

<b>CHECK LIST</b>		Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
<b>Ducks</b>					
	Wood Duck	r	r	r	u
	Blue-winged Teal	f	u	f	c
	Green-winged Teal	r		r	u
	Greater Scaup	u		u	f
	Lesser Scaup	c		c	c
	White-winged Scoter	u		u	f
	Surf Scoter	u		u	f
	Black Scoter	f		f	c
	Bufflehead	f		f	c
	Hooded Merganser	f		c	c
	Red-breasted Merganser	c		c	c
	Ruddy Duck	f		f	f
<b>Gallinaceous Birds</b>					
	Wild Turkey	f	f	f	f
<b>Loons &amp; Grebes</b>					
	Red-throated Loon	f		u	c
	Common Loon	f		f	c
	Pied-billed Grebe	c	u	c	c
	Horned Grebe	r		r	f
<b>Gannets</b>					
	Northern Gannet	f		f	f
<b>Pelicans, Cormorants etc.</b>					
	American White Pelican	f		f	f
	Brown Pelican	c	c	c	c
	Double Crested Cormorant	c	f	c	c
	Anhinga	u	f	f	f
<b>Hérons, Egrets &amp; Bitterns</b>					
	American Bittern	u		u	u
	Least Bittern	f	f	f	
	Great Blue Heron	c	c	c	c
	Great Egret	c	c	c	c
	Snowy Egret	c	c	c	c
	Little Blue Heron	c	c	c	c
	Tricolored Heron	c	c	c	c
	Reddish Egret	f	f	f	
	Cattle Egret	f	f	f	
	Green Heron	c	c	f	f
	Black-crowned Night-Heron	f	f	f	f
	Yellow-crowned Night-Heron	u	u	u	u

<b>Ibises &amp; Storks</b>		Sp	Su	F	W
	White Ibis	f	f	c	c
	Glossy Ibis	u	f	u	u
	Roseate Spoonbill	u	u	u	
	Wood Stork	c	c	c	f
<b>Vultures</b>					
	Black Vulture	c	c	c	c
	Turkey Vulture	c	c	c	c
<b>Hawks, Eagles &amp; Allies</b>					
	Osprey	c	c	c	c
	Swallow-tailed Kite	r	r	r	
	Mississippi Kite	r	f	r	
	Bald Eagle	f	u	f	f
	Northern Harrier	u		u	f
	Sharp-shinned Hawk	c	c	f	f
	Cooper's Hawk	c	c	f	f
	Red-shouldered Hawk	f	f	f	f
	Red-tailed Hawk	c	c	c	c
<b>Falcons</b>					
	American Kestrel	f	r	f	f
	Merlin	u		u	f
	Peregrine Falcon	c	c	f	f
<b>Rail &amp; Coots etc.</b>					
	Clapper Rail	c	c	c	c
	Virginia Rail	f		f	f
	Sora	f		f	f
	Common Gallinule	f	f	f	f
	American Coot	f		f	c
<b>Plovers</b>					
	Black-bellied Plover	c	c	c	c
	Wilson's Plover	c	c	c	u
	Semipalmated Plover	c	c	c	c
	Piping Plover	c	f	c	c
	Killdeer	c	c	c	c
<b>Oystercatchers &amp; Stilts</b>					
	American Oystercatcher	c	c	c	c
	Black-necked Stilt	f	f	f	
<b>Sandpipers</b>					
	Spotted Sandpiper	f	f	f	f
	Solitary Sandpiper	u	r	u	r
	Willet	c	c	c	c
	Greater Yellowlegs	c	f	c	c
	Lesser Yellowlegs	f	f	f	c
	Whimbrel	f	f	f	r
	Marbled Godwit	f	f	f	f

