Arizona Field Ornithologists

Field Checklist of the Birds of Pinal County

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Checklist available at http://azfo.org
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Key
C Common – expected to be present and widespread
F Fairly common – often present in correct habitat
U Uncommon – occurs regularly, but often absent
R Rare – occurs infrequently, or in limited range
I Irregular – not predictable in occurrence
A Accidental – very few records, out of range or habitat

p permanent resident
s summer resident
w winter resident
m migrant
n has bred in the county

*Arizona Bird Committee Review Species

Ducks, Geese & Swans (Anatidae)
__Black-bellied Whistling-Duck*  I, n
__Fulvous Whistling-Duck*  A
__Snow Goose  U-w,m
__Ross's Goose  U-w,m
__Greater White-fronted Goose  U-m
__Cackling Goose#  A
__Canada Goose  U-w,m
__Tundra Swan  A
__Wood Duck  R-w,m
__Blue-winged Teal  U-m
__Cinnamon Teal  C-w,m, n
__Northern Shoveler  C-w,m
__Gadwall  C-w,m
__Eurasian Wigeon#  A
__American Wigeon  C-w,m
__Mallard  C-p-n
__Bay-breasted Warbler*  A
__Blackburnian Warbler*  A
__Yellow Warbler  C-m,s, n
__Chestnut-sided Warbler  A
__Blackpoll Warbler  A
__Black-throated Blue Warbler  A
__Palm Warbler  I
__Yellow-rumped Warbler  C-w,m
__Grace's Warbler  R-s
__Black-throated Gray Warbler  F-s.m, n
__Townsend's Warbler  F-m
__Hermit Warbler  R-m
__Black-throated Green Warbler*  A
__Canada Warbler*  A
__Wilson's Warbler  F-m
__Red-faced Warbler  I-m
__Painted Redstart  R-p, n

Cardinals, Grosbeaks and Allies (Cardinalidae)
__Hepatic Tanager  U-s, n
__Summer Tanager  C-s, n
__Scarlet Tanager  A
__Western Tanager  F-m, n
__Northern Cardinal  C-p, n
__Pyrrhuloxia  C-p, n
__Rose-breasted Grosbeak  I-m
__Black-headed Grosbeak  F-m, n
__Blue Grosbeak  C-s, n
__Lazuli Bunting  F-m
__Indigo Bunting  R-s, n
__Varied Bunting  R-s, n
__Painted Bunting  I
__Dickcissel  I

Please submit suggestions for additions or changes to: Doug Jenness
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Taxonomy as per the 60th supplement to the American Ornithological Society's Check-list of North American Birds (June 2019)
Bobolink*  A
Eastern Meadowlark (lilianae)  R-w
Western Meadowlark  C-w,R-s, n
Orchard Oriole  A
Hooded Oriole  F-s, n
Streak-backed Oriole*  I, n
Bullock's Oriole  F-s, n
Baltimore Oriole  A
Scott's Oriole  U-s, n
Red-winged Blackbird  C-s,w, n
Bronzed Cowbird  R-s, n
Brown-headed Cowbird  C-w,F-s, n
Brewer's Blackbird  C-w
Rusty Blackbird*  A
Great-tailed Grackle  C-p, n
Wood-Warblers (Parulidae)
Ovenbird#  A
Worm-eating Warbler*  A
Louisiana Waterthrush  A
Northern Waterthrush  R-m
Golden-winged Warbler*  A
Blue-winged Warbler*  A
Black-and-white Warbler  R-m
Prothonotary Warbler  A
Tennessee Warbler  A
Orange-crowned Warbler  F-w,m
Lucy's Warbler  C-s, n
Nashville Warbler  U-m
Virginia's Warbler  U-m
MacGillivray's Warbler  F-m,s
Kentucky Warbler*  A
Common Yellowthroat  F-s,R-w, n
Hooded Warbler  A
American Redstart  R-m, n
Cape May Warbler*  A
Northern Parula  R-m
Magnolia Warbler  A
Northern Pintail  C-w,m
Green-winged Teal  C-w,m
Canvasback  F-w,m
Redhead  C-w,m, n
Ring-necked Duck  C-w,m
Greater Scaup#  R-w
Lesser Scaup  F-w
Surf Scoter#  R-m
White-winged Scoter  I-m
Long-tailed Duck  A
Bufflehead  F-w
Common Goldeneye  U-w
Hooded Merganser  U-w,m
Common Merganser  F-w,m
Red-breasted Merganser  R-w,m
Ruddy Duck  C-w,m, n
New World Quail (Odontophoridae)
Scaled Quail  R-p
Gambel's Quail  C-p, n
Montezuma Quail  R-p
Partridges, Grouse and Turkey (Phasianidae)
Wild Turkey  U-p
Grebes (Podicipedidae)
Least Grebe*  A
Pied-billed Grebe  C-p, n
Horned Grebe#  I-w
Red-necked Grebe  A
Eared Grebe  F-w,m
Western Grebe  C-p,m
Clark's Grebe  C-p,m
Pigeons and Doves (Columbidae)
Rock Pigeon  C-p, n
Band-tailed Pigeon  R
Eurasian Collared-Dove  C-p, n
Inca Dove  R-p, n
Common Ground Dove  U-p, n
Ruddy Ground Dove  R, n
White-winged Dove  C-s, U-w, n
Mourning Dove  C-p, n

