

This year's May bird count was held on May 26; 55 volunteers, divided into 18 teams, scoured the city and country and recorded every Crow, Magpie, and Starling (as well as some rarer species). The day started out overcast with a light rain in some areas, but later turned mainly sunny and quite pleasant. Strong winds for most of the day were more troublesome. The final tally comprised 169 species; not since 1981 has the species total been this low. In all, over 31,000 birds were counted.

This year's count was affected by the lack of moisture; many bodies of water were at low levels and smaller sloughs were completely dry. Surprisingly, shorebirds were actually present in higher numbers than in recent wetter years mainly because the low water level of Radisson Lake created extensive mud flats. Jim Wedgwood's team found upwards of 10,000 shorebirds there. Waterfowl numbers, however, were lower than average. Other birds dependent on wetlands were scarcer such as Yellow-headed Blackbirds, Sora, American Coot and Marsh Wrens.

It was a poor year for migrant warblers, again. Only 12 warbler species were seen and over 90% were either the resident Yellow Warbler or the relatively abundant Tennessee Warblers. Meadowlark numbers continued their downward trend falling to a thirty year low. Grassland sparrows such as Vesper, Baird's and Savannah were less abundant than in recent years; only 10 sparrow species were recorded and no longspurs at all. Bluebirds were also hard to find. House Finches in the city increased again and are now easily found in many areas. A House

Finch was recorded for the first time on the spring count in 1997.

The highlight of the count was the discovery of a male Scarlet Tanager at the Forestry Farm by Lorne Duczek's team. A spectacular bird with a brilliant red body offset by jet black wings and tail, Scarlet Tanagers normally inhabit the eastern US and range only as far as southeast Manitoba. Sometimes in migration birds will overshoot their breeding grounds resulting in such an out-of-range rarity. Scarlet Tanager was last seen on a spring count in 1980.

Other notable sightings included Buff-breasted Sandpiper (Michael Williams), Hudsonian Godwit (Phil Willson), Red Knot (Stan Shadick and Jim Wedgwood), and Yellow-bellied Flycatcher (Guy Wapple). In the week before the count, Wood Ducks and a Harlequin Duck were seen on the river in the city; both are rarely seen in the Saskatoon district with the Harlequin sighting being especially unusual. Unfortunately, none of the groups assigned to the river found the birds. But a certain rogue counter, ranging well outside his assigned area, managed to spot a Wood Duck near the weir.

