

The date: 3/5/2024

The week number: 10

The walk number: 1754

The weather: 61 F; partly cloudy

The walkers: Alan Cummings, Viveca Sapin-Areeda, Chris Moreno,  
Chip O'Connor, Ellen Yu, Barbara Yorke, Judi Sato

The birds (28)

No.	First Name	Last Name	Prob
2	Western	Bluebird	0.50
2	Red-whiskered	Bulbul	0.88
6		Bushtit	0.88
2	American	Crow	1
9	Mourning	Dove	0.75
5	House	Finch	0.88
4	American	Goldfinch	0.38
3	Lesser	Goldfinch	1
2	Cooper's	Hawk	0.50
1	Red-tailed	Hawk	0.38
2	Anna's	Hummingbird	1
1	Selasphorus	Hummingbird	0.75
4	Dark-eyed	Junco	1
1	Ruby-crowned	Kinglet	1
2	Northern	Mockingbird	0.88
2	Black	Phoebe	1
11	Band-tailed	Pigeon	1
13	Common	Raven	1
1	Chipping	Sparrow	0.12
1	House	Sparrow	0.75
5	White-crowned	Sparrow	0.12
3	California	Towhee	1
1	Spotted	Towhee	0.12
2	Turkey	Vulture	0.50
2	Townsend's	Warbler	0.50
10	Yellow-rumped	Warbler	1
5	Acorn	Woodpecker	1
3	Bewick's	Wren	0.75

Walk lasted between 12:00 and 14:10

We were 4 short of breaking the record for the week but it was still a fine walk. We beat the prediction by 2.1 birds and the median by 8. The highlight bird was the Chipping Sparrow, which was seen in Tournament Park. On Wednesday, the day after the walk, I saw 2 Ring-necked Pheasants out on the North Athletic field. Neither was a beautiful adult male, but nonetheless a rare find. Too bad they didn't appear a day earlier!

Alan,

3/8/2024