

Jays – Finches	Sp	S	F	W
Blue Jay	c	c	c	c
American Crow	c	c	c	c
Fish Crow	u	u	u	r
Horned Lark	u	u	u	u
Purple Martin	c	c	c	c
Tree Swallow	c	u(l)	c	a
Northern Rough-winged Swallow	c	c	c	c
Bank Swallow	r	r	r	r
Cliff Swallow	c	c(l)	c	c
Barn Swallow	c	c	c	a
Carolina Chickadee	c	c	c	c
Black-capped Chickadee c(l) (n)	a		a	a
Tufted Titmouse	c	c	c	c
Red-breasted Nuthatch	u	a	u	u
White-breasted Nuthatch	c	c	c	c
Brown Creeper	c		c	u
Rock Wren	a	a	a	a
House Wren	c	c	c	ca
Winter Wren	u		u	u
Sedge Wren	u	r	u	r
Marsh Wren	u	a	u	r
Carolina Wren	c	c	c	c
Bewick's Wren	u	u	u	r
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	c	c	c	c
Golden-crowned Kinglet	c		c	u
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	c		c	u
Eastern Bluebird	c	c	c	u
Mountain Bluebird	ca		ca	ca
Veery	r		r	r
Gray-checked Thrush	u		u	
Swainson's Thrush	c		c	
Hermit Thrush	u		u	u
Wood Thrush	c	c	c	c
American Robin	c	c	c	c
Varied Thrush	r		r	r
Gray Catbird	c	c	c	r
Brown Thrasher	c	c	c	u
Sage Thrasher	a		a	a
Northern Mockingbird	c	c	c	u
European Starling	c	c	c	c
Cedar Waxwing	c	c	c	u
House Sparrow	c	c	c	c
American Pipit	u		u	r
Sprague's Pipit	a		a	a
Evening Grosbeak (sp)		a		r
Pine Grosbeak (sp)	a		a	a
House Finch	u	u	u	u
Purple Finch	c		c	u
Common Redpoll	r			r
Red Crossbill (sp)	r	ca	r	r
White-winged Crossbill (sp)	r	a	r	r

Finches – Warblers	Sp	S	F	W
Pine Siskin (sp)	u	r	u	u
Lesser Goldfinch				ca
American Goldfinch	c	c	c	c
Lapland Longspur	c		c	r
Chestnut-collared Longspur	u		u	r
Smith's Longspur	r		r	
Mc Cown's Longspur	a		a	a
Snow Bunting				a
Green-tailed Towhee				
Spotted Towhee				
Eastern Towhee				
Bachman's Sparrow (s)(l)				
American Tree Sparrow				
Chipping Sparrow				
Clay-colored Sparrow				
Field Sparrow	c	c	c	u
Vesper Sparrow	u	ca	u	r
Lark Sparrow	u	u	u	a
Savannah Sparrow	c	a	c	u
Grasshopper Sparrow	c(l)	c(l)	c(l)	a
Henslow's Sparrow (n) (c)	u(l)	u(l)	u(l)	
Le Conte's Sparrow	c		c	u
Nelson's Sparrow	r		u	
Fox Sparrow	u		u	u
Song Sparrow	c	r	c	c
Lincoln's Sparrow	r		r	r
Swamp Sparrow	c		c	u
White-throated Sparrow	c	ca	c	c
Harris's Sparrow	c		c	u
White-crowned Sparrow	c	a	c	c
Dark-eyed Junco	c	a	c	c
Yellow-breasted Chat	c	c	c	c
Yellow-headed Blackbird				
Bobolink				
Eastern Meadowlark				
Western Meadowlark				
Orchard Oriole				
Baltimore Oriole				
Red-winged Blackbird				
Brown-headed Cowbird				
Rusty Blackbird				
Brewer's Blackbird				
Common Grackle				
Great-tailed Grackle				
Ovenbird	c	u	c	
Worm-eating Warbler	u	u(l)	u	
Louisiana Waterthrush	c	c	c	c
Northern Waterthrush	c		c	
Golden-winged Warbler	u		u	
Blue-winged Warbler	u	u	u	
Black and White Warbler	c	u	c	
Prothonotary Warbler	c	c	c	