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96	73	120	73	102	65	74	95	88	109	Total Species	169	178	175	170	183	185	173	171	182	195	183	173	179	
15.8	10.2	16.3	11.8	15.1	12.0	9.0	11.1	10.7	67.8	Party Hours	180	205	162	151	102	137	136	190	197	218	183	148		
6	3	2	2	2	2	4	3	4	31	Participants	55	48	44											
1		1			1					Common Loon	3	5	5	5	1	4	12	5	7	7	2	9	6	
1	1	2		4		2	1			Pied-billed Grebe	11	42	22	23	15	42	36	26	41	33	30	20	43	
21		3	7	16		21	1	6	13	Horned Grebe	88	117	86	107	78	90	159	46	60	68	75	76	81	
1		11		4	3	4				Red-necked Grebe	23	23	32	20	8	12	24	4	23	17	12	13	13	
5		175	40	14		278	3	27		Eared Grebe	542	1059	90	75	149	242	781	274	1026	1579	423	691	296	
		21	14	27	1	12				Western Grebe	75	119	56	114	26	433	148	8	80	111	68	80	69	
										Clark's Grebe														
	1	8	3	33			2	9	140	American White Pelican	196	116	129	84	118	75	127	146	202	120	222	215	80	
	7	1	6	7	5	4			3	Double-crested Cormorant	33	242	217	18	16	16	50	37	31	112	37	124	80	
		3								American Bittern	3	9		2	6	1	10	8	10	6	2	8	4	
										Great Blue Heron		4	4	6	3	4	3	4	8	5	5	18	9	
										Great Egret						2								
										Cattle Egret				1										
										Black-crowned Night Heron		2	7		2	4	2	1	3	1	5	9	12	
	1									Turkey Vulture	1	1	3	1		1	2						2	
2							15			Greater White-fronted Goose	17	1		1	20	1	1	1	1	7	11	3	2	
								2		Snow Goose	2	15		1			23	2	1	4	12			
										Ross's Goose		2			15		12	1		24				
25+	76	70	75	25+	53	25+	25+	65+	426	Canada Goose	865	1210	599	458	397	401	381	433	1645	536	665	621	649	
1				2		2			1	Tundra Swan	6			1			1			21			5	
									2	Wood Duck	2							5		5				
25+	30	9	13	25+		20	25+	87+	5	Gadwall	239	335	165	223	157	168	187	221	495	936	647	401	314	
										Eurasian Wigeon			1											
22	2	8	17	22		14	7	5	15	American Wigeon	112	179	182	158	135	120	161	156	222	367	256	256	178	
										American Black Duck						1								
25+	25	129	30	25+	22	72	25+	55+	198	Mallard	606	1767	401	381	244	295	326	519	749	920	762	537	397	
25+	16	25	40	25+	20	13	17	18	27	Blue-winged Teal	226	417	240	291	186	240	236	306	270	825	585	437	301	
										Cinnamon Teal		1	2	2		3	2	1	1	10			4	
										Cinnamon/ Blue-winged Teal hybrid			1											
25+	9	27	23	25+	2	171	18	69	4	Northern Shoveler	373	451	241	272	202	217	223	222	393	658	757	512	267	
21	5	5	16	23		4	10	8		Northern Pintail	92	172	121	85	119	146	168	193	239	438	195	308	202	
3	1	3		12		2	2	1		Green-winged Teal	24	39	39	53	32	64	103	77	59	93	83	65	92	
43	4	44	17	51	20	7		116	2	Canvasback	304	403	252	1095	249	322	541	366	493	452	584	735	369	
8		20	14	67	2	25		32	2	Redhead	170	333	210	304	182	303	392	285	418	410	332	320	268	
1		7		2		1	2	2	1	Ring-necked Duck	16	28	20	23	10	29	50	23	41	43	51	31	36	
										Greater Scaup		2											1	
45	2	35	16	94	6	61	18	28	18	Lesser Scaup	323	341	389	465	343	511	632	550	849	756	811	469	286	
										White-winged Scoter			6		2		11	2		2			2	4
										Long-tailed Duck														
14	2	10	23	32		2	3	8	5	Bufflehead	99	141	91	146	74	181	203	136	172	186	112	84	72	

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											05/26	05/27	05/22	05/23	05/24	05/25	05/27	05/28	05/29	05/23	05/25	05/26	05/27
		1			2					Common Goldeneye	3	15	13	20	3	62	16	14	6	13	20	9	19
										Hooded Merganser			3	3		3	2	1	1	1	1		3
	1		1					18	1	Common Merganser	21	30	34	7	10	12	27	4	12	5	14	3	25
										Red-breasted Merganser					1		2		1		3		
55	1	7	23	26		20	6	93	2	Ruddy Duck	233	434	528	335	249	397	503	180	445	736	521	463	280
		1								Osprey	1	1	3						1		1	1	
										Bald Eagle		1	1										
5	6	5	4	5	4	3	4	4	1	Northern Harrier	41	75	35	40	36	64	46	57	72	82	84	95	98
				1						Sharp-shinned Hawk	1	2		4		1	2	1	4	2	4	2	3
1		1	1			1			1	Cooper's Hawk	5	5	6	2	1	5	4	1	4	5	4	7	7
										Northern Goshawk					1			1		2	1		
										Broad-winged Hawk			1								1		
3	4	8	6	8	4	3	2	2	8	Swainson's Hawk	48	45	29	35	49	28	32	46	62	66	75	83	65
10	5	5	7	9	1	3	5	2	2	Red-tailed Hawk	49	87	59	71	46	90	81	67	100	102	94	66	81
										Ferruginous Hawk		1	2	1		1	1		2	2		1	1
										Rough-legged Hawk					1	1						3	3
										Golden Eagle					2								
1										• Falconidae sp. •	1												
		2	1	1		1	1		5	American Kestrel	11	10	12	16	10	7	9	18	18	20	30	15	14
	1	1		1					3	13 Merlin	19	25	22	16	10	25	15	10	17	30	29	14	10
										Peregrine Falcon			3	1	1	1			4	4	3	1	4
										Prairie Falcon				1	1		1					1	1
2	2			3		1	1	6	2	Gray Partridge	17	30	11	16	2	9	14	14	24	20	12	33	20
										Ring-necked Pheasant			1				1				1	1	1
2		1			1					Ruffed Grouse	4	9	16	20	8	9	10	1	12	21	17	13	19
										Sharp-tailed Grouse		14	19	58	1	2	53	19	34	50	34	60	13
										Yellow Rail						1	5		1	4		7	6
		1								Virginia Rail	1			1		1	5	4	2	6			1
2		15	3	4	4	3	1		3	Sora	35	106	49	40	51	96	106	101	102	126	65	48	49
7	3	10	7	27	2	106	2	7	5	American Coot	176	3089	455	737	522	629	805	250	812	959	680	731	634
2										Sandhill Crane	2		8	7	8	8	41		5	32	17	15	1
18										• Shorebird sp. •	18	730	800						3890			2000	
19	1	29		14				16		Black-bellied Plover	79	206	100	392	45	442	561	122	1190	530	667	327	332
	2									American Golden-Plover	2	41		8	59		189	3	27	952	10	39	265
										Semipalmated Plover		26			1	1		1	1	3		1	16
										Piping Plover		2	2	3		6	3		2	4	1	3	2
36	6	7	10	23	1	3	6	15	13	Killdeer	120	153	144	196	43	62	109	107	184	162	215	140	203
7		29	4	51	1	1	15	12	2	American Avocet	122	242	277	207	185	442	211	169	309	563	197	370	183
		2	3							Greater Yellowlegs	5	3	10		10						2	1	6
1			2						2	1 Lesser Yellowlegs	6	13	51	13	5	4	9	10	2	36	9	9	12
										Solitary Sandpiper		2	2		1	2		6		2	1	3	5
29	6	5	3	20	3	3	10	11	12	Willet	102	95	81	90	36	35	87	77	117	108	130	102	170
2		11		2					3	16 Spotted Sandpiper	34	40	70	34	43	35	40	18	71	62	56	40	42

