

Oak Hammock Marsh Wildlife Management

Area is one of North America's birding hotspots and a great destination for people of all ages.

This 36 km² Wildlife Management Area features a restored prairie marsh, aspen-oak bluff, waterfowl lure crops, artesian springs, some of Manitoba's last remaining patches of tall-grass prairie and 30 kilometres of trails for you to explore. It is home to 300 species of birds.

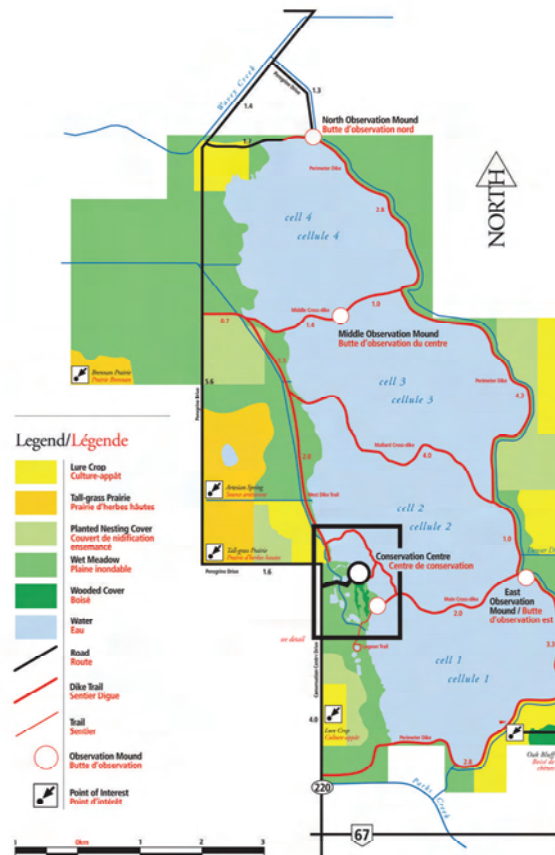
The award-winning Oak Hammock Marsh Interpretive Centre is located on the edge of the marsh. Open year-round, the Interpretive Centre visitors for programs like canoe excursions, snowshoe walks, critter dipping, and marsh walks.

Seasonal status and abundance codes:

Sp – March to May Su – June to August
F – Sept. to Nov. W – Dec. to Feb.

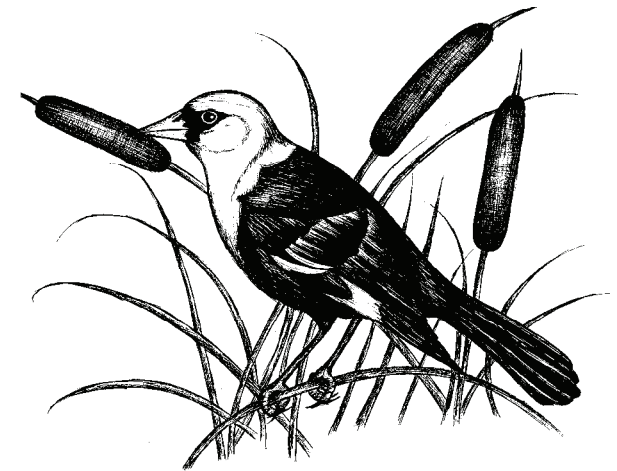
- A** — Abundant: Seen on all visits to the preferred habitat, often in large numbers.
C — Common: Seen on most visits to the preferred habitat, numbers may vary.
U — Uncommon: Present every year in the preferred habitat in low numbers.
R — Rare: Present every year in very low numbers.
O — Occasional: Present less than once a year.
Accidental: May stray into the area, but not an expected occurrence.
Extirpated: No longer occurs at Oak Hammock Marsh but may be found elsewhere.
Hypothetical: Has been seen in the area, but lacks suitable documentation.

