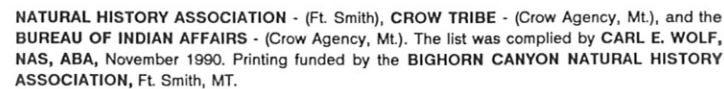


LONGSPURS-SNOW BUNTINGS		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aus	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
s_Snow Bunting	W												

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Birding Checklist for the Pryor Mountains and Bighorn Canyon

area of south, central Montana and north, central Wyoming



THRUSHES- BLUEBIRDS		Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec
t_American Robin	BW	.....
t_Varied Thrush	*	-----
t_Townsend's Solitaire	*W	-----
t_Wood Thrush	*	-----
t_Hermit Thrush	B	.....
t_Swainson's Thrush	B	.....
t_Gray-cheeked Thrush	*	.....
t_Veery	B	.....
s_Eastern Bluebird	B	.....
s_Mountain Bluebird	B	.....
s_Western Bluebird	*B	-----

KINGLETS-PIPITS -WAXWINGS		Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec
t_Gold-crowned Kinglet	B	-----
t_Ruby-crowned Kinglet	B	-----
w_Water Pipit	B	-----
w_Sprague's Pipit	*	-----
t_Bohemian Waxwing	W	-----
t_Cedar Waxwing	BW	-----

VIREOS-WARBLEDERS		Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec
t_Solitary Vireo	B	.....
t_Bell's Vireo	B	-----
t_Red-eyed Vireo	B	-----
t_Philadelphia Vireo	*	-----
t_Warbling Vireo	B	-----
t_Black-and-White Warbler	B	-----
t_Tennessee Warbler	*	-----
t_Connecticut Warbler	B	-----
t_Orange-crowned Warbler	B	-----
t_Nashville Warbler	*	.....
w_Yellow Warbler	B	.....
t_Magnolia Warbler	*	.....
t_Cape May Warbler	*	.....
t_Yellow-rumped Warbler	B	-----
t_Blackburnian Warbler	*	-----
t_Chestnut-sided Warbler	*	.....
t_Bay-breasted Warbler	*	.....
t_Blackpoll Warbler	*	.....
t_Pine Warbler	*	.....
s_Palm Warbler	*	.....
t_Ovenbird	B	-----
w_Northern Waterthrush	B	-----
w_Common Yellowthroat	B	-----
s_Yellow-breasted Chat	B	.....
s_MacGillivray's Warbler	*	-----
s_Wilson's Warbler	B	-----
t_American Redstart	B	-----

SHRIKES- STARLINGS		Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec
s_Northern Shrike	W	.....
s_Loggerhead Shrike	B	-----
t_European Starling	BW	-----

WEAVER FINCHES -BLACKBIRDS- ORIOLES -TANAGERS		Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec
t_Solitary Vireo	B	.....
t_Bell's Vireo	B	-----
t_Red-eyed Vireo	B	-----
t_Philadelphia Vireo	*	-----
t_Warbling Vireo	B	-----
t_Black-and-White Warbler	B	-----
t_Tennessee Warbler	*	-----
t_Connecticut Warbler	B	-----
t_Orange-crowned Warbler	B	-----
t_Nashville Warbler	*	.....
w_Yellow Warbler	B	-----
t_Magnolia Warbler	*	-----
t_Cape May Warbler	*	-----
t_Yellow-rumped Warbler	B	-----
t_Blackburnian Warbler	*	-----
t_Chestnut-sided Warbler	*	.....
t_Bay-breasted Warbler	*	.....
t_Blackpoll Warbler	*	.....
t_Pine Warbler	*	.....
s_Palm Warbler	*	.....
t_Ovenbird	B	-----
w_Northern Waterthrush	B	-----
w_Common Yellowthroat	B	-----
s_Yellow-breasted Chat	B	.....
s_MacGillivray's Warbler	*	-----
s_Wilson's Warbler	B	-----
t_American Redstart	B	-----

WEAVER FINCHES -BLACKBIRDS- ORIOLES -TANAGERS		Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec
s_House Sparrow	BW	-----
s_Bobolink	B	-----
s_Eastern Meadowlark	B	-----
s_Western Meadowlark	BW	-----
w_Yellow-headed Blackbird	B	-----
w_Red-winged Blackbird	BW	-----
w_Rusty Blackbird	W	-----
s_Brewer's Blackbird	B	-----
s_Common Grackle	B	-----
s_Brown-headed Cowbird	B	-----
t_Orchard Oriole	B	-----
t_Northern Oriole	B	-----
t_Western Tanager	*B	-----

