

Wrens

- Rock Wren (S)
- Bewick's Wren (S, M)
- House Wren (S)

Old World Warblers, Thrushes, and Allies

- Ruby-crowned Kinglet (S, M)
- Eastern Bluebird (Y)
- Western Bluebird (Y)
- Mountain Bluebird (Y)
- Townsend's Solitaire (Y)
- American Robin (Y)

Starlings and Mimids

- European Starling (Y)
- Northern Mockingbird (S)
- Gray Catbird (S, M)
- Curve-billed Thrasher (M, S)

Waxwings

- Cedar Waxwing (M, W)

Finches, Pipits, and Old World Sparrows

- House Finch (Y)
- Lesser Goldfinch (S)
- American Goldfinch (Y)
- American Pipit (M, W)
- House Sparrow (Y)

Longspurs

- Lapland Longspur (W)

Sparrows and Allies

- Spotted Towhee (S)
- Canyon Towhee (I)
- American Tree Sparrow (W)
- Cassin's Sparrow (Y)
- Chipping Sparrow (S)
- Brewer's Sparrow (S)
- Lark Sparrow (S)
- Song Sparrow (S)
- White-crowned Sparrow (S, M)
- Dark-eyed Junco (Y)

Icterids

- Yellow-breasted Chat (M)
- Red-winged Blackbird (Y)
- Western Meadowlark (Y)

- Brewer's Blackbird (Y)
- Common Grackle (S)
- Brown-headed Cowbird (S)
- Bullock's Oriole (S, M)

Wood-Warblers

- Northern Waterthrush (M)
- Blue-winged Warbler (I)
- Nashville Warbler (M)
- Northern Parula (I)
- Yellow Warbler (S)
- Blackpoll Warbler (I)
- Yellow-rumped Warbler (M)
- Wilson's Warbler (M)

Tanagers and Allies

- Western Tanager (S)
- Rose-breasted Grosbeak (S)
- Black-headed Grosbeak (S)
- Blue Grosbeak (S)

Other Birds Sighted/Field Notes

Disclaimer: This checklist is composed of bird species that are most likely to be seen at this state park. The intent of this list is to help park visitors identify the breadth of species most commonly associated with this location. Other species that are rarely observed were purposely omitted from this list.

Sources: CPW Resource Stewardship Breeding Bird Survey Project (CPW Parkwide Breeding Bird Survey, CPW State Park Raptor Monitoring Project, Colorado Breeding Bird Atlas II, eBird, and other researched sources when available).

Birding Tips



Always view birds and other wildlife from a safe distance.



Use binoculars or a spotting scope for a closer view.



Protect young by avoiding nests or dens.



Help protect birds by using your senses to find them, not recorded calls.



To see more birds, keep voices and other sounds low.



Protect plants and wildlife by staying on trails and respecting closures.



Keep dogs leashed and under control at all times.



For the best viewing experience, leave pets at home.



Human food can hurt wildlife—please keep their diets wild.



Take nothing but pictures—leave what you find for others to enjoy.



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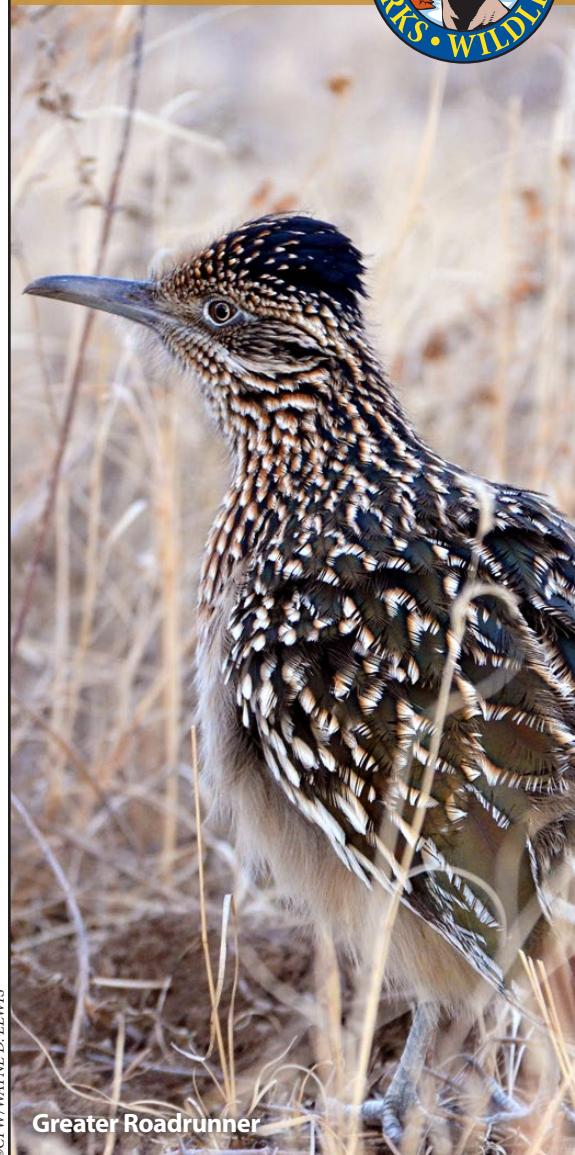


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Birds at Lake Pueblo State Park



