

## North Florida Birding Trip Summary January 7-10, 2019

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**Locations visited:** Jan. 7 – Alachua County: Sweetwater Wetlands and Dauer Hall, University

of Florida

Jan. 8 – Leon County: Tall Timbers Research Station, Iamonia Landing at Lake Iamonia, Lake Henrietta, Crowder Landing at Lake Jackson and

Jackson Mounds Archeological State Park

Jan. 9 – Wakulla County: St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge and Bottoms

Road. Franklin County: Alligator Point and Bald Point State Park

Jan. 10 – Duval County: Huguenot Memorial City Park

**Birds tallied:** 145

**Birds of note:** American Black Duck, American Flamingo, White-faced Ibis, Vaux's

Swift, Red-cockaded Woodpecker, Vermilion Flycatcher, Golden-crowned

Kinglet, Rusty Blackbird, Dark-eyed Junco, Pine Siskin

**Mammals seen:** Bottle-nosed Dolphin, White-tailed Deer, Racoon, Gray Squirrel

## **Bird Checklist:**

| Species                      | 1/7 | 1/8 | 1/9 | 1/10 | Notes                              |
|------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|------|------------------------------------|
| Black-bellied Whistling-Duck | X   |     |     | X    | Sweetwater Wetlands, En Route      |
| Canada Goose                 |     | X   | X   | X    | Tallahassee, Jacksonville          |
| Egyptian Goose               | X   |     |     |      | En route                           |
| Gadwall                      |     |     | X   |      | St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge |
| American Wigeon              |     |     | X   |      | St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge |
| American Black Duck          |     |     | X   |      | St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge |
| Mallard                      |     |     | X   |      | St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge |
| Blue-winged Teal             | X   |     | X   |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Northern Pintail             |     |     | X   |      | St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge |

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| Green-winged Teal         |     |     | X   |      | St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge |
| Canvasback                |     |     | X   |      | St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge |
| Redhead                   |     |     | X   |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Greater Scaup             |     |     | X   |      | St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge |
| Lesser Scaup              |     |     | X   |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Bufflehead                | X   | X   | X   |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Common Goldeneye          |     |     | X   |      | St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge |
| Hooded Merganser          |     |     |     | X    | Huguenot Memorial City Park        |
| Red-breasted Merganser    |     |     | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Ruddy Duck                |     |     | X   |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Northern Bobwhite         |     | X   |     |      | Tall Timbers Research Station      |
| Common Loon               |     |     | X   |      | Alligator Point                    |
| Pied-billed Grebe         | X   | X   | X   |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Horned Grebe              |     |     | X   |      | Multiple locations                 |
| American Flamingo         |     |     | X   |      | St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge |
| American White Pelican    | X   |     |     | X    | En Route                           |
| Brown Pelican             |     |     | X   |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Double-crested Cormorant  | X   | X   | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Anhinga                   | X   | X   | X   |      | Multiple locations                 |
| American Bittern          | X   |     |     |      | Sweetwater Wetlands                |
| Least Bittern             | X   |     |     |      | Sweetwater Wetlands                |
| Great Blue Heron          | X   | X   | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Great Egret               | X   | X   | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Snowy Egret               |     | X   | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Little Blue Heron         | X   | X   | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Tricolored Heron          | X   |     | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Reddish Egret             |     |     | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Cattle Egret              | X   |     |     | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Black-crowned Night-Heron |     | X   |     |      | St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge |
| White Ibis                | X   | X   | X   |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Glossy Ibis               | X   |     |     |      | Sweetwater Wetlands                |
| White-faced Ibis          |     |     | X   |      | St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge |
| Wood Stork                | X   |     |     | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Black Vulture             | X   | X   |     | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Turkey Vulture            | X   | X   | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Osprey                    | X   | X   | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Snail Kite                | X   |     |     |      | Sweetwater Wetlands                |
| Bald Eagle                | X   | X   | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Northern Harrier          |     |     | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Sharp-shinned Hawk        |     | X   |     |      | Jackson Mounds Archeological SP    |
| Cooper's Hawk             |     |     | X   |      | St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge |
| Red-shouldered Hawk       | X   | X   | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Red-tailed Hawk           | X   |     |     | X    | Multiple locations                 |