VULTURES-HAWKS-FALCONS		Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec
s_Turkey Vulture	B	
t_Northern Goshawk	*BW	
t_Coopers Hawk	*BW	
t_Sharp-shinned Hawk	BW	
s_Northern Harrier	BW	
s_Rough-legged Hawk	W	
s_Ferruginous Hawk	BW	
s_Red-tailed Hawk	BW	
s_Swainson's Hawk	B	
t_Broad-winged Hawk	*	
s_Golden Eagle	BW	
w_Bald Eagle	*W	
w_Osprey	*	
s_Gyr Falcon	*	
s_Prairie Falcon	BW	
t_Peregrine Falcon	*	
d_Merlin	BW	
s_American Kestrel	BW	

TURKEY-GROUSE-PHEASANT-PARTRIDGE		Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec
t_Turkey	*BW	
t_Blue Grouse	BW	
t_Spruce Grouse	BW	
t_Ruffed Grouse	BW	
g_Sharp-tailed Grouse	BW	
g_Sage Grouse	BW	
d_Chukar	BW	
w_Ring-necked Pheasant	BW	
s_Gray Partridge	BW	

EGRETS-HERONS-CRANES-RAILS		Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec
w_Great Egret	*	
w_Snowy Egret	*	
w_Cattle Egret	*	
w_Great Blue Heron	B	
w_Black-crown Night Heron	B	
w_American Bittern	B	
w_White-faced Ibis	*	
w_Whooping Crane	*	
w_Sandhill Crane	*	
w_Virginia Rail	B	
w_Sora Rail	B	
w_Yellow Rail	*	
w_American Coot	BW	

GULLS-TERNS		Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec
w_Glaucous Gull	*	
w_Herring Gull	W	
w_California Gull	B	
w_Ring-billed Gull	BW	
w_Franklin's Gull	*B	
w_Bonaparte's Gull	*	
w_Common Tern	B	
w_Forster's Tern	B	
w_Caspian Tern	*	
w_Black Tern	B	

PIGEONS-DOVES-CUCKOOS		Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec
r_Rock Dove	BW	
d_Mourning Dove	B	
t_Yellow-billed Cuckoo	B	
t_Black-billed Cuckoo	B	

OWLS		Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec
t_Western Screech Owl	BW	
t_Eastern Screech Owl	BW	
t_Great Horned Owl	BW	
t_Long-eared Owl	BW	
s_Short-eared Owl	BW	
s_Barn Owl	B	
s_Snowy Owl	*W	
t_Barred Owl	*	
s_Burrowing Owl	BW	
t_Boreal Owl	*	
t_Northern Saw-whet Owl	BW	
t_Northern Hawk Owl	*	

GOATSUCKERS-SWIFTS		Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec
s_Common Poorwill	*	
s_Common Nighthawk	B	
r_Chimney Swift	B	
r_White-throated Swift	B	

HUMMINGBIRDS-KINGFISHERS-WOODPECKERS		Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec
s_Ruby-throated Hummingbird	B	
s_Callope Hummingbird	B	
t_Broad-tailed Hummingbird	B	
t_Rufous Hummingbird	B	
w_Belted Kingfisher	B	
t_Common Flicker	BW	
t_Red-headed Woodpecker	B	
s_Lewis Woodpecker	BW	
t_Red-naped Sapsucker	BW	
t_Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	B	
t_Williamson's Sapsucker	*B	
t_Hairy Woodpecker	BW	
t_Downy Woodpecker	BW	
t_Three-toed Woodpecker	BW	
t_Black-backed Woodpecker	BW	

FLYCATCHERS		Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec
s_Eastern Kingbird	B	
s_Western Kingbird	B	
s_Cassin's Kingbird	*	
s_Say's Phoebe	B	
w_Willow Flycatcher	B	
w_Alder Flycatcher	B	
t_Least Flycatcher	B	
d_Gray Flycatcher	*	
t_Eastern Wood-pewee	B	
t_Western Wood-pewee	B	
t_Olive-sided Flycatcher	*	

LARKS-SWALLOWS-JAYS-MAGPIES-CROWS		Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec
s_Horned Lark	BW	
s_Barn Swallow	B	
w_Violet-green Swallow	*	
w_Cliff Swallow	B	
w_Tree Swallow	B	
w_Bank Swallow	B	
w_Rough-winged Swallow	B	
s_Purple Martin	B	
t_Gray Jay	BW	
t_Stellar Jay	BW	
s_Blue Jay	*	
d_Pinyon Jay	BW	
s_Black-billed Magpie	BW	
t_Clark's Nutcracker	BW	
t_Northern Raven	*W	
s_American Crow	BW	

