

# Hudsonian Godwit, Tufted Puffin, Pomarine Jaeger, Pink-footed Shearwater

This was a surprisingly wet and cool September! As is normal for fall migration, a number of unusual birds were found. It will be interesting to see what's found during the rest of the fall migration.

Abbreviations: Fern Ridge Reservoir (FRR), South Eugene High School (SEHS), South Jetty of the Siuslaw River (SJSR)

## WATERFOWL TO HAWKS

Greater White-fronted Goose.....	Sept 18 .....	SE Eugene.....	JG.....	First flocks heard migrating south
Greater White-fronted Goose.....	Sept 22 .....	Eugene area.....	M.ob.....	Very large numbers migrating overhead!
Red-necked Grebe.....	Sept 13 .....	FRR.....	TJ.....	Uncommon inland in Lane
Vaux's Swift (2274).....	Sept 7.....	Agate Hall, UO.....	BC.....	Regular roosting spot during migration
Rufous Hummingbird.....	Sept 26 .....	Eugene.....	DA .....	Last report for breeding season
Sandhill Crane (8).....	Sept 30 .....	SE Eugene.....	PR .....	Starting to migrate south
American Golden-Plover .....	Sept 28 .....	FRR - Royal Ave .....	M.ob.....	Small numbers during migration
Pacific Golden-Plover .....	Sept 1.....	FRR.....	RR.....	Small numbers during migration
Whimbrel .....	Sept 4.....	FRR - Royal Ave.....	TG-T.....	Small numbers during migration
Whimbrel (32).....	Sept 7.....	FRR - Royal Ave.....	JS,et al.....	Very large flock for Lane
Whimbrel (30).....	Sept 13 .....	FRR - Royal Ave.....	TJ.....	Same or different flock?
Long-billed Curlew .....	Sept 3.....	Siuslaw River mouth.....	AC,et al.....	Rare on the coast
Hudsonian Godwit.....	Sept 17 .....	FRR - Royal Ave.....	GM.....	Third record for Lane
Red Knot.....	Sept 3.....	SJSR crab dock.....	AC,et al.....	Small numbers found during migration
Dunlin .....	Sept 19 .....	FRR - Royal Ave.....	RR,JHo.....	First report for the winter
Solitary Sandpiper (2) .....	Sept 1.....	FRR - Royal Ave.....	PO.....	Small numbers are found during migration
Pomarine Jaeger.....	Sept 21 .....	Siltcoos River mouth .....	AC,et al.....	Uncommon from shore
Parasitic Jaeger.....	Sept 3.....	Heceta Beach .....	AC,TJ .....	Not uncommon during fall migration
Cassin's Auklet .....	Sept 3.....	Lane coast.....	AC,et al.....	Large numbers all along coast
Rhinoceros Auklet.....	Sept 3.....	Lane coast.....	AC,et al.....	Large numbers all along coast
Tufted Puffin (2).....	Sept 23 .....	Heceta Head .....	SW .....	Rarely found along Lane coast
Sabine's Gull.....	Sept 3.....	Heceta Beach .....	AC,et al.....	Uncommon from shore
Western Gull.....	Sept 9.....	SEHS.....	JG.....	Early sighting for the valley
Caspian Tern (2).....	Sept 22 .....	Alton Baker Park.....	RR.....	Unusual location for this species
Buller's Shearwater (3).....	Sept 10 .....	Siltcoos Beach.....	DF.....	Uncommonly seen from shore
Sooty Shearwater.....	Sept 1.....	Lane coast.....	DF.....	First report for the fall migration
Pink-footed Shearwater (3).....	Sept 17 .....	Siltcoos Beach.....	DF.....	Uncommonly seen from shore
White-faced Ibis .....	Sept 4.....	FRR - Royal Ave.....	EG.....	Rarely found in the fall
Swainson's Hawk.....	Sept 24 .....	SE Eugene.....	JG.....	About twenty reports for Lane, rarely in fall

## FLYCATCHERS TO GROSBEAKS

Olive-sided Flycatcher.....	Sept 20 .....	Waldo Lake.....	CC,CKJ.....	Last report for the breeding season
Pacific-slope Flycatcher.....	Sept 22 .....	SE Eugene.....	TM.....	Last report for the breeding season
Willow Flycatcher .....	Sept 9.....	FRR.....	JS.....	Last report for the breeding season
Cassin's Vireo.....	Sept 12 .....	Walterville Reservoir.....	VB.....	Last report for the breeding season
Warbling Vireo.....	Sept 21 .....	Alton Baker Park.....	CM.....	Last report for the breeding season
Purple Martin.....	Sept 10 .....	FRR - Royal Ave.....	RR.....	Last report for the breeding season
Ruby-crowned Kinglet.....	Sept 11 .....	Mt Pisgah.....	JHa.....	First report for the winter in the valley
House Wren .....	Sept 23 .....	Springfield.....	JS.....	Last report for the breeding season
Varied Thrush .....	Sept 19 .....	Spencer Butte.....	RF .....	First report for winter in the valley
Lapland Longspur .....	Sept 20 .....	Siltcoos .....	DF.....	Migrate through in small numbers
Lapland Longspur .....	Sept 23 .....	FRR.....	KP .....	Migrate through in small numbers

Fox Sparrow.....	Sept 6.....	N Eugene .....	CT.....	First report for winter in the valley
Golden-crowned Sparrow.....	Sept 12 .....	FRR - Royal Ave.....	JS.....	First report for the winter
Yellow-headed Blackbird .....	Sept 6.....	FRR - Royal Ave.....	BMc.....	Last report for the breeding season
Bobolink.....	Sept 8.....	FRR - Royal Ave.....	HH,et al.....	Eighth record for Lane
Tricolored Blackbird.....	Sept 6.....	FRR - Royal Ave.....	SH.....	Less than ten records for Lane
Black-and-White Warbler.....	Sept 1.....	Hillaire St.....	JSp.....	About tenth record for Lane
Townsend's Warbler.....	Sept 18 .....	River Rd area.....	BC.....	First report from the valley
Hermit Warbler.....	Sept 14 .....	Hardesty Mtn .....	JG.....	Last report for the breeding season
Black-headed Grosbeak.....	Sept 21 .....	Ridgeline Trail .....	TM.....	Last report for the breeding season

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