Cuckoos, Roadrunners and Anis (Cuculidae)
Groove-billed Ani*  A
Greater Roadrunner  C-p, n
Yellow-billed Cuckoo  F-s

Goatsuckers (Caprimulgidae)
Lesser Nighthawk  C-s, n
Common Nighthawk  I-m
Common Poorwill  F-s, n
Buff-collared Nightjar  R-s

Swifts (Apodidae)
Vaux's Swift  R-m
White-throated Swift  C-s, U-w, n

Hummingbirds (Trochilidae)
Rivoli's Hummingbird  I-w
Black-chinned Hummingbird  C-s, n
Anna's Hummingbird  C-p, n
Costa's Hummingbird  F-s, n
Broad-tailed Hummingbird  F-m
Rufous Hummingbird  C-s,m
Calliope Hummingbird  I
Broad-billed Hummingbird  F-s, n
Violet-crowned Hummingbird  A

Rails, Gallinules and Coots (Rallidae)
Ridgway's Rail  I
Virginia Rail  R-p, n
Sora  U-w,m, n
Common Gallinule  R, n
Purple Gallinule*  A
American Coot  C-w,m, n

Cranes (Gruidae)
Sandhill Crane  R-w

Stilts and Avocets (Recurvirostridae)
Black-necked Stilt  F-s,m, n
American Avocet  F-m, n

Chesnut-collared Longspur  R-w
McCown's Longspur  I

New World Sparrows (Passerellidae)
Rufous-winged Sparrow  F-p, n
Botteri's Sparrow  R-s, n
Cassin's Sparrow  U-s, n
Grasshopper Sparrow  R-m,w
Black-throated Sparrow  C-p, n
Lark Sparrow  C-m,w
Lark Bunting  C-w
Chipping Sparrow  C-,m,w
Clay-colored Sparrow  R-m
Black-chinned Sparrow  U-p, n
Brewer's Sparrow  C-m,w
Fox Sparrow  R-w,m

Thick-billed group*  A
Dark-eyed Junco  C-w
Yellow-eyed Junco  I-w
White-crowned Sparrow  C-m,w
Golden-crowned Sparrow  I-m
Harris's Sparrow  I
White-throated Sparrow  R-m,w
Sagebrush Sparrow  U-w
Vesper Sparrow  C-m,w
Savannah Sparrow  C-w
Song Sparrow  C-p, n
Lincoln's Sparrow  F-m,w
Swamp Sparrow  R-m,w
Canyon Towhee  C-p, n
Abert's Towhee  C-p, n
Rufous-crowned Sparrow  F-p, n
Green-tailed Towhee  F-m,w
Spotted Towhee  C-p, n

Yellow-breasted Chat (Icteriidae)
Yellow-breasted Chat  C-s-n

Blackbirds and Allies (Icteridae)
Yellow-headed Blackbird  C-w,m
**Mockingbirds, Thrashers and Allies (Mimidae)**
- American Robin
- Varied Thrush
- Blue Mockingbird*
- Gray Catbird
- Curve-billed Thrasher
- Brown Thrasher
- Bendire's Thrasher
- LeConte's Thrasher
- Crissal Thrasher
- Sage Thrasher
- Northern Mockingbird

**Starlings (Sturnidae)**
- European Starling

**Waxwings (Bombycillidae)**
- Cedar Waxwing

**Silky-flycatchers (Ptiliogonatidae)**
- Phainopepla

**Olive Warbler (Peucedramidae)**
- Olive Warbler

**Old World Sparrows (Passeridae)**
- House Sparrow

**Wagtails and Pipits (Motacillidae)**
- American Pipit
- Sprague's Pipit

**Finches and Allies (Fringillidae)**
- Evening Grosbeak
- House Finch
- Purple Finch*
- Cassin's Finch
- Red Crossbill
- Pine Siskin
- Lesser Goldfinch
- Lawrence's Goldfinch
- American Goldfinch

**Longspurs and Snow Buntings (Calcariidae)**
- Lapland Longspur

**Plovers (Charadriidae)**
- Black-bellied Plover
- American Golden-Plover
- Pacific Golden-Plover*
- Snowy Plover
- Semipalmated Plover
- Killdeer
- Mountain Plover