Warblers – Buntings	Sp	S	F	W
Swainson's Warbler (s) (l)	r	r	r	
Tennessee Warbler	c		c	
Orange-crowned Warbler	c		c	r
Nashville Warbler	c		c	
Connecticut Warbler	r		r	
Mourning Warbler	u		u	
Kentucky Warbler	c	c	c	
Common Yellowthroat	c	c	c	r
Hooded Warbler	u	u	u	
American Redstart	c	c	c	a
Cape May Warbler	r		r	ca
Cerulean Warbler	c	c	c	
Northern Parula	c	c	c	a
Magnolia Warbler	c		c	
Bay-breasted Warbler	u		u	
Blackburnian Warbler	u		u	
Yellow Warbler	c	r	c	
Chestnut-sided Warbler	c		c	
Blackpoll Warbler	c		a	
Black-throated Blue Warbler	r		r	
Palm Warbler	u		u	ca
Pine Warbler	c	c	c	r
Yellow-rumped Warbler	c		c	u
Yellow-throated Warbler	c	c	c	a
Prairie Warbler	u	u	u	
Black-throated Green Warbler	c	ca	c	
Canada Warbler	u	a	u	
Wilson's Warbler	c		c	
Scarlet Tanager	c	u	c	a
Western Tanager	ca		ca	a
Northern Cardinal	c	c	c	c
Rose-breasted Grosbeak	c	ca	c	a
Black-headed Grosbeak	r		r	a
Blue Grosbeak	c	c	c	
Lazuli Bunting	ca	ca	ca	
Indigo Bunting	c	c	c	ca
Painted Bunting	r	r	r	ca
Dickcissel	c	c	c	r

**\*\*Extirpated Species from GOAS Area**

** Ruffed Grouse (l)	r	r	r	r
* Common Raven	*	*	*	*
** Brown-headed Nuthatch	r	r	r	r

**Extinct Species**

Passenger Pigeon				
Carolina Parakeet				

**Birds of the Greater Ozarks**

**A Checklist**

Within an approximate  
75 mile radius of Springfield  
357 Species



Date / Time \_\_\_\_\_  
Location: \_\_\_\_\_  
Weather: \_\_\_\_\_  
Observers: \_\_\_\_\_

**Season and Abundance Abbreviations**

Sp Spring (March – May)  
S Summer (June-July) \*\*  
F Fall (August-November)  
W Winter (December 15<sup>th</sup> -February)  
(sp) Sporadic

c Common: Observed daily usually in large numbers  
u Uncommon: Frequently observed in small numbers  
r Rare: More than 15 records, usually recorded annually  
ca Casual: Five to 15 records, Recorded occasionally  
a Accidental; 1-4 records, a vagrant  
(l) Local; Localized to specific Habitat  
(\* ) Provisional (Missouri Rare Birds Committee)  
(n) (n) North, (s) South, (w) west (c) Central etc

*Species that nest in SW Missouri are in  
Bold & Italic Type*

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Ducks – Roadrunner	Sp	S	F	W
Black-bellied Whistling-Duck	r	a	a	r
Greater White-fronted Goose	c	a	a	c
Snow Goose	c	r	r	c
Ross's Goose	u	a	a	u
Brant	ca			ca
Cackling Goose	c			c
<b>Canada Goose</b>	c	c	c	c
<b>Mute Swan</b>	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)
Trumpeter Swan	u			u
Tundra Swan	r			r
<b>Wood Duck</b>	c	c	c	c
<b>Blue-winged Teal</b>	c	r	r	c
Cinnamon Teal	c	a	a	c
Northern Shoveler	u	ca	ca	u
Gadwall	c	u	u	c
American Wigeon	c	r	r	c
<b>Mallard</b>	r	a	a	ca
American Black Duck	c	r	r	c
Northern Pintail	c	ca	ca	c
Green-winged Teal	c	ca	ca	c
Canvasback	u	a	a	u
Redhead	u			u
Ring-necked Duck	c	r	r	c
Greater Scaup	u(l)			u(l)
Lesser Scaup	c	r	r	c
Surf Scoter	r			r
White-winged Scoter	r			r
Long-tailed Duck	r			r
Bufflehead	u			u
Common Goldeneye	c	a	a	c
Barrow's Goldeneye	ca			ca
<b>Hooded Merganser</b>	c	r	r	c
Common Merganser	c	a	a	c
Red-breasted Merganser	u	a	a	u
Ruddy Duck	c	r	r	c
<b>Northern Bobwhite</b>	c	c	c	c
<b>Greater Prairie Chicken</b>	e	e	e	e
<b>Wild Turkey</b>	r(l)	r(l)	r(l)	r(l)
<b>Pied-billed Grebe</b>	c	c	c	c
Horned Grebe	c	u(l)	u(l)	c
Red-necked Grebe	u			u
Eared Grebe	r			r
Western Grebe	u	ca	ca	u
Clark's Grebe	r	ca	ca	r
<b>Rock Pigeon</b>	c	c	c	c
<i>Eurasian-collared Dove</i>	u	u	u	u
Inca Dove	ca			ca
White-winged Dove	r	r	r	r
<b>Mourning Dove</b>	c	c	c	c
<b>Yellow-billed Cuckoo</b>	c	c	c	c
Black-billed Cuckoo	u	r	r	u
<b>Greater Roadrunner (l)</b>	r	r	r	r

