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Next Meeting – September 8, 2009

Birding 2.0

A Survey of Consumer Technology for Birders
by John Dillon

SEPTEMBER PROGRAM

When: Tuesday, September 8, 2009, 6:00 p.m.

Where: LSUS, Science Lecture Auditorium*

Speaker: John Dillon

BSG member, John Dillon, will introduce us to new tools available to birders, including iPods, BirdJam, iPhone birding applications, birding websites, and birding computer software. The program is free and open to the public. Refreshments start at 6:00 p.m.; program begins at 6:30 p.m. **Note: change in meeting location* (for campus map see page 8)

RED RIVER NWR 5th ANNUAL REFUGE CELEBRATION & CATFISH FRY

Red River NWR Headquarters Unit

Saturday, October 17, 2009, 8:00 - 3:00 p.m.

LOUISIANA ORNITHOLOGICAL SOCIETY FALL MEETING, CAMERON PARISH, LA

Friday, October 30 – Sunday, November 1, 2009

UPCOMING FIELD TRIPS AND EVENTS

A SWIFT NIGHT OUT

September 11 – 13, 2009

HAYNESVILLE CELEBRATION OF BUTTERFLIES

September 12, 2009

HAWK WATCH

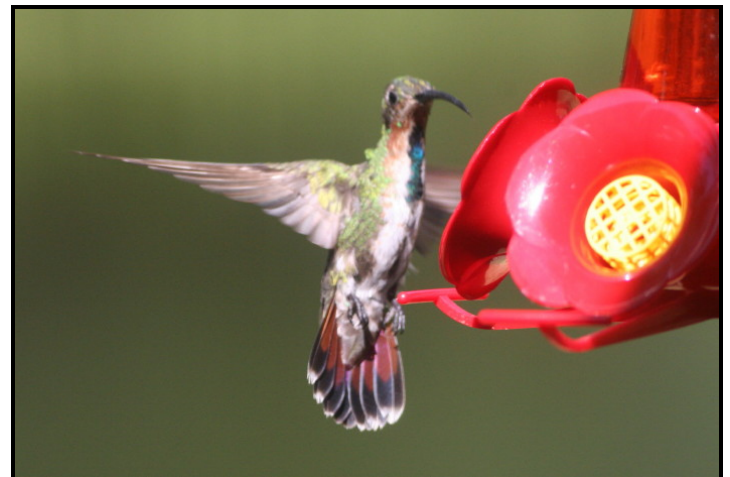
Hervey farm in Stonewall

Saturday, September 26, 2009, 9:00 – 2:00

THE BIG SIT!

Red River NWR Headquarters Unit

Sunday, October 11, 2009, dawn 'til after dark



Green-breasted Mango

First State Record: Greenwood, Louisiana,

August 20, 2009 Photo by Jeff Trahan

Bird Study Group meets the second Tuesday of each month, September through June, 6:00 p.m. To be placed on the list to send & receive emails, email birdalert@birdstudygroup.org. Contact the BSG by email: lhardy@lsus.edu or phone (318) 797-5338. Visit us on the web at <http://www.birdstudygroup.org>

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UPCOMING FIELD TRIPS AND EVENTS

By John Dillon

All field trips will **DEPART** from the listed meeting place at the time posted. Be early at the meeting place for orientation information and carpooling. BSG Membership is not a requirement for participation in any field trip, but it is encouraged.

What to bring: binoculars, field guide, scope (if possible), snacks/drinks for yourself and pen/paper if you'd like to keep your own records of sightings.

SEPTEMBER

A Swift Night Out

September 11 – 13, 2009

If you've never participated in *A Swift Night Out*, the national count for Chimney and Vaux's Swifts, make it a point to do so this September. Simply find a Chimney Swift roost in your area, get there about thirty minutes before sunset with some of your rowdiest birding buddies, and start counting. If you've never counted roosting Chimney Swifts before, it's a thrill at this time of year when they will be roosting in the hundreds in many spots. The count is sponsored by the Driftwood Wildlife Association out of Houston, and they will take gladly accept your best estimate if you are unable to make an exact count. For more information, go to the following web address
<http://www.concentric.net/~dwa/page56.html>

HAYNESVILLE CELEBRATION OF BUTTERFLIES

*Claiborne Parish Fairgrounds, Haynesville, LA
 September 12, 2009, events scheduled 9:30-6:30*

The eleventh annual Haynesville butterfly festival will include a parade, speakers about butterflies and gardening, activities for children, and crafts and food vendors. For information contact Loice Kendrick-Lacy by email, loicelacy@att.net, or by phone at 318-624-1929 or 870-234-4910. A complete schedule of events can be found at www.claiborneone.org/haynesville/butterfly.html.

HAWK WATCH

Saturday, September 26, 2009, 9:00 – 2:00

Contact: Hubert Hervey, 318-925-9249;

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Come out to the Hervey farm in Stonewall and watch for migrating raptors on their way south for the winter. An annual event, the hawk watch has produced as many as 650 migrating raptors in an afternoon. If they are particularly numerous this year, we'll stay until the birds have stopped moving. Details on food are TBA.

Directions: Go south on Linwood Road. Go a couple of miles into DeSoto Parish, pass a convenient store on the left and turn right onto Ranchette Road. Go one mile, turn left at the T. This is Missile Base Road. Go almost a mile and turn left over the cattle guard that enters the farm. The sign say Hervey Dairy Road. The Hervey house in the first house on the left at the top of the hill.

OCTOBER

THE BIG SIT! AT THE RED RIVER NWR

Red River National Wildlife Refuge Headquarters
 Unit, 555 Sunflower Road, Bossier City, LA 71112
Sunday, October 11, 2009, Before dawn 'til after dark

Contact – Nancy Menasco, 868-3255,
nmcpa@aol.com

This will be ninth straight year that BSG sitters will sit the Big Sit. The Big Sit will be held at the

Red River National Wildlife Refuge, where it will be the opening event to kickoff National Wildlife Refuge Week. Sitters count birds observed or heard from within a 17-foot diameter circle. The Big Sit officially begins at midnight and ends 24 hours later; BSG sitters have always been in the field by 6:30 a.m., manning the circle continuously until at least 7:30 p.m. Any Sitters wishing to man the circle before 6:30 a.m. will need to contact Nancy Menasco so we can make arrangements to let you in the gate. Sitters may come and go at will. Signs along the refuge road will lead you to the circle. Parking will be available near the circle.

Founded by the New Haven, Connecticut, Bird Club and now hosted by Bird Watcher's Digest magazine, the Big Sit is an annual, international, noncompetitive birding event. It is sponsored nationally by Swarovski Optik, Alpen Optics, and Wild Bird Centers. 2009 will mark the 15th Annual Big Sit. From its beginnings as a strictly North American affair, the Big Sit has grown to include teams all over the world. Swarovski Optik donates \$500 to the team who gets the "Golden Bird." A bird species is selected by random drawing from all bird species sighted. All teams listing that species are entered in the random drawing for the Golden Bird. The winning circle then chooses a non-profit environmental-based organization to be the recipient of the \$500.

Directions to the refuge: From the intersection of US 71 (Barksdale Boulevard) and Jimmie Davis Highway (LA 511) in Bossier City, go south about one-half mile on US 71 and turn right (west) on Sunflower Road. Proceed to the end of the road to the refuge entrance. The refuge manager is Pat Stinson. The refuge phone number is 742-1219.

What to bring: binoculars, scope, field guides, chair, hat, mosquito repellent, sunscreen, drinks, breakfast, lunch, supper, snacks.

For more background on The Big Sit, go to <http://www.birdwatchersdigest.com/bigsit.html>.

**RED RIVER NATIONAL WILDLIFE
REFUGE 5th ANNUAL REFUGE
CELEBRATION & CATFISH FRY**

Red River National Wildlife Refuge Headquarters
Unit, 555 Sunflower Road, Bossier City, LA 71112
Saturday, October 17, 2009, 8:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Contact – Nancy Menasco, 868-3255,
nmcpa@aol.com, www.friendsofredriver.org

Sponsored by the Friends of the Red River National Wildlife Refuge and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, festival highlights include nature walks and refuge tours, hayrides, falconry demonstrations, live owls, baby alligators with photo opportunities for children, nature-related activities for adults and children, and a photography contest. The BSG will sponsor an exhibit and bird-related activity at the event.

October is Archaeology month in Louisiana and new to the Refuge Celebration will be an exhibit on local prehistoric Native Americans use of the landscape, including a hands-on demonstration of Native American tools.

