

Tulsa Audubon Society

2009 Annual Report

Paul W. Ribitzki, Recorder

Revision A

The information contained in this report was taken from the records of the Tulsa Audubon Society for the calendar year 2009. It is a summary of the first and last dates reported, the number of field reports per season, the number of individuals per season, the total number of reports, and the total number of individuals. The species are divided into three reporting periods: Spring Migrants, Permanent or Summer Residents, and Fall Migrants. This report also offers a brief comparison of the 2008 and 2009 records. The reporting area includes all of Tulsa County, all of Lake Keystone, and up to five miles into the bordering counties of Creek, Okmulgee, Osage, Pawnee, Rogers, Wagoner, and Washington.

There were 272 species that totaled 230,401 individuals in 4863 field reports in 2009. This was less than the 396,185 individuals of 271 species in 4946 field reports in 2008.

There were 19 species reported in 2008 that were not recorded in 2009 and 20 species reported in 2009 that were not seen in 2008. Monk Parakeets were included in this report and are considered a hypothetical species by the Oklahoma Ornithological Society.

Species Reported in 2008, but not in 2009

Cinnamon Teal	Red-necked Phalarope
Long-tailed Duck	California Gull
Western Grebe	Thayer's Gull
Anhinga	Common Tern
Glossy Ibis	Whip-poor-will
White-faced Ibis	Wood Thrush
Golden Eagle	Golden-winged Warbler
Merlin	Prairie Warbler
Prairie Falcon	Bachman's Sparrow
Whimbrel	

Species Reported in 2009, but not in 2008

Trumpeter Swan	Laughing Gull
Surf Scoter	Mew Gull
Black Scoter	Iceland/Kumlien's Gull
Barrow's Goldeneye	Monk Parakeet
Greater Prairie-Chicken	Greater Roadrunner
Sandhill Crane	Common Poorwill
Black-necked Stilt	Blue-winged Warbler
Black-legged Kittiwake	Cape May Warbler
Sabine's Gull	Grasshopper Sparrow
Little Gull	Black-headed Grosbeak