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1		2								Upland Sandpiper	3	4	9	14	1	2	8	7	8	10	11	5	32
										Whimbrel													1
					1	2				Long-billed Curlew	3	3	2	18			1	6	13	23	19	10	12
	1									Hudsonian Godwit	1				8					8			2
10	6	4	1	10	9	4	5	24		Marbled Godwit	73	68	69	82	23	44	69	78	124	96	114	89	114
										Ruddy Turnstone		12		24	11	4	16	27	9	29	11		12
		1						2		Red Knot	3		5	2	4	10			4	2	11	5	
15	15			18			7000			• Peep sp. •	7048	1665	420	7013	130	472	19764	226	3998	2303	2263	1005	34
				4			12	2		Sanderling	18	106	19	3	96	133	381	912	913	204	281	270	101
		1		6			1340	16		Semipalmated Sandpiper	1363	1161	54	457	57	285	2777	174	426	761	1117	184	617
										Western Sandpiper												3	
	20							210	4	Least Sandpiper	234	11	9	17	8	32	38	6	7	111	40	18	42
										White-rumped Sandpiper		23	2	32	6	15	787	19	59	13	888	14	153
124	35			25			21	8		Baird's Sandpiper	213	211	13	60	8	32	326	17	132	104	35	32	65
8		30		3			25			Pectoral Sandpiper	66	31	4	50	3	19	264	10	10	119	22	27	95
										Dunlin							2		1	3	2	1	1
17				23			112	121		Stilt Sandpiper	273	405	572	1050	810	930	9961	451	4708	3105	3128	409	975
57										Buff-breasted Sandpiper	57	19					10			70	4		
		1					747	8		• Dowitcher sp. •	756	14	25	40	59	26	1		1	3	2	503	6
										Short-billed Dowitcher		3	174				31		2	1	13	1	6
										Long-billed Dowitcher				1				2	5	7	14		1
1	1	2		1			1		1	Common Snipe	7	15	23	21	22	18	26	28	21	23	15	16	23
12	3	10	79	17	2	6	1	5	12	Wilson's Phalarope	147	286	231	211	50	832	129	454	138	323	220	283	2308
500		9		90			3328	800+		Red-necked Phalarope	4727	995	3420	2517	3899	8178	1637	796	1053	853	2554	133	1486
	3	15	50	40	46	83		30	150	Franklin's Gull	417	1507	600	60	999	241	2584	3028	3273	4719	2612	2719	295
1										Bonaparte's Gull	1	1	32	8	10	3	5	1	3	57	5	55	3
2	2	15					40		67	• White-headed Gull sp. •	126	624	104	453	197	44	259	234	268	96	314	10	9
2	10	3	9	11	177	2	21	9	232	Ring-billed Gull	476	254	212	96	463	229	68	216	825	286	240	104	191
						2	2	1	132	California Gull	137	7	34	20	42	222	15	87	185	32	51	43	37
									6	Herring Gull	6	1	28		1	1	29	47	16	3		1	1
										Glaucous Gull					1								
	1	1		1					23	Common Tern	29	31	21	7	6	12	13	16	37	13	18	47	30
		1								Forster's Tern	1	6	16		8	9		4	34	15	15	17	12
10	4	29	45	134		9		4	15	Black Tern	250	501	482	344	451	439	473	676	972	2061	439	744	417
16	29	4	5	6	12	9	11	34	273	Rock Dove	399	801	813	662	727	975	217	404	940	421	332	376	311
12		15	7	15	4	5	5	5	11	Mourning Dove	79	155	99	115	74	96	103	128	168	156	162	121	187
										Black-billed Cuckoo					1			1			1	1	
1		2		1	3	2	1			Great Horned Owl	10	6	8	8	9	16	7	5	7	16	8	17	12
										Burrowing Owl				1		2		2	3	10	8	4	10
										Long-eared Owl					2								1
		1								Short-eared Owl	1	9	1	1	7			1	2	1			2
		1				1				Common Nighthawk	2	5	4	4	2	3		6	4	4	3	2	3
5		1								Ruby-throated Hummingbird	6	6	3	9	4	3	3		3	4	2		1