Also new this year will be an exhibit focusing on the benefits of using native plants; a selection of plants will be available for you to purchase. Other highlights include new nature projects for the children and an interactive Black Bear obstacle course following a year in the life of a bear.

The Art in Nature exhibit will include face painting and local student art. There will be an opportunity for you to sign up to indicate your interest in the refuge presenting a youth digital photography program in the near future.

Free shade-grown coffee, tea, juice, and breakfast bars will be available in the morning and a free catfish lunch with all the trimmings will be served at noon. There is no admission charge and the public is invited. More information and a schedule of activities is or will be available at the Friends website at www.friendsofredriver.org.

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NOVEMBER

**LOUISIANA ORNITHOLOGICAL SOCIETY
FALL MEETING, CAMERON PARISH, LA**
Friday, October 30 – Sunday, November 1, 2009

LOS returns to Cameron Parish this fall after a year away due to the devastation caused by Hurricane Ike. Information and registration forms for the fall meeting will be available at the Louisiana Ornithological Society website at www.losbird.org/meeting.htm. You do not have to be a member of LOS to attend the meeting but you are encouraged to join our state birding organization. The BSG usually reserves lodging at the Rockefeller Wildlife Refuge. Sign up for Rockefeller at the BSG September or October meeting. If you are interested in staying at the Cameron Motel, the phone number is 337-775-5442.

Rio Grande Valley

November TBA; Interested?

Contact: John Dillon, jdillon@websterpsb.org

At this time, the BSG has not officially scheduled a trip to the valley. This write-up is to determine your level of interest. November is said to be the best overall time to bird the valley, and, more than likely, we would leave approximately one week before Thanksgiving and return in time for the holiday. I ask that if you are interested or even curious that you email me at jdillon@websterpsb.org so I can have an idea of how many people might be able to go. Please email me ASAP.

WILD BIRD CENTER EVENTS BEGINNER BIRD WALKS

The Wild Bird Center conducts field trips the first and third Saturday of every month, weather permitting. Meet at Wild Bird Center in the University Place Shopping Center (Target Shopping Center) at the corner of Youree Drive and East 70th Street. Destinations vary according to local sightings and may include local parks, country roads or a private backyard. Loaner binoculars are available. Be sure to bring a field guide. Join Dennis at the Red River NWR Celebration on October 18.

For more information on any Wild Bird Center event, please call Dennis or Janice Forshee at the Wild Bird Center, 318-797-BIRD (2473).

LEAST TERNS DECLINE

By Hubert Hervey

The summer of 2009 was difficult for Least Terns attempting to nest on the Red River in Louisiana and Arkansas. The high waters of spring persisted into most of June, the prime nesting month. In June terns nested on only one location in the 150 mile reach of Red River that I surveyed this year. That one location was Palmer Lake Revetment, located in Arkansas just north of the Louisiana state line at Mile Marker 278. I was completely surprised to find 11 baby Least Terns at this location on July 2. This was the only location where there was any sand available in June for nesting birds and 34 adult terns found it. All other nesting attempts were in the month of July. This means fewer terns tried to nest and those that did laid fewer eggs, on average one less per nest. The result of this situation is that 2009 was a year where tern numbers declined.

In July I did four trips in Arkansas covering 75 miles of free and fast flowing waters. This area passes through Garland from Fulton, Arkansas south to the state line. I counted 318 adult Least Terns, 43 fledged birds, 15 babies, and 46 nests containing 80 eggs. This is not bad for a single month effort likely averaging more than a bird raised per mile of river. It also suggests an addition of several hundred more terns raised between Fulton, Arkansas and Lake Texoma.

In July I made six trips in Louisiana covering 75 miles about half of which is free flowing waters north of the I-220 Bridge, and half of which is Pool 5 lake waters. About 100 Least Terns attempted 30 nests, laying 69 eggs, but fledging only four known young. A rise in the river level measured at Shreveport's Pool 5 wiped out the nesting attempts at three locations. There were attempts to nest at three new locations in Pool 5, all of which failed. These were at the enlarged sandy area visible from the I-220 Bridge, and two locations near Clark's Marina (Young's Point at MM 207.6 and Clark's Island at MM 203.4). So it is easy to interpret the

data and see that the Pool stages of the Red River are a black hole for the endangered Interior Least Tern.

Pat Stinson, manager of the Red River National Wildlife Reserve, has shown a pro-active interest in managing nesting sites for Least Terns, putting up signs at nesting locations, and proposing management procedures that would benefit Least Terns, through habitat creation and improvement. Please encourage Pat in this matter.

Southeast Arizona's Second Spring – Pleasant and Productive Birding in July

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Even if you haven't ever visited Southeast Arizona, any birder with more than 200 birds on his North American life list has surely heard about the wonderful birding opportunities there, especially for Mexican birds. Place names like Portal, Ramsey Canyon, Fort Huachuca, Madera Canyon, California Gulch, Patagonia, Lake Wilcox, Mount Lemon, etc. are synonymous with exotic birds like Elegant Trogon, Magnificent, Berylline, White-eared, Blue-throated and Lucifer Hummingbirds, Painted and Red-faced Warbler, Five-striped and Rufous-winged Sparrows, Spotted Owl, and on and on.

Birding tours target Southeast Arizona in December-January, April-May, and July-August. The most popular tours, by far are those in April-May as many Mexican specialty birds move across the border into Arizona for nesting plus western migrants pass through the area. I made that trip in 2004 and picked up over 70 life North American birds. The so-called Second Spring in July-August is almost as popular time to bird in the area. This permits folks to pick up birds missed in earlier trips in April-May, especially hummingbirds and odd Mexican vagrants. My 18-29 July 2009 tour with Bird Treks added nine North American life birds plus close to 100 year birds.

July-August birding tours to Southeast Arizona are called Second Spring because it is a period of significant monsoon-like rainfall. All wildlife and plants respond positively to the milder temperatures

and availability of water. This is when many birds nest again so it is a "second spring."

I arrived in Tucson on 17 July, a day ahead of the tour starting date, just in case there were problems with air connections. This gave me a chance to bird around the airport late in the afternoon and the next morning. The area is high desert with mesquite and cactus dominating the landscape.

The next morning, I walked through a vacant field near long term parking at the airport and darned if I didn't flush Common Poorwill and Lesser Nighthawk. The Lesser Nighthawk was my first lifer of the trip and the only one that I saw well. The Common Poorwill was the first I had seen as it was "heard only" on my 2004 tour. Other interesting birds included Cactus Wren, Western Kingbird, Verdin, and Hooded Oriole. House Finches outnumbered House Sparrows by 2-3 to 1 in the area.

I met Bob Schutsky, Bird Trek owner and our guide, around 11 AM. Our other seven participants arrived on time and we were able to head south for Madera Canyon by 1 PM. We stayed at the Santa Rita Lodge in the Santa Rita Mountains. The lodge was a birder's delight with seed, suet, and sugar water feeders everywhere. It was quite a treat to see Acorn Woodpeckers, Lesser Goldfinches, Mexican Jays, Bridled Titmice, Wild Turkeys, and Broad-billed Hummingbirds up close and personal. We later went up the road about half a mile with Flame-colored Tanager being our target. We ignored Sulphur-bellied Flycatchers that were calling nearby to catch a glimpse and of the tanager that we heard well but had trouble finding in the dense canopy vegetation. Yes, I did see the tanager but had the bird back in 2004 at the same site. But, the flycatchers had not arrived then so it was great to find lifer number two for the trip.

My lifers included Montezuma Quail, Lesser Nighthawk, White-eared Hummingbird, Berylline Hummingbird, Sulphur-bellied Flycatcher, Sinaloa Wren, Crissal Thrasher (heard only), Varied Bunting, and Five-striped Sparrow. Our biggest miss was Brown-backed Solitaire at Ramsey Canyon. Our participants added anywhere from a dozen to fifty or so life birds on the tour. My total

list for the trip was 161 as I missed 5 of the 165 birds recorded.

We moved up and down in altitude from desert to alpine areas but never over the tree line – basically 4000-8000 feet. We went through biomes that would otherwise require going 1500 or so miles north. The best day in terms of seeing biomes was our last full day on 28 July when we took the 22 mile trip from Tucson up Mount Lemon. The various stops along the way had excellent informational signage to explain the different biomes. And, did I mention that we had Mountain Chickadee, Western Chickadee, Pygmy Nuthatch, Western Bluebird, Grace's Warbler, and Red-faced Warbler on that trip?