#	SPECIES		Spring Migrants			Permanent or Summer Residents			Fall Migrants			Total Field Report	Total Indv. Reported
			Dates	#s	Indv.	Dates	#s	Indv.	Dates	#s	Indv.		
1	Goose	Greater White-fronted	11/15-12/19	2	3				02/13	1	4	3	7
2	Goose	Snow	11/20-11/29	2	388							2	388
3	Goose	Ross's	11/26	1	1							1	1
4	Goose	Cackling	12/19	3	5				01/04-05/02	4	12	7	17
5	Goose	Canada				01/05-12/25	49	2309				49	2309
6	Swan	Trumpeter							03/01	1	1	1	1
7	Duck	Wood				02/8-12/19	16	31				16	31
8	Gadwall					01/05-12/28	34	872				34	872
9	Wigeon	American				01/06-12/19	13	78				13	78
10	Mallard					01/05-12/28	53	1471				53	1471
11	Teal	Blue-winged	03/06-05/02	19	491				08/22-11/10	5	67	24	558
12	Shoveler	Northern				01/06-12/19	27	1143				27	1143
13	Pintail	Northern	02/14-02/22	3	38				10/24-12/19	2	9	5	47
14	Teal	Green-winged	01/03-02/21	3	35				12/13-12/19	4	15	7	50
15	Canvasback		01/04-01/11	4	40				11/22-12/19	4	36	8	76
16	Redhead		01/13-03/06	3	52				10/24-12/19	5	62	8	114
17	Duck	Ring-necked	01/04-03/06	5	52				10/24-12/19	7	171	12	223
18	Scaup	Greater	01/02-03/06	3	9				10/31-12/19	3	14	6	23
19	Scaup	Lesser	01/02-05/26	5	130				10/24-12/28	9	101	14	231
20	Scoter	Surf							11/22	1	2	1	2
21	Scoter	Black							12/10-12/13	2	3	2	3
22	Bufflehead		01/13-03/14	7	43				11/07-12/28	8	163	15	206
23	Goldeneye	Common	01/13-03/06	5	18				12/04-12/19	7	924	12	942
24	Goldeneye	Barrow's							12/31	1	1	1	1
25	Merganser	Hooded				01/02-12/28	13	316				13	316
26	Merganser	Common	01/02-02/20	5	101				11/14-12/28	5	12	10	113
27	Merganser	Red-breasted	01/02-05/25	8	107				11/07-12/19	7	318	15	425
28	Duck	Ruddy	02/13-05/02	5	20				10/11-10/24	3	28	8	48
	Duck sp.								12/19	2	31	2	31
29	Bobwhite	Northern				05/02-12/19	4	11				4	11
30	Prairie-Chicken	Greater				11/17	1	1				1	1
31	Turkey	Wild				05/02-12/19	2	9				2	9
32	Loon	Common	01/11-05/27	9	11				09/24-12/28	7	12	16	23
33	Grebe	Pied-billed				01/05-12/19	29	169				29	169
34	Grebe	Horned	02/24-04/03	2	3				10/24-11/17	4	21	6	24
35	Grebe	Eared	03/29-04/03	2	2				10/24-10/28	2	9	4	11
36	Pelican	American White				01/10-12/01	12	3371				12	3371
37	Cormorant	Double-crested				02/10-12/19	28	947				28	947
38	Bittern	American	03/29-05/02	4	4							4	4
39	Bittern	Least				06/09	1	1				1	1
40	Heron	Great Blue				01/06-12/25	60	480				60	480
41	Egret	Great				03/15-12/19	44	1062				44	1062
42	Egret	Snowy				04/05-11/01	16	53				16	53
43	Heron	Little Blue				04/11-09/12	9	32				9	32
44	Egret	Cattle				04/15-06/09	8	49				8	49
45	Heron	Green				04/01-10/04	23	40				23	40
46	Night-Heron	Black-crowned				04/03	2	2				2	2
47	Night-Heron	Yellow-crowned				04/03-09/03	12	24				12	24
	Ibis sp.					09/12-10/20	4	39				4	39
48	Vulture	Black				01/25-12/13	12	27				12	27
49	Vulture	Turkey				01/04-10/20	39	460				39	460
50	Osprey		03/25-05/27	7	8				09/13-10/31	7	8	14	16
51	Kite	Mississippi				05/02-09/12	15	30				15	30
52	Eagle	Bald				01/01-12/29	33	73				33	73
53	Harrier	Northern				01/06-12/19	22	137				22	137
54	Hawk	Sharp-shinned	03/06	1	1				09/20-12/19	6	7	7	8
55	Hawk	Cooper's				02/10-12/25	13	16				13	16
56	Hawk	Red-shouldered				01/06-12/27	44	114				44	114
57	Hawk	Broad-winged				04/10-09/12	7	9				7	9
58	Hawk	Swainson's				03/24-08/13	10	12				10	12
59	Hawk	Red-tailed				01/06-12/28	63	370				63	370
60	Hawk	Ferruginous	03/10	1	1				10/27	1	1	2	2
61	Hawk	Rough-legged							10/13-12/19	3	3	3	3
	Buteo sp.					12/19	2	11				2	11
62	Kestrel	American				01/06-12/27	40	158				40	158
63	Falcon	Peregrine	04/10-05/02	4	4				11/09	1	1	5	5
64	Rail	Virginia	03/14	1	1							1	1
65	Sora		04/23-05/06	4	7							4	7
66	Coot	American				01/06-12/19	20	708				20	708
67	Crane	Sandhill							10/24	1	2	1	2