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30	1	7	4	19		3	16	20	75	House Wren	175	206	115	250	35	40	134	217	350	214	229	139	186
		1								Sedge Wren	1	8		4	1	2	5	7	8	8	6	9	6
		2		5			1			Marsh Wren	8	17	18	30	12	10	24	36	54	29	45	33	15
										Golden-crowned Kinglet					2								
								1	2	Ruby-crowned Kinglet	3	4	12	6	12	7	4	1	1	11	1	4	
										Eastern Bluebird				4									
		6	1	1		2		12		Mountain Bluebird	22	53	37	45	23	33	51	87	147	186	203	93	119
										• Thrush sp. •			1										
		2	1	2				1	1	Veery	7	17	4	30	1	6	8	48	34	16	21	21	23
									3	Gray-cheeked Thrush	3		3	1	6	6	2	1	3	6			1
					1				20	Swainson's Thrush	21	45	66		84	127	20	7	24	97	30	4	13
		3						1	1	Hermit Thrush	5	3	5	8	2	4		3	6	3	1		3
										Wood Thrush													1
19	13	56	2	29	15	12	24	12	299	American Robin	481	694	467	374	287	329	270	445	400	434	317	291	303
										Varied Thrush						1							
6	6	5	3	11			3	6	34	Gray Catbird	74	79	49	76	10	15	27	74	75	27	60	52	49
										Northern Mockingbird							1						
3	1	6		3	1	2	1	6	19	Brown Thrasher	42	54	73	68	30	47	53	38	86	59	38	49	44
		1		3				1	2	European Starling	7	48	34	61	35	59	38	85	147	251	152	286	140
										American Pipit									1				
6		7						1		Sprague's Pipit	14	20	18	38	8	14	10	42	72	31	122	45	63
		5	6	6	1		1	2	75	Cedar Waxwing	96	328	11	38	18	52	26	762	87	19	132	85	69
2	1	11		9	13			9	71	Tennessee Warbler	116	68	57	4	19	27	16	18	18	32	23	8	10
		1	4	1						Orange-crowned Warbler	6	15	9	18	14	16	23	20	18	14	21	8	15
										Nashville Warbler			2										
60	36	39	22	95	20	11	20	65+	282	Yellow Warbler	650	725	414	554	251	281	324	387	559	310	400	301	312
										Chestnut-sided Warbler		1											1
									2	Magnolia Warbler	2		5		3	1			2	3	2		
										Cape May Warbler			4	1	4	1				7			
		1						2	10	Yellow-rumped Warbler	13	17	72	22	179	102	24	5	10	261	2	4	8
										Blackburnian Warbler											1		
										Palm Warbler			3		11					5	1		
										Bay-breasted Warbler						1				2			
				2	3				9	Blackpoll Warbler	14	5	36	1	12	23	10	3	5	45	6		
					2					Black-and-white Warbler	2	4	1	10	6	5	1	3	5	6	3	2	1
1		5	1	1	2		1		4	American Redstart	15	21	25	52	4	8	14	32	32	134	27	38	35
					1				1	Ovenbird	2	7	15	20	10	5	11	13	17	12	18	13	11
										Northern Waterthrush		1					1		1	6			
										5 Connecticut Warbler	5				1					3	2		
										3 Mourning Warbler	3	2	2		1				1	1	1	2	
		4	6	1				2	3	Common Yellowthroat	16	43	22	70	4	12	37	71	114	35	76	37	59
										1 Wilson's Warbler	1		4		1	3				1			
										Canada Warbler		1	1							1			

