

The date: 12/21/2021

The week number: 51

The walk number: 1641

The weather: 63 F; partly cloudy

The walkers: Alan Cummings, Viveca Sapin-Areeda, Chris Moreno,
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The birds (24)

No.	First Name	Last Name	Prob
5	Western	Bluebird	0.43
1	Red-whiskered	Bulbul	0.29
12		Bushtit	0.57
1	American	Crow	1
5	Mourning	Dove	0.86
13	House	Finch	0.86
2	American	Goldfinch	0.14
5	Lesser	Goldfinch	1
60	Species	Gull	0.14
1	Cooper's	Hawk	0.57
1	Red-tailed	Hawk	0.86
1	Anna's	Hummingbird	1
10	Dark-eyed	Junco	1
3	Ruby-crowned	Kinglet	1
1		Mallard	0.43
1	Black	Phoebe	1
28	Band-tailed	Pigeon	0.86
3	Common	Raven	1
4	California	Towhee	0.57
1	Orange-crowned	Warbler	0.29
2	Townsend's	Warbler	0.57
32	Yellow-rumped	Warbler	1
20	Cedar	Waxwing	0.29
5	Acorn	Woodpecker	1

Walk lasted between 12:05 and 14:15. Tournament Park was closed.

Our species count came in right in between the median (20) and maximum (27) for a week 51 and 2.3 birds above the prediction. We got 24 species. I think the highlight was getting 20 Cedar Waxwings early on. Those are hit and miss this time of year and came in at 29% probability. We have one more walk to get in by the end of the year. Looks like a lot of rain on the way, but looking at the 10 day forecast, it calls for no rain on Tuesday or Friday of next week but lots of rain on Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday. Hopefully that forecast holds and we can get the walk in on our regular Tuesday next week. I'll let you know if the walk day changes.

Alan,

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