#	SPECIES		Spring Migrants			Permanent or Summer Residents			Fall Migrants			Total Field Report	Total Indv. Reported
			Dates	#'s	Indv.	Dates	#'s	Indv.	Dates	#'s	Indv.		
68	Plover	Black-bellied	05/01-05/26	3	8				09/10	2	2	5	10
69	Golden-Plover	American	03/20-05/02	8	565							8	565
70	Plover	Semipalmated	05/01-05/02	2	51				08/09-10/17	3	7	5	58
71	Plover	Piping	05/01	1	2				08/09	1	1	2	3
72	Killdeer					01/05-12/28	47	466				47	466
73	Stilt	Black-necked				04/05	1	1				1	1
74	Avocet	American	04/07-05/02	5	12				08/10-11/09	9	87	14	99
75	Sandpiper	Spotted	04/09-05/27	15	141				07/14-09/13	9	29	24	170
76	Sandpiper	Solitary	04/05	11	18				07/31-09/29	3	4	14	22
77	Yellowlegs	Greater	02/14-05/06	15	94				09/10-12/19	13	67	28	161
78	Willet		05/02	1	1				08/11-09/13	4	6	5	7
79	Yellowlegs	Lesser	01/03-05/06	11	60				08/25-10/14	4	26	15	86
80	Sandpiper	Upland				03/30-09/10	8	46				8	46
81	Godwit	Hudsonian	05/01-05/06	2	8							2	8
82	Godwit	Marbled	04/13	1	9							1	9
83	Turnstone	Ruddy	05/25	1	1							1	1
84	Sanderling		05/01	1	3				10/17-11/15	3	3	4	6
85	Sandpiper	Semipalmated	04/05-05/27	6	76				08/09	1	4	7	80
86	Sandpiper	Western	03/31-05/07	4	5							4	5
87	Sandpiper	Least				01/03-12/19	26	287				26	287
88	Sandpiper	White-rumped	05/01-05/27	4	39							4	39
89	Sandpiper	Baird's	03/29-05/26	5	51				08/09	1	1	6	52
90	Sandpiper	Pectoral	03/22-05/02	8	46				08/19-11/10	7	88	15	134
91	Dunlin		05/01-05/26	5	14				11/15	1	6	6	20
92	Sandpiper	Stilt	04/15-05/06	2	5				08/08-10/20	7	64	9	69
93	Sandpiper	Buff-breasted							08/19-09/10	4	8	4	8
94	Dowitcher	Short-billed	05/11	1	1							1	1
95	Dowitcher	Long-billed	03/24-05/06	8	187				10/09-12/19	8	312	16	499
96	Snipe	Wilson's	01/03-05/02	8	124				09/10-12/19	7	52	15	176
97	Woodcock	American				02/18-02/22	2	2				2	2
	Sandpiper sp.								12/19	1	37	1	37
98	Phalarope	Wilson's	04/29-05/06	7	161				08/19-10-15	2	2	9	163
99	Kittiwake	Black-legged							11/22	1	1	1	1
100	Gull	Sabine's							10/28	1	2	1	2
101	Gull	Bonaparte's	01/10-04/25	4	53				10/31-12/27	11	283	15	336
102	Gull	Little							12/13	1	1	1	1
103	Gull	Laughing							09/12	1	1	1	1
104	Gull	Franklin's				01/02-12/27	36	38098				36	38098
105	Gull	Mew							12/31	1	1	1	1
106	Gull	Ring-billed				01/06-12/28	53	15111				53	15111
107	Gull	Herring	01/27-03/06	3	7				11/01-12/28	7	14	10	21
108	Gull	Iceland/Kumlien's	01/31	1	1							1	1
109	Gull	Lesser Black-backed							12/11	1	1	1	1
110	Tern	Least				05/15-08/25	10	60				10	60
111	Tern	Caspian	05/02	1	1				08/09-09/12	5	8	6	9
112	Tern	Black				05/14-09/13	8	275				8	275
113	Tern	Forster's				04/23-10/24	8	128				8	128
114	Pigeon	Rock				01/06-12/25	39	819				39	819
115	Collared-Dove	Eurasian				03/05-12/25	16	38				16	38
116	Dove	White-winged				03/23-05/03	3	3				3	3
117	Dove	Mourning				01/06-12/27	55	595				55	595
118	Dove	Inca				05/03	1	1				1	1
119	Parakeet	Monk				07/04	1	8				1	8
120	Cuckoo	Yellow-billed				05/02-10/03	18	44				18	44
121	Roadrunner	Greater				07/21	1	1				1	1
122	Screech-Owl	Eastern				09/20	1	2				1	2
123	Owl	Great Horned				01/02-12/19	13	22				13	22
124	Owl	Barred				02/28-12/19	18	27				18	27
125	Owl	Short-eared							12/05	1	1	1	1
126	Nighthawk	Common				04/27-10/03	10	130				10	130
127	Poorwill	Common	05/11	1	1							1	1
128	Chuck-will's-widow					05/02	3	6				3	6
129	Swift	Chimney				04/07-10/14	27	318				27	318
130	Hummingbird	Ruby-throated				04/04-10/13	27	58				27	58
131	Kingfisher	Belted				01/27-12/28	32	40				32	40
132	Woodpecker	Red-headed				02/10-12/19	17	60				17	60
133	Woodpecker	Red-bellied				01/06-12/27	68	242				68	242
134	Sapsucker	Yellow-bellied	01/13-02/10	2	3				10/04-12/27	14	18	16	21
135	Woodpecker	Downy				01/04-12/27	60	207				60	207
136	Woodpecker	Hairy				02/10-12/27	8	11				8	11

