

## Emberizine Sparrows Cont'd

Grasshopper Sparrow	<i>Ammodramus savannarum</i>
Henslow's Sparrow	<i>Ammodramus</i>
Savannah Sparrow	<i>Passerculus sand-</i>
Song Sparrow	<i>Meleospiza melodia</i>
Swamp Sparrow	<i>Melospiza georgiana</i>
Fox Sparrow	<i>Passerella iliaca</i>
White-throated	<i>Zonotrichia albicollis</i>

**Meadowlarks, Blackbirds & Orioles**

Baltimore Oriole	<i>Icterus galbula</i>
Orchard Oriole	<i>Icterus spurius</i>
Eastern Meadow-	<i>Sturnella magna</i>
Bobolink	<i>Dolichonyx oryzivorus</i>
Red-winged Black-	<i>Agelaius phoeniceus</i>
Rusty Blackbird	<i>Euphagus carolinus</i>
Common Grackle	<i>Quiscalus quiscula</i>
Boat-tailed Grackle	<i>Quiscalus major</i>
Brown-headed	<i>Molothrus ater</i>

**Finches**

House Sparrow*	<i>Passer domesticus</i>
American Goldfinch	<i>Carduelis tristis</i>
Purple Finch	<i>Carpodacus purpureus</i>

## Blue Spring State Park

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## Bird Check List



**Florida Scrub-Jay**  
*Aphelocoma coerulescens*

## Preserving the Past While Looking to the Future

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Blue Spring State Park (~2,600 acres) contains several unique habitats including scrub, freshwater swamp, hardwood hammocks and pine Flatwoods. These areas provide suitable habitat, not only for migrating birds, but also for the year round species like the Florida Scrub Jay. This list is a continuous work in progress, all species on this list are confirmed observations within the Park.

Please feel free to report your sightings to the Park Office (386-775-3663), especially those sightings of rare or undocumented species.

- Signifies a Federally Protected Species
- Signifies a non-native species

Follows Sibley Field Guide to Birds of Eastern North America by David Allen Sibley 1st edition, first printing April 2003.

Common Name	Scientific Name
<b>Loons and Grebes</b>	
Common Loon	<i>Gavia immer</i>
Pied-billed Grebe	<i>Podilymbus podiceps</i>
<b>Pelicans</b>	
American White Pelican	<i>Pelecanus erythrorhynchus</i>
Brown Pelican	<i>Pelecanus occidentalis</i>
<b>Cormorants</b>	
Double-crested Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax auritus</i>
<b>Darters</b>	
Anhinga	<i>Anhinga anhinga</i>
<b>Herons, Egrets &amp; Bitterns</b>	
American Bittern	<i>Botaurus lentiginous</i>
Great Blue Heron	<i>Ardea herodias</i>
Great Egret	<i>Ardea alba</i>
Snowy Egret	<i>Egretta thula</i>
Little Blue Heron	<i>Egretta caerulea</i>
Tricolored Heron	<i>Egretta tricolor</i>
Cattle Egret	<i>Bulbulcus ibis</i>
Green Heron	<i>Butorides virescens</i>
Black-crowned Night-Heron	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>
Yellow-crowned Night-Heron	<i>Nyctanassa violacea</i>