We spent 3 days birding around Madera Canyon from up in the mountains to down in Green Valley. Our trip to California Gulch was just not as bumpy as my 2004 ride and just didn't seem as potentially dangerous. The road actually seemed improved. We parked around 3:30 PM on the 19th of July and worked our way down into the gulch. Almost as soon as we got to the bottom, Bob "heard something" and played a Five-striped Sparrow song. Up popped one and then another. We had wonderful views of the birds. Earlier in the day as we drove to Green Valley to eat breakfast, we stopped and quickly found Rufous-winged Sparrows, another specialty that many birders seek.

On the morning of the 19th of July we heard an Elegant Trogon calling along the creek in Madera Canyon. After breakfast we birded in the area of Florida Gulch/Florida Work Camp area hoping for Black-capped Gnatcatcher but had to settle for Black-tailed Gnatcatcher. We had good views of Varied Bunting, a bird I missed in 2004. "Florida" is pronounced "FLOR REE DAH" in Arizona.

Before we assembled to start birding on the 20th of July, I walked up the road to the area where we had previously found the Flame-colored Tanager by myself and not only heard but had a brief but definitive view of a trogon flying in the tree tops. This was not especially meaningful to me as I had watched trogons for some minutes in 2004.

We left the Santa Rita Mountains on the 20th of July and traveled to the Patagonia area. We stopped at the Patagonia Rest-Stop for lunch. We found Thick-billed Flycatcher but struck out on White-

breasted Swifts and Rose-breasted Becards. Bob Schutsky was one of the birders who helped to establish the "Patagonia Rest-Stop Phenomenon" – the appearance of a very rare bird where birders congregate. That rare bird seen by Bob and several associates many years earlier was a Yellow Grosbeak!

That afternoon, we picked up several hummingbirds at Patton's place in Patagonia including Violet-crowned Hummingbird plus a fledgling Gray Hawk in a nest nearby. We learned that the Sinaloa Wren had an easily observed nest just off the main highway in the TNC Soinita Creek Preserve but that the nearby Yellow-breasted Chats were imitating its song! We got to the nest site just after sunrise the next morning but several other eager birders beat us there. We heard the bird singing several times and were able to view it foraging on a tree in heavy brush and going in and out of its nest. All of us would have liked a better view and returned the next morning with roughly the same results. But it was surely a very rare lifer for all of us.

One of my target birds was Montezuma Quail. We heard them calling in proper habitat and flushed a quail in California Gulch that might have been one. However, we did manage a pair that most of us including me saw while driving down the mountain at Fort Huachuca after finding Buff-breasted Flycatcher and Hepatic Tanager. We had a monumental hike up Sheelite Canyon trying for the Mexican Spotted Owl but struck out. The Sheelite Canyon hike is one that no one forgets and resulted in my life Spotted Owl in 2004. Ironically, we went to a Bread and Breakfast about 15 miles away later in the day and Bob ran into Sheri Williamson of hummingbird fame who had just encountered a Spotted Owl about 20 minutes away on an easy trail. That's where we got plenty of pictures of a very docile owl that was being badgered by a Painted Redstart!

We went to the TNC reserve at Ramsey Canyon on the 24th of July. Our targets were Berylline Hummingbird and the Brown-backed Solitaire. The solitaire was a North American first this summer and birders from all over were after it. Well, wouldn't you know, we left the hummingbird feeding station about 5 minutes before the

hummingbird showed up. And, the solitaire showed up about 3 hours after we left for another site. But, at least we were rewarded with Berylline Hummingbird in a heavy rain that soaked most of us despite the cover over the viewing station.

Our trip to Portal included a stop at the Sierra Vista Sewage Plant where we had wonderful views of Yellow-headed Blackbirds in the marsh/treatment ponds. We didn't pick up many birds on the way to Portal but did manage Chihuahuan Raven. Our main target in the Portal area were Scaled Quail, Short-tailed Hawk, Western Screech-Owl, Band-tailed Pigeon, Elegant Trogon, Mexican Chickadee, Juniper Titmouse, Pygmy Nuthatch, Bendire's and Crissal Thrasher, Painted Redstart, Black-throated Gray and Red-faced Warbler, Black-chinned Sparrow and Yellow-eyed Junco. Well, we struck out on the trogon, titmouse and sparrow but thoroughly enjoyed the birds, scenery, especially the Portal mountain pass, and the experience of moving from hot desert to pleasant temperatures at higher elevations. Two participants really wanted to find Black-throated Gray Warbler. We managed wonderful views of several of these classy warblers in a mixed flock of feeding songbirds in the pines. But, yep, a party of birders we passed lower in the valley had just had great views of a trogon when we reached them on our way back down the valley!

Our return trip to Tucson took us through Wilcox, Arizona which is located in a major, flat desert playa. The city's water is treated in a large multiple pond lagoon system. The final lagoon is algae and food rich and an excellent site for waterbirds. We had Western and Baird's Sandpipers, American Avocets including fledglings whose bills hadn't fully developed, Long-billed Curlews, Black-necked Stilts, many Wilson's Phalaropes, Mallards, Ruddy Ducks, American Coots, and an Eared Grebe. There were many Horned Larks around the lagoon.

Our last full day of the tour was spent on Mount Lemon as mentioned previously. There was a small fishing pond in one of the parks and I found it especially entertaining to watch young children catching crawfish using the bacon on the string trick. I didn't see anyone catch a fish and the

children didn't seem to know that you could actually eat crawfish!

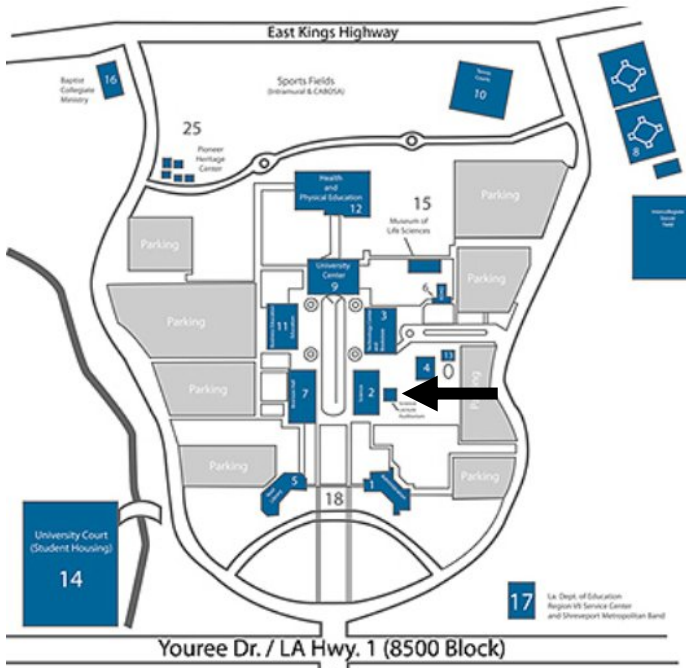
It is very difficult to generate a complete report about an eleven day birding trip in a short article for a magazine or newsletter. A list of birds I personally found on the trip will be available online at www.birdstudygroup.org in the online version of this newsletter. Those interested in day by day events on the tour can access Bird Trek's website on the World Wide Web. I might mention that Bob Schutsky is the only major tour leader who schedules a birding tour to SW Louisiana focusing, of course, on the Cameron area but whose initial stop is Lafayette-Breaux Bridge and Lake Martin.

Minutes of the Board Meeting

August 18, 2009

Board members present were: Mac Hardy, Dennis Forshee, Amanda Lewis, Nancy Menasco, Rachel Demascal, Bill Hall, Clyde Massey, John Dillon, Larry Raymond, and Rosemary Seidler.

The board discussed the moving the meeting to the Science Lecture Auditorium (SLA) at LSUS due to recent additions in the Museum of Life Sciences that restrict meeting space. The SLA provides a larger meeting space that may help increase our attendance. Issues discussed were the placement of snacks in the SLA, not disconnecting the computer/projection equipment in the SLA, and placing signs out on meeting days. At the next board meeting the group will discuss the Christmas party and possible alternate locations to have the party. The BSG will sponsor a booth at the RRNWR celebration day. Volunteers will be sought at the September and October meetings. The board needs two additional members and a treasurer. Suggestions were taken from board members. The question as to if our treasurer should be bonded was raised. Mac will check into this. John Dillon will serve as the BSG "tech czar" providing a presentation and an article for the newsletter discussing news tech products and items related to birding. Rachel suggested we start a BSG Facebook page. The board agreed. Mac discussed converting the bird records system to an Access database. The board agreed. Mac will make this conversion in September.



