

## BILL BAGGS CAPE FLORIDA STATE PARK BIRD LIST

(sightings from June 1994 to December 2004)

### Loons and grebes

Common Loon	<i>Gavia immer</i>
Pied-billed Grebe	<i>Podilymbos podiceps</i>

### Pelicans and allies

Northern Gannet	<i>Morus bassanus</i>
Brown Pelican	<i>Pelecanus occidentalis</i>
Double-crested Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax auritus</i>
Anhinga	<i>Anhinga anhinga</i>
Magnificent Frigatebird	<i>Fregata magnificens</i>

### Wading birds

Least Bittern	<i>Ixobrychus exilis</i>	
Great Blue Heron	<i>Ardea herodias herodias</i>	
Great White Heron	<i>Ardea herodias occidentalis</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>	
Reddish Egret	<i>Egretta rufescens</i>	
Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>	
Green Heron	<i>Butorides virescens</i>	
Black-crowned Night-heron	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>	
Yellow-crowned Night-heron	<i>Nyctanassa violacea</i>	
White Ibis	<i>Eudocimus albus</i>	
Glossy Ibis	<i>Plegadis falcinellus</i>	
Roseate Spoonbill	<i>Ajaia ajaja</i>	(March 22, 2003)
Wood Stork	<i>Mycteria americana</i>	

### Geese, ducks and mergansers

Canada Goose	<i>Branta canadensis</i>	(December 11, 2002)
Muscovy Duck*	<i>Cairina moschata</i>	(domestic)
Blue-winged Teal	<i>Anas discors</i>	
Ring-necked Duck	<i>Aythya collaris</i>	(November 7, 2001)
Red-breasted Merganser	<i>Mergus serrator</i>	

### Vultures, hawks and falcons

Black Vulture	<i>Coragyps atratus</i>
Turkey Vulture	<i>Cathartes aura</i>
Osprey	<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>
American Swallow-tailed Kite	<i>Elanoides forficatus</i>
Northern Harrier	<i>Circus cyaneus</i>
Sharp-shinned Hawk	<i>Accipiter striatus</i>
Cooper's Hawk	<i>Accipiter cooperii</i>
Red-shouldered Hawk	<i>Buteo lineatus</i>
Broad-winged Hawk	<i>Buteo platypterus</i>
Short-tailed Hawk	<i>Buteo brachyurus</i>
Swainson's Hawk	<i>Buteo swainsoni</i>

Red-tailed Hawk	<i>Buteo jamaicensis</i>
American Kestrel	<i>Falco sparverius</i>
Merlin	<i>Falco columbarius</i>
Peregrine Falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>

Rails, gallinules and coots

King Rail	<i>Rallus elegans</i>
Sora	<i>Porzana carolina</i>
Purple Gallinule	<i>Porphyryula martinica</i>
Common Moorhen	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>
American Coot	<i>Fulica americana</i>
Limpkin	<i>Aramus guarauna</i>

Shorebirds

Black-necked Stilt	<i>Himantopus mexicanus</i>
American Avocet	<i>Recurvirostra americana</i>
Black-bellied Plover	<i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>
Wilson's Plover	<i>Charadrius wilsonia</i>
Semipalmated Plover	<i>Charadrius semipalmatus</i>
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>
Killdeer	<i>Charadrius vociferus</i>
Greater Yellowlegs	<i>Tringa melanoleuca</i>
Lesser Yellowlegs	<i>Tringa flavipes</i>
Solitary Sandpiper	<i>Tringa solitaria</i>
Willet	<i>Catoptrophorus semipalmatus</i>
Spotted Sandpiper	<i>Actitis macularia</i>
Whimbrel	<i>Numenius phaeopus</i>
Ruddy Turnstone	<i>Arenaria interpres</i>
Sanderling	<i>Calidris alba</i>
Semipalmated Sandpiper	<i>Calidris pusilla</i>
Western Sandpiper	<i>Calidris mauri</i>
Least Sandpiper	<i>Calidris minutilla</i>
Pectoral Sandpiper	<i>Calidris melanotos</i>
Dunlin	<i>Calidris alpina</i>
Short-billed Dowitcher	<i>Limnodromus griseus</i>
Wilson's Snipe	<i>Gallinago gallinago</i>

Gulls, terns

Laughing Gull	<i>Larus atricilla</i>
Bonaparte's Gull	<i>Larus philadelphia</i>
Ring-billed Gull	<i>Larus delawarensis</i>
Herring Gull	<i>Larus argentatus</i>
Great Black-backed Gull	<i>Larus marinus</i>
Gull-billed Tern	<i>Sterna nilotica</i>
Caspian Tern	<i>Sterna caspia</i>
Royal Tern	<i>Sterna maxima</i>
Sandwich Tern	<i>Sterna sandvicensis</i>
Common Tern	<i>Sterna hirundo</i>
Forster's Tern	<i>Sterna forsteri</i>
Least Tern	<i>Sterna antillarum</i>
Sooty Tern	<i>Sterna fuscata</i>

(January 3, 2003)

