

IOS Lister's Corner 2008

Yard Life Lists: Rural, Suburban & Urban

Data listed by total species, observer name, yard location and years at site. Species are countable if they are identifiable from your yard. (updated 2/10/09; compiled by Eric Walters & Joe Lill)

Key: italics = final tally at site * = last updated in 2007 # = last updated pre-2007

Backyard Life List-Suburban

<u>207</u>	Richard Biss	Lake Villa	5#
193	Karen Fisher	Downers Grove	38
190	Bob Fisher	Downers Grove	38
176	<i>Muriel Smith</i>	<i>West Chicago</i>	13
175	Donnie Dann	Highland Park	23
175	Jeff Donaldson	Rockford	33#
165	Mark Seiffert	Carlyle	16
163	Marilyn F. Campbell	Georgetown	30#
160	<i>Laurence C. Binford</i>	<i>Glencoe</i>	48
156	Kay Hanson	Hinsdale	18#
<u>152</u>	David Brenner	Lincolnwood	42*
148	Jill Anderson	River Forest	22
143	Robert Q. Randall	Jacksonville	6#
142	John McKee	Ottawa	27
142	<i>Craig Miller</i>	<i>Lake in the Hills</i>	4
135	Wes Serafin	Orland Park	28#
134	Jon J. Duerr	St. Charles	29
131	Josh Engel	Evanston	12#
130	Eric Secker	Wheaton	15#
127	Mike Madsen	Woodridge	26
125	Doug Stotz	Westchester	9
123	Cynthia McKee	Ottawa	10#
123	Donna Motherway	Riverwoods	14#
123	Richard Peiser	Glen Ellyn	14#
120	Carolyn Fields	Palatine	10#
119	<i>Bob Vanderpoel</i>	<i>Des Plaines</i>	17
117	Jeff Sundberg	Libertyville	17
116	Melinda Born Chapman	Woodridge	10
116	Alex Meloy	Evanston	27
116	Roy Peterson	Lake Forest	41
113	Larry L. Hood	Bushnell	12#
112	Dick Young	Naperville	5#
109	Jeff Chapman	Woodridge	10
106	Julie Long	St. Charles	25*
106	<i>Eric Walters</i>	<i>Glen Ellyn</i>	5
105	Michael Hogg	Northbrook	27
104	Sid Steele	Charleston	7#
104	Eric Walters	Zion	4
<u>100</u>	Amos Miner	Lake Bluff	18*
97	Marcia Lonergan	Lake Forest	18#
95	Jerry Diederich	Morris	23
95	<i>Mike Madsen</i>	<i>Lisle</i>	4
94	<i>Randall Mains</i>	<i>Naperville</i>	4
93	Jim Solum	Gurnee	21#
89	Matthew Cvetas	Evanston	3
87	Cindy Alberico	Crest Hill	20#
86	Myrna Deaton	Decatur	11#
86	Al Dierkes	Quincy	5#
85	Denis Kania	Naperville	12#
83	Joe Suchecki	Naperville	18

82	Todd Anderson	Mundelein	12
82	Bill A. Bertrand	Aledo	30
81	Sue Friscia	Alsip	16
81	<i>Craig Litteken</i>	<i>Belleville</i>	3
80	Craig Taylor	LaGrange	22
79	<i>Marie Nilsson</i>	<i>Evanston</i>	4
76	Kevin Wright	Canton	7#
75	Cyndi Lubecke	Prospect Heights	19
71	Urs Geiser	Woodridge	17
70	<i>George Roberts</i>	<i>Lake Forest</i>	3
69	Bruce Heimer	Elmhurst	20
69	Jean Lesniak	Niles	25#
68	Kevin Wright	Canton	6#
65	Vernon Kleen	Springfield	6#
65	Ruth Lempert	Glenview	17#
59	Jay Jaeger	Minooka	4
57	<i>David Irons</i>	<i>Fairmount</i>	3
57	David B. Johnson	Buffalo Grove	9#

