



Hamilton Lakes and Bog Garden

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Trip Coordinator(s): Jim Gant

Location: Hamilton Lakes Park, we met at the intersection of Nut Bush Dr. and Starmount Dr., Greensboro, NC

Temperature: 60's thru 70's

Weather: Partly cloudy

Target Bird(s), if any: migrants

Number of participants: 7

Bird List: Canada Goose, Chimney Swift, Spotted Sandpiper, Cooper's Hawk, Red-shouldered Hawk, Red-bellied Woodpecker, Downy Woodpecker, Hairy Woodpecker, Pileated Woodpecker, Eastern Phoebe, Great Crested Flycatcher, Red-eyed Vireo, Blue Jay, American Crow, Carolina Chickadee, Tufted Titmouse, Purple Martin, White-breasted Nuthatch, Blue-gray Gnatcatcher, Carolina Wren, Gray Catbird, Brown Thrasher, Eastern Bluebird, House Finch, American Goldfinch, White-throated Sparrow, Song Sparrow, Eastern Towhee, Ovenbird, Black-and-White Warbler, Cape May, Northern Parula, Black-throated Blue Warbler, Pine Warbler, Yellow-rumped Warbler, Northern Cardinal; for a total of **36 species**.

Comments: (such as, notable birds seen, interesting bird or animal behavior, condition of the birding site, participant comments):

The weather was excellent for birding. Although the leaf canopy was pretty full, the birds were active and vocal. We saw and or heard a good variety of warblers. It was also interesting to see a Spotted Sandpiper on the main lake. We were having a good time with the active birds, and I allowed us to take up too much time at Hamilton Lakes. So, folks had to depart as we completed Hamilton Lakes, and we did not go to the Bog Garden. So, for future planning we will only plan for 1 location.

Hamilton Lakes Trip report Photos



Yellow-rumped Warbler



Eastern Phoebe



Cape may Warbler



Cooper's Hawk



Spotted Sandpiper