Campus map of LSUS, arrow points to the new BSG meeting location in the Science Lecture Auditorium.

BSG Board of Directors & Committee Chairpersons
BSG BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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Green-breasted Mango

First State Record: Greenwood, Louisiana,
 August 20, 2009. Photo by Jeff Trahan

BIRD REPORT – compiled August 26, 2009

Use the bird report to see what other birders have been seeing and where to go find the bird you want to see. Observers are abbreviated by the first and last initials. Dates and localities of observations are summarized under the observer's initials. Sightings are arranged by species. Following each species is a line of data in the following format: date, initials of the observer, number of birds observed, initials of another observer, number of birds they observed, etc. For the number of birds observed, a 1 is used for both 1 bird and for numbers not reported by the observer. For example: 01/12/99 BB 2 means that on January 12, 1999, BB saw two birds. Then by looking on the observer list, located after the sightings, you can determine that BB is Bob Birder and on 1/12/99 he was birding C. Bickham Dickson Park.

Report bird records for the newsletter to Mac Hardy by the 25th of each month. All bird records reported here are observations of the observers and are therefore the responsibility of the observer.

Black-bellied Whistling-Duck -- 05/21/2009 RL 11; 05/23/2009 RL 11; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 2
Wood Duck -- 05/05/2009 JT&AJT 35; 05/09/2009 JT&AJT 2; 05/30/2009 JT&TD 3; 06/03/2009 RL 6; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 1; 06/14/2009 JT&AJT 4; 06/15/2009 JT,TD 2; 06/28/2009 JT&AJT 8; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 1; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 6; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 15; 08/16/2009 JT&AJT 3
Gadwall -- 07/07/2009 JT,TD 1
Mallard -- 05/05/2009 JT&AJT 8; 06/14/2009 JT&AJT 6; 06/21/2009 JT&AJT 17; 06/28/2009 JT&AJT 6; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 7; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 15; 08/09/2009 JT&AJT 5
Blue-winged Teal -- 05/05/2009 JT&AJT 2
Canvasback -- 07/07/2009 JT,TD 4
Ring-necked Duck -- 07/07/2009 JT,TD 2
Lesser Scaup -- 07/07/2009 JT,TD 7
Northern Bobwhite -- 06/09/2009 JT,RS,TD 1; 06/15/2009 JT,TD 1; 07/08/2009 HH 1
Wild Turkey -- 06/03/2009 RL 1
Pied-billed Grebe -- 05/05/2009 JT&AJT 3; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 2; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 1; 07/31/2009 JT,TD 7
American White Pelican -- 07/02/2009 HH&HG 6
Double-crested Cormorant -- 04/27/2009 RS 2; 04/27/2009 RS 2; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 3; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 5
Anhinga -- 06/03/2009 RL 1; 06/14/2009 JT&AJT 1; 06/25/2009 LR,LMH,&JI 13; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 8; 07/01/2009 HH 4; 07/01/2009 HH 1; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 3; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 1; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 3; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 1; 07/08/2009 HH 1; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 2; 07/26/2009 JT,AJT 1; 07/31/2009 JT,TD 7; 08/02/2009 JT,AJT 4; 08/09/2009 JT&AJT 1; 08/16/2009 JT&AJT 3
Least Bittern -- 07/07/2009 JT,TD 2
Great Blue Heron -- 04/21/2009 RS 1; 04/21/2009 RS 1; 04/27/2009 RS 1; 04/27/2009 RS 1; 05/05/2009 JT&AJT 2; 05/09/2009 JT&AJT 1; 05/30/2009 JT&TD 4; 06/03/2009 RL 1; 06/07/2009 LRR 2; 06/07/2009 LRR 1; 06/07/2009 LRR 4; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 1; 06/15/2009 JT,TD 2; 06/20/2009 LRR 1; 06/25/2009 LR,LMH,&JI 2; 06/28/2009 JT&AJT 1; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 3; 07/01/2009 HH 3; 07/01/2009 HH 2; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 6; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 6; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 7; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 1; 07/05/2009 JT,AJT,RS 1; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 8; 07/08/2009 HH 1; 07/10/2009 HH 2; 07/11/2009 LRR 1; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 17; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 8; 07/31/2009 JT,TD 8; 08/02/2009 JT,AJT 4
Great Egret -- 04/27/2009 RS 3; 04/27/2009 RS 3; 05/05/2009 JT&AJT 15; 05/30/2009 JT&TD 4; 06/06/2009 LRR 1; 06/07/2009 AJT 2; 06/07/2009 LRR 9; 06/07/2009 LRR 1; 06/07/2009 LRR 1; 06/07/2009 LRR 2; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 12; 06/09/2009 JT,RS,TD 3; 06/13/2009 LRR 1; 06/14/2009 JT&AJT 7; 06/20/2009 LRR 1; 06/20/2009 LRR 2; 06/21/2009 LRR 1; 06/21/2009 LRR 1; 06/21/2009 LRR 2; 06/21/2009 JT&AJT 4; 06/25/2009 LR,LMH,&JI 45; 06/28/2009 JT&AJT 22; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 10; 07/01/2009 HH 8; 07/01/2009 HH 6; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 7; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 9; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 12; 07/03/2009 LRR 2; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 2; 07/05/2009 JT,AJT,RS 1; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 47; 07/08/2009 HH 1; 07/10/2009 HH 3; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 28; 07/26/2009 JT,AJT 3; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 90; 07/31/2009 JT,TD 48; 08/02/2009 JT,AJT 7; 08/09/2009 JT&AJT 4; 08/09/2009 JT&AJT 1; 08/16/2009 JT&AJT 3
Snowy Egret -- 05/05/2009 JT&AJT 12; 05/30/2009 JT&TD 3; 06/07/2009 LRR 1; 06/07/2009 JT&AJT 1; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 2; 06/14/2009 JT&AJT 3; 06/21/2009 JT&AJT 2; 06/25/2009 LR,LMH,&JI 20; 06/28/2009 JT&AJT 6; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 2; 07/01/2009 HH 5; 07/01/2009 HH 4; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 8; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 5; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 3; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 22; 07/10/2009 HH 2; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 9; 07/26/2009 JT,AJT 10; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 45; 07/31/2009 JT,TD 44; 08/02/2009 JT,AJT 9; 08/09/2009 JT&AJT 2; 08/16/2009 JT&AJT 3
Little Blue Heron -- 05/05/2009 JT&AJT 1; 05/30/2009 JT&TD 2; 06/03/2009 RL 1; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 21; 06/09/2009 JT,RS,TD 1; 06/15/2009 JT,TD 6; 06/21/2009 JT&AJT 4; 06/25/2009 LR,LMH,&JI 230; 06/28/2009 JT&AJT 12; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 9; 07/01/2009 HH 1; 07/01/2009 HH 2; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 3; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 3; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 28; 07/08/2009 HH 2; 07/10/2009 HH 1; 07/11/2009 LRR 2; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 25; 07/26/2009 JT,AJT 11; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 9; 07/31/2009 JT,TD 20; 08/02/2009 JT,AJT 6; 08/09/2009 JT&AJT 2; 08/16/2009 JT&AJT 1
Tricolored Heron -- 06/25/2009 LR,LMH,&JI 2; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 7; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 10; 07/31/2009 JT,TD 7
Cattle Egret -- 05/05/2009 JT&AJT 35; 05/09/2009 JT&AJT 3; 05/30/2009 JT&TD 2; 06/07/2009 AJT 4; 06/07/2009 JT&AJT 4; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 120; 06/09/2009 JT,RS,TD 14; 06/14/2009 JT&AJT 10; 06/15/2009 JT,TD 5; 06/20/2009 LRR 5; 06/20/2009 LRR 1; 06/20/2009 LRR 9; 06/21/2009 LRR 4; 06/21/2009 LRR 7; 06/21/2009 LRR 1; 06/21/2009 JT&AJT 12; 06/25/2009 LR,LMH,&JI 268; 06/28/2009 JT&AJT 11; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 37; 07/01/2009 HH 20; 07/01/2009 HH 6; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 35; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 16; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 12; 07/03/2009 LRR 4; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 10; 07/05/2009 JT,AJT,RS 106; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 8; 07/08/2009 HH 19; 07/10/2009 HH 40; 07/11/2009 LRR 1; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 13; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 35; 07/31/2009 JT,TD 230; 08/02/2009 JT,AJT 9; 08/09/2009 JT&AJT 1; 08/16/2009 JT&AJT 2
Green Heron -- 05/05/2009 JT&AJT 6; 05/09/2009 JT&AJT 1; 06/03/2009 RL 1; 06/07/2009 JT&AJT 5; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 1; 06/14/2009 JT&AJT 5; 06/20/2009 LRR 1; 06/21/2009 JT&AJT 8; 06/25/2009 LR,LMH,&JI 5; 06/28/2009 JT&AJT 1; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 2; 07/01/2009 HH 2; 07/01/2009 HH 2; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 2; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 1; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 1; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 1; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 1; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 1; 07/08/2009 HH 1; 07/10/2009 HH 2; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 3; 07/26/2009 JT,AJT 2; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 4; 07/31/2009 JT,TD 2; 08/02/2009 JT,AJT 4; 08/09/2009 JT&AJT 4; 08/16/2009 JT&AJT 1
Yellow-crowned Night-Heron -- 05/05/2009 JT&AJT 10; 05/09/2009 JT&AJT 1; 06/03/2009 RL 1; 06/07/2009 LRR 1; 06/14/2009 JT&AJT 1; 06/15/2009 JT,TD 2; 06/25/2009 LR,LMH,&JI 5; 06/28/2009 JT&AJT 3; 07/08/2009 HH 1; 07/10/2009 HH 1; 07/26/2009 JT,AJT 2; 08/02/2009 JT,AJT 1
White Ibis -- 05/05/2009 JT&AJT 3; 06/25/2009 LR,LMH,&JI 24; 06/28/2009 JT&AJT 3; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 2; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 10; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 3; 07/26/2009 JT,AJT 54; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 4; 07/31/2009 JT,TD 7; 08/02/2009 JT,AJT 1; 08/09/2009 JT&AJT 7; 08/16/2009 JT&AJT 3
Roseate Spoonbill -- 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 1; 07/31/2009 JT,TD 1
Wood Stork -- 07/10/2009 HH 15; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 21; 07/31/2009 JT,TD 2
Black Vulture -- 04/27/2009 RS 1; 04/27/2009 RS 1; 06/03/2009 RL 4; 06/07/2009 LRR 1; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 2; 06/09/2009 JT,RS,TD 10; 06/14/2009 JT&AJT 1; 06/15/2009 JT,TD 1; 06/28/2009 JT&AJT 3; 07/01/2009 HH 2; 07/01/2009 HH 1; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 1; 07/05/2009 JT,AJT,RS 13; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 1; 07/08/2009 HH 2; 07/10/2009 HH 6; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 2; 07/31/2009 JT,TD 1; 08/23/2009 PB 3
Turkey Vulture -- 04/21/2009 RS 1; 04/21/2009 RS 1; 04/27/2009 RS 3; 04/27/2009 RS 3; 05/09/2009 JT&AJT 1; 05/30/2009 JT&TD 1; 06/03/2009 RL 1; 06/06/2009 LRR 4; 06/06/2009 LRR 1; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 8; 06/09/2009 JT,RS,TD 34; 06/13/2009 LRR 2; 06/13/2009 LRR 1; 06/13/2009 LRR 4; 06/14/2009 AJT 3; 06/14/2009 JT&AJT 1; 06/15/2009 JT,TD 4; 06/20/2009 LRR 1; 06/20/2009 LRR 1; 06/21/2009 JT&AJT 1; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 19; 07/01/2009 HH 2; 07/01/2009 HH 6; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 4; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 4; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 6; 07/03/2009 LRR 1; 07/03/2009 LRR 1; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 2; 07/05/2009 JT,AJT,RS 11; 07/08/2009 HH 4; 07/10/2009 HH 4; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 4; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 2; 07/31/2009 JT,TD 2; 08/16/2009 JT&AJT 1; 08/23/2009 PB 2