- * species known to have bred in the area
** species suspected of having bred in the area



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Birds of Oak Hammock Marsh – Checklist



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	SP	SU	F	W
Waterfowl				
Black-bellied Whistling-Duck	Accidental			
Greater White-fronted Goose	O	O	O	
Snow Goose	A	O	A	
Ross's Goose	O		R	
Brant	Accidental			
Cackling Goose	U		C	
Canada Goose *	A	R	A	O
Mute Swan	Accidental			
Trumpeter Swan	R		R	
Tundra Swan	U	O	C	O
Wood Duck *	R	R	U	O
Gadwall *	C	U	C	O
Eurasian Wigeon	Accidental			
American Wigeon *	C	U	C	O
American Black Duck *	R	U	U	O
Mallard *	A	A	A	R
Blue-winged Teal *	A	A	A	
Cinnamon Teal	O	O		
Northern Shoveler *	A	C	C	O
Northern Pintail *	A	C	A	O
Garganey	Accidental			
Green-winged Teal *	C	U	C	O
Canvasback *	U	U	U	
Redhead *	U	U	U	O
Ring-necked Duck *	U	R	U	
Greater Scaup	R	O	O	
Lesser Scaup *	C	U	C	O
Surf Scoter	Accidental			
White-winged Scoter	R	O	R	
Black Scoter	Accidental			
Long-tailed Duck	Accidental			
Bufflehead	U	R	U	
Common Goldeneye	C	R	U	O
Hooded Merganser	U	U	U	O
Common Merganser	U		R	Acc
Red-breasted Merganser	R		O	
Ruddy Duck *	C	C	C	

Gallinaceous Birds				
Gray Partridge *	U	U	U	U
Ring-necked Pheasant	Accidental			
Ruffed Grouse *	R	R	R	R
Spruce Grouse	Accidental			
Sharp-tailed Grouse *	U	U	U	U
Greater Prairie-Chicken *	Extirpated			
Loons and Grebes				
Common Loon	U	O		
Pied-billed Grebe *	C	C	C	
Horned Grebe *	C	R	C	
Red-necked Grebe *	C	R	R	
Eared Grebe *	C	C	C	
Western Grebe *	U	U	U	
Pelicans and their Allies				
Double-crested Cormorant	U	R	U	
American White Pelican	U	U	U	
Hérons and their Allies				
American Bittern *	U	U	U	
Least Bittern **	O	O	O	
Great Blue Heron	U	U	U	O
Great Egret	O	O	O	
Snowy Egret	Accidental			
Little Blue Heron	Accidental			
Tricolored Heron	Accidental			
Cattle Egret	O	O	O	
Green Heron	O	O	O	
Black-crowned Night-Heron *	U	U	U	
Yellow-crowned Night-Heron	Accidental			
Glossy Ibis	Accidental			
White-faced Ibis	Accidental			
Diurnal Birds of Prey				
Turkey Vulture	Accidental			
Osprey	R		O	
Bald Eagle	O	O	U	O
Northern Harrier *	C	U	C	O
Sharp-shinned Hawk	R		R	
Cooper's Hawk **	O	O		
Northern Goshawk	O		O	Acc

Red-shouldered Hawk	Accidental			
Broad-winged Hawk **	R	O	O	
Swainson's Hawk *	U	R	U	
Red-tailed Hawk *	C	U	C	
Ferruginous Hawk	O	O	O	
Rough-legged Hawk	C	O	C	O
Golden Eagle	O		O	
Cranes and their Allies				
Yellow Rail *	O	O	O	
Black Rail	Hypothetical			
Virginia Rail *	U	U	U	
Sora *	C	C	C	
American Coot *	A	A	A	
Sandhill Crane	U	U	U	
Whooping Crane	Hypothetical			
Shorebirds				
Black-bellied Plover	C	U	U	
American Golden-Plover	C	U	U	
Semipalmated Plover	U	U	U	
Piping Plover *	O	O	O	
Killdeer *	C	C	U	
Black-necked Stilt	Accidental			
American Avocet *	U	U	R	
Spotted Sandpiper *	U	U	U	
Solitary Sandpiper	U	U	U	
Greater Yellowlegs	C	C	C	
Willet *	R	R		
Lesser Yellowlegs	A	A	C	
Upland Sandpiper *	U	U		
Whimbrel	O	O		
Long-billed Curlew	Accidental			
Hudsonian Godwit	U	R	R	
Marbled Godwit *	C	C	R	
Ruddy Turnstone	U	R	R	
Red Knot	O	O	O	
Sanderling	U	O	O	
Semipalmated Sandpiper	C	C	U	
Western Sandpiper	Accidental			
Least Sandpiper	C	C	C	