#	SPECIES	Spring Migrants			Permanent or Summer Residents			Fall Migrants			Total Field Report	Total Indv. Reported	
		Dates	#'s	Indv.	Dates	#'s	Indv.	Dates	#'s	Indv.			
137	Flicker	Northern									46	265	
138	Woodpecker	Pileated									31	56	
139	Flycatcher	Olive-sided	05/16	1	1				08/01-09/15	4	5	5	6
140	Wood-Pewee	Eastern										20	43
141	Flycatcher	Yellow-bellied	05/16	1	1							1	1
142	Flycatcher	Acadian										6	7
143	Flycatcher	Alder	05/03-05/26	2	3				08/08-09/11	2	2	4	5
144	Flycatcher	Willow	05/15-05/17	2	2							2	2
145	Flycatcher	Least	04/28-05/26	11	32							13	34
	Empidonax sp.											3	4
146	Phoebe	Eastern										41	171
147	Flycatcher	Great Crested										34	93
148	Kingbird	Western										20	78
149	Kingbird	Eastern										26	356
150	Flycatcher	Scissor-tailed										43	411
151	Shrike	Loggerhead										21	34
152	Vireo	White-eyed										20	37
153	Vireo	Bell's										13	34
154	Vireo	Yellow-throated										7	7
155	Vireo	Blue-headed	04/25-05/16	19	28				09/20-10/04	6	8	25	36
156	Vireo	Warbling										22	68
157	Vireo	Philadelphia	05/08-05/26	5	5							5	5
158	Vireo	Red-eyed										25	61
159	Jay	Blue										61	435
160	Crow	American										76	1006
161	Crow	Fish										24	111
162	Lark	Horned										10	450
163	Martin	Purple										32	100442
164	Swallow	Tree										12	199
165	Swallow	Northern Rough-winged										23	186
166	Swallow	Bank	04/12-05/26	6	14				09/10	2	2	8	16
167	Swallow	Cliff										21	2321
168	Swallow	Barn										40	990
169	Chickadee	Carolina										64	475
170	Titmouse	Tufted										56	284
171	Nuthatch	Red-breasted	01/01	1	1							1	1
172	Nuthatch	White-breasted										25	41
173	Creeper	Brown	02/10-04/03	4	5				10/25-12/19	5	6	9	11
174	Wren	Carolina										63	347
175	Wren	Bewick's										4	5
176	Wren	House	01/18-05/26	13	34				09/13-10/06	3	3	16	37
177	Wren	Winter	01/27-03/14	2	8				10/11-12/19	5	10	7	18
178	Wren	Sedge	01/03-05/02	3	9				10/02-11/20	3	5	6	14
179	Wren	Marsh	01/07-05/02	8	11				10/04-11/14	2	3	10	14
180	Kinglet	Golden-crowned	01/02-01/17	2	3				10/24-12/19	5	10	7	13
181	Kinglet	Ruby-crowned	01/02-05/12	21	48				09/15-12/26	22	63	43	111
182	Gnatcatcher	Blue-gray										36	220
183	Bluebird	Eastern										55	539
184	Thrush	Gray-cheeked	05/01-05/02	2	2							2	2
185	Thrush	Swainson's	04/17-05/26	22	116							22	116
186	Thrush	Hermit	01/17-01/27	3	5				10/10-12/19	4	5	7	10
187	Robin	American										59	1128
188	Catbird	Gray										22	40
189	Mockingbird	Northern										64	438
190	Thrasher	Brown										41	96
191	Starling	European										62	10556
192	Pipit	American	01/03-05/02	8	103				10/17-12/19	8	369	16	472
193	Waxwing	Cedar	01/22-05/16	8	227				11/14-12/26	10	189	18	416
194	Warbler	Blue-winged										3	3
195	Warbler	Tennessee	04/25-05/16	13	24				10/27	1	1	14	25
196	Warbler	Orange-crowned	04/03-05/16	18	43				09/29-12/19	7	11	25	54
197	Warbler	Nashville	04/22-05/16	24	112				09/01-10/24	13	80	37	192
198	Parula	Northern										39	86
199	Warbler	Yellow										26	89
200	Warbler	Chestnut-sided	05/02-05/26	12	14				09/13	1	1	13	15
201	Warbler	Magnolia	05/08-05/24	6	12							6	12
202	Warbler	Cape May	05/15	1	1							1	1
203	Warbler	Yellow-rumped	01/27-05/02	18	119				10/02-12/26	22	154	40	273
204	Warbler	Black-throated Green	04/21-05/26	2	2				09/30-10/03	2	3	4	5
205	Warbler	Blackburnian	05/14-05/26	5	5							5	5