Swallow-tailed Kite -- 06/13/2009 JT 1
Mississippi Kite -- 04/21/2009 RS 2; 04/21/2009 RS 2; 04/25/2009 RS 2; 04/25/2009 RS 2; 04/27/2009 RS 2; 05/09/2009 JT&AJT 5; 05/30/2009 JT&TD 1; 06/06/2009 LRR 1; 06/06/2009 LRR 1; 06/07/2009 AJT 2; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 1; 06/13/2009 LRR 1; 06/14/2009 AJT 1; 06/20/2009 LRR 1; 06/20/2009 LRR 1; 06/21/2009 LRR 1; 06/25/2009 LR,LMH,&JI 1; 06/28/2009 JT&AJT 1; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 8; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 4; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 2; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 1; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 2; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 1; 07/05/2009 JT,AJT,RS 1; 08/23/2009 PB 5
Bald Eagle -- 04/27/2009 RS 1; 04/27/2009 RS 1; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 1; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 3
Sharp-shinned Hawk -- 07/01/2009 HH 1; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 2
Cooper's Hawk -- 06/15/2009 JT,TD 1; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 1
Red-shouldered Hawk -- 06/03/2009 RL 2; 06/07/2009 LRR 1; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 1; 06/09/2009 JT,RS,TD 10; 06/15/2009 JT,TD 6; 06/21/2009 LRR 1; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 2; 07/05/2009 JT,AJT,RS 1; 07/08/2009 HH 3; 07/10/2009 HH 1
Broad-winged Hawk -- 06/08/2009 JT,TD 3; 07/03/2009 LRR 1
Red-tailed Hawk -- 05/30/2009 JT&TD 1; 06/07/2009 LRR 1; 06/09/2009 JT,RS,TD 1; 06/15/2009 JT,TD 5; 06/28/2009 JT&AJT 1; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 2; 07/01/2009 HH 2; 07/01/2009 HH 1; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 2; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 1; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 1; 07/05/2009 JT,AJT,RS 1; 07/10/2009 HH 2; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 2; 08/02/2009 JT,AJT 1
American Coot -- 05/05/2009 JT&AJT 2
Killdeer -- 05/05/2009 JT&AJT 1; 05/30/2009 JT&TD 10; 06/07/2009 JT&AJT 1; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 4; 06/09/2009 JT,RS,TD 1; 06/14/2009 JT&AJT 6; 06/20/2009 LRR 1; 06/21/2009 JT&AJT 8; 06/21/2009 LRR 1; 06/21/2009 LRR 1; 06/28/2009 JT&AJT 110; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 6; 07/01/2009 HH 4; 07/01/2009 HH 3; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 2; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 4; 07/03/2009 LRR 1; 07/03/2009 LRR 2; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 18; 07/08/2009 HH 1; 07/10/2009 HH 2; 07/11/2009 LRR 4; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 21; 07/26/2009 JT,AJT 9; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 14; 07/31/2009 JT,TD 1; 08/02/2009 JT,AJT 1
Black-necked Stilt -- 07/07/2009 JT,TD 7; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 6; 07/31/2009 JT,TD 8
Spotted Sandpiper -- 04/27/2009 RS 1; 04/27/2009 RS 1; 05/30/2009 JT&TD 2; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 6; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 40
Greater Yellowlegs -- 05/05/2009 JT&AJT 5; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 2; 07/31/2009 JT,TD 1
Willet -- 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 1
Lesser Yellowlegs -- 05/05/2009 JT&AJT 2
Red Knot -- 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 5
Semipalmated Sandpiper -- 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 2
Western Sandpiper -- 07/23/2009 JT,TD 1
Least Sandpiper -- 07/07/2009 JT,TD 2; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 7; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 40
Pectoral Sandpiper -- 07/23/2009 JT,TD 9
Stilt Sandpiper -- 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 6
Least Tern -- 05/30/2009 JT&TD 2; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 1; 07/01/2009 HH 24; 07/01/2009 HH 6; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 15; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 11; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 10; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 106
Caspian Tern -- 07/23/2009 JT,TD 1
Black Tern -- 07/23/2009 JT,TD 2; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 15
Forster's Tern -- 07/23/2009 JT,TD 4; 08/09/2009 JT&AJT 2
Rock Pigeon -- 04/27/2009 RS 3; 04/27/2009 RS 3; 05/30/2009 JT&TD 3; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 1; 06/14/2009 JT&AJT 3; 06/21/2009 LRR 2; 06/21/2009 LRR 44; 06/25/2009 LR,LMH,&JI 74; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 4; 07/03/2009 LRR 4; 07/08/2009 HH 12; 07/10/2009 HH 12
Eurasian Collared-Dove -- 04/21/2009 RS 1; 04/21/2009 RS 1; 05/09/2009 JT&AJT 1; 05/30/2009 JT&TD 2; 06/06/2009 LRR 1; 06/06/2009 LRR 1; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 3; 06/09/2009 JT,RS,TD 2; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 3; 07/01/2009 HH 2; 07/05/2009 JT,AJT,RS 2; 07/08/2009 HH 2
