

The date: 6/22/2021
 The week number: 25
 The walk number: 1616
 The weather: 82 F; sunny
 The walkers: Alan Cummings, Viveca Sapin-Areeda, Chip O'Connor

The birds (21)

1	Western	Bluebird	1
3	Red-whiskered	Bulbul	2
8		Bushtit	3
5	American	Crow	4
1	Mourning	Dove	5
10	House	Finch	6
4	Lesser	Goldfinch	7
1	Cooper's	Hawk	8
6	Anna's	Hummingbird	9
1	Selasphorus	Hummingbird	10
5	Dark-eyed	Junco	11
1	Northern	Mockingbird	12
3	Black	Phoebe	13
3	Band-tailed	Pigeon	14
2	Common	Raven	15
1	California	Scrub-Jay	16
3	House	Sparrow	17
2	California	Towhee	18
5	Acorn	Woodpecker	19
1	Nuttall's	Woodpecker	20
2	Bewick's	Wren	21

Walk lasted between 12:00 and 14:05. The back gates to Tournament Park were open, so we walked it.

We had a good total of 21 species. The prediction was for 17.3. The record for the week was only 24, so it was doable, but we didn't do it. Chip made a call that would have helped. As we were coming around the bend from looking over the South Athletic field, we heard two sharp chirps. We both wheeled around and realized it was a car being locked or unlocked. He immediately called it a California Lexus. I agreed. Later, he changed his call to American Lexus. Ultimately, I decided not to list it as neither is an actual bird. It was a fun walk.

Alan,
 6/26/2021