White-rumped Sandpiper	C	U	U	
Baird's Sandpiper	C	U	U	
Pectoral Sandpiper	C	U	C	
Sharp-tailed Sandpiper	Accidental			
Dunlin	C	R	U	
Curlew Sandpiper	Accidental			
Stilt Sandpiper	U	C	U	
Buff-breasted Sandpiper	O	R	R	
Ruff	Accidental			
Short-billed Dowitcher	C	C	U	
Long-billed Dowitcher	U	U	C	
Wilson's Snipe *	C	U	C	
American Woodcock	O	O		
Wilson's Phalarope *	C	C	R	
Red-necked Phalarope	U	U	U	
Red Phalarope	Accidental			
Gulls and Terns				
Bonaparte's Gull	U	O	U	
Ross's Gull	Accidental			
Laughing Gull	Accidental			
Franklin's Gull *	A	A	C	
Ring-billed Gull	A	U	A	
California Gull	Accidental			
Herring Gull	C	R	C	
Thayer's Gull	Accidental			
Iceland Gull	Accidental			
Glaucous Gull	Accidental			
Great Black-backed Gull	Accidental			
Caspian Tern	R	R	R	
Black Tern *	A	A	R	
Common Tern	U	O	O	
Arctic Tern	Accidental			
Forster's Tern *	C	C	U	
Parasitic Jaeger	Accidental			
Pigeons and Doves				
Rock Pigeon *	U	U	U	U
Mourning Dove *	C	C	C	Acc
Cuckoos, Anis, Roadrunners				
Yellow-billed Cuckoo	Hypothetical			
Black-billed Cuckoo *	O	O	O	

Owls				
Eastern Screech-Owl	Accidental			
Great Horned Owl *	U	U	U	R
Snowy Owl	U	O	U	U
Northern Hawk-Owl	O			
Burrowing Owl	Extirpated			
Great Gray Owl	Accidental			
Long-eared Owl *	R	R		
Short-eared Owl *	U	U	U	O
Boreal Owl	Accidental			
Northern Saw-whet Owl	Accidental			
Goatsuckers				
Common Nighthawk	U	U	R	
Eastern Whip-poor-will **	O	O		
Swifts				
Chimney Swift	O			
Hummingbirds				
Ruby-throated Hummingbird **	O	O		
Kingfishers				
Belted Kingfisher **	R	O	R	
Woodpeckers				
Red-headed Woodpecker **	O	O		
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	R			
Downy Woodpecker *	U	U	U	U
Hairy Woodpecker *	U	U	U	U
Northern Flicker *	C	C	C	
Pileated Woodpecker			O	O
Falcons				
American Kestrel *	C	U	U	
Merlin	U	O	R	
Gyr Falcon	O		O	
Peregrine Falcon	U	O	R	O
Prairie Falcon	O	O	R	
Flycatchers				
Olive-sided Flycatcher	O	O		
Eastern Wood-Pewee *	R	R	R	
Yellow-bellied Flycatcher	O	O		
Alder Flycatcher *	R	R	O	
Willow Flycatcher	Accidental			
Least Flycatcher *	C	C	R	

Eastern Phoebe *	R	R	R	
Great Crested Flycatcher *	R	R		
Western Kingbird *	U	U	O	
Eastern Kingbird *	C	C	R	
Scissor-tailed Flycatcher	Accidental			
Shrikes				
Loggerhead Shrike **	O	O		
Northern Shrike	O		O	O
Vireos				
Yellow-throated Vireo		O		
Blue-headed Vireo	O			
Warbling Vireo *	C	C		
Philadelphia Vireo	O	O		
Red-eyed Vireo **		R	O	
Jays and Crows				
Blue Jay *	U	U	U	U
Black-billed Magpie *	U	U	U	U
American Crow *	A	C	C	O
Common Raven	R	R	U	U
Larks				
Horned Lark *	A	C	C	R
Swallows				
Purple Martin *	R	R	O	
Tree Swallow *	A	A	U	
Violet-green Swallow	Accidental			
Northern Rough-winged	O	O		
Bank Swallow **	U	C	R	
Cliff Swallow *	U	C	R	
Barn Swallow *	A	A	C	
Chickadees				
Black-capped Chickadee *	U	U	U	U
Boreal Chickadee				Acc
Nuthatches and Creepers				
Red-breasted Nuthatch		O	O	O
White-breasted Nuthatch *	R	R	R	R
Brown Creeper	O		O	