Backyard Life List-Rural

197	Michael Baum	<i>Dahinda</i>	20
196	Michael Ward	Nortonville	12#
187	Judy De Neal	Harrisburg	13#
185	Dan Williams	Rockford	16
183	James O. Smith	Homer	50#
174	Matt Fraker	Carlock	8
173	<i>Todd Fink</i>	<i>Ozark</i>	11
<u>159</u>	Darlene Fiske	Woodstock	43
147	<i>Vernon Kleen</i>	<i>Athens</i>	20
140	Michael L. Retter	Colfax	5#
139	<i>Jeff Walk</i>	<i>Newton</i>	3
139	Laraine Wright	Makanda Twp.	22#
137	<i>Dan Miller</i>	<i>Murphysboro</i>	2
136	Rhonda Rothrock	Pomona	3#
127	Thad Edmonds	Dunlap	5
127	Bob Shelby	West Salem	24
119	Todd Bugg	Lexington	3*
117	<i>Renee Baade</i>	<i>Woodstock</i>	6
115	Ken Vail	Quincy	9#
113	Larry L. Hood	Bushnell	12#
112	Pete Fenner	East Peoria	12
110	Denis Bohm	Mettawa	8#
<u>108</u>	Sean Carroll	Lakemoor	4#
99	Ken Heinze	Quincy	6#
98	Richard Funk	Charleston	25#
81	Wayne Wachholz	Prophetstown	8#
75	Wilda D. Sutherland	Pleasant Hill	23#
70	Rosemarie Kirwan	Lake Villa	3#
68	Marilyn Hougland	Pleasant Hill	18#
51	Kathryn Schmid	Cissna Park	9#

Backyard Life List-Urban

169	Beth Chato	Urbana	43*
138	Helen I. Wuestenfeld	Jerseyville	28#
121	<i>Tom Schulenberg</i>	<i>Chicago</i>	12
113	<i>Richard Biss</i>	<i>Franklin Park</i>	11
111	Keith McMullen	O'Fallon	15
107	Jim Mountjoy	Galesburg #2	6
98	Tom Lally	Chicago	10
97	Brad Grover	Belvidere	5#
92	Ronald C. Flemal	DeKalb	12#
90	Michael Baum	Galesburg	4*
89	Mike Donahue	Danville	5#
89	Frank Holmes	Granite City	21
87	<i>Jim Mountjoy</i>	<i>Galesburg #1</i>	2
86	Alex Bloss	Chicago	15
77	Joe Lill	Chicago	19
77	Jane Pedersen	Chicago	18#
73	Paul Quagliana	Chicago	6*
66	<i>Geoffrey Williamson</i>	<i>Chicago</i>	7
61	<i>Roger Digges</i>	<i>Urbana</i>	12
56	Jerry Arduino	Chicago	2#

Backyard Life List-Household

199	Bob & Karen Fisher	Downers Grove	38
164	Karen & Ted Forcum	Mode	41
161	<i>Binford Household</i>	<i>Glencoe</i>	48
126	Jim & Beth Harris	St. Anne	6#
125	Judy & Scott Pollock	Evanston	13#
117	Joyce & Peter Boyle	Lake Forest	7#
116	Jeff & Melinda Born Chapman	Woodridge	10
106	Don & Ferne Rogers	Charleston	40#
95	Pete & Sally Fenner	East Peoria	12
87	Joel/Dorothy Orlinsky	Ingleside	4#

Backyard Big Days (Big Sit)

Mike Baum's 1996 Yard Big Day sets a new standard for this category. He had 80 species by 7:30 am!

85	M. Baum	Dahinda	05/10/96
78	R. Biss	Lake Villa	05/13/98
66	K. & B. Fisher	Downers Grove	09/09/00
65	K. & B. Fisher	Downers Grove	05/10/02
55	R. Biss	Lake Villa	10/17/99
41	D. Motherway	Riverwoods	05/16/02

Backyard Big Years

The top three submissions (over 50 species) per yard will be included in this list.

158	Richard Biss	Lake Villa	1997
148	Richard Biss	Lake Villa	1998
142	Richard Biss	Lake Villa	1999
133	Karen/Bob Fisher	Downers Grove	2002
104	Jill Anderson	River Forest	2003
90	Tom Schulenberg	Chicago	2006
89	Tom Schulenberg	Chicago	2007
85	Doug Stotz	Westchester	2004
80	Tom Schulenberg	Chicago	2005
77	Pete Fenner	East Peoria	2008
74	Eric Walters	Zion	2005
59	Eric Walters	Zion	2008
56	Pete Fenner	East Peoria	2007
56	Todd Anderson	Mundelein	2008
54	Eric Walters	Zion	2007

Updates & corrections?

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