

Birds**Big Thicket National Preserve Species List - Birds**

Scientific Name	Common Name
<i>Aix sponsa</i>	Wood duck
<i>Anas acuta</i>	Northern Pintail
<i>Anas americana</i>	American Wigeon
<i>Anas clypeata</i>	Northern Shoveler
<i>Anas crecca</i>	Eurasian Teal, Green-winged Teal
<i>Anas cyanoptera</i>	Cinnamon Teal
<i>Anas discors</i>	Blue-winged Teal
<i>Anas fulvigula</i>	Mottled Duck
<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>	Mallard
<i>Anas rubripes</i>	American Black Duck
<i>Anas strepera</i>	Gadwall
<i>Anser albifrons</i>	Greater White-fronted Goose
<i>Aythya affinis</i>	Lesser Scaup
<i>Aythya americana</i>	Redhead
<i>Aythya collaris</i>	Ring-necked Duck
<i>Aythya marila</i>	Greater Scaup
<i>Aythya valisineria</i>	Canvasback
<i>Branta canadensis</i>	Canada Goose
<i>Bucephala albeola</i>	Bufflehead
<i>Bucephala clangula</i>	Common Goldeneye
<i>Chen caerulescens</i>	Snow Goose
<i>Dendrocygna autumnalis</i>	Black-bellied Whistling-duck
<i>Dendrocygna bicolor</i>	Fulvous Whistling-Duck, Fulvous Whistling Duck
<i>Lophodytes cucullatus</i>	Hooded Merganser
<i>Mergus serrator</i>	Red-breasted Merganser
<i>Oxyura jamaicensis</i>	Ruddy Duck
<i>Chaetura pelagica</i>	Chimney Swift
<i>Archilochus colubris</i>	Ruby-throated Hummingbird
<i>Selasphorus rufus</i>	Rufous Hummingbird
<i>Accipiter cooperii</i>	Cooper's Hawk

<i>Accipiter striatus</i>	Sharp-shinned Hawk
<i>Aquila chrysaetos</i>	Golden Eagle
<i>Buteo jamaicensis</i>	Red-tailed Hawk
<i>Buteo lineatus</i>	Red-shouldered Hawk
<i>Buteo platypterus</i>	Broad-winged Hawk
<i>Buteo swainsoni</i>	Swainson's Hawk
<i>Circus cyaneus</i>	Northern Harrier
<i>Elanoides forficatus</i>	American Swallow-tailed Kite
<i>Elanus caeruleus</i>	Black-shouldered Kite, Black-winged Kite
<i>Haliaeetus leucocephalus</i>	Bald Eagle
<i>Ictinia mississippiensis</i>	Mississippi Kite
<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>	Osprey
<i>Anhinga anhinga</i>	Snakebird, Darter, American Darter, or Water Turkey
<i>Ardea herodias</i>	Great Blue Heron
<i>Botaurus lentiginosus</i>	American Bittern
<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>	Cattle Egret
<i>Butorides virescens</i>	Green Heron
<i>Casmerodius albus</i>	Great Egret
<i>Egretta caerulea</i>	Little Blue Heron
<i>Egretta rufescens</i>	Reddish Egret
<i>Egretta thula</i>	Snowy Egret
<i>Egretta tricolor</i>	Tricolored Heron
<i>Ixobrychus exilis</i>	Least Bittern
<i>Nyctanassa violacea</i>	Yellow-crowned Night-Heron
<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>	Black-crowned Night Heron, Black-crowned Night-Heron
<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	Piping Plover
<i>Charadrius semipalmatus</i>	Semipalmated Plover
<i>Charadrius vociferus</i>	Killdeer
<i>Himantopus mexicanus</i>	Ae'o, Black-necked Stilt, Hawaiian Stilt
<i>Pluvialis dominica</i>	American Golden Plover, American Golden-Plover, Lesser Golden-Plover
<i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>	Grey Plover, Black-bellied Plover
<i>Recurvirostra americana</i>	American Avocet
<i>Cathartes aura</i>	Turkey Vulture

