

## Field Notes: September 2024

# White-faced Ibis, Black-and-White Warbler, Sabine's Gull, Snow Goose, Eared Grebe

The season is changing, obvious both in the weather and the birds. Winter residents are arriving, and summer breeders are leaving, as you can see from the reports below.

Abbreviations:

Fern Ridge Reservoir (FRR), South Jetty of the Siuslaw River (SJSR)

Snow Goose	.....	Sept 23	.....	SE Eugene	.....	JG	.....	Earlier than normal
Cackling Goose	.....	September	.....	Willamette Valley	.....	M.ob.	.....	Earlier than normal
Red-breasted Merganser	.....	Sept 6	.....	Siltcoos River	.....	AK	.....	First report for the winter
Horned Grebe	.....	Sept 18	.....	TokateeKloutchman	..	SM,LP	.....	First report for the winter
Eared Grebe	.....	Sept 7	.....	SJSR	.....	RA	.....	First report for the winter
Common Nighthawk	.....	Sept 2	.....	Florence area	.....	DP	.....	Last report for the breeding season
Sora	.....	Sept 20	.....	FRR – Royal Ave	.....	SH	.....	Last report for the breeding season
American Golden-Plover	.....	Sept 11	.....	FRR – Royal Ave	.....	NS	.....	Last report for the fall migration
Pacific Golden-Plover	.....	Sept 24	.....	Sutton Beach	.....	LH	.....	Last report for the fall migration
Sabine's Gull	.....	Sept 7	.....	FRR	.....	NS	.....	Seen in small numbers most falls
White-faced Ibis	.....	Aug 27	.....	FRR	.....	VT	.....	Unusual for fall migration
Merlin	.....	September	.....	FRR & Coast	.....	M.ob.	.....	Arriving for the winter
Western Kingbird	.....	Sept 3	.....	Bob Creek	.....	AC,JG	.....	Later than normal
Western Kingbird (photos)	.....	Sept 27	.....	S Canary Rd	.....	JG	.....	Very late for this species
Cassin's Vireo	.....	Sept 10	.....	SE Eugene	.....	M.ob.	.....	Last report for the breeding season
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	.....	September	.....	Eugene area	.....	M.ob.	.....	Arrivals began first part of the month
House Wren	.....	Sept 3	.....	FRR Perkins	.....	LM	.....	Last report for the breeding season
American Pipit	.....	Sept 7	.....	FRR- Royal Ave	.....	NS	.....	First report for the winter
White-throated Sparrow	.....	Sept 24	.....	Dorena Reservoir	.....	MA	.....	First report for the winter
Yellow-breasted Chat	.....	Sept 6	.....	FRR	.....	MN	.....	Last report for the breeding season
Bullock's Oriole	.....	Sept 8	.....	Meadowlark Prairie	..	VT	.....	Last report for the breeding season
Black-and-White Warbler	.....	Sept 1	.....	River Rd area	.....	MM	.....	Less than twenty records for Lane
Black-and-White Warbler	.....	Sept 15&19	.....	Siltcoos River	.....	LH,JK	.....	Less than twenty records for Lane
Black-headed Grosbeak	.....	Sept 17	.....	River Rd area	.....	JC	.....	Last report for the breeding season
Lazuli Bunting	.....	Sept 10	.....	Finn Rock Reach	.....	JO	.....	Last report for the breeding season

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