Wrens				
House Wren *	C	C	U	
Winter Wren			O	
Sedge Wren *	C	C	U	
Marsh Wren *	C	C	U	
Gnatcatchers and Kinglets				
Golden-crowned Kinglet	O		R	
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	C		C	
Thrushes and Bluebirds				
Northern Wheatear	Hypothetical			
Eastern Bluebird **	O			
Mountain Bluebird	Accidental			
Veery	O			
Gray-cheeked Thrush	U		R	
Swainson's Thrush	C	O	C	
Hermit Thrush	C		U	
Wood Thrush	Accidental			
American Robin *	A	A	A	
Mockingbirds and Thrashers				
Gray Catbird *	C	C	U	
Northern Mockingbird	Accidental			
Brown Thrasher *	U	U	U	
Starlings				
European Starling *	C	C	C	R
Pipits				
American Pipit	U	O	U	
Sprague's Pipit *	R	R	O	
Waxwings				
Bohemian Waxwing				O
Cedar Waxwing *	U	U	U	O
Longspurs				
Lapland Longspur	A		A	O
Chestnut-collared Longspur *	R	R	R	
Smith's Longspur	U	O	U	
Snow Bunting	A	O	A	C

Warblers				
Ovenbird	R	O		
Northern Waterthrush	C	U	C	
Golden-winged Warbler	O			
Black-and-white Warbler	U			
Tennessee Warbler	C	C	U	
Orange-crowned Warbler	U	R	R	
Nashville Warbler	R	O	R	
Connecticut Warbler			O	
Mourning Warbler	O	O		
Common Yellowthroat *	C	C	C	
American Redstart	C	U	C	
Cape May Warbler	U			
Magnolia Warbler	U	O	R	
Bay-breasted Warbler	R			
Blackburnian Warbler	O	O		
Yellow Warbler *	C	C	U	
Chestnut-sided Warbler	R	O		
Blackpoll Warbler	C	R	U	
Black-throated Blue Warbler	Accidental			
Palm Warbler	C	R	C	
Yellow-rumped Warbler	A	U	A	
Black-throated Green Warbler	O	O	O	
Canada Warbler	R	O	O	
Wilson's Warbler	U	O	O	
Yellow-breasted Chat	Accidental			
Sparrows				
Eastern Towhee			O	
American Tree Sparrow	C		C	
Chipping Sparrow *	U	U	U	
Clay-colored Sparrow *	C	C	U	
Field Sparrow	Accidental			
Vesper Sparrow *	C	C	U	
Lark Sparrow *	O	O		
Lark Bunting	Accidental			
Savannah Sparrow *	A	A	A	
Grasshopper Sparrow *	O	O		
Baird's Sparrow		O	O	

Le Conte's Sparrow *	U	U	R	
Nelson's Sparrow *	U	U		
Fox Sparrow	U		U	
Song Sparrow *	C	C	U	
Lincoln's Sparrow	R	O	R	
Swamp Sparrow *	C	R	C	
White-throated Sparrow	C		C	
Harris's Sparrow	U		U	
White-crowned Sparrow	U		U	
Dark-eyed Junco	A	O	A	Acc
Tanagers				
Scarlet Tanager	O			
Cardinals and their Allies				
Rose-breasted Grosbeak *	R	R		
Indigo Bunting	Accidental			
Blackbirds and Orioles				
Bobolink *	C	C	U	
Red-winged Blackbird *	A	A	A	Acc
Western Meadowlark *	A	A	A	Acc
Yellow-headed Blackbird *	A	A	C	Acc
Rusty Blackbird	U		U	Acc
Brewer's Blackbird *	C	C	A	
Common Grackle *	U	R	U	Acc
Brown-headed Cowbird *	C	C	O	
Orchard Oriole	O	O		
Baltimore Oriole *	U	U	O	
Northern Finches				
Pine Grosbeak	O		O	O
Purple Finch	O	O	O	O
Red Crossbill	Accidental			
White-winged Crossbill		O	O	Acc
Common Redpoll	C		C	C
Hoary Redpoll	O		R	R
Pine Siskin	R	O	R	O
American Goldfinch *	C	A	C	O
Evening Grosbeak	O		O	O
Old World Sparrows				
House Sparrow *	A	A	A	C