<b>Sandpipers (cont.)</b>		Sp	Su	F	W
	Ruddy Turnstone	c	f	c	c
	Red Knot	c		f	c
	Sanderling	c	c	c	c
	Semipalmated Sandpiper	c	f	c	
	Western Sandpiper	c	f	c	c
	Least Sandpiper	f	f	f	f
	Dunlin	c	f	c	c
	Short-billed Dowitcher	f	f	f	c
<b>Gulls</b>					
	Laughing Gull	c	c	c	f
	Bonaparte's Gull	f		u	f
	Ring-billed Gull	c	c	c	c
	Herring Gull	c	f	c	c
	Lesser Black-backed Gull	u		u	u
	Greater Black-backed Gull	u		u	f
<b>Terns &amp; Skimmers</b>					
	Least Tern	c	c	f	
	Gull-billed Tern	f	f	f	
	Caspian Tern	f	f	f	c
	Black Tern		f	f	
	Common Tern	f	f	f	
	Forster's Tern	c	f	f	c
	Royal Tern	c	c	c	f
	Sandwich Tern	f	f	f	
	Black Skimmer	c	c	c	f
<b>Pigeons &amp; Doves</b>					
	Mourning Dove	c	c	c	c
	Common Ground-Dove	f	f	f	f
	Eurasian Collared-Dove	c	c	c	c
<b>Cuckoos</b>					
	Yellow-billed Cuckoo	o	o	o	
<b>Owls</b>					
	Eastern Screech Owl	f	f	f	f
	Great Horned Owl	f	f	f	f
	Barred Owl	f	f	f	f
<b>Nightjars</b>					
	Common Nighthawk	f	f	f	
	Chuck-wills-widow	f	f	f	
<b>Swifts &amp; Hummingbirds</b>					
	Chimney Swift	f	c	f	
	Ruby-throated Hummer	f	f	f	r

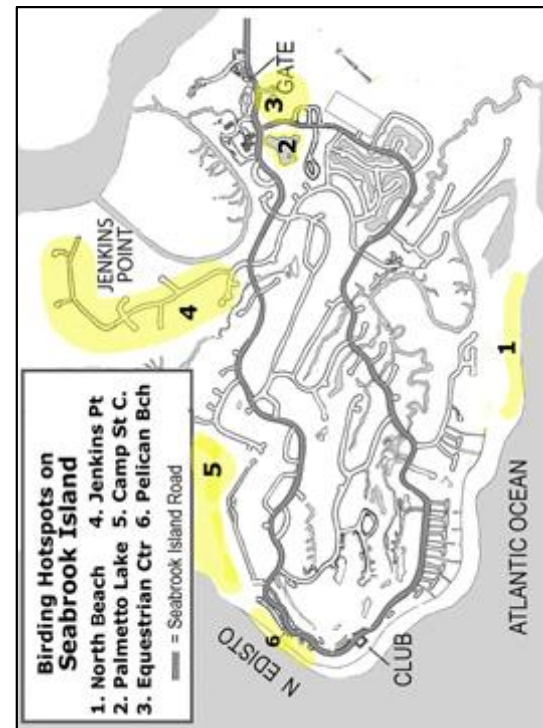
<b>Kingfishers</b>		Sp	Su	F	W
	Belted Kingfisher	c	f	c	c
<b>Woodpeckers</b>					
	Red-headed Woodpecker	u	u	u	u
	Red-bellied Woodpecker	c	c	c	c
	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	f		f	c
	Downy Woodpecker	c	c	c	c
	Hairy Woodpecker	u	u	u	u
	Northern Flicker	c	f	c	c
	Pileated Woodpecker	c	f	c	c
<b>Flycatchers</b>					
	Eastern Wood-Pewee	f		f	c
	Eastern Phoebe	f		f	c
	Great Crested Flycatcher	c	c	f	
	Eastern Kingbird	f	c	f	
<b>Shrikes</b>					
	Loggerhead Shrike	f	f	f	r
<b>Vireos</b>					
	White-eyed Vireo	f	f	f	u
	Yellow-throated Vireo	u		u	
	Blue-headed Vireo	f		f	f
	Red-eyed Vireo	u	r	c	
<b>Jays &amp; Crows</b>					
	Blue Jay	c	c	c	c
	American Crow	c	c	c	c
	Fish Crow	c	c	c	c
<b>Swallows</b>					
	Purple Martin	f	f	f	
	Tree Swallow	c		c	c
	N. Rough-winged Swallow	f	f	f	
	Barn swallow	c	c	c	
<b>Chickadees, Titmice &amp; Creepers</b>					
	Carolina Chickadee	c	c	c	c
	Tufted Titmouse	c	c	c	c
	Brown Creeper	u		u	u
<b>Nuthatches</b>					
	Red-breasted Nuthatch				u
	White-breasted Nuthatch				u
	Brown-head Nuthatch	f	f	f	f
<b>Wrens</b>					
	Carolina Wren	c	c	c	c

