUYAHOGA VALLEY NATIONAL PARK - DWIGHT & ANN CHASAR'S SPRING VOLUNTEER BIRD CENSUS.  
AREA: All of Major Rd., old Cuyahoga Valley Scenic Railroad building at top of Stine Rd., Tree Farm Trail, Coliseum Grasslands.  
HIKE: Major Rd. from Horseshoe Pond at Tree Farm Trail parking lot to Rt. 303 to Stine Rd. at the old C.V.S.R. building (D. Vogus).  
HIKE: Tree Farm Trail (J. Henry and D. & M. Vogus).  
HIKE: Cell tower access road across from Coliseum Grasslands (J. Henry and M. Vogus).  
HIKE: Coliseum Grasslands (My. & Ma. Bodnar and D. Vogus).  
TIME: 6:10am - 1:35pm TEMP.: 57F ~ 75F COND.: Very foggy early but quickly lifting, with low ceiling and cloudy; warming throughout the day and mostly cloudy, turning partly sunny.  
FT. MI.: D. Vogus (7.80); J. Henry and M. Vogus (3.25); My. & Ma. Bodnar (1.00).  
OBS.: Myron & Martha Bodnar, John Henry, Douglas W. & Michelle Vogus.

I. MAMMALS: 6 SPECIES, 25 TOTAL.

1. Eastern Cottontail - 2
2. Eastern Chipmunk - 9
3. Eastern Gray Squirrel - 7 (1 black morph)
4. Eastern Fox Squirrel - 3
5. Red Squirrel - 1
6. Common Raccoon - 1

II. BIRDS: 72 SPECIES, 389 TOTAL BIRDS.

(NOTE: m = male; f = female; ? = bird was seen but not sexed; \* = bird was heard calling but not sexed)

1. Canada Goose - 5
2. Wood Duck - 1 (m)
3. Mallard - 4 (m)
4. Wild Turkey - 1 (m) (gobbling in the early morning along Major Rd.)
5. Rock Pigeon - 9
6. Mourning Dove - 6
7. Chimney Swift - 2
8. Killdeer - 1
9. Great Blue Heron - 4 (all fly-overs)
10. Green Heron - 2 (one adult bird plucking twigs from a the dead branch of a willow tree)
11. Turkey Vulture - 3
12. Cooper's Hawk - 2 (1m,1\*)
13. Bald Eagle - 1 (adult) (high up and soaring - seen from Horseshoe Pond)
14. Red-shouldred Hawk - 2
15. Broad-winged Hawk - 1
16. Red-tailed Hawk - 3
17. Barred Owl - 2 ("talking" back and forth along Tree Farm Trail)
18. Belted Kingfisher - 1 (\*)
19. Red-bellied Woodpecker - 5 (1?,5\*)
20. Downy Woodpecker - 1 (\*)
21. Hairy Woodpecker - 1 (\*)
22. Northern Flicker - 4 (1f,3?)
23. Pileated Woodpecker - 3 (2?,1\*)
24. Great Crested Flycatcher - 3
25. Eastern Kingbird - 3
26. Eastern Wood-Pewee - 1
27. Eastern Phoebe - 2 (apparent nest under dock at Horseshoe Pond)
28. Yellow-throated Vireo - 1
29. Blue-headed Vireo - 1
30. Red-eyed Vireo - 8
31. Blue Jay - 9
32. American Crow - 13
33. Black-capped Chickadee - 8

34. Tufted Titmouse - 10
35. Tree Swallow - 1
36. Barn Swallow - 4
37. Cedar Waxwing - 3
38. Red-breasted Nuthatch - 2 (1m,1f) (Tree Farm Trail - female excavating a nest cavity in a dead aspen snag, dumping sawdust, while male would occasionally feed her)
39. White-breasted Nuthatch - 1 (\*)
40. Carolina Wren - 8
41. House Wren - 4
42. Gray Catbird - 8
43. Brown Thrasher - 2
44. European Starling - 6
45. Eastern Bluebird - 2 (1m,1\*)
46. Swainson's Thrush - 1
47. Wood Thrush - 3
48. American Robin - 21
49. House Sparrow - 9
50. American Goldfinch - 8 (3m,1f,3?,1\*)
51. Chipping Sparrow - 6
52. Field Sparrow - 2
53. Song Sparrow - 25
54. Eastern Towhee - 10 (5m,5\*)
55. Bobolink - 12 (8m,4f)
56. Eastern Meadowlark - 6
57. Baltimore Oriole - 2
58. Red-winged Blackbird - 29 (21m,8f)
59. Brown-headed Cowbird - 2 (m)
60. Common Grackle - 6
61. Ovenbird - 7 (m)
62. Blue-winged Warbler - 4 (m)
63. Tennessee Warbler - 3 (m)
64. Common Yellowthroat - 10 (m)
65. Hooded Warbler - 14 (13m,1\*)
66. American Redstart - 2 (m)
67. Yellow Warbler - 6 (m)
68. Blackpoll Warbler - 1 (m)
69. Pine Warbler - 2 (m)
70. Northern Cardinal - 23 (20m,2f,1\*)
71. Rose-breasted Grosbeak - 1 (m)
72. Indigo Bunting - 10 (m)

### III. REPTILES: 1 SPECIES, 2 TOTAL.

1. Midland Painted Turtle - 2

### IV. AMPHIBIANS: 3 SPECIES, 8 TOTAL.

1. American Toad - 1
2. Northern Spring Peeper - 1 (heard)
3. Green Frog - 6 (2 seen,4 heard)

### V. FISHES: 2 SPECIES, 8 TOTAL.

1. Common Carp - 4
2. Bluegill - 4

VI. BUTTERFLIES: 5 SPECIES, 12 TOTAL.

1. Eastern Black Swallowtail - 3
2. Eastern Tiger Swallowtail - 5
3. Clouded Sulphur - 1
4. Pearl Crescent - 2
5. Zabulon Skipper - 1

VII. MOTHS: 2 SPECIES, 4 TOTAL.

1. White Spring Moth - 2
2. Grapevine Epimenis - 2

VII. DRAGONFLIES & DAMSELFLIES: 3 SPECIES, 6 TOTAL.

1. Common Green Darner - 1
2. Dot-tailed Whiteface - 4
3. Skimming Bluet - 1

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