<i>Coragyps atratus</i>	Black Vulture
<i>Mycteria americana</i>	Wood Stork
<i>Falco columbarius</i>	Merlin
<i>Falco peregrinus</i>	Peregrine Falcon
<i>Falco sparverius</i>	American Kestrel
<i>Polyborus plancus</i>	Crested Caracara
<i>Fregata magnificens</i>	Magnificent Frigatebird
<i>Gavia immer</i>	Great Northern Loon, Common Loon
<i>Chlidonias niger</i>	Black Tern
<i>Gelochelidon nilotica</i>	Gull-billed Tern
<i>Larus argentatus</i>	Herring Gull
<i>Larus atricilla</i>	Laughing Gull
<i>Larus delawarensis</i>	Ring-billed Gull
<i>Larus philadelphia</i>	Bonaparte's Gull
<i>Larus pipixcan</i>	Franklin's Gull
<i>Rynchops niger</i>	Black Skimmer
<i>Sterna antillarum</i>	Least Tern
<i>Sterna caspia</i>	Caspian Tern
<i>Sterna forsteri</i>	Forster's Tern
<i>Sterna hirundo</i>	Common Tern
<i>Sterna nilotica</i>	Gull-billed Tern
<i>Pelecanus erythrorhynchos</i>	American White Pelican
<i>Phalacrocorax auritus</i>	Double-crested Cormorant
<i>Phalacrocorax olivaceus</i>	Neotropic Cormorant or Olivaceous Cormorant
<i>Aechmophorus occidentalis</i>	Western Grebe
<i>Podiceps auritus</i>	Horned Grebe
<i>Podiceps nigricollis</i>	Eared Grebe, Black-necked Grebe
<i>Podilymbus podiceps</i>	Pied-billed Grebe
<i>Actitis macularia</i>	Spotted Sandpiper
<i>Arenaria interpres</i>	Ruddy Turnstone
<i>Bartramia longicauda</i>	Upland Sandpiper
<i>Calidris alba</i>	Sanderling
<i>Calidris alpina</i>	Dunlin

<i>Calidris bairdii</i>	Baird's Sandpiper
<i>Calidris fuscicollis</i>	White-rumped Sandpiper
<i>Calidris himantopus</i>	Stilt Sandpiper
<i>Calidris mauri</i>	Western Sandpiper
<i>Calidris melanotos</i>	Pectoral Sandpiper
<i>Calidris minutilla</i>	Least Sandpiper
<i>Calidris pusilla</i>	Semipalmated Sandpiper
<i>Catoptrophorus semipalmatus</i>	Willet
<i>Gallinago gallinago</i>	Common Snipe
<i>Limnodromus griseus</i>	Short-billed Dowitcher
<i>Limnodromus scolopaceus</i>	Long-billed Dowitcher
<i>Limosa fedoa</i>	Marbled Godwit
<i>Limosa haemastica</i>	Hudsonian Godwit
<i>Numenius americanus</i>	Long-billed Curlew
<i>Numenius borealis</i>	Eskimo Curlew
<i>Scolopax minor</i>	American Woodcock
<i>Steganopus tricolor</i>	Wilson's Phalarope
<i>Tringa flavipes</i>	Lesser Yellowlegs
<i>Tringa melanoleuca</i>	Greater Yellowlegs
<i>Tringa solitaria</i>	Solitary Sandpiper
<i>Tryngites subruficollis</i>	Buff-breasted Sandpiper
<i>Ajaia ajaja</i>	Roseate Spoonbill
<i>Eudocimus albus</i>	White Ibis
<i>Plegadis chihi</i>	White-faced Ibis
<i>Columba livia</i>	Common Pigeon, Rock Dove, Rock Pigeon
<i>Columbina inca</i>	Inca Dove
<i>Columbina passerina</i>	Common Ground Dove, Common Ground-Dove
<i>Zenaida macroura</i>	Mourning Dove
<i>Ceryle alcyon</i>	Belted Kingfisher
<i>Coccyzus americanus</i>	Yellow-billed Cuckoo
<i>Coccyzus erythrophthalmus</i>	Black-billed Cuckoo
<i>Crotophaga sulcirostris</i>	Groove-billed Ani
<i>Geococcyx californianus</i>	Greater Roadrunner

<i>Colinus virginianus</i>	Northern Bobwhite
<i>Meleagris gallopavo</i>	Wild Turkey
<i>Tympanuchus cupido</i>	Greater Prairie-Chicken, Greater Prairie Chicken
<i>Grus americana</i>	Whooping Crane
<i>Grus canadensis</i>	Sandhill Crane
<i>Fulica americana</i>	American Coot
<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>	Common Moorhen
<i>Porphyryla martinica</i>	Purple Gallinule
<i>Porzana carolina</i>	Sora
<i>Rallus elegans</i>	King Rail
<i>Rallus limicola</i>	Virginia Rail
<i>Rallus longirostris</i>	Clapper Rail
<i>Eremophila alpestris</i>	Horned Lark
<i>Bombycilla cedrorum</i>	Cedar Waxwing
<i>Cardinalis cardinalis</i>	Northern Cardinal
<i>Guiraca caerulea</i>	Blue Grosbeak
<i>Passerina ciris</i>	Painted Bunting
<i>Passerina cyanea</i>	Indigo Bunting
<i>Pheucticus ludovicianus</i>	Rose-breasted Grosbeak
<i>Pheucticus melanocephalus</i>	Black-headed Grosbeak
<i>Spiza americana</i>	Dickcissel
<i>Certhia americana</i>	Brown Creeper
<i>Polioptila caerulea</i>	Blue-gray Gnatcatcher
<i>Corvus brachyrhynchos</i>	American Crow
<i>Corvus ossifragus</i>	Fish Crow
<i>Cyanocitta cristata</i>	Blue Jay
<i>Nucifraga columbiana</i>	Clark's Nutcracker
<i>Aimophila aestivalis</i>	Bachman's Sparrow
<i>Ammodramus henslowii</i>	Henslow's Sparrow
<i>Ammodramus leconteii</i>	Le Conte's Sparrow
<i>Ammodramus savannarum</i>	Grasshopper Sparrow
<i>Calcarius lapponicus</i>	Lapland Longspur
<i>Chondestes grammacus</i>	Lark Sparrow