Wrens (cont.)	Sp	Su	F	W
House Wren	f		f	f
Winter Wren	r		u	r
Sedge Wren	f		f	f
Marsh Wren	f	f	f	f
Kinglets & Gnatcatchers				
Golden-crowned Kinglet	f		f	f
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	c		c	c
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	c	c	c	f
Thrushes				
Eastern Bluebird	c	c	c	c
Veery	u		f	
Gray-cheeked Thrush	r		u	
Swainson's Thrush	r		u	
Hermit Thrush	f		f	c
American Robin	u		u	f
Mockingbirds & Thrashers				
Gray Catbird	c	r	c	c
Northern Mockingbird	c	c	c	c
Brown Thrasher	c	c	f	f
Starlings				
European Starling	c	c	c	c
Waxwings				
Cedar Waxwing	c		f	c
Wood Warblers				
Orange-crowned Warbler	u		u	f
Northern Parula	c	c	c	
Yellow Warbler	r		u	
Magnolia Warbler	r		u	
Cape May Warbler	r		u	
Black-throated Blue	r		f	
Yellow-rumped Warbler	c		c	c
Yellow-throated Warbler	c	c	f	u
Pine Warbler	c	c	c	c
Prairie Warbler	u	f	f	
Palm Warbler	c		c	f
Black & White Warbler	f		f	u
American Redstart	u	u	c	
Prothonotary Warbler	u	u	c	
Ovenbird	u		f	r
Northern Waterthrush	r	u	f	

Wood Warblers (cont.)	Sp	Su	F	W
Common Yellowthroat	f	u	f	f
Hooded Warbler	r		f	
Yellow-breasted Chat	r	u	u	
Sparrows, Buntings etc.				
Eastern Towhee	f	f	f	f
Chipping Sparrow	f		c	c
Field Sparrow	f		f	f
Savannah Sparrow	f		f	c
Nelson's Sparrow	f		f	f
Saltmarsh Sparrow	u		u	u
Seaside Sparrow	f	f	f	f
Song Sparrow	f		f	c
Swamp Sparrow	f		f	c
White-throated Sparrow	c		c	c
Dark-eyed Junco	u		u	u
Cardinals & Allies				
Summer Tanager	f	f	f	
Northern Cardinal	c	c	c	c
Rose-breasted Grosbeak	u		u	
Blue Grosbeak	f	f	f	
Indigo Bunting	f	u	f	u
Painted Bunting	f	c	f	r
Blackbirds & Orioles				
Bobolink	u		u	
Red-winged Blackbird	c	c	c	c
Eastern Meadowlark	f		f	f
Common Grackle	c	c	c	c
Boat-tailed Grackle	c	c	c	c
Brown-headed Cowbird	f	c	f	f
Orchard Oriole	c	c	c	
Baltimore Oriole	f	-	u	f
Finches				
Purple Finch				r
House Finch	c	c	f	f
American Goldfinch	u		u	u
Additions/Notes				

## Birding Hotspots on Seabrook Island

- North Beach:** One of the best beach birding areas in South Carolina. It should not be missed. Diverse and numerous shorebirds and seabirds.
- Palmetto Lake:** A ¼-mile paved, flat, walking path around the lake. See songbirds and warblers, birds of prey, herons and egrets.
- Equestrian Center:** Large pastures and woods – good for birds of prey and sparrows.
- Jenkins Point:** Large marsh habitat with many salt and fresh-water ponds. Spring egret and heron rookery. Winter ducks.
- St. Christopher Camp & Conference Center:** A privately owned camp with a good diversity of habitats and birds. For access, call 843-768-0429.
- Pelican Beach:** On N. Edisto River with beach, maritime forest, and views of salt marshes.



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for the  
Birds of Seabrook Island  
February 2017



Seasonal Abundance shown as:

- c: common – seen in suitable habitat
- f: fairly common – here, not certain to be seen
- u: uncommon – seen a few times during season
- r: rare – seen at intervals of 2 to 5 years

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_

Species: \_\_\_\_\_ Weather: \_\_\_\_\_