Goatsuckers – Gulls	Sp	S	F	W
<b>Common Nighthawk</b>	c	c	c	
<b>Chuck-will's-Widow</b>	u	u	u	
<b>Eastern Whip-poor-will</b>	c	c	c	
<b>Chimney Swift</b>	c	c	c	
<b>Ruby-throated Hummingbird</b>	c	c	c	a
Anna's Hummingbird	ca		ca	ca
Rufous Hummingbird	ca		r	ca
Calliope Hummingbird				a
Black Rail	ca	a	ca	
King Rail	r(l)	r(l)	r(l)	a
Virginia Rail	u		u	ca
Sora	c	ca	c	ca
Purple Gallinule	ca	ca	ca	a
Common Gallinule	r	r	r	
American Coot	c	u	c	r
Sandhill Crane	r	a	r	r
Whooping Crane	ca		ca	
Black-necked Stilt	r		r	
American Avocet	r		r	
Black-bellied Plover	u		u	
American Golden Plover	c		c	
Snowy Plover	ca		a	
Semipalmated Plover	c		c	
Piping Plover	r		r	
<b>Killdeer</b>	c	c	c	u
<b>Upland Sandpiper</b>	u	u(l)	u	
Whimbrel	r		a	
Long-billed Curlew	ca		ca	
Hudsonian Godwit	u		r	
Marbled Godwit	r		r	
Ruddy Turnstone	u		u	
Ruff	r		r	
Stilt Sandpiper	u		c	
Sanderling	u		u	
Dunlin	u		u	ca
Baird's Sandpiper	u		u	a
Least Sandpiper	c		c	r
White-rumped Sandpiper	c		ca	
Buff-breasted Sandpiper	u		u	
Pectoral Sandpiper	c		c	a
Semipalmated Sandpiper	c		c	
Western Sandpiper	r		u	
Short-billed Dowitcher	u		u	
Long-billed Dowitcher	u		u	a
American Woodcock	c		c	r
Wilson's Snipe	u	u	u	r
Spotted Sandpiper	c	u	c	a
Solitary Sandpiper	u		u	
Lesser Yellowlegs	c		c	r
Willet	u		u	
Greater Yellowlegs	c		c	a
Wilson's Phalarope	c		c	
Long-tailed Jaeger				
Black-legged Kittiwake	r		r	r
Sabines Gull			r	