Brown Noddy	<i>Anous stolidus</i>	(September 23, 2004)
Black Skimmer	<i>Rynchops niger</i>	
<u>Pigeons, doves</u>		
Rock Pigeon*	<i>Columba livia</i>	
White-crowned Pigeon	<i>Columba leucocephala</i>	
Eurasian Collared Dove*	<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>	
White-winged Dove*	<i>Zenaida asiatica</i>	
Zenaida Dove	<i>Zenaida aurita</i>	(October 14, 2004)
Mourning Dove	<i>Zenaida macroura</i>	
Common Ground Dove	<i>Columbina passerina</i>	
Key West Quail-dove	<i>Geotrygon chrysia</i>	(April 19-May 9, 1999)
<u>Parrots, parakeets</u>		
Monk Parakeet*	<i>Myiopsitta monachus</i>	
<u>Cuckoos</u>		
Yellow-billed Cuckoo	<i>Coccyzus americanus</i>	
Mangrove Cuckoo	<i>Coccyzus minor</i>	(August 19, 2003)
Smooth-billed Ani	<i>Crotophaga ani</i>	
<u>Owls</u>		
Eastern Screech Owl	<i>Otus asio</i>	
Burrowing Owl	<i>Speotyto cunicularia</i>	
<u>Goatsuckers</u>		
Common Nighthawk	<i>Chordeiles minor</i>	
Chuck-will's-widow	<i>Caprimulgus carolinensis</i>	
<u>Swifts</u>		
Chimney Swift	<i>Chaetura pelagica</i>	
<u>Kingfishers</u>		
Belted Kingfisher	<i>Megasceryle alcyon</i>	
<u>Woodpeckers</u>		
Red-bellied Woodpecker	<i>Melanerpes carolinus</i>	
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	<i>Sphyrapicus varius</i>	(November 15, 2002)
Downy Woodpecker	<i>Picoides pubescens</i>	(November 18, 2002)
Pileated Woodpecker	<i>Dryocopus pileatus</i>	
<u>Flycatchers</u>		
Olive-sided Flycatcher	<i>Contopus cooperi</i>	(October 2, 1997)
Eastern Wood-Pewee	<i>Contopus virens</i>	
Acadian Flycatcher	<i>Empidonax vireescens</i>	
Willow Flycatcher	<i>Empidonax traillii</i>	(September 28, 2001)
Least Flycatcher	<i>Empidonax minimus</i>	
Eastern Phoebe	<i>Sayornis phoebe</i>	
Great-crested Flycatcher	<i>Myiarchus crinitus</i>	
La Sagra's Flycatcher	<i>Myiarchus sagrae</i>	(November 12-13, 2001 & September 8, 2004)
Western Kingbird	<i>Tyrannus verticalis</i>	

Eastern Kingbird	<i>Tyrannus tyrannus</i>
Gray Kingbird	<i>Tyrannus dominicensis</i>
Scissor-tailed Flycatcher	<i>Tyrannus forficatus</i>

#### Swallows

Purple Martin	<i>Progne subis</i>
Tree Swallow	<i>Iridoprocne bicolor</i>
Northern Rough-winged Swallow	<i>Stelgidopteryx serripennis</i>
Bank Swallow	<i>Riparia riparia</i>
Cliff Swallow	<i>Petrochelidon pyrrhonota</i>
Cave Swallow	<i>Petrochelidon fulva</i>
Barn Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>

#### Jays, crows

Blue Jay	<i>Cyanocitta cristata</i>
Fish Crow	<i>Corvus ossifragus</i>

#### Wrens

Carolina Wren	<i>Thryothorus ludovicianus</i>
House Wren	<i>Troglodytes aedon</i>
Marsh Wren	<i>Cistothorus palustris</i>

#### Kinglets and gnatcatchers

Ruby-crowned Kinglet	<i>Regulus calendula</i>
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	<i>Poliophtila caerulea</i>

#### Thrushes

Northern Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe oenanthe</i>	(October 19-23, 1994)
Wood Thrush	<i>Hylocichla mustelina</i>	(October 17, 2002)
Veery	<i>Catharus fuscescens</i>	
Gray-cheeked Thrush	<i>Catharus minimus</i>	
Swainson's Thrush	<i>Catharus ustulatus</i>	
Hermit Thrush	<i>Catharus guttatus</i>	(October 17, 2004)
American Robin	<i>Turdus migratorius</i>	(February 1, 2003)

#### Mockingbirds and thrashers

Gray Catbird	<i>Dumetella carolinensis</i>
Northern Mockingbird	<i>Mimus polyglottos</i>
Brown Thrasher	<i>Toxostoma rufum</i>

#### Starlings

European Starling*	<i>Sturnus vulgaris</i>
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#### Pipits

American Pipit	<i>Anthus rubescens</i>
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#### Waxwings

Cedar Waxwing	<i>Bombycilla cedrorum</i>
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#### Shrikes

Loggerhead Shrike	<i>Lanius ludovicianus</i>
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Vireos

White-eyed Vireo	<i>Vireo griseus</i>	
Yellow-throated Vireo	<i>Vireo flavifrons</i>	
Blue-headed Vireo	<i>Vireo solitarius</i>	
Philadelphia Vireo	<i>Vireo philadelphicus</i>	(November 1, 2002)
Red-eyed Vireo	<i>Vireo olivaceus</i>	
Black-whiskered Vireo	<i>Vireo altiloquus</i>	

