

The date: 7/20/2021

The week number: 29

The walk number: 1620

The weather: 91 F; sunny

The walkers: Alan Cummings, Chris Moreno, Chip O'Connor, Viveca Sapin-Areeda, Bill Donahue,
Micky Areeda, Diane Santana

The birds (20)

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

Walk lasted between 12:00 and 14:00. Tournament Park closed.

So, I miscounted at the end of the walk and told the group that we had set the record for the week. We only tied the record, but that is good, better than not half bad. The counting problem came about because I had entered Red-crowned Parrott and then after much discussion I entered Lilac-crowned Parrott, but neglected to remove the Red-crowned. In the end, I decided on Parrott, sp., as some after-walk discussion occurred and not all felt comfortable making a definite call. I was one of those.

We had a new walker, Bill Donahue, a brother of Chris's. He lives in Colorado and is out visiting. I'm not sure when he leaves to go back to Colorado, but each walk and walker is important! Bill was the 193rd walker to walk the walk. So, thanks for coming Bill and hope to see you on the walk again.

Alan,
7/23/2021