## Ibises and Spoonbills

Glossy Ibis	<i>Plegadis fainellus</i>
White Ibis	<i>Eudocimus albus</i>
<b>Storks</b>	
Wood Stork	<i>Mycteria americana</i>
<b>Ducks and Geese</b>	
Wood Duck	<i>Aix sponsa</i>
Mallard	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>
Mottled Duck	<i>Anas fulvigula</i>
American Wigeon	<i>Anas americana</i>
Northern Shoveler	<i>Anas clypeata</i>
Blue-Winged Teal	<i>Anas discors</i>
Lesser Scaup	<i>Arthya affinis</i>
Hooded Merganser	<i>Lophodytes cucullatus</i>
Red-breasted Merganser	<i>Mergus serrator</i>
<b>Vultures</b>	
Turkey Vulture	<i>Cathartes aura</i>
Black Vulture	<i>Coragyps atratus</i>
<b>Hawks, Eagles &amp; Kites</b>	
Osprey	<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>
Swallow-tailed Kite	<i>Elanoides forficatus</i>
Mississippi Kite	<i>Ictinia mississippiensis</i>
Sharp-shinned Hawk	<i>Accipiter striatus</i>
Cooper's Hawk	<i>Accipiter cooperii</i>
Northern Harrier	<i>Circus cyaneus</i>
Red-shouldered Hawk	<i>Buteo lineatus</i>
Broad-winged Hawk	<i>Buteo platypterus</i>
Red-tailed Hawk	<i>Buteo jamaicensis</i>
Bald Eagle	<i>Haliaeetus leucocephalus</i>
American Kestrel	<i>Falco sparverius</i>
Merlin	<i>Falco columbarius</i>
<b>Turkey and Quail</b>	
Wild Turkey	<i>Meleagris gallopavo</i>
Northern Bobwhite	<i>Colinus virginianus</i>
<b>Gallinules</b>	
King Rail	<i>Rallus elagans</i>
Virginia Rail	<i>Rallus limicola</i>
Sora	<i>Porzana carolina</i>
Common Moorhen	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>
Purple Gallinule	<i>Porphyrion martinica</i>
American Coot	<i>Fulica americana</i>

**Limpkin and Cranes**

Limpkin	Aramus guarauna
Sandhill Crane	Grus canadensis

**Plovers**

Killdeer	Charadrius vociferus
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**Snipes & Sandpipers**

Solitary Sandpiper	Tringa solitaria
Spotted Sandpiper	Actitis macularia
American Woodcock	Scolopax minor
Common Snipe	Gallinago gallinago

**Gulls, Terns & Skimmers**

Ring-billed Gull	Larus delawarensis
Herring Gull	Larus argentatus
Caspian Tern	Sterna caspia
Forster's Tern	Sterna forsteri

**Doves and Pigeons**

Rock Dove	Columba livia
Mourning Dove	Zenaida macroura
Common Ground Dove	
Dove	Columbina passerina

**Cuckoos**

Black-billed cuckoo	Coccyzus
Yellow-billed cuckoo	Coccyzus americanus

**Barn Owls**

Barn Owl	Tyto alba
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**Typical Owls**

Eastern Screech Owl	Otus asio
Great Horned Owl	Bubo virginianus
Barred Owl	Strix varia

**Goatsuckers**

Common Nighthawk	Chordeiles minor
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Chuck-will's widow	Caprimulgus
Whip-poor-will	Caprimulgus vociferus

**Swifts**

Chimney Swift	Chaetura pelagica
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**Hummingbirds**

Ruby-throated Hummingbird	Archilochus colubris
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**Kingfishers**

Belted Kingfisher	Ceryle alcyon
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**Woodpeckers**

Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	Sphyrapicus varius
Red-headed Woodpecker	Melanerpes
Red-bellied Woodpecker	Melanerpes carolinus
Downy Woodpecker	Picoides pubescens
Hairy Woodpecker	Picoides villosus
Red-cockaded Woodpecker	
Northern Flicker	Picoides borealis
Pileated Woodpecker	Colaptes auratus
	Dryocopus pileatus

**Tyrant Flycatchers**

Eastern Wood-Pewee	Contopus virens
Acadian Flycatcher	Empidonax virescens
Eastern Pheobe	Sayornis pheobe
Great Crested Flycatcher	Myiarchus crinitus
Eastern Kingbird	Tyrannus tyrannus

**Vireos**

White-eyed Vireo	Vireo griseus
Red-eyed Vireo	Vireo olivaceus
Yellow-throated Vireo	Vireo flavifrons
Blue-headed Vireo	Vireo solitarius

**Shrikes**

Loggerhead Shrike	Lanius ludovicianus
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**Jays and Crows**