**Jacanas (Jacanidae)**
- Northern Jacana*

**Sandpipers and Phalaropes (Scolopacidae)**
- Upland Sandpiper*
- Whimbrel
- Long-billed Curlew
- Marbled Godwit
- Ruddy Turnstone*
- Red Knot*
- Ruff*
- Stilt Sandpiper
- Sanderling
- Dunlin
- Baird's Sandpiper
- Least Sandpiper
- White-rumped Sandpiper*
- Buff-breasted Sandpiper*
- Pectoral Sandpiper
- Semipalmated Sandpiper
- Western Sandpiper
- Short-billed Dowitcher
- Long-billed Dowitcher
- Wilson's Snipe
- Spotted Sandpiper
- Solitary Sandpiper
- Lesser Yellowlegs
- Willet
- Greater Yellowlegs
- Wilson's Phalarope
Skuas and Jaegers (Stercorariidae)
- Pomarine Jaeger*
- Parasitic Jaeger*

Gulls and Terns (Laridae)
- Black-legged Kittiwake*
- Sabine's Gull
- Bonaparte's Gull
- Laughing Gull
- Franklin's Gull
- Heermann's Gull
- Ring-billed Gull
- California Gull
- Herring Gull
- Iceland Gull*
- Least Tern
- Caspian Tern
- Black Tern
- Common Tern
- Forster's Tern

Loons (Gaviidae)
- Common Loon

Storm-Petrels (Hydrobatidae)
- Wedge-rumped Storm-Petrel*

Storks (Ciconiidae)
- Wood Stork*

Frigatebirds (Fregatidae)
- Magnificent Frigatebird*

Cormorants (Phalacrocoracidae)
- Neotropic Cormorant
- Double-crested Cormorant

Pelicans (Pelecanidae)
- American White Pelican
- Brown Pelican

Bitterns, Herons and Egrets (Ardeidae)
- American Bittern

Bushtits (Aegithalidae)
- Bushtit

Nuthatches (Sittidae)
- Red-breasted Nuthatch
- White-breasted Nuthatch
- Pygmy Nuthatch

Creepers (Certhiidae)
- Brown Creeper

Wrens (Trogodytidae)
- Rock Wren
- Canyon Wren
- House Wren
- Pacific Wren
- Winter Wren
- Marsh Wren
- Carolina Wren*
- Bewick's Wren
- Cactus Wren

Gnatcatchers (Polioptilidae)
- Blue-gray Gnatcatcher
- Black-tailed Gnatcatcher

Dippers (Cinclidae)
- American Dipper

Kinglets (Regulidae)
- Golden-crowned Kinglet
- Ruby-crowned Kinglet

Thrushes (Turdidae)
- Eastern Bluebird
- Western Bluebird
- Mountain Bluebird
- Townsend's Solitaire
- Veery*
- Swainson's Thrush
- Hermit Thrush
- Wood Thrush*
- Rufous-backed Robin
White-eyed Vireo  R-m
Bell's Vireo  R-s, n
Gray Vireo  U-s, n
Hutton's Vireo  U-s, R-w, n
Yellow-throated Vireo  A
Cassin's Vireo  U-m
Plumbeous Vireo  F-s, n
Philadelphia Vireo*  A
Warbling Vireo  F-m, s
Red-eyed Vireo  A
Yellow-green Vireo*  A

Jays, Magpies and Crows (Corvidae)
Pinyon Jay  I
Steller's Jay  R-w
Woodhouse's Scrub-Jay  C-p, n
Mexican Jay  R-p, n
Clark's Nutcracker  I
American Crow  R-m
Chihuahuan Raven  R-p, n
Common Raven  C-p, n

Larks (Alaudidae)
Horned Lark  C-w, U-s

Swallows (Hirundinidae)
Bank Swallow  U-m
Tree Swallow  C-m
Violet-green Swallow  C-m, n
Northern Rough-winged Swallow  C-m, U-s, n
Purple Martin  F-s, n
Barn Swallow  C-m,s, n
Cliff Swallow  C-m,s, n
Cave Swallow*  A

Chickadees and Titmice (Paridae)
Mountain Chickadee  I-w
Bridled Titmouse  F-p, n
Juniper Titmouse  F-p, n

Verdin (Remizidae)
Verdin  C-p, n

Least Bittern  I, n
Great Blue Heron  C-p, n
Great Egret  U-m,s, n
Snowy Egret  U-m
Little Blue Heron  A
Tricolored Heron  A
Reddish Egret  A
Cattle Egret  U-m
Green Heron  U
Black-crowned Night-Heron  U
Yellow-crowned Night-Heron*  A

Ibises (Threskiornithidae)
White Ibis*  A
White-faced Ibis  F-m
Roseate Spoonbill  I