Mourning Dove -- 04/21/2009 RS 15; 04/21/2009 RS 15; 04/25/2009 RS 9; 04/25/2009 RS 9; 05/05/2009 JT&AJT 5; 05/09/2009 JT&AJT 2; 05/30/2009 JT&TD 4; 06/03/2009 RL 6; 06/06/2009 LRR 1; 06/07/2009 AJT 2; 06/07/2009 JT&AJT 1; 06/07/2009 LRR 1; 06/07/2009 LRR 2; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 8; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 10; 06/09/2009 JT,RS,TD 23; 06/13/2009 LRR 3; 06/13/2009 LRR 1; 06/13/2009 LRR 1; 06/14/2009 AJT 1; 06/14/2009 JT&AJT 1; 06/15/2009 JT,TD 10; 06/20/2009 LRR 3; 06/21/2009 JT&AJT 4; 06/21/2009 LRR 2; 06/21/2009 LRR 1; 06/21/2009 LRR 23; 06/21/2009 LRR 9; 06/25/2009 LR,LMH,&JI 4; 06/28/2009 JT&AJT 2; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 16; 07/01/2009 HH 6; 07/01/2009 HH 4; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 2; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 6; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 2; 07/03/2009 LRR 3; 07/03/2009 LRR 1; 07/03/2009 LRR 1; 07/03/2009 LRR 1; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 1; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 1; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 1; 07/05/2009 JT,AJT,RS 23; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 2; 07/08/2009 HH 32; 07/10/2009 HH 8; 07/11/2009 LRR 5; 07/26/2009 JT,AJT 21; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 8; 07/31/2009 JT,TD 6; 08/02/2009 JT,AJT 37; 08/09/2009 JT&AJT 12; 08/09/2009 JT&AJT 5; 08/16/2009 JT&AJT 22; 08/23/2009 PB 6
Inca Dove -- 04/21/2009 RS 3; 04/21/2009 RS 3; 04/25/2009 RS 2; 04/25/2009 RS 2; 06/07/2009 AJT 1; 06/20/2009 LRR 3
Yellow-billed Cuckoo -- 06/03/2009 RL 2; 06/06/2009 LRR 2; 06/07/2009 LRR 1; 06/07/2009 LRR 1; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 7; 06/09/2009 JT,RS,TD 36; 06/13/2009 LRR 1; 06/13/2009 LRR 1; 06/13/2009 LRR 2; 06/13/2009 LRR 1; 06/14/2009 JT&AJT 1; 06/15/2009 JT,TD 16; 06/20/2009 LRR 1; 06/20/2009 LRR 2; 06/20/2009 LRR 1; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 6; 07/01/2009 HH 1; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 1; 07/03/2009 LRR 1; 07/03/2009 LRR 2; 07/03/2009 LRR 1; 07/03/2009 LRR 1; 07/03/2009 LRR 3; 07/03/2009 LRR 1; 07/03/2009 LRR 1; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 1; 07/05/2009 JT,AJT,RS 10; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 3; 07/08/2009 HH 6; 07/10/2009 HH 3; 07/11/2009 LRR 2; 08/02/2009 JT,AJT 2
Greater Roadrunner -- 07/08/2009 HH 1
Eastern Screech-Owl -- 06/06/2009 LRR 1; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 3; 07/05/2009 JT,AJT,RS 1; 08/02/2009 JT,AJT 1
Great Horned Owl -- 06/03/2009 RL 1; 06/15/2009 JT,TD 1
Barred Owl -- 06/03/2009 RL 3; 06/07/2009 LRR 1; 06/15/2009 JT,TD 3; 07/10/2009 HH 1
Chuck-will's-widow -- 06/03/2009 RL 3; 06/15/2009 JT,TD 38; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 31; 07/08/2009 HH 2
Chimney Swift -- 04/21/2009 RS 4; 04/21/2009 RS 4; 04/25/2009 RS 6; 04/25/2009 RS 6; 04/27/2009 RS 2; 05/09/2009 JT&AJT 3; 05/30/2009 JT&TD 2; 06/07/2009 AJT 1; 06/09/2009 JT,RS,TD 20; 06/15/2009 JT,TD 13; 06/20/2009 LRR 1; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 8; 07/01/2009 HH 4; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 6; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 6; 07/08/2009 HH 2; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 7; 08/02/2009 JT,AJT 2
Green-breasted Mango (FIRST STATE RECORD) -- 08/20/2009 M&MH,CL,TD,KJ&JD 1; 08/20/2009 H&PH 1
Ruby-throated Hummingbird -- 05/09/2009 JT&AJT 2; 06/03/2009 RL 22; 06/06/2009 LRR 1; 06/06/2009 LRR 1; 06/07/2009 AJT 1; 06/09/2009 JT,RS,TD 5; 06/13/2009 LRR 1; 06/14/2009 AJT 1; 06/15/2009 JT,TD 7; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 1; 07/03/2009 LRR 1; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 1; 07/08/2009 HH 4; 07/10/2009 HH 6; 07/11/2009 LRR 2; 08/02/2009 JT,AJT 3; 08/20/2009 H&PH 6; 08/23/2009 PB 5
Belted Kingfisher -- 04/27/2009 RS 1; 04/27/2009 RS 1; 05/30/2009 JT&TD 1; 06/09/2009 JT,RS,TD 1; 06/14/2009 JT&AJT 4; 06/15/2009 JT,TD 2; 06/21/2009 JT&AJT 2; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 3; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 1; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 1; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 2; 07/26/2009 JT,AJT 1; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 1; 08/02/2009 JT,AJT 1
Red-headed Woodpecker -- 05/05/2009 JT&AJT 6; 06/03/2009 RL 1; 06/07/2009 JT&AJT 1; 06/09/2009 JT,RS,TD 1; 06/14/2009 JT&AJT 5; 06/15/2009 JT,TD 8; 06/20/2009 LRR 1; 06/20/2009 LRR 1; 06/21/2009 JT&AJT 3; 06/28/2009 JT&AJT 9; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 2; 07/03/2009 LRR 1; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 3; 07/10/2009 HH 4; 07/26/2009 JT,AJT 3; 08/02/2009 JT,AJT 8; 08/16/2009 JT&AJT 7
Red-bellied Woodpecker -- 04/21/2009 RS 2; 04/21/2009 RS 2; 04/25/2009 RS 3; 04/25/2009 RS 3; 04/27/2009 RS 5; 04/27/2009 RS 5; 05/05/2009 JT&AJT 2; 05/09/2009 JT&AJT 1; 06/03/2009 RL 4; 06/06/2009 LRR 5; 06/06/2009 LRR 1; 06/06/2009 LRR 2; 06/07/2009 AJT 1; 06/07/2009 JT&AJT 1; 06/07/2009 LRR 1; 06/07/2009 LRR 1; 06/07/2009 LRR 1; 06/07/2009 LRR 1; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 5; 06/09/2009 JT,RS,TD 27; 06/13/2009 LRR 1; 06/13/2009 LRR 1; 06/13/2009 LRR 1; 06/13/2009 LRR 1; 06/14/2009 AJT 1; 06/14/2009 JT&AJT 3; 06/15/2009 JT,TD 32; 06/20/2009 LRR 3; 06/20/2009 LRR 2; 06/20/2009 LRR 2; 06/21/2009