<i>Junco hyemalis</i>	Dark-eyed Junco
<i>Melospiza georgiana</i>	Swamp Sparrow
<i>Melospiza lincolni</i>	Lincoln's Sparrow
<i>Melospiza melodia</i>	Song Sparrow
<i>Passerculus sandwichensis</i>	Savannah Sparrow
<i>Passerella iliaca</i>	Fox Sparrow
<i>Pipilo erythrophthalmus</i>	Rufous-sided Towhee
<i>Pooecetes gramineus</i>	Vesper Sparrow
<i>Spizella pallida</i>	Clay-colored Sparrow
<i>Spizella passerina</i>	Chipping Sparrow
<i>Spizella pusilla</i>	Field Sparrow
<i>Zonotrichia albicollis</i>	White-throated Sparrow
<i>Zonotrichia leucophrys</i>	White-crowned Sparrow
<i>Zonotrichia querula</i>	Harris's Sparrow, Harris' Sparrow
<i>Carduelis pinus</i>	Pine Siskin
<i>Carduelis tristis</i>	American Goldfinch
<i>Carpodacus mexicanus</i>	House Finch
<i>Carpodacus purpureus</i>	Purple Finch
<i>Coccothraustes vespertinus</i>	Evening Grosbeak
<i>Loxia curvirostra</i>	Red Crossbill
<i>Hirundo pyrrhonota</i>	Cliff Swallow
<i>Hirundo rustica</i>	Barn Swallow
<i>Progne subis</i>	Purple Martin
<i>Riparia riparia</i>	Bank Swallow
<i>Stelgidopteryx serripennis</i>	Northern Rough-winged Swallow
<i>Tachycineta bicolor</i>	Tree Swallow
<i>Agelaius phoeniceus</i>	Red-winged Blackbird
<i>Dolichonyx oryzivorus</i>	Bobolink
<i>Euphagus carolinus</i>	Rusty Blackbird
<i>Euphagus cyanocephalus</i>	Brewer's Blackbird
<i>Icterus galbula</i>	Northern Oriole, Baltimore Oriole
<i>Icterus spurius</i>	Orchard Oriole
<i>Molothrus ater</i>	Brown-headed Cowbird

<i>Quiscalus major</i>	Boat-tailed Grackle
<i>Quiscalus mexicanus</i>	Great-tailed Grackle
<i>Quiscalus quiscula</i>	Common Grackle
<i>Sturnella magna</i>	Eastern Meadowlark
<i>Sturnella neglecta</i>	Western Meadowlark
<i>Xanthocephalus xanthocephalus</i>	Yellow-headed Blackbird
<i>Lanius ludovicianus</i>	Loggerhead Shrike
<i>Dumetella carolinensis</i>	Gray Catbird
<i>Mimus polyglottos</i>	Northern Mockingbird
<i>Toxostoma rufum</i>	Brown Thrasher
<i>Anthus spinoletta</i>	Water Pipit
<i>Anthus spragueii</i>	Sprague's Pipit
<i>Parus bicolor</i>	Tufted Titmouse
<i>Parus carolinensis</i>	Carolina Chickadee
<i>Dendroica caerulescens</i>	Black-throated Blue Warbler
<i>Dendroica castanea</i>	Bay-breasted Warbler
<i>Dendroica cerulea</i>	Cerulean Warbler
<i>Dendroica coronata</i>	Yellow-rumped Warbler
<i>Dendroica discolor</i>	Prairie Warbler
<i>Dendroica dominica</i>	Yellow-throated Warbler
<i>Dendroica fusca</i>	Blackburnian Warbler
<i>Dendroica magnolia</i>	Magnolia Warbler
<i>Dendroica palmarum</i>	Palm Warbler
<i>Dendroica pensylvanica</i>	Chestnut-sided Warbler
<i>Dendroica petechia</i>	Yellow Warbler
<i>Dendroica pinus</i>	Pine Warbler
<i>Dendroica striata</i>	Blackpoll Warbler
<i>Dendroica tigrina</i>	Cape May Warbler
<i>Dendroica virens</i>	Black-throated Green Warbler
<i>Geothlypis trichas</i>	Common Yellowthroat
<i>Helmitheros vermivorus</i>	Worm-eating Warbler
<i>Icteria virens</i>	Yellow-breasted Chat
<i>Limnothlypis swainsonii</i>	Swainson's Warbler

