

WOOD-WARBLERS

- Northern Parula
- Yellow-rumped Warbler
- Yellow-throated Warbler
- Pine Warbler
- Palm Warbler
- Common Yellowthroat
- Prothonotary Warbler
- Worm-eating Warbler
- Prairie Warbler
- Black & White Warbler
- American Redstart
- Orange-crowned Warbler
- Magnolia Warbler
- Black-throated Green Warbler
- Black-throated Blue Warbler
- Ovenbird
- Northern Waterthrush

CARDINALS and ALLIES

- Northern Cardinal
- Blue Grosbeak
- Painted Bunting
- Indigo Bunting

NEW WORLD SPARROWS

- Eastern Towhee
- Field Sparrow
- Vesper Sparrow
- Song Sparrow
- Savannah Sparrow
- Bachman's Sparrow
- Clay-colored Sparrow
- Swamp Sparrow
- Grasshopper Sparrow
- Chipping Sparrow
- White-throated Sparrow

BLACKBIRDS / MEADOWLARKS

- Red-winged Blackbird
- Eastern Meadowlark
- Common Grackle
- Boat-tailed Grackle

COWBIRDS

- Brown-headed Cowbird

FINCHES

- American Goldfinch

OLD WORLD SPARROWS

- House Sparrow\*

Observer(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Time: \_\_\_\_\_

Weather: \_\_\_\_\_

Notes: \_\_\_\_\_

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Other Species Observed: \_\_\_\_\_

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Taxonomy follows *The Sibley Field Guide to Birds of Eastern North America*, 1st edition, 1<sup>st</sup> printing April 2003, by David Allen Sibley. Birders should note that this differs from the currently accepted phylogenetic order found in the American Ornithologists' Union's *Check-list of North American Birds*, 7<sup>th</sup> edition, 1998 and subsequent supplements.

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**Lake Louisa State Park**

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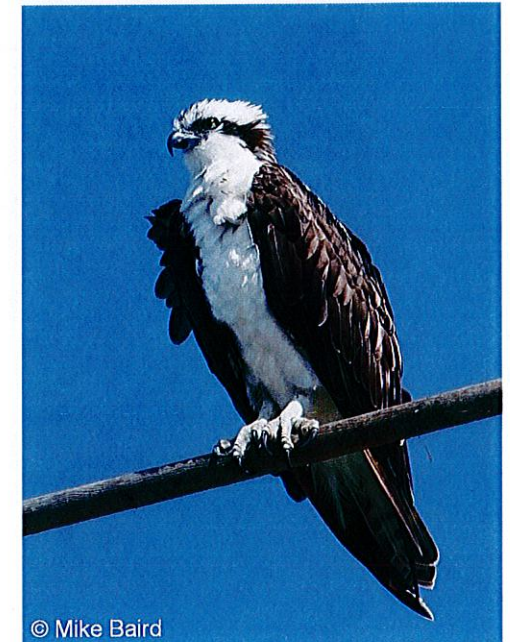
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Lake Louisa State Park is part of the Great Florida Birding Trail. For more information regarding the Great Florida Birding Trail, visit

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*Lake Louisa  
State Park*

*Bird Checklist*



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Osprey – *Pandion haliaetus*



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**Lake Louisa State Park** consists of approximately 4,500 acres and includes 6 lakes, 2 streams, 11 natural communities and 105 acres of lake shoreline. The park is noted for its six beautiful lakes, rolling hills, and scenic landscapes. Lake Louisa is the largest in a chain of 13 lakes connected by the Palatka River, which is designated as an Outstanding Florida Waterway.

This checklist is compiled from confirmed observations within the park and should be considered a work in progress. As the park is large and difficult to explore completely, we welcome the opportunity to provide information on the locations of various species. We also invited interested individuals and groups to join us and assist with bird related projects within the park. Contact the park office at 352-394-3969 for additional information.

We ask that you help us learn more about the birdlife in the park. Please report your sightings, especially those of previously undocumented species and unusual occurrences.

The likelihood of observing any particular species is dependent upon being in the proper habitat during the appropriate season.