AR&LR 2; 07/05/2009 JT,AJT,RS 40; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 24; 07/08/2009 HH 47; 07/10/2009 HH 13; 07/11/2009 LRR 6; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 8; 07/26/2009 JT,AJT 5; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 3; 07/31/2009 JT,TD 11; 08/02/2009 JT,AJT 15; 08/09/2009 JT&AJT 1; 08/16/2009 JT&AJT 3; 08/23/2009 PB 16

Rose-breasted Grosbeak -- 04/25/2009 RS 1; 04/25/2009 RS 1

Blue Grosbeak -- 06/08/2009 JT,TD 3; 06/09/2009 JT,RS,TD 14; 06/13/2009 LRR 1; 06/15/2009 JT,TD 20; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 22; 07/01/2009 HH 1; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 1; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 1; 07/03/2009 LRR 1; 07/05/2009 JT,AJT,RS 5; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 1; 07/08/2009 HH 2; 07/10/2009 HH 2; 08/23/2009 PB 1

Indigo Bunting -- 04/25/2009 RS 1; 04/25/2009 RS 1; 05/30/2009 JT&TD 5; 06/03/2009 RL 2; 06/06/2009 LRR 5; 06/06/2009 LRR 1; 06/07/2009 LRR 2; 06/07/2009 LRR 1; 06/07/2009 LRR 3; 06/07/2009 LRR 1; 06/07/2009 LRR 1; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 4; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 22; 06/09/2009 JT,RS,TD 49; 06/13/2009 LRR 1; 06/13/2009 LRR 1; 06/13/2009 LRR 2; 06/13/2009 LRR 1; 06/13/2009 LRR 1; 06/13/2009 LRR 1; 06/15/2009 JT,TD 78; 06/20/2009 LRR 1; 06/20/2009 LRR 2; 06/21/2009 LRR 1; 06/21/2009 LRR 1; 06/21/2009 LRR 2; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 66; 07/01/2009 HH 2; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 2; 07/03/2009 LRR 1; 07/03/2009 LRR 2; 07/03/2009 LRR 1; 07/03/2009 LRR 2; 07/03/2009 LRR 2; 07/03/2009 LRR 1; 07/03/2009 LRR 2; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 2; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 1; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 3; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 1; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 3; 07/05/2009 JT,AJT,RS 44; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 8; 07/08/2009 HH 1; 07/10/2009 HH 3; 07/11/2009 LRR 8; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 6; 07/26/2009 JT,AJT 1; 08/02/2009 JT,AJT 1; 08/16/2009 JT&AJT 1

Painted Bunting -- 05/30/2009 JT&TD 1; 06/07/2009 LRR 1; 06/07/2009 LRR 1; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 1; 06/09/2009 JT,RS,TD 1; 06/21/2009 LRR 1; 06/21/2009 LRR 1; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 6; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 1; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 1; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 2; 07/10/2009 HH 4; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 1; 08/23/2009 PB 1

Dickcissel -- 04/25/2009 RS 1; 04/25/2009 RS 1; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 2; 06/21/2009 LRR 6; 06/21/2009 LRR 4; 07/01/2009 HH 4; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 14; 07/08/2009 HH 2; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 16

Red-winged Blackbird -- 04/27/2009 RS 13; 04/27/2009 RS 13; 05/05/2009 JT&AJT 25; 05/30/2009 JT&TD 20; 06/07/2009 LRR 9; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 22; 06/14/2009 JT&AJT 1; 06/21/2009 LRR 1; 06/21/2009 LRR 5; 06/25/2009 LR,LMH,&JI 9; 06/28/2009 JT&AJT 2; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 12; 07/01/2009 HH 1; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 22; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 4; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 2; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 270; 07/08/2009 HH 1; 07/10/2009 HH 2; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 75; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 50; 07/31/2009 JT,TD 72

Eastern Meadowlark -- 06/08/2009 JT,TD 4; 06/09/2009 JT,RS,TD 1; 06/21/2009 LRR 1; 06/21/2009 LRR 1; 07/03/2009 LRR 1; 07/05/2009 JT,AJT,RS 1; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 1; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 1

Common Grackle -- 04/21/2009 RS 2; 04/21/2009 RS 2; 04/27/2009 RS 6; 04/27/2009 RS 6; 05/05/2009 JT&AJT 7; 05/09/2009 JT&AJT 6; 05/30/2009 JT&TD 6; 06/07/2009 AJT 3; 06/07/2009 JT&AJT 7; 06/07/2009 LRR 2; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 29; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 3; 06/14/2009 AJT 4; 06/14/2009 JT&AJT 20; 06/20/2009 LRR 1; 06/21/2009 JT&AJT 25; 06/21/2009 LRR 26; 06/25/2009 LR,LMH,&JI 40; 06/28/2009 JT&AJT 25; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 8; 07/05/2009 JT,AJT,RS 3; 07/23/2009 JT,TD 3; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 45; 08/02/2009 JT,AJT 2; 08/16/2009 JT&AJT 3

Great-tailed Grackle -- 06/08/2009 JT,TD 8; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 96

Brown-headed Cowbird -- 04/27/2009 RS 2; 04/27/2009 RS 2; 05/30/2009 JT&TD 3; 06/03/2009 RL 4; 06/06/2009 LRR 1; 06/07/2009 LRR 8; 06/07/2009 LRR 2; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 3; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 6; 06/09/2009 JT,RS,TD 14; 06/13/2009 LRR 2; 06/13/2009 LRR 3; 06/14/2009 JT&AJT 2; 06/15/2009 JT,TD 14; 06/20/2009 LRR 5; 06/20/2009 LRR 1; 06/20/2009 LRR 1; 06/21/2009 LRR 1; 06/21/2009 LRR 2; 06/28/2009 JT&AJT 1; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 24; 07/01/2009 HH 4; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 6; 07/03/2009 LRR 1; 07/03/2009 LRR 2; 07/03/2009 LRR 1; 07/03/2009 LRR 2; 07/05/2009 JT,AJT,RS 5; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 29; 07/08/2009 HH 19; 07/10/2009 HH 14; 07/30/2009 HH,PS&LC 20

Orchard Oriole -- 05/30/2009 JT&TD 4; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 4; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 10; 06/09/2009 JT,RS,TD 14; 06/13/2009 LRR 1; 06/15/2009 JT,TD 11; 06/20/2009 LRR 1; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 5; 07/01/2009 HH 4; 07/03/2009 LRR 1; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 1; 07/08/2009 HH 1; 07/10/2009 HH 2; 08/23/2009 PB 1

Baltimore Oriole -- 04/25/2009 RS 3; 04/25/2009 RS 3; 05/05/2009 JT&AJT 4; 05/09/2009 JT&AJT 3; 05/30/2009 JT&TD 12; 06/07/2009 AJT 4; 06/07/2009 JT&AJT 2; 06/14/2009 AJT 3; 06/14/2009 JT&AJT 8; 06/21/2009 JT&AJT 1; 06/21/2009 LRR 1; 07/01/2009 HH 1; 07/01/2009 HH 2; 07/02/2009 HH&HG 2; 07/07/2009 JT,TD 2; 08/09/2009 JT&AJT 12

House Finch -- 04/21/2009 RS 4; 04/21/2009 RS 4; 04/25/2009 RS 7; 04/25/2009 RS 7; 05/09/2009 JT&AJT 2; 05/30/2009 JT&TD 1; 06/14/2009 AJT 2; 06/20/2009 LRR 4; 06/21/2009 JT&AJT 1; 06/21/2009 LRR 5; 06/28/2009 JT,TD 1; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 1; 07/05/2009 JT,AJT,RS 1; 07/08/2009 HH 2; 07/10/2009 HH 4; 08/23/2009 PB 6

American Goldfinch -- 04/21/2009 RS 6; 04/21/2009 RS 6; 04/25/2009 RS 2; 04/25/2009 RS 2

House Sparrow -- 04/21/2009 RS 23; 04/21/2009 RS 23; 04/25/2009 RS 18; 04/25/2009 RS 18; 05/09/2009 JT&AJT 4; 05/30/2009 JT&TD 21; 06/06/2009 LRR 2; 06/07/2009 AJT 7; 06/08/2009 JT,TD 13; 06/14/2009 AJT 6; 06/14/2009 JT&AJT 5; 06/21/2009 LRR 3; 06/29/2009 JT,TD 31; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 7; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 1; 07/04/2009 AR&LR 2; 07/10/2009 HH 5

TOTALS: NUMBER of individuals = 18,938 of 155 species. Printed 2,324 of the 257,000 records.