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| Clapper Rail             |     |     | X   |      | Bottoms Road                       |
| Virginia Rail            |     |     | X   |      | Bottoms Road                       |
| Sora                     | X   |     |     |      | Sweetwater Wetlands                |
| Common Gallinule         | X   | X   | X   |      | Multiple locations                 |
| American Coot            | X   | X   | X   |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Limpkin                  | X   | X   |     |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Sandhill Crane           | X   |     |     |      | En route                           |
| Black-bellied Plover     |     |     | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Killdeer                 | X   | X   |     |      | Multiple locations                 |
| American Oystercatcher   |     |     |     | X    | Huguenot Memorial City Park        |
| American Avocet          |     |     | X   |      | St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge |
| Spotted Sandpiper        |     | X   |     |      | Tall Timbers Research Station      |
| Greater Yellowlegs       |     | X   |     |      | Tall Timbers Research Station      |
| Willet                   |     |     | X   |      | Alligator Point                    |
| Ruddy Turnstone          |     |     | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Red Knot                 |     |     |     | X    | Huguenot Memorial City Park        |
| Sanderling               |     |     | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Least Sandpiper          |     |     | X   |      | St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge |
| Dunlin                   |     |     |     |      | St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge |
| Laughing Gull            |     |     | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Bonaparte's Gull         |     |     | X   |      | Bald Point State Park              |
| Ring-billed Gull         | X   | X   | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Herring Gull             |     |     | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Lesser Black-backed Gull |     |     |     | X    | Huguenot Memorial City Park        |
| Great Black-backed Gull  |     |     |     | X    | Huguenot Memorial City Park        |
| Forster's Tern           |     |     | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Sandwich Tern            |     |     |     | X    | Huguenot Memorial City Park        |
| Royal Tern               |     |     | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Caspian Tern             |     |     | X   |      | Bald Point State Park              |
| Black Skimmer            |     |     |     | X    | Huguenot Memorial City Park        |
| Rock Pigeon              | X   |     |     | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Eurasian Collared-Dove   | X   |     | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Mourning Dove            | X   | X   | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Common Ground-Dove       |     |     |     |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Barred Owl               |     | X   |     |      | Jackson Mounds Archeological SP    |
| Vaux's Swift             | X   |     |     |      | Dauer Hall, University of Florida  |
| Belted Kingfisher        | X   |     | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Red-headed Woodpecker    |     | X   |     |      | Tall Timbers Research Station      |
| Red-bellied Woodpecker   | X   | X   | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Yellow-bellied Sapsucker | X   | X   |     | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Downy Woodpecker         | X   | X   |     |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Red-cockaded Woodpecker  |     | X   |     |      | Tall Timbers Research Station      |
| Northern Flicker         |     | X   |     |      | Tall Timbers Research Station      |

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| Pileated Woodpecker     |     | X   |     |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Crested Caracara        | X   |     |     |      | En route                           |
| American Kestrel        | X   |     |     |      | En route                           |
| Eastern Phoebe          | X   | X   | X   |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Vermilion Flycatcher    |     |     | X   |      | St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge |
| White-eyed Vireo        |     | X   |     |      | Crowder Landing                    |
| Blue-headed Vireo       | X   |     |     |      | Sweetwater Wetlands                |
| Blue Jay                | X   | X   |     |      | Multiple locations                 |
| American Crow           | X   | X   |     | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Fish Crow               | X   |     |     | X    | En route                           |
| Tree Swallow            | X   | X   | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Carolina Chickadee      | X   | X   | X   |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Tufted Titmouse         |     | X   |     |      | Tall Timbers Research Station      |
| White-breasted Nuthatch |     | X   |     |      | Tall Timbers Research Station      |
| Brown-headed Nuthatch   |     | X   |     |      | Tall Timbers Research Station      |
| Carolina Wren           | X   | X   | X   |      | Multiple locations                 |
| House Wren              | X   | X   |     |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Marsh Wren              |     |     | X   |      | Bottoms Road                       |
| Golden-crowned Kinglet  |     | X   |     |      | Jackson Mounds Archeological SP    |
| Ruby-crowned Kinglet    | X   | X   |     |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Blue-gray Gnatcatcher   | X   | X   |     |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Eastern Bluebird        |     | X   |     |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Hermit Thrush           |     | X   |     |      | Multiple locations                 |
| American Robin          |     | X   |     |      | Tall Timbers Research Station      |
| Gray Catbird            | X   |     |     |      | Sweetwater Wetlands                |
| Northern Mockingbird    | X   | X   | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| European Starling       | X   |     | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Orange-crowned Warbler  | X   |     |     |      | Sweetwater Wetlands                |
| Black-and-white Warbler | X   | X   |     |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Common Yellowthroat     | X   | X   | X   |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Yellow-rumped Warbler   | X   | X   | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Yellow-throated Warbler |     | X   |     |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Pine Warbler            |     | X   |     |      | Tall Timbers Research Station      |
| Palm Warbler            | X   | X   | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Eastern Towhee          |     | X   | X   |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Chipping Sparrow        |     | X   | X   |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Savannah Sparrow        | X   |     |     |      | Sweetwater Wetlands                |
| Song Sparrow            |     | X   | X   |      | Multiple locations                 |
| Swamp Sparrow           |     |     | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| White-throated Sparrow  |     | X   |     |      | Tall Timbers Research Station      |
| Dark-eyed Junco         |     | X   |     |      | Tall Timbers Research Station      |
| Northern Cardinal       | X   | X   | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |
| Red-winged Blackbird    | X   | X   | X   | X    | Multiple locations                 |

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| Rusty Blackbird     |     | X   |     |      | Lake Henrietta                |
| Common Grackle      | X   | X   | X   | X    | Multiple locations            |
| Boat-tailed Grackle | X   |     | X   | X    | Multiple locations            |
| House Finch         | X   | X   |     |      | Multiple locations            |
| Pine Siskin         |     | X   |     |      | Tall Timbers Research Station |
| American Goldfinch  | X   | X   |     |      | Multiple locations            |
| House Sparrow       | X   |     | X   |      | Multiple locations            |