

**Pacific City Birding & Blues**  
**Summer Bird Checklist**  
**Tillamook Bay to Cascade Head, OR**

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Birders \_\_\_\_\_

Birds on this simplified list might be seen, spring thru fall, in their appropriate habitat. Pelagic, rare, secretive, accidental, irregular and exclusive winter residents not listed.

**Abundance**

**C** - Common: good chance of being seen

**U** - Uncommon: might be seen

**O** - Occasional: unlikely to be seen

*Migrant and winter resident abundance designations are for spring & fall.*

*Summer resident designations are for the summer, though some birds may be more abundant in the spring and fall.*

**Occurrence**

**P** - Permanent resident, seen year-round

**S** - Summer resident, spring thru fall

**M** - Migrant, spring, fall, maybe summer

**W** - Winter resident, spring & fall but absent to occasional in summer

**\*** - after name, known to breed locally

**Suggested sighting key**

**B** - Bob Straub State Park

**C** - Cascade Head, Neskowin

**K** - Cape Kiwanda SNA, Pacific City

**L** - Cape Lookout, State Park, Netarts

**M** - Cape Meares NWR, 3-Arch Rocks

**N** - Nestucca Valley, Nestucca Bay NWR

**R** - Coast Range fields & forests

**S** - Sand Lake, Clay Myers SNA

**T** - Tillamook Bay

**V** - Tillamook Valley

**WATERFOWL**

_____	Canada Goose, Western*	CP
_____	Cackling Goose, Aleutian	OW
_____	Brant	OW
_____	Wood Duck*	UP
_____	American Wigeon	UW
_____	Mallard*	CP
_____	Cinnamon Teal*	UP
_____	Northern Shoveler	UW
_____	Northern Pintail*	UW
_____	Green-winged Teal	UW
_____	Canvasback	UW
_____	Ring-necked Duck*	UM
_____	Greater Scaup	UM

_____	Lesser Scaup	OM
_____	Surf Scoter	UP
_____	White-winged Scoter	OP
_____	Bufflehead	WR
_____	Common Goldeneye	OM
_____	Hooded Merganser*	OP
_____	Common Merganser*	UP
_____	Red-breasted Merganser	OW
_____	Ruddy Duck	UW

**LOONS AND GREBES**

_____	Pacific Loon	UW
_____	Common Loon	UW
_____	Pied-billed Grebe	OP
_____	Horned Grebe	UW
_____	Western Grebe	OP

**PELICANS AND CORMORANTS**

_____	Brown Pelican	US
_____	Brandt's Cormorant*	UP
_____	Double-crested Cormorant*	CP
_____	Pelagic Cormorant*	UP

**HERONS AND EGRETS**

_____	Great Blue Heron*	CP
_____	Great Egret*	UP

**VULTURES AND RAPTORS**

_____	Turkey Vulture*	CS
_____	Osprey*	OS
_____	White-tailed Kite*	OP
_____	Bald Eagle*	CP
_____	Northern Harrier*	OP
_____	Sharp-shinned Hawk*	OP
_____	Cooper's Hawk*	OP
_____	Red-tailed Hawk*	UP
_____	American Kestrel*	OP
_____	Peregrine Falcon*	OP

**COOTS**

_____	American Coot*	OP
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**PLOVERS**

_____	Black-bellied Plover	OP
_____	Semipalmated Plover	UM
_____	Killdeer*	UP

**SHOREBIRDS**

_____	Black Oystercatcher*	UP
_____	Greater Yellowlegs	OP
_____	Whimbrel	US
_____	Marbled Godwit	OP
_____	Black Turnstone	OP
_____	Surfbird	OP

_____	Sanderling	UP
_____	Western Sandpiper	UP
_____	Least Sandpiper	UP
_____	Dunlin	UM
_____	Short-billed Dowitcher	OS
_____	Long-billed Dowitcher	OP
_____	Red-necked Phalarope	UM

**GULLS AND TERNS**

_____	Bonaparte's Gull	OS
_____	Heermann's Gull	US
_____	Mew Gull	UW
_____	Ring-billed Gull*	OP
_____	California Gull	UP
_____	Western Gull*	CP
_____	Glaucous-winged Gull*(1)	UP
_____	Caspian Tern	CS
_____	Arctic Tern	OS

**SEABIRDS (headlands, offshore rocks)**

_____	Common Murre*	CP
_____	Pigeon Guillemot*	CP
_____	Rhinoceros Auklet*	OP
_____	Tufted Puffin*	OS

**PIGEONS AND DOVES**

_____	Rock Dove*	CP
_____	Band-tailed Pigeon*	UP
_____	Mourning Dove*	OP

**HUMMINGBIRDS**

_____	Anna's Hummingbird*	OP
_____	Rufous Hummingbird*	US

**KINGFISHERS AND WOODPECKERS**

_____	Belted Kingfisher*	UP
_____	Downy Woodpecker*	UP
_____	Hairy Woodpecker*	UP
_____	Northern Flicker*	CP
_____	Pileated Woodpecker*	OP

**FLYCATCHERS AND VIREOS**

_____	Western Wood Pewee*	US
_____	Willow Flycatcher*	OS
_____	Pacific-Slope Flycatcher*	US
_____	Hutton's Vireo*	OP
_____	Warbling Vireo*	US

**JAYS AND CROWS**

_____	Steller's Jay*	UP
_____	American Crow*	CP
_____	Common Raven*	UP

(1) Often hybridizes with Western Gull