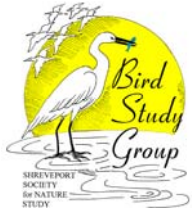
OBSERVERS

AJT -- Jean Trahan: 06/07/2009 Broadmoor Terrace, Shreveport; 06/14/2009 Broadmoor Terrace, Shreveport
AR&LR -- Anne & Larry Raymond: 07/04/2009 Atlanta-Mira Rd south from Norton Rd to Tyson Rd; 07/04/2009 LA 168 east from Buffalo Rd to Atlanta-Mira Rd; 07/04/2009 LA 168 east from Rodessa Church Rd to Buffalo Rd; 07/04/2009 LA 168 east from Rodessa to Rodessa Church Rd; 07/04/2009 LA 1N at W Alabama in Vivian, side streets and Vivian City Park; 07/04/2009 LA 1N from Kendrick Rd to Mira-Myrtis Rd; 07/04/2009 LA 1N from Mira-Myrtis Rd to Rodessa; 07/04/2009 Munnerlyn Chapel Rd north from Atlanta-Mira Rd to U.S. 71; 07/04/2009 Rodessa at LA 1N; 07/04/2009 Rodessa Church Rd from LA 168 to Tyson Rd; 07/04/2009 U.S. 71 from Munnerlyn Chapel Rd LA 2 at Hosston
H&PH -- Hubert & Pat Hervey: 08/20/2009 Steve and Kathy Johnson residence in Greenwood.
HH -- Hubert Hervey: 07/01/2009 Cash Point -Bossier City Quad-by water MM241-243-242; 07/01/2009 Cattle Island- N. Highland Quad-MM240; 07/08/2009 Wallace Lake Quad-Stonewall Frierson Rd to LA175-White Sp.Ch.Rd; 07/10/2009 Stonewall Quad & Farm
HH&HG -- Hubert Hervey & Harvey Goleman.: 07/02/2009 Ark. Line to Hw2 Bridge by Red River Ward View Quad MM275, MM263; 07/02/2009 Hw2 Bridge near Belcher by Red River Gilliam Quad MM252,MM263; 07/02/2009 Near Belcher by water to cash Point Dixie Quad MM252, MM242
HH,PS&LC -- Hubert Hervey, Pat Steinson & Lindsay Cold-Iron: 07/30/2009 Red River by boat, State Line S. to Cash Point.
JT -- Jeff Trahan: 06/13/2009 Provencal
JT&AJT -- Jeff & Jean Trahan: 05/05/2009 Bickham Dickson Park; 05/09/2009 Broadmoor Terrace, Shreveport; 06/07/2009 Bickham Dickson Park; 06/14/2009 Bickham Dickson Park; 06/21/2009 Bickham Dickson Park; 06/28/2009 Bickham Dickson Park; 07/26/2009 Bickham Dickson Park; 08/02/2009 Bickham Dickson Park; 08/09/2009 Bickham Dickson Park; 08/09/2009 Marie & Charles Hamel Memorial Park; 08/16/2009 Bickham Dickson Park;
JT&TD -- Jeff Trahan, Terry Davis: 05/30/2009 Cane's Landing
JT,AJT,RS -- Jeff Trahan, Jean Trahan, Rosemary Seidler: 07/05/2009 Keatchie and vicinity
JT,RS,TD -- Jeff Trahan, Rosemary Seidler, Terry Davis: 06/09/2009 Womack and Vicinity
JT,TD -- Jeff Trahan, Terry Davis: 06/08/2009 Kingston Road; 06/08/2009 Plain Dealing and Vicinity; 06/15/2009 Fryeburg and vicinity; 06/29/2009 Coushatta and vicinity; 07/07/2009 Red River Pool 5 near Clark's Marina; 07/31/2009 Elm Grove and Vicinity
LRL,LMH,&JI -- Larry Raymond, Mac Hardy & Jim Ingold: 06/25/2009 Roadside LA 173 approx. 0.5 mi. SE I-220 Bridge looking SE
LRR -- Larry R. Raymond: 06/06/2009 Boat launch and historical bridge at LA 538 in Mooringsport; 06/06/2009 E Howard St.,Ivy St.,W. Allen, Latimer & Jennings in Mooringsport; 06/06/2009 LA 169 between Mooringsport and Old Mooringsport Landfill; 06/06/2009 LA 538 north of UOP to Mooringsport; 06/06/2009 Old Mooringsport Landfill at LA 169; 06/07/2009 Caddo Lake Dam at Crouch Dam Rd; 06/07/2009 Crouch Dam Rd north of LA 169N; 06/07/2009 Horace Downs Park - Crouch Dam Rd; 06/07/2009 KSLA Road west of LA North; 06/07/2009 LA 1 from KSLA Rd to LA 169N; 06/07/2009 LA 1 North from Martha St to KSLA Road; 06/07/2009 LA 169N at Twelve Mile Bayou Bridge; 06/07/2009 LA 169N from Crouch Dam Rd to Twelve Mile Bayou; 06/07/2009 St. John's Church Rd #1 south of KSLA Road; 06/13/2009 Adcock Rd north of Hosston-Rodessa Rd to Tyson Rd; 06/13/2009 Atlanta-Mira Rd south of Munnerlyn Chapel Rd; 06/13/2009 Black Bayou Lake Spillway at LA 2; 06/13/2009 Harrison Rd south of Wynn School Rd; 06/13/2009 Hosston-Rodessa Rd North south of Rodessa; 06/13/2009 Hosston-Rodessa Rd South from Nichol's Camp Rd to Wynn School Rd; 06/13/2009 Hosston-Rodessa Rd South from Odom Rd to Nichol's Camp Rd; 06/13/2009 Iron Ore Rd west of Harrison Rd, 0.9 mi. south of Wynn School Rd; 06/13/2009 LA 1N north of Mira-Myrtis Rd; 06/13/2009 Mira-Myrtis Rd west of Wynn School Rd to Noah Tyson Park; 06/13/2009 Nichol's Camp Rd west of Hosston-Rodessa Rd South; 06/13/2009 Noah Tyson Park immed south of Mira-Myrtis Rd; 06/13/2009 Odom Road,Hosston; 06/13/2009 Robert Nance Park, Hosston; 06/13/2009 Rodessa east of LA 1N; 06/13/2009 Tyson Rd east of Adcock Rd; 06/13/2009 Woods north of Hosston-Rodessa Rd, 1 mi. NW Mira-Myrtis Rd; 06/13/2009 Wynn School Rd from Hosston-Rodessa Rd South to Mira-Myrtis Rd; 06/20/2009 North Park Circle, Shreveport; 06/20/2009 Roadside Blanchard Latex Rd from LA 173 to LA 169; 06/20/2009 Roadside LA 169 from Blanchard Latex Rd to S Lakeshore Dr; 06/20/2009 Roadside LA 173 from Avondale to Blanchard Latex Rd; 06/20/2009 Roadside Lowry Rd west of LA 169; 06/20/2009 Roadside North Park Drive, North Park Lane, Avondale, Shreveport; 06/20/2009 Roadside S Lakeshore Dr from LA 169 east to SE corner of quad; 06/21/2009 Roadside George Rd east of LA 3049N; 06/21/2009 Roadside LA 3029N north of George Rd to end of quad; 06/21/2009 Roadside LA 3049N from LA 538 to George Rd; 06/21/2009 Roadside LA 538 at Roy Rd; 06/21/2009 Roadside LA 538 from Chickamauga to Northwood W; 06/21/2009 Roadside LA 538 from LA 1 to US 71; 06/21/2009 Roadside LA 538 from US 71 to LA 3049N; 06/21/2009 Roadside Northwood W around Northwood High School; 07/03/2009 Adams Road north of Springridge TX Line Rd; 07/03/2009 Dance Dr east of LA 169S; 07/03/2009 Jct. Springridge TX Line Rd & LA 169S; 07/03/2009 LA 169 north from Dance Dr to Providence Rd; 07/03/2009 LA 169 S from LA 789 to Springridge Estates; 07/03/2009 LA 169 S from Springridge TX Line Rd to LA 789; 07/03/2009 LA 169S at McMillian Church of God in Christ; 07/03/2009 LA 169S from Springridge Estates to McMillian Church of God; 07/03/2009 New Hill Cemetery Rd south of Springridge TX Line Rd; 07/03/2009 Roadside Providence Rd Ext. south of Springridge-TX Line Rd; 07/03/2009 Roadside Providence Rd from LA 169S to Woodbrier Rd; 07/03/2009 Roadside Providence Rd from Snyder Rd to Springridge-TX Line Rd; 07/03/2009 Roadside Providence Rd from Woodbrier Rd to Snyder Rd; 07/03/2009 Springridge Estates east of LA 169S; 07/03/2009 Springridge TX Line Rd-Providence Rd E to New Hill Cemetery Rd; 07/11/2009 Eddie D. Jones Park, Keithville
M&MH,CL,TD,KJ&JD -- M & M. Hardy, C. Lyon, T. Davis, V. Neilson: 08/20/2009 -- Johnson residence, Greenwood.
PB -- Phil Bradley: 08/23/2009 Phil Bradley residence in Spring Ridge.
RL -- Robert Lance: 05/21/2009 Ponds in Carriage Oaks Subdivision.; 06/03/2009 South end of Crouch Rd.
RS -- Rosemary Seidler: 04/21/2009 Prospect St near Line Ave; 04/25/2009 Prospect St near Line Ave; 04/27/2009 Earl Williamson Park

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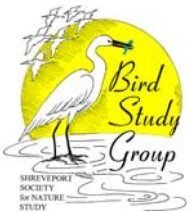
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