

The date: 4/22/2026

The week number: 17

The walk number: 1866

The weather: 68 F; partly cloudy

The walkers: Alan Cummings, Viveca Sapin-Areeda, Andrew Guerra, Chip O'Connor, Alex Ortiz, Kevin Kan,

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The birds (26)

No.	First Name	Last Name	Prob
1	Western	Bluebird	0.50
2	Red-whiskered	Bulbul	0.88
6		Bushtit	1
3	American	Crow	1
4	Mourning	Dove	0.88
1	House	Finch	1
4	Lesser	Goldfinch	1
1	Red-shouldered	Hawk	0
1	Red-tailed	Hawk	0.25
3	Anna's	Hummingbird	1
1	Selasphorus	Hummingbird	0.62
11	Dark-eyed	Junco	1
3	Northern	Mockingbird	1
1	White-breasted	Nuthatch	0
1	Red-crowned	Parrot	0
2	Band-tailed	Pigeon	0.62
2	Common	Raven	1
2	House	Sparrow	1
1	Song	Sparrow	0
4	European	Starling	0.62
5	Northern_Rough-winged	Swallow	0.12
2	White-throated	Swift	0.38
1	California	Towhee	1
7	Acorn	Woodpecker	1
1	Nuttall's	Woodpecker	0.12
2	Bewick's	Wren	0.75

Walk lasted between 12:00 and 14:02

We observed 26 species, 3.1 above the prediction and only 3 below the maximum for the week. What we didn't see this week, nor did we see one last week, was the Yellow-rumped Warbler. So, it looks like they departed one week earlier than the canonical week 16 that I often quote. But, I do add, plus or minus a week, so the Yellow-rumped Warbler calendar still holds. On her way into the walk, Viveca passed through Tournament Park and recorded a Song Sparrow on video, which was a good thing, because it wasn't there a half-hour later when the group entered

Tournament Park. We saw a White-breasted Nuthatch enter the nest hole with food in beak, so we think hatchlings are in there. We also saw a starling enter its nest with food, so it appears we have a high probability of observing starlings and nuthatches over the next few weeks. So, it was a good walk and we expect good walks for a while going forward

Alan,
4/24/2026