CHICKADEES-NUTHATCHES-CREEPERS-WRENS		Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec
t_Black-capped Chickadee	BW	
w_Dipper	BW	
t_White-breasted Nuthatch	BW	
t_Red-breasted Nuthatch	BW	
t_Pygmy Nuthatch	BW	
t_Brown Creeper	BW	
t_House Wren	B	
t_Winter Wren	*W	
w_Marsh Wren	B	
w_Sedge Wren	B	
r_Rock Wren	B	
r_Canyon Wren	B	

MOCKINGBIRDS-THRASHERS		Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec
s_Gray Catbird	B	
s_Brown Thrasher	B	
s_Sage Thrasher	*	

NOTE: The order of birds in this checklist follows the expanded, revised listing found in *A GUIDE TO FIELD IDENTIFICATION - BIRDS OF NORTH AMERICA* by Robbins, Bruun, Zim and Singer (Golden Press) and is not in strict taxonomic order but in an order arranged for easy location of individual species.

— Occurrence spotty, seldom seen, hard to find.

.....Can be found in appropriate habitat, requires some effort to find.

— Easily found, without much effort, in suitable habitat.

t=timber/alpine, w=water, s=sagebrush/grassland,

d=desert/shrubland. r=rock

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SWANS-GEESE- DUCKS -MERGANSERS		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aus	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
w__Tundra Swan	*				---						---		
w__Trumpeter Swan	*				---						---		
w__Canada Goose	BW				---						---		
w__Greater White fronted Goose	*				---						---		
w__Snow Goose	*				---						---		
w__Ross Goose	*				---						---		
w__Mallard	BW				---						---		
w__American Black Duck	*				---						---		
w__Northern Pintail	B				---						---		
w__Gadwall	B				---						---		
w__American Wigeon	BW				---						---		
w__Eurasian Wigeon	*				---						---		
w__Northern Shoveler	B				---						---		
w__Blue-winged Teal	B				---						---		
w__Cinnamon Teal	B				---						---		
w__Green-wing Teal	B				---						---		
w__Wood Duck	BW				---						---		
w__Redhead Duck	B				---						---		
w__Canvasback Duck	B				---						---		
w__Ring-necked Duck	B				---						---		
w__Greater Scaup	*				---						---		
w__Lesser Scaup	B				---						---		
w__Common Goldeneye	W				---						---		
w__Barrow's Goldeneye	W				---						---		
w__Bufflehead	BW				---						---		
w__Oldsquaw	*				---						---		
w__Black Scoter	*				---						---		
w__White-winged Scoter	*				---						---		
w__Hooded Merganser	B				---						---		
w__Red-breasted Merganser	*				---						---		
w__Common Merganser	BW				---						---		
w__Ruddy Duck	B				---						---		

LOONS-GRIBES- PELICANS- CORMORANTS		Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec
W Common Loon	*	
w Red-throated Loon	*	
w Western Grebe	B	
w Clark's Grebe	*	
w Red Necked Grebe	B	
w Horned Grebe	B	
w Eared Grebe	B	
w Pied Bill Grebe	BW	
w White Pelican	B	
w Double Crested Cormorant	B	

PLOVERS -SANDPIPERS		Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec
w__American Avocet	B	
w__Black-necked Stilt	*	
w__Lesser Golden Plover	*	
w__Mountain Plover	*	
w__Black-bellied Plover	*	
w__Piping Plover	B	
w__Semi-palmated Plover	*	
w__Killdeer	BW	
s__Long-billed Curlew	B	
s__Whimbrel	*	
s__Marbled Godwit	B	
s__Hudsonian Godwit	*	
s__Upland Sandpiper	B	
w__Buff-breasted Sandpiper	*	
w__Solitary Sandpiper	B	
w__Spotted Sandpiper	B	
w__Willet	B	
w__Greater Yellowlegs	B	
w__Lesser Yellowlegs	B	
w__Stilt Sandpiper	*	
w__Short-billed Dowitcher	*	
w__Long-billed Dowitcher	B	
w__Wilson's Phalarope	B	
w__Red-necked Phalarope	B	
w__Common Snipe	B	
w__Ruddy Turnstone	*	
w__Pectoral Sandpiper	*	
w__Dunlin	*	
w__Sanderling	B	
w__White-rumped Sandpiper	*	
w__American Woodcock	*	
w__Red Knot	*	
w__Baird's Sandpiper	*	
w__Least Sandpiper	B	
w__Semipalmated Sandpiper	B	
w__Western Sandpiper	B	