Gulls – Hawks	Sp	S	F	W
Bonaparte's Gull	u	a	u	u
Little Gull	r		r	a
Laughing Gull				
Franklin's Gull	c	r	c	ca
Ring-billed Gull	c	r	c	c
California Gull	r		r	r
Herring Gull	c	ca	c	r
Iceland Gull			a	
Lesser Black-backed Gull			a	
Glaucous Gull	r		r	r
Least Tern	r	r	r	
Caspian Tern	u		u	
Black Tern	c		c	
Common Tern	u		u	
Forster's Tern	c		c	a
Red-throated Loon	ca		a	a
Pacific Loon	a	a	r	a
Common Loon	u	r	u	r
Yellow-billed Loon	a		a	a
Wood Stork	ca	ca	ca	
Magnificent Frigatebird	a	a	a	
Neotropic Cormorant	r	r	r	
<b>Double-crested Cormorant</b>	u	r	u	r
American White Pelican	c	u(l)	c	u(l)
Brown Pelican	ca	ca	ca	a
American Bittern	u	r	r	a
<b>Least Bittern</b>	u(l)	u(l)	u(l)	
<b>Great Blue Heron</b>	c	c	c	u
Great Egret	c	c	c	r
Snowy Egret	u	u	u	
Little Blue Heron	u	u	u	
Tricolored Heron	r	r	r	
Cattle Egret	u	u	u	
<b>Green Heron</b>	c	c	c	a
<b>Black-crowned Night Heron</b>	u	u	u	ca
<b>Yellow-crowned Night Heron</b>	u(l)	u(l)	u(l)	
White Ibis	r	r	r	
Glossy Ibis	ca	ca	ca	
White-faced Ibis	r	a	r	
Roseate Spoonbill	ca	ca	ca	
<b>Black Vulture</b>	u	u	u	u
<b>Turkey Vulture</b>	c	c	c	u
<b>Osprey</b>	u	r	u	r
Swallow-tailed Kite	ca	ca	ca	
White-tailed Kite	*	*	*	
<b>Mississippi Kite</b>	u(l)	u(l)	u(l)	
<b>Bald Eagle</b>	u	u	u	u
<b>Northern Harrier</b>	c	r	c	c
<b>Sharp-shinned Hawk</b>	u	r	u	u
<b>Cooper's Hawk</b>	u	u	u	u
Northern Goshawk(sp)				r
<b>Red-shouldered Hawk</b>	c	c	c	c
<b>Broad-winged Hawk</b>	c	u	c	

Hawks - Vireos	Sp	S	F	W
<b>Swainson's Hawk</b>	u	r	u	
<b>Red-tailed Hawk</b>	c	c	c	c
Rough-legged Hawk (sp)	ca		ca	ca
Ferruginous Hawk				u
Golden Eagle				r
<b>Barn Owl (l)</b>	r	r	r	r
<b>Eastern Screech Owl</b>	c	c	c	c
<b>Great-horned Owl</b>	c	c	c	c
Snowy Owl (sp)				r
Burrowing Owl	a		a	a
<b>Barred Owl</b>	c	c	c	c
Long-eared Owl	ca	ca	u	u
Short-eared Owl	r	r	u	u
Northern Saw-whet Owl	ca	a	ca	ca
<b>Belted Kingfisher</b>	u	u	u	u
Lewis's Woodpecker	a		a	a
<b>Red-headed Woodpecker</b>	c	c	u	u
<i>Red-bellied Woodpecker</i>	c	c	c	c
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	u		u	u
<b>Downy Woodpecker</b>	c	c	c	c
<b>Hairy Woodpecker</b>	u	u	u	u
<b>Northern Flicker</b>	c	c	c	c
<b>Pileated Woodpecker</b>	c	c	c	c
<b>American Kestrel</b>	c	u	c	c
Merlin	u		u	r
Peregrine Falcon	u	r	u	r
Prairie Falcon	r		r	r
Olive-sided Flycatcher	u		u	
<b>Eastern Wood-Pewee</b>	c	c	c	
Yellow-bellied Flycatcher	r		r	
Acadian Flycatcher	c	c	c	
Alder Flycatcher	c		c	
Willow Flycatcher	u	u	u	
Least Flycatcher	c	a	c	
<b>Eastern Phoebe</b>	c	c	c	r
Say's Phoebe	ca		ca	a
Vermilion Flycatcher	ca		ca	
<b>Great Crested Flycatcher</b>	c	c	c	
<b>Western Kingbird</b>	r	r(l)	r	
<b>Eastern Kingbird</b>	c	c	c	
<b>Scissor-tailed Flycatcher</b>	c	u	c	a
<b>Loggerhead Shrike</b>	r	r	r	r
Northern Shrike	a		a	a
<b>White-eyed Vireo</b>	c	c	c	a
<b>Bell's Vireo</b>	r	r	r	
<b>Yellow-throated Vireo</b>	u	u	u	
Blue-headed Vireo	u		u	a
Philadelphia Vireo	u		u	
<b>Warbling Vireo</b>	u	u	u	a
<b>Red-eyed Vireo</b>	c	c	c	