Wood warblers

Blue-winged Warbler	<i>Vermivora pinus</i>	(April 13, 2003)
Golden-winged Warbler	<i>Vermivora chrysoptera</i>	
Tennessee Warbler	<i>Vermivora peregrina</i>	
Orange-crowned Warbler	<i>Vermivora celata</i>	
Nashville Warbler	<i>Vermivora ruficapilla</i>	
Northern Parula	<i>Parula americana</i>	
Yellow Warbler	<i>Dendroica petechia</i>	
Chestnut-sided Warbler	<i>Dendroica pensylvanica</i>	
Magnolia Warbler	<i>Dendroica magnolia</i>	
Cape May Warbler	<i>Dendroica tigrina</i>	
Black-throated Blue Warbler	<i>Dendroica caerulescens</i>	
Yellow-rumped Warbler	<i>Dendroica coronata</i>	
Black-throated Green Warbler	<i>Dendroica virens</i>	
Blackburnian Warbler	<i>Dendroica fusca</i>	
Yellow-throated Warbler	<i>Dendroica dominica</i>	
Prairie Warbler	<i>Dendroica discolor</i>	
Pine Warbler	<i>Dendroica pinus</i>	
Palm Warbler	<i>Dendroica palmarum</i>	
Bay-breasted Warbler	<i>Dendroica castanea</i>	
Blackpoll Warbler	<i>Dendroica striata</i>	
Cerulean Warbler	<i>Dendroica cerulea</i>	(August 17, 2004)
Black-and-white Warbler	<i>Mniotilta varia</i>	
American Redstart	<i>Setophaga ruticilla</i>	
Prothonotary Warbler	<i>Protonotaria citrea</i>	
Worm-eating Warbler	<i>Helmitheros vermivorus</i>	
Swainson's Warbler	<i>Limnothlypis swainsonii</i>	
Ovenbird	<i>Seiurus aurocapillus</i>	
Northern Waterthrush	<i>Seiurus noveboracensis</i>	
Louisiana Waterthrush	<i>Seiurus motacilla</i>	
Kentucky Warbler	<i>Oporornis formosus</i>	
Connecticut Warbler	<i>Oporornis agilis</i>	(May 4, 1999)
Mourning Warbler	<i>Oporornis philadelphia</i>	(September 8, October 5, 2004)
Common Yellowthroat	<i>Geothlypis trichas</i>	
Hooded Warbler	<i>Wilsonia citrina</i>	
Wilson's Warbler	<i>Wilsonia pusilla</i>	(April 18, 2001)
Canada Warbler	<i>Wilsonia Canadensis</i>	(October 15, 2002)
Yellow-breasted Chat	<i>Icteria virens</i>	

Tanagers

Western Spindalis	<i>Spindalis zena</i>
Summer Tanager	<i>Piranga rubra</i>

Scarlet Tanager	<i>Piranga olivacea</i>	
Western Tanager	<i>Piranga ludoviciana</i>	(December 28-29, 2002)
<u>Buntings, sparrows and allies</u>		
Northern Cardinal	<i>Cardinalis cardinalis</i>	
Rose-breasted Grosbeak	<i>Pheucticus ludovicianus</i>	
Blue Grosbeak	<i>Guiraca caerulea</i>	
Indigo Bunting	<i>Passerina cyanea</i>	
Painted Bunting	<i>Passerina ciris</i>	
Chipping Sparrow	<i>Spizella passerina</i>	(September 20, 2003)
Clay-colored Sparrow	<i>Spizella pallida</i>	
Savannah Sparrow	<i>Passerculus sandwichensis</i>	
Grasshopper Sparrow	<i>Ammodramus savannarum</i>	
Nelson's Sharp-tailed Sparrow	<i>Ammodramus nelsoni</i>	(early spring, 1998)
White-throated Sparrow	<i>Zonotrichia albicollis</i>	(December 25, 2003 & November 14, 2004)
<u>Blackbirds, orioles</u>		
Bobolink	<i>Dolichonyx oryzivorus</i>	
Red-winged Blackbird	<i>Agelaius phoeniceus</i>	
Boat-tailed Grackle	<i>Quiscalus major</i>	
Common Grackle	<i>Quiscalus quiscula</i>	
Brown-headed Cowbird	<i>Molothrus ater</i>	
Orchard Oriole	<i>Icterus spurius</i>	
Baltimore Oriole	<i>Icterus galbula</i>	
Bullock's Oriole	<i>Icterus bullockii</i>	
<u>Finches</u>		
Pine Siskin	<i>Carduelis pinus</i>	(October 30, 2004)
American Goldfinch	<i>Carduelis tristis</i>	
<u>Old world sparrows</u>		
House Sparrow*	<i>Passer domesticus</i>	

Total: 217 species, of which 7 are naturalized exotics (denoted by an asterisk).

Due to the evolving nature of the park's habitats, some species, most notably the shorebirds, are not likely to be seen at present.