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																				1		1		
										1	1													
												1					1							
1		8	7	3			2	3	2		26	45	53	104	46	55	110	101	102	79	93	73	77	
27	4	10	1	13	3	4	6	5	191		264	292	287	209	688	111	74	108	135	218	108	70	169	
69	27	15	17	55	6	11	6	28	124		358	473	569	307	421	267	274	328	416	505	396	347	305	
44	8	15	7	17	3	5	9	16	1		125	185	140	328	147	205	208	211	226	335	240	311	185	
1		6									7	12	5	8	6	3	8	20	19	27	15	16	5	
														1		1		2			7	2	2	
25	9	8	5	25	1	1	6	8	8		96	147	55	164	88	102	141	155	179	167	191	170	162	
														2				5	3		1			
		1									1	2	1	11	4	2	7	15	24	9	41	17	33	
1		2		4	1		1	1			10	29	13	23	17	30	66	34	70	30	31	23	19	
1		1									2	10		4	1	3	7	4	5	1	2	10	8	
																						1		
14	1	2	5	22	6	2	7	8	30		97	143	113	116	87	102	97	105	164	161	138	111	95	
												1	3	1	4	3	1		3	9			1	
															4	3	1	1	2	4	2	4		
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141	71	25	100	184	145	35	40	64	159		964	953	902	443	405	609	357	550	477	1192	942	933	394	
33	9	15	17	24	4	10	12	39+	35		198	322	293	362	224	223	331	527	566	801	950	332	623	
13	17	10	43	69	30	50	1	1	17		251	510	362	314	295	540	382	407	1150	1150	2102	1795	529	
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28	64	20	32	38	42	30	12	34	86		386	374	292	210	247	280	185	239	295	1228	411	1263	242	
2		20		2	4		1	1	100		130	175	90	64	52	54	22	115	90	99	101	93	144	
14	4	14	23	26	25	7	1	10	18		142	163	115	457	232	179	345	340	389	579	376	513	235	
12	1	29	1	5		1	5	2	37		93	95	40	104	27	73	57	93	177	109	204	125	135	
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Saskatoon Spring Bird Count

26 May 2001

NE1	NE2	SE1	SE2A	SE2B	SW1	SW2	NW1	NW2	City	Aves	2001	2000	1999	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992	1991	1990	1989
											05/26	05/27	05/22	05/23	05/24	05/25	05/27	05/28	05/29	05/23	05/25	05/26	05/27
2	4	3		3			1		70	Pine Siskin	83	36	152	2	72	25	68	8	26	34	3	64	2
46	13	27	21	40	24		9	25	38	American Goldfinch	243	269	163	247	83	116	132	248	269	126	183	136	127
35	55	52		31	10	3	25	30	391	House Sparrow	632	1352	1145	676	764	423	293	552	441	651	291	664	786
2191	848	1776	1186	2196	876	1345	13543	2358	4827	TOTAL BIRDS	31146	33571	24287	29307	30554	27915	57018	23721	45133	49018	38181	31023	24250

NE1	NE2	SE1	SE2A	SE2B	SW1	SW2	NW1	NW2	City		2001	2000	1999	1998	1997
4:52	6:55	5:45	7:30	6:36	6:45	8:40	8:15	6:25		start					
22:10	17:07	22:00	21:00	21:42	18:30	18:00	18:13	17:35		end					
7.5	8.9	14.3	10.0	8.1	4.0	7.0	10.5	6.7	15.8	Car Party Hours	93	109	86	81	70
8.3	1.3	2.0	1.8	7.0	8.0	2.0	0.6	4.0	51.9	Foot Party Hours	87	95	76	65	32
										Bicycle Party Hours				5	
15.8	10.2	16.3	11.8	15.1	12.0	9.0	11.1	10.7	67.8	TOTAL Party Hours	180	205	162	151	102
261.9	171.0	250.0	216.0	237.0	180.0	268.0	240.0	170.0	143.0	Car Party km	2137	2219	1764	1985	1451
3.5	5.0	3.0	4.0	8.0	10.0	3.0	2.0	2.5	66.0	Foot Party km	107	168	82	82	37
										Bicycle Party km				96	
265.4	176.0	253.0	220.0	245.0	190.0	271.0	242.0	172.5	209.0	TOTAL km	2244	2387	1845	2162	1488