BIRD SPECIES CHECKLIST



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Greater Roadrunner

Seasonal Visibility Key

- (S)—Summer
- (M)—Migration (Spring/Fall)
- (W)—Winter
- (I)—Infrequent
- (Y)—Year-round

Ducks, Geese, and Swans

- Snow Goose (M, W)
- Cackling Goose (M, W)
- Canada Goose (Y)
- Wood Duck (S, M)
- Gadwall (Y)
- American Wigeon (Y)
- Mallard (Y)
- Blue-winged Teal (S, M)
- Cinnamon Teal (S, M)
- Northern Shoveler (S, M)
- Northern Pintail (M, W)
- Green-winged Teal (M, W)
- Canvasback (M)
- Redhead (M)
- Greater Scaup (M)
- Lesser Scaup (M, W)
- Surf Scoter (I)
- Long-tailed Duck (W)
- Bufflehead (M, W)
- Common Goldeneye (W)
- Barrow's Goldeneye (W)
- Hooded Merganser (M, W)
- Common Merganser (W)
- Red-breasted Merganser (M)
- Ruddy Duck (S, M)

Landfowl

- Scaled Quail (W, M)
- Wild Turkey (Y)

Grebes

- Pied-billed Grebe (S, M)
- Horned Grebe (M)
- Red-necked Grebe (M)
- Eared Grebe (S, M)
- Western Grebe (S, M)
- Clark's Grebe (S, M)

Pigeons, Doves and Cuckoos

- Rock Pigeon (Y)
- Eurasian Collared-Dove (Y)
- Mourning Dove (Y)
- Yellow-billed Cuckoo (S)
- Greater Roadrunner (M, S)

Goatsuckers

- Common Nighthawk (S)
- Common Poorwill (S)

Swifts

- White-throated Swift (S, M)

Hummingbirds

- Black-chinned Hummingbird (M)
- Broad-tailed Hummingbird (S, M)

Rails, Coots, and Cranes

- American Coot (Y)

Shorebirds

- Killdeer (S, M)
- American Avocet (S, M)
- Spotted Sandpiper (S)
- Greater Yellowlegs (M)
- Lesser Yellowlegs (M)
- Whimbrel (M)
- Long-billed Curlew (S)
- Marbled Godwit (M)
- Wilson's Snipe (M)

Gulls and Terns

- Black-legged Kittiwake (I)
- Bonaparte's Gull (M)
- Laughing Gull (I)
- Franklin's Gull (S, M)
- Mew Gull (M)
- Ring-billed Gull (S, M, W)
- California Gull (S, M)
- Herring Gull (M, W)
- Thayer's Gull (I)
- Lesser Black-backed Gull (M, W)
- Glaucous-winged Gull (I)
- Great Black-backed Gull (M)
- Caspian Tern (M)
- Forster's Tern (M)

Loons

- Red-throated Loon (I)
- Common Loon (M)

Cormorants

- Double-crested Cormorant (S, M)

Pelicans

- American White Pelican (S, M)

Bitterns and Herons

- Great Blue Heron (Y)
- Snowy Egret (S, M)
- Black-crowned Night Heron (S)

Ibises

- White-faced Ibis (S, M)

New World Vultures

- Turkey Vulture (S, M)

Osprey

- Osprey (S, M)

Diurnal Raptors

- Bald Eagle (Y)
- Northern Harrier (Y)
- Sharp-shinned Hawk (Y)
- Cooper's Hawk (Y)
- Swainson's Hawk (S, M)
- Red-tailed Hawk (Y)
- Ferruginous Hawk (Y)
- Golden Eagle (Y)

Owls

- Barn Owl (S, M)
- Western Screech-Owl (Y)
- Great Horned Owl (Y)
- Burrowing Owl (S)
- Short-eared Owl (W)
- Northern Saw-whet Owl (Y)

Kingfishers

- Belted Kingfisher (Y)

Woodpeckers

- Ladder-backed Woodpecker (I)
- Downy Woodpecker (Y)
- Hairy Woodpecker (Y)
- Northern Flicker (Y)

Falcons

- American Kestrel (Y)
- Merlin (W)
- Peregrine Falcon (Y)
- Prairie Falcon (Y)

Tyrant Flycatchers

- Western Wood-Pewee (S, M)
- Eastern Wood-Pewee (I)
- Gray Flycatcher (I)
- Dusky Flycatcher (M)
- Black Phoebe (S)
- Eastern Phoebe (S, M)
- Say's Phoebe (S, M)
- Ash-throated Flycatcher (I)
- Cassin's Kingbird (M)
- Western Kingbird (S, M)
- Eastern Kingbird (S, M)

Shrikes and Vireos

- Loggerhead Shrike (S, M)
- Northern Shrike (W)
- Warbling Vireo (S, M)
- Red-eyed Vireo (S, M)

Jays, Crows, and Allies

- Blue Jay (Y)
- Black-billed Magpie (Y)
- American Crow (Y)
- Common Raven (Y)

Larks

- Horned Lark (Y)

Swallows

- Violet-green Swallow (M)
- Bank Swallow (S, M)
- Cliff Swallow (S)
- Barn Swallow (S, M)

Chickadees

- Black-capped Chickadee (Y)
- Juniper Titmouse (Y)
- Bushtit (Y)

Nuthatches and Creepers

- Red-breasted Nuthatch (M, W)
- White-breasted Nuthatch (Y)
- Brown Creeper (Y)