#### LEGEND

**BOLD** - Species listed as Endangered or Threatened

*Italic* - Listed as Species of Special Concern

\* - Non-native species

#### SPECIES

##### LOONS / GREBES

- Common Loon
- Pied-billed Grebe

##### PELICAN

- Brown Pelican*

##### CORMORANTS / DARTERS

- Double-crested Cormorant
- Anhinga

##### BITTERNS / HERONS / EGRETS

- American Bittern
- Great Blue Heron
- Great Egret
- Snowy Egret*
- Tricolored Heron*
- Little Blue Heron*
- Cattle Egret
- Green Heron

##### IBIS

- White Ibis*
- Glossy Ibis

##### STORKS

- Wood Stork**

##### DUCKS / GEESE

- Wood Duck
- Hooded Merganser
- Mallard
- Lesser Scaup
- Mottled Duck
- Canada Goose

##### NEW WORLD VULTURES

- Black Vulture
- Turkey Vulture

##### HAWKS / KITES / EAGLES

- Osprey*
- Swallow-tailed Kite
- Northern Harrier
- Bald Eagle**
- Sharp-shinned Hawk
- Cooper's Hawk
- Red-shouldered Hawk
- Short-tailed Hawk
- Red-tailed Hawk

##### FALCONS

- American Kestrel
- Southeastern American Kestrel**
- Peregrine Falcon**
- Merlin

##### TURKEY / QUAIL

- Wild Turkey
- Northern Bobwhite

##### RAILS / GALLINULES / COOTS

- King Rail
- Common Moorhen
- American Coot
- Purple Gallinule

##### LIMPKINS

- Limpkin*

##### CRANES

- Sandhill Crane
- Florida Sandhill Crane**

##### PLOVERS/SANDPIPERS

- Killdeer
- Greater Yellowlegs
- Common Snipe

##### GULLS / TERNS

- Bonaparte's Gull
- Laughing Gull
- Ring-billed Gull
- Least Tern**
- Forster's Tern

##### DOVES

- Rock Dove*
- Mourning Dove
- White-winged Dove
- Eurasian Collared-Dove\*
- Common Ground-Dove

##### PARROTS

- Scarlet Macaw\*

##### OWLS

- Great Horned Owl
- Eastern Screech-Owl
- Barred Owl

##### CUCKOOS and ALLIES

- Yellow-billed Cuckoo

##### GOATSUCKERS / SWIFTS

- Common Nighthawk
- Chuck-will's-widow
- Chimney Swift

##### HUMMINGBIRDS

- Ruby-throated Hummingbird

##### KINGFISHERS

- Belted Kingfisher

##### WOODPECKERS

- Red-headed Woodpecker
- Red-bellied Woodpecker
- Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
- Downy Woodpecker
- Hairy Woodpecker
- Northern Flicker
- Pileated Woodpecker

##### FLYCATCHERS

- Great Crested Flycatcher
- Eastern Phoebe
- Eastern Kingbird

##### SHRIKES

- Loggerhead Shrike

##### VIREOS

- White-eyed Vireo
- Red-eyed Vireo
- Yellow-throated Vireo
- Blue-headed Vireo

##### JAYS / CROWS

- Blue Jay
- American Crow
- Fish Crow

##### SWALLOWS

- Tree Swallow
- Barn Swallow
- Purple Martin

##### CHICKADEES / TITMICE / NUTHATCHES

- Carolina Chickadee
- Tufted Titmouse
- Brown-headed Nuthatch

##### WRENS

- House Wren
- Carolina Wren
- Sedge Wren
- Marsh Wren

##### KINGLETS / GNATCATCHERS

- Ruby-crowned Kinglet
- Blue-gray Gnatcatcher

##### THRUSHES

- Eastern Bluebird
- American Robin
- Hermit Thrush

##### MOCKINGBIRDS / THRASHERS

- Gray Catbird
- Northern Mockingbird
- Brown Thrasher

##### WAXWINGS / TANAGERS

- Cedar Waxwing
- Summer Tanager