

Bird Sightings on Hardy Pond, Waltham

Ducks, Geese & Swans

Canada Goose **
Snow Goose
Mute Swan **
Wood Duck **
Gadwall
American Wigeon •
American Black Duck
Mallard **
Blue-Winged Teal
Northern Shoveler
Common Pintail
Green-winged Teal
Canvasback
Ring-necked Duck **
Greater Scaup
Lesser Scaup
Surf Scoter
Bufflehead **
Common Goldeneye
Common Merganser **
Hooded Merganser **
Ruddy Duck **

Upland Birds

Ring-necked Pheasant
Ruffed Grouse
Wild Turkey

Water Birds

Common Loon (2007)
Horned Grebe
Pied Billed Grebe **
Double-crested Cormorant **
Great Cormorant

Hérons and Egrets

Great Blue Heron **
Snowy Egret (2016)
Great Egret
Green Heron
Tricolored Heron
Black-crowned Night Heron
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Birds of Prey

Turkey Vulture
Osprey **
Bald Eagle **
Northern Harrier
Red-tail Hawk **
Cooper's Hawk
Sharp-shinned Hawk
American Kestrel

Marsh & Shore Birds

American Coot •
Common Gallinule
Killdeer
Semi-palmated Plover
Semi-palmated Sandpiper
Spotted Sandpiper •
Sanderling
Common Snipe
American Woodcock

Gulls & Terns

Bonaparte's Gull
Caspian Terns (2021)
Greater Black-backed Gull **
Herring Gull •
Ring-billed Gull **
Forster's Tern (2016)
Black Tern
Least Tern

Owls

Eastern Screech Owl
Barred Owl
Great Horned Owl

Other Non-Passerine Birds

Mourning Dove **
Rock Dove
Common Nighthawk
Chimney Swift **
Ruby-throated Hummingbird
Belted Kingfisher **

Woodpeckers

Downy Woodpecker **
Hairy Woodpecker
Red-bellied Woodpecker
Northern Flicker **

Flycatchers

Great Crested Flycatcher (2017)
Least Flycatcher
Eastern Phoebe
Eastern Kingbird **

Vireos

Warbling Vireo **
Red-Eyed Vireo
Philadelphia Vireo

White-eyed Vireo
Yellow-throated Vireo
Blue-headed Vireo

Crows & Jays

Blue Jay **
American Crow **

Swallows

Barn Swallow
Purple Martin
Rough-winged Swallow **
Tree Swallow **

Chickadees & Allies

Black-capped Chickadee **
Tufted Titmouse **
Red-breasted Nuthatch
White-breasted Nuthatch **
Brown Creeper
House Wren
Carolina Wren **
Ruby-crowned Kinglet
Golden-crowned Kinglet (2018)
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher

Thrushes

Swainson's Thrush
Hermit Thrush
Veery
American Robin **

Thrashers, Starlings, Waxwings

Grey Catbird **
Northern Mockingbird **
Brown Thrasher
Starling **
Cedar Waxwing •

Wood Warblers

American Redstart
Black-and-white Warbler
Black-throated Blue Warbler
Blackburnian Warbler (2020)
Black-throated Green Warbler
Warbler
Blue-winged Warbler
Canada Warbler
Chestnut-sided Warbler
Common Yellowthroat •

Lawrence's Warbler
Magnolia Warbler
Nashville Warbler
Northern Waterthrush
Northern Parula Warbler **
Palm Warbler
Pine Warbler
Worm-eating Warbler (2020)
Yellow Warbler **
Yellow-rumped Warbler **

Tanagers, Cardinals & Allies

Scarlet Tanager
Northern Cardinal **
Rose-breasted Grosbeak
Indigo Bunting

Emberizids

Eastern Towhee
American Tree Sparrow •
Field Sparrow
Chipping Sparrow
Savannah Sparrow
Lark Sparrow
White-crowned Sparrow
White-throated Sparrow **
Swamp Sparrow
Fox Sparrow
Song Sparrow **
Dark-eyed Junco **

Icterids

Brown-headed Cowbird
Red-winged Blackbird **
Rusty Blackbird
Common Grackle **
Baltimore Oriole **
Orchard Oriole

Finches & Old World Sparrows

Evening Grosbeak
Purple Finch
House Finch •
Common Redpoll
American Goldfinch •
House Sparrow **

These 157 species were sighted within view of Hardy Pond, 1981–early 2021 by Marc Rudnick & Sally Wetzler. We see about 70 species in a typical year.

** means frequently seen, • means formerly frequent