

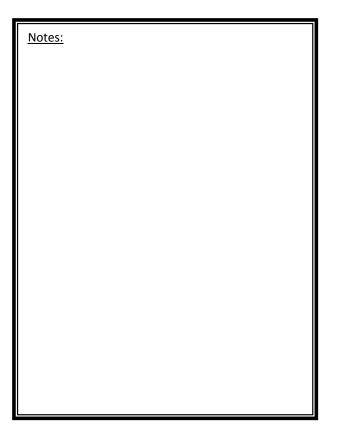
While birds seem to be found everywhere, most species are closely tied to a specific habitat and will be more prevalent in certain areas of the park. The above map of Appomattox Court House National Historical Park is divided into four basic habitat types based on the predominant vegetation.

<u>Grassland</u>: Pastures, hayfields, residential lawns; large open areas with widely spaced trees or fences for perching

<u>Hardwood</u>: Upland forests where the majority of trees are oak, hickory, walnut, or tulip poplar

Pine: Forests with a majority of loblolly pine, Virginia pine, or cedar

Riparian: Lowland hardwood forests in moist areas around streams and springs





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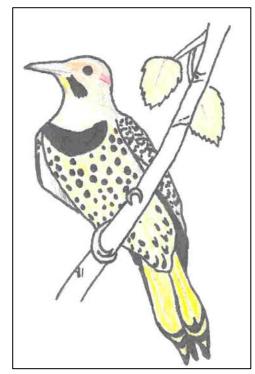
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Appomattox Court House National Historical Park

Birding Checklist Appomattox Court House National Historical Park



Northern Flicker

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Birds of Appomattox Court House National Historical Park

The following checklist is based on the 2003 bird inventory conducted at Appomattox Court House National Historical Park by the Center for Conservation Biology at the College of William and Mary. Please note that not all the listed species will be present during your visit. While some birds are year-round residents, others are seasonal or migratory visitors.

The common name of each bird species observed is followed by the habitat and season in which it is most likely to be found. The space to the left of each common name will allow you to record the species that you observe during your visit.

<u>Habitats</u> (for more detail, see map):

(G) Grassland

(P) Pine

(R) Riparian

(H) Hardwood

Season:

- (Y) Year-round resident
- (S) Summer season: June 1 August 15
- (W) Winter season: November 15 March 15
- (M) Migratory seasons: March 15 May 31

August 15 – November 15

	COMMON NAME	Habitat	Seas
TANAGERS - SPARROWS - GROSBEAKS			
	Summer Tanager	Ξ	S
	Scarlet Tanager	Н	S
	Northern Cardinal	G	Υ
	Rose-breasted Grosbeak	Н	М
	Blue Grosbeak	G,R	S
	Indigo Bunting	G	S
	Eastern Towhee	G	Υ
	Field Sparrow	G	Υ
	Chipping Sparrow	G,P	Υ
	Grasshopper Sparrow	G	S
	Savannah Sparrow	G	W
	White-throated Sparrow	G	W
	Song Sparrow	G,P,H,R	Υ
	Dark-eyed Junco	G,P	W

V	COMMON NAME	Habitat	Seas
WA	TERFOWL		
	Wood Duck	R	Υ
HEF	RONS	•	
	Great Blue Heron	R	W
	Green Heron	R	S
VUL	TURES		
	Turkey Vulture	G	Υ
	Black Vulture	G	Υ
НΑ\	WKS AND EAGLES		
	Northern Harrier	G,R	W
	Cooper's Hawk	G,P	Υ
	Red-shouldered Hawk	R	Υ
	Red-tailed Hawk	G	Υ
	Bald Eagle	R	Υ
	American Kestrel	G	Υ
UPL	AND GAME BIRDS		
	Northern Bobwhite	G	Υ
	Wild Turkey	Н	Υ
SHO	DREBIRDS		
	Killdeer	G	Υ
	American Woodcock	P,H	Υ
DO	VES		
	Mourning Dove	G	Υ
CU	CKOOS		
	Yellow-billed cuckoo	R	S
OW	LS		
	Great Horned Owl	G	Υ
	Barred Owl	P,H	Υ
	Eastern Screech Owl	P,H	Υ
SW	IFTS - HUMMINGBIRDS		
	Chimney Swift	G	S
	Ruby-throated Hummingbird	G	S
FLY	CATCHERS - KINGBIRDS		
	Eastern Wood-pewee	H,P	S
	Acadian Flycatcher	R	S
	Great Crested Flycatcher	R	S
	Eastern Kingbird	G	S
	Eastern Phoebe	R	S

√	COMMON NAME	Habitat	Seas
	ODPECKERS		
****	Red-bellied Woodpecker	R	Υ
	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	R	W
	Downy Woodpecker	G,R	Υ
	Hairy Woodpecker	P,H	Y
	Pileated Woodpecker	P,H	Y
	Northern Flicker	P,G	Y
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VIIN	Red-eyed Vireo	Н	S
	White-eyed Vireo	G,R	S
	Yellow-throated Vireo	H,P	S
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COF	Blue Jay	H,G	Υ
	American Crow	G	Y
SW/	ALLOWS		L '
SVV	Northern Rough-winged	R	S
	Swallow		
	Barn Swallow	G	S
TITN	MICE - CHICKADEE		
	Tufted Titmouse	H,P	Υ
	Carolina Chickadee	H,P	Υ
NUT	THATCHES - CREEPERS	,	
	White-breasted Nuthatch	Н	Υ
	Brown Creeper	Р	W
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*****	Carolina Wren	G,P,H,R	Υ
	Winter Wren	P,R	W
THRUSHES - MIMICS			
	Eastern Bluebird	G	Υ
	American Robin	G	Υ
	Wood Thrush	Н	S
	Hermit Thrush	P,H	W
	Gray Catbird	G	S
	Northern Mockingbird	G	Υ
	Brown Thrasher	G,R	S
STARLINGS			
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WAXWINGS			
	Cedar Waxwing	R	Υ
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Trouse Finer		Orchard Oriole	G,R	S	
		House Finch	G	Υ	
American Goldfinch G Y		American Goldfinch	G	Υ	
OTHER SPECIES OBSERVED:					