New World Vultures (Cathartidae)
Black Vulture  U-p, n
Turkey Vulture  C-s

Osprey (Pandionidae)
Osprey  U-w

Kites, Eagles and Hawks (Accipitridae)
White-tailed Kite  I, n
Swallow-tailed Kite*  A
Golden Eagle  U-p, n
Northern Harrier  F-w
Sharp-shinned Hawk  F-w
Cooper's Hawk  F-p, n
Northern Goshawk  I
Bald Eagle  F-p, n
Mississippi Kite  R-s, n
Common Black Hawk  R-s-n
Harris's Hawk  F-p-n
White-tailed Hawk*  A, n
Gray Hawk  F-s-n
Red-shouldered Hawk  A
Broad-winged Hawk  I
Swainson's Hawk  C-m, R-s
| **Zone-tailed Hawk** | **U-s, n** |
| **Red-tailed Hawk** | **C-p, n** |
| **Harlan's form** | **R-w** |
| **Rough-legged Hawk** | **R-w** |
| **Ferruginous Hawk** | **U-w** |
| **Barn Owls (Tytonidae)** |
| **Barn Owl** | **R-s, n** |
| **Typical Owls (Strigidae)** |
| **Flammulated Owl** | **U-s** |
| **Western Screech-Owl** | **U-p, n** |
| **Whiskered Screech-Owl** | **R-p** |
| **Great Horned Owl** | **U-p, n** |
| **Northern Pygmy-Owl** | **U-p, n** |
| **Ferruginous Pygmy-Owl** | **A, n** |
| **Elf Owl** | **F-s, n** |
| **Burrowing Owl** | **R-s, n** |
| **Spotted Owl** | **R-p** |
| **Long-eared Owl** | **R-p, n** |
| **Short-eared Owl** | **R-w** |
| **Northern Saw-whet Owl** | **R-p** |
| **Quetzals and Trogons (Trogonidae)** |
| **Elegant Trogon** | **A** |
| **Kingfishers (Alcedinidae)** |
| **Belted Kingfisher** | **F-m** |
| **Woodpeckers (Picidae)** |
| **Lewis's Woodpecker** | **R-w** |
| **Acorn Woodpecker** | **F-p, n** |
| **Gila Woodpecker** | **C-p, n** |
| **Williamson's Sapsucker** | **C-p, R-w-m** |
| **Yellow-bellied Sapsucker** | **R-m** |
| **Red-naped Sapsucker** | **F-p** |
| **Red-breasted Sapsucker** | **A** |
| **Ladder-backed Woodpecker** | **R-p, n** |
| **Hairy Woodpecker** | **R-p, n** |
| **Arizona Woodpecker** | **R-p, n** |
| **Northern Flicker** | **U-w,m** |
| **Yellow-shafted form** | **R-m** |
| **Gilded Flicker** | **U-p, n** |

**Caracaras and Falcons (Falconidae)**

| **Crested Caracara** | **F-p, n** |
| **American Kestrel** | **C-p, n** |
| **Merlin** | **U-w** |
| **Peregrine Falcon** | **F-p, n** |
| **Prairie Falcon** | **F-p, n** |

**Parrots (Psittacidae)**

| **Rosy-faced Lovebird** | **R-p, n** |

**Tyrant Flycatchers (Tyrannidae)**

| **Northern Beardless-Tyrannulet** | **U-s,R-w, n** |
| **Dusky-capped Flycatcher** | **R-s,m, n** |
| **Ash-throated Flycatcher** | **C-s, R-w, U-w, n** |
| **Brown-crested Flycatcher** | **C-s, n** |
| **Tropical Kingbird** | **F-s, n** |
| **Cassin's Kingbird** | **F-s, n** |
| **Thick-billed Kingbird** | **R-s, n** |
| **Western Kingbird** | **C-s,m, n** |
| **Eastern Kingbird** | **R-m** |
| **Scissor-tailed Flycatcher** | **I-m** |
| **Tufted Flycatcher*** | **A** |
| **Olive-sided Flycatcher** | **F-s** |
| **Greater Pewee** | **I, n** |
| **Western Wood-Pewee** | **C-m, n** |
| **Hammond's Flycatcher** | **U-s,m, n** |
| **Gray Flycatcher** | **F-m** |
| **Dusky Flycatcher** | **U-m** |
| **Pacific-slope Flycatcher** | **R-m** |
| **Cordilleran Flycatcher** | **I-m** |
| **Black Phoebe** | **C-p, n** |
| **Eastern Phoebe** | **R** |
| **Say's Phoebe** | **C-p, n** |
| **Vermilion Flycatcher** | **C-p,m, n** |

**Shrikes (Laniidae)**

| **Loggerhead Shrike** | **F-p, n** |

**Vireos (Vireonidae)**