2025 Christmas Bird Count - Summary *Date Dec 14, 2025*_____

Parksville Qualicum Beach 33rd Christmas Bird Count (Audubon 124th)

51 **Observers (in field)** **Households with Feeder Counts**

Temp _7____ to __12__ **Wind** E____Velocity high at times **Time** Start___7__a.m. Finish___5__p.m. **Water Condition**

Snow 0_____inches **Circle A.M.** ***Rain heavy at times*** **Circle P.M.** ***Rain*** **Still** ***open*** **Moving** ***open***

Observer Effort

		# hours (on foot)	42.6
Minimum # of parties	8	**# hours (by car)**	21.12
Maximum # of parties	14	**# hours (by boat)**	
		# hours (owling)	1.25

Observer distance

	km
distance (on foot)	55.09
distance (by car)	371.7
distance (by boat)	
distance (owling)	1

Field Notes Req'd if Not Listed	**#**		**#**		**#**
Snow Goose	19	Dunlin	348	American Crow	411
Gr. White-fronted Goose		Wilson's Snipe		Common Raven	333
Brant	143	Spotted Sandpiper		Chestnut-backed Chick.	234
Cackling Goose	67	Greater Yellowlegs	5	Bushtit	54
Canada Goose	1461	Common Murre	291	Golden-crowned Kinglet	180
Mute Swan		Pigeon Guillemot	1	Ruby-crowned Kinglet	36
Trumpeter Swan	432	Marbled Murrelet	8	Red-breasted Nuthatch	83
Tundra Swan		Ancient Murrelet	cw	Brown Creeper	17
Wood Duck	7	Rhinoceros Auklet	27	Pacific Wren	28
Northern Shoveler	1	**Short tailed Shearwater**	**112**	Marsh Wren	2
Gadwall	7	Parasitic Jaeger	1	Bewick's Wren	8
Eurasian Wigeon	3	Glaucous Gull		American Dipper	3
American Wigeon	2362	**Bonaparte's Gull**	**8900**	European Starling	1038
Mallard	2047	Short-billed Gull	817	Townsend's Solitaire	
Northern Pintail	70	Western Gull		Varied Thrush	6
Green-winged Teal	99	Ring-billed Gull	1	American Robin	206
Eurasian (Common Teal)		California Gull	4	Hermit Thrush	
Common Pochard		Herring Gull		Cedar Waxwing	5
Canvasback	1	Iceland (Thayer's) Gull	109	House Sparrow	18
Redhead		Glaucous-winged Gull	1203	American Pipit	
Ring-necked Duck	34	Red-throated Loon		Evening Grosbeak	39
Greater Scaup	9	Pacific Loon	1374	House Finch	145
Lesser Scaup	7	Common Loon	76	Purple Finch	13
Harlequin Duck	77	**Yellow-billed Loon**	**cw**	Pine Grosbeak	
Surf Scoter	369	Brandt's Cormorant	3	Red Crossbill	cw
White-winged Scoter	35	Pelagic Cormorant	25	Common Redpoll	
Black Scoter	10	Double-crested Cormorant	28	Pine Siskin	247
Long-tailed Duck	5	Great Blue Heron	26	American Goldfinch	
Bufflehead	477	Turkey Vulture	cw	Fox Sparrow	13
Common Goldeneye	197	Golden Eagle		Dark-eyed Junco	521
Barrow's Goldeneye	80	Northern Harrier		White-crowned Sparrow	80
Hooded Merganser	67	Sharp-shinned Hawk	4	Golden-crowned Sparrow	101
Common Merganser	138	Cooper's Hawk	4	**White-throated Sparrow**	**5**
Red-breasted Merganser	140	Bald Eagle (adult)	87	Savannah Sparrow	
Ruddy Duck		Bald Eagle (immature)	9	Song Sparrow	83
California Quail	6	Bald Eagle (unaged)	93	Lincoln's Sparrow	
Ring-necked Pheasant		Bald Eagle Total	189	**Swamp Sparrow**	**1**
Ruffed Grouse		Red-tailed Hawk	7	Spotted Towhee	81
Pied-billed Grebe		Barn Owl		Western Meadowlark	1
Horned Grebe	84	Western Screech-Owl		Red-winged Blackbird	246
Red-necked Grebe	41	Great Horned Owl	1	Brown-headed Cowbird	
Eared Grebe		Northern Pygmy Owl		Brewer's Blackbird	583
Western Grebe	1	Barred Owl	1	Orange-crowned Warbler	
Clark's Grebe	**1**	Short-eared Owl		Yellow-rumped Warbler	3
Rock Pigeon	3	Northern Saw-whet Owl		Townsend's Warbler	
Band tailed Pigeon		Belted Kingfisher	11	Palm Warbler	
Eurasian Collared-dove	88	Red-breasted Sapsucker	2	Unidentifed Cormorant	3
Mourning Dove		Downy Woodpecker	6	duck sp	30
Anna's Hummingbird	63	Hairy Woodpecker	5	Herring Glaucous hybrid	
Virginia Rail	1	Pileated Woodpecker	2	GlaucousxWestern hybrid	
American Coot		Northern Flicker	71	Unidentified__Larus_	15
Black Oystercatcher	32	American Kestrel	3	Unidentified_passerine___	
Black-bellied Plover	22	Merlin		Unidentified_woodpecker	1
Killdeer	37	Peregrine Falcon	1	Unidentified ____shearwater__	150
Black Turnstone	35	Hutton's Vireo	1	Unidentified sparrows	
Surfbird		Northern Shrike	2	Unidentified Gull	5195
Sanderling	**1**	Steller's Jay	30		

High Count

Low Count

Unusual

New This Year

Total Number of Birds	32,696
Total Species on Count Day	112
Additional Species Count Week	4