#	SPECIES		Spring Migrants			Permanent or Summer Residents			Fall Migrants			Total Field Report	Total Indv. Reported
			Dates	#'s	Indv.	Dates	#'s	Indv.	Dates	#'s	Indv.		
206	Warbler	Yellow-throated				03/27-05/14	10	18				10	18
207	Warbler	Pine				01/04-08/25	5	7				5	7
208	Warbler	Prothonotary				04/16-08/20	10	20				10	20
209	Warbler	Palm	04/28-05/09	5	6							5	6
210	Warbler	Blackpoll	05/01-05/03	2	2							2	2
211	Warbler	Cerulean	05/02	1	1							1	1
212	Warbler	Black-and-white				04/02-08/29	15	23				15	23
213	Redstart	American	05/02-05/26	16	39				08/29-09/13	4	5	20	44
214	Warbler	Worm-eating	04/17	1	1							1	1
215	Ovenbird		04/23-05/26	5	10				09/20	1	1	6	11
216	Waterthrush	Northern	05/02-05/08	5	8				08/29-09/13	2	2	7	10
217	Waterthrush	Louisiana				03/24-05/26	12	13				12	13
218	Warbler	Kentucky				05/02-06/16	3	5				3	5
219	Warbler	Mourning	05/13-05/26	6	10				08/30-09/29	2	2	8	12
220	Yellowthroat	Common				04/15-10/04	20	44				20	44
221	Warbler	Hooded				05/03-05/14	3	3				3	3
222	Warbler	Wilson's	05/02-05/16	9	15				08/29-09/29	6	7	15	22
223	Warbler	Canada	05/14-05/24	7	7				08/28-08/29	2	2	9	9
224	Chat	Yellow-breasted				05/02	1	1				1	1
225	Towhee	Spotted	01/02-03/14	3	4				10/02-12/19	6	9	9	13
226	Towhee	Eastern	01/02-05/02	6	8				10/25-12/19	3	7	9	15
227	Sparrow	American Tree	01/27	1	1				11/22-12/19	4	19	5	20
228	Sparrow	Chipping				01/04-12/19	40	1587				40	1587
229	Sparrow	Clay-colored	04/05-05/16	17	230				09/27-10/23	3	15	20	245
230	Sparrow	Field				02/10-12/27	27	137				27	137
231	Sparrow	Vesper	03/15-04/03	3	5				10/24-10/27	2	3	5	8
232	Sparrow	Lark				04/03-10/14	15	65				15	65
233	Sparrow	Savannah	01/13-05/02	13	265				10/20-12/28	9	62	22	327
234	Sparrow	Grasshopper				05/02	2	5				2	5
235	Sparrow	LeConte's	01/02	1	1							1	1
236	Sparrow	Fox	01/06-01/27	3	6				10/24-12/27	11	49	14	55
237	Sparrow	Song	01/06-05/02	20	85				10/06-12/27	22	113	42	198
238	Sparrow	Lincoln's	01/06-05/08	32	208				09/29-12/27	10	18	42	226