Blue Jay	Cyanocitta cristata
Scrub Jay	Aphelocoma coerulescens
American Crow	Corvus brachyrhynchus
Fish Crow	Corvus ossifragus

**Swallows and Martins**

Northern Rough-winged Swallow	Stelgidopteryx serripennis
Tree Swallow	Tachycineta bicolor
Purple Martin	Progne subis
Barn Swallow	Hirundo rustica

**Titmice**

Tufted Titmice	Baeolophus bicolor
Carolina Chickadee	Poecile carolinensis

**Nuthatches**

Red-breasted Nuthatch	Sitta canadensis
Brown-headed Nuthatch	Sitta pusilla

**Wrens**

Marsh Wren	Cistothorus palustris
Carolina Wren	Thryothorus ludovicianus
House Wren	Troglodytes aedon
Winter Wren	Trigloodytes troglodytes

**Gnatcatchers and Kinglets**

Golden-crowned Kinglet	Regulus satrapa
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	Regulus calendula
Blue-grey gnatcatcher	Polioptila caerulea

**Thrushes**

Eastern Bluebird	Sialia sialis
Swainson's Thrush	Catharus ustulatus
Veery	Catharus fuscescens
Gray-cheeked Thrush	Catharus minimus
Hermit Thrush	Catharus guttatus
Wood Thrush	Hylocichla mustelina
American Robin	Turdus migratorius

**Mimids**

Gray Catbird	Dumetella carolinensis
Northern Mockingbird	mimus polyglottos
Brown Thrasher	Toxostoma rufum

**Waxwings**

Cedar Waxwing	Bombycilla cedrorum
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**Starlings**

European Starling*	Sturnus vulgaris
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**Wood-Warblers**

Tennessee Warbler	Vermivora peregrina
Orange-crowned Warbler	Vermivora celata
Blue-Winged Warbler	Vermivora pinus
Golden-winged Warbler	Vermivora chrysoptera
Northern Parula	Parula americana
Yellow Warbler	Dendroica petechia
Chestnut-sided Warbler	Dendroica pensylvanica
Magnolia Warbler	Dendroica magnolia
Cape May Warbler	Dendroica tigrina
Blackburnian Warbler	Dendroica fusca
Black-throated Blue Warbler	Dendroica caerulescens
Black-throated Green Warbler	
Yellow-rumped Warbler	Dendroica virens
Palm Warbler	Dendroica palmarum
Pine Warbler	Dendroica pinus

**Wood-Warblers cont'd**

Prairie Warbler	Dendroica discolor
Blackpoll Warbler	Dendroica striata
Bay-breasted Warbler	Dendroica castanea
Yellow-throated warbler	Dendroica dominica
Black-and-white Warbler	Mniotilta varia
American Redstart	Setophaga ruticilla
Prothonotary Warbler	Protonotaria citrea
Worm-eating Warbler	Helmitheros vermivora
Common Yellowthroat	Geothlypis trichas
Connecticut Warbler	Oporornis agilis
Kentucky Warbler	Oporornis formosus

Northern Waterthrush	Seiurus
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Louisiana Ovenbird	Seiurus motacilla
Ovenbird	Seiurus aurocapillus
Swainson's Warbler	Limnithlypis swainsonii
Canada Warbler	Wilsonia canadensis
Hooded Warbler	Wilsonia citrina
Wilson's Warbler	Wilsonia pusilla
Yellow-breasted Chat	Icteria virens

**Tanagers**

Scarlet Tanager	Piranga olivacea
Summer Tanager	Piranga rubra

**Cardinals, Grosbeaks & Buntings**

Blue Grosbeak	Passerina caerulea
Rose-breasted Gros-Indigo Bunting	Pheucticus ludovicianus
Painted Bunting	Passerina cyanea
Northern Cardinal	Passerina versicolor
	Cardinalis cardinalis

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Eastern Towhee	Pipilo
Bachman's Sparrow	Aimophila aestivalis
Chipping Sparrow	Spizella passerina
Field Sparrow	Spizella pusilla
Vesper Sparrow	Poocetes gramineus