

The date: 9/19/2023
 The week number: 38
 The walk number: 1731
 The weather: 74 F; cloudy
 The walkers: Alan Cummings, Viveca Sapin-Areeda,
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The birds (20)

No.	First Name	Last Name	Prob
2	Western	Bluebird	0.25
1	Red-whiskered	Bulbul	0.50
5		Bushtit	0.50
1	American	Crow	1
2	Mourning	Dove	0.88
8	Lesser	Goldfinch	0.88
1	Red-shouldered	Hawk	0.25
1	Red-tailed	Hawk	0.62
1	Anna's	Hummingbird	0.88
1	Selasphorus	Hummingbird	0.75
3	Northern	Mockingbird	0.50
12	Mitred	Parakeet	0
1	Black	Phoebe	1
1	Say's	Phoebe	0.12
4	Band-tailed	Pigeon	0.88
1	California	Scrub-Jay	0.38
11	Species	Swift	0
1	Turkey	Vulture	0
4	Orange-crowned	Warbler	0.25
4	Acorn	Woodpecker	1

Walk lasted between 12:00 and ~14:00.

We did well; we got 20 species when the prediction was 17. We observed a Scrub-Jay for the first time in a while. And we got 3 zero probability birds. Next week is week 39 and there is a 25% chance we'll see Yellow-rumped Warblers. But, if not, almost guaranteed on the walk after that. They arrive in week 40 (+-1) and depart in week 16 (+-1). A bunch of other warblers are expected as well. Walks are about to get more interesting.

Alan,
 9/24/2023