239	Sparrow	Swamp	01/06-05/02	9	23				10/11-12/19	9	33	18	56
240	Sparrow	White-throated	01/06-05/02	23	126				10/10-12/27	21	121	44	247
241	Sparrow	Harris's	01/06-05/02	20	131				11/03-12/25	20	298	40	429
242	Sparrow	White-crowned	01/06-05/08	23	732				10/13-12/27	19	545	42	1277
	Sparrow sp.					12/19	1	1				1	1
243	Junco	Dark-eyed	01/04-05/02	12	242				10/24-12/27	25	1075	37	1317
244	Longspur	Lapland	01/10	1	20				12/13-12/27	2	256	3	276
245	Longspur	Smith's							12/19-12/27	2	7	2	7
246	Tanager	Summer				04/25-10/04	26	67				26	67
247	Tanager	Scarlet				04/25-09/15	3	7				3	7
248	Cardinal	Northern				01/04-12/27	76	1502				76	1502
249	Grosbeak	Rose-breasted	04/25-05/18	19	32							19	32
250	Grosbeak	Black-headed	05/07	1	1							1	1
251	Grosbeak	Blue				04/28-09/01	19	53				19	53
252	Bunting	Lazuli	04/25-05/18	13	17							13	17
253	Bunting	Indigo				04/17-09/29	41	586				41	586
254	Bunting	Painted				04/23-07/21	28	83				28	83
255	Dickcissel					04/28-08/04	20	1210				20	1210
256	Bobolink		05/01-05/17	11	97							11	97
257	Blackbird	Red-winged				01/06-12/27	59	9998				59	9998
258	Meadowlark	Eastern				01/06-12/27	45	1108				45	1108
259	Meadowlark	Western	03/14-05/02	3	3							3	3
260	Blackbird	Yellow-headed	05/01-05/17	9	69							9	69
261	Blackbird	Rusty	02/09-03/15	8	149				10/31-12/19	6	69	14	218
262	Blackbird	Brewer's	04/12-05/02	2	17				11/28	1	12	3	29
263	Grackle	Common				03/03-12/27	37	365				37	365
264	Grackle	Great-tailed				01/13-12/19	21	572				21	572
265	Cowbird	Brown-headed				03/03-12/27	37	915				37	915
	Blackbird sp.					12/19	3	1300				3	1300
266	Oriole	Orchard				04/22-06/30	18	34				18	34
267	Oriole	Baltimore				04/03-09/15	30	84				30	84
268	Finch	Purple							12/20	1	4	1	4
269	Finch	House				02/10-12/26	28	180				28	180
270	Siskin	Pine	01/04-07/04	5	70				12/19	1	2	6	72
271	Goldfinch	American				01/04-12/26	64	1030				64	1030
272	Sparrow	House				01/06-12/27	58	1628				58	1628