<i>Mniotilta varia</i>	Black-and-white Warbler
<i>Oporornis formosus</i>	Kentucky Warbler
<i>Oporornis philadelphia</i>	Mourning Warbler
<i>Parula americana</i>	Northern Parula
<i>Protonotaria citrea</i>	Prothonotary Warbler
<i>Seiurus aurocapillus</i>	Ovenbird
<i>Seiurus motacilla</i>	Louisiana Waterthrush
<i>Seiurus noveboracensis</i>	Northern Waterthrush
<i>Setophaga ruticilla</i>	American Redstart
<i>Vermivora bachmanii</i>	Bachman's Wood Warbler, Bachman's Warbler
<i>Vermivora celata</i>	Orange-crowned Warbler
<i>Vermivora chrysoptera</i>	Golden-winged Warbler
<i>Vermivora peregrina</i>	Tennessee Warbler
<i>Vermivora pinus</i>	Blue-winged Warbler
<i>Vermivora ruficapilla</i>	Nashville Warbler
<i>Wilsonia canadensis</i>	Canada Warbler
<i>Wilsonia citrina</i>	Hooded Warbler
<i>Wilsonia pusilla</i>	Wilson's Warbler
<i>Passer domesticus</i>	House Sparrow
<i>Regulus calendula</i>	Ruby-crowned Kinglet
<i>Regulus satrapa</i>	Golden-crowned Kinglet
<i>Sitta canadensis</i>	Red-breasted Nuthatch
<i>Sitta carolinensis</i>	White-breasted Nuthatch
<i>Sitta pusilla</i>	Brown-headed Nuthatch
<i>Sturnus vulgaris</i>	European Starling
<i>Piranga ludoviciana</i>	Western Tanager
<i>Piranga olivacea</i>	Scarlet Tanager
<i>Piranga rubra</i>	Summer Tanager
<i>Cistothorus palustris</i>	Marsh Wren
<i>Cistothorus platensis</i>	Sedge Wren
<i>Thryomanes bewickii</i>	Bewick's Wren
<i>Thryothorus ludovicianus</i>	Carolina Wren
<i>Troglodytes aedon</i>	House Wren

Troglodytes troglodytes	Winter Wren
Catharus fuscescens	Veery (Thrush)
Catharus guttatus	Hermit Thrush
Catharus minimus	Gray-cheeked Thrush
Catharus ustulatus	Swainson's Thrush
Hylocichla mustellina	Wood Thrush
Sialia sialis	Eastern Bluebird
Turdus migratorius	American Robin
Contopus borealis	Olive-sided Flycatcher
Contopus virens	Eastern Wood-pewee
Empidonax flaviventris	Yellow-bellied Flycatcher
Empidonax minimus	Least Flycatcher
Empidonax virescens	Acadian Flycatcher
Myiarchus crinitus	Great Crested Flycatcher
Pyrocephalus rubinus	Vermilion Flycatcher
Sayornis phoebe	Eastern Phoebe
Tyrannus forficatus	Scissor-tailed Flycatcher
Tyrannus tyrannus	Eastern Kingbird
Tyrannus verticalis	Western Kingbird
Vireo bellii	Bell's Vireo
Vireo flavifrons	Yellow-throated Vireo
Vireo gilvus	Warbling Vireo
Vireo griseus	White-eyed Vireo
Vireo olivaceus	Red-eyed Vireo
Vireo philadelphicus	Philadelphia Vireo
Vireo solitarius	Solitary Vireo
Campephilus principalis	Ivory-billed Woodpecker
Colaptes auratus	Northern Flicker
Dryocopus pileatus	Pileated Woodpecker
Melanerpes carolinus	Red-bellied Woodpecker
Melanerpes erythrocephalus	Red-headed Woodpecker
Picoides borealis	Red-cockaded Woodpecker
Picoides pubescens	Downy Woodpecker

<i>Picoides villosus</i>	Hairy Woodpecker
<i>Sphyrapicus varius</i>	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
<i>Caprimulgus carolinensis</i>	Chuck-will's-widow
<i>Caprimulgus vociferus</i>	Eastern Whip-poor-will
<i>Chordeiles minor</i>	Common Nighthawk
<i>Aegolius acadicus</i>	Northern Saw-whet Owl
<i>Asio flammeus</i>	Short-eared Owl
<i>Asio otus</i>	Long-eared Owl
<i>Bubo virginianus</i>	Great Horned Owl
<i>Otus asio</i>	Eastern Screech-owl
<i>Strix varia</i>	Barred Owl
<i>Tyto alba</i>	Common Barn-Owl, Barn Owl