Teams (Leaders)

- NE1 Michael Williams, Gail Armstrong, Lucille Bradatsch, Hilda Voth;
Lynn Oliphant, Rhonda Shewfelt (feeder)
- NE2 Phil Willson, Kurt Brauner, Kay Willson
- SE1 Stan Shadick, Jim Wood
- SE2A Tony Allen, Andrew Dziadyk
- SE2B Robert Johanson, Donna Bruce
- SW1 Maureen DuWors, Dorothy Riemer
- SW2 Jim Hay, Alexis Hay, Darlene Hay; Guy Wapple (train)
- NW1 Jim Wedgwood, Kay Krueger, Janice Solem
- NW2 Frank Roy, John Bond, Susan Marles, Judy Toews
- City Guy Wapple
- W-C Kay Klassen, Allyson Brady, Ivor Thokle; John Horton, Guy Wapple
- N Dave Cook, Bill MacKenzie, Lois Thompson
- NE Lorne Duczek, Andrea Hull, Kathryn Hull, Peter Hull, Nick Timm
- U Mary Houston, Stuart Houston, Doris Bietenholtz, Marlene Kalanack, Bill McHugh, Marjorie McHugh
- SE Hilda Noton, Jan Tedesco
- S Craig Salisbury, Andy Salisbury, Lorriene Salisbury, Rob Salisbury
- M Jim Hay, Alexis Hay, Darlene Hay
- E Kathy Exner, Keith Pahl; Barbara Kozmyk (feeder)

Unique Species

- Sandhill Crane, Buff-breasted Sandpiper, Bonaparte's Gull
- Turkey Vulture, American Golden-Plover, Hudsonian Godwit
- American Bittern, Osprey, Virginia Rail, Forster's Tern, Short-eared Owl, Sedge Wren, Baird's Sparrow
- Sharp-shinned Hawk
- Black-and-white Warbler
- Yellow-bellied Sapsucker, Alder Flycatcher, Philadelphia Vireo
- Snow Goose, Belted Kingfisher
- Herring Gull
- Wood Duck, Yellow-bellied Flycatcher, Wilson's Warbler
- Connecticut Warbler, Rusty Blackbird
- Olive-sided Flycatcher, Scarlet Tanager
- White-crowned Sparrow
- Mourning Warbler
- White-breasted Nuthatch

Weather

temperature range: 10-20°C
sky: mostly overcast in morning; clearing toward evening

rain: occasional drizzle in morning in some areas
wind: strong with gusts for most of the day; moderating toward evening

NE1	NE2	SE1	SE2A	SE2B	SE2C	SW1	SW2	NW1	NW2	City	Animals sans feathers	2001
2											Beaver	2
3						1	1	1	2	1	Muskrat	9
										1	Weasel	1
										4	Least Chipmunk	4
										6	Franklin's Ground Squirrel	6
									1		Red Squirrel	1
2	1					1			10	36	Richardson's Ground Squirrel	50
										2	13-lined Ground Squirrel	2
										5	White-tailed Jack Rabbit	5
1										1	Snowshoe Hare	2
			2								Pronghorn Antelope	2
			7								Mule Deer	7
	2					1		3	2		White-tailed Deer	8
1	1		2			dead					Coyote	4
										1	Red Fox	1
						dead					Skunk	
			1								Raccoon	1
								2		1	Boreal Chorus Frog	3
										2	Mourning Cloak	2
7										3	Cabbage White	10
										1	Canadian Tiger Swallowtail	1
										1	Common Roadside Skipper	1
										1	Painted Lady	1
										1	Clouded sulphur	1
1											-- Blue sp. --	1
										1	Greenish Blue	1
										1	Spring Azure	1
										1	Gray Comma	1
										8	Common Ringlet	8
			3				2				Wood Tick	5