ANTELOPE VALLEY COLLEGE CAMPUS BIRD LIST

GREBES

Pied-billed grebe (C.Y. 7/08/94)

PELICANS AND CORMORANTS

Double-crested cormorant (C.H. 4/01)

HERONS

Great egret * (C.H. 4/4/96)

DUCKS AND GEESE

Mallard (C.Y. 4/03)

AMERICAN VULTURES

Turkey vulture

HAWKS and FALCONS

Northern harrier * (C.H. 1/24/94) Sharp-shinned hawk * (C.Y.10/19/94) Cooper's Hawk White-tailed kite * (C.Y. 9/25/95) American kestrel Red-shouldered hawk (C.Y. 8/10/98) Red-tailed hawk (n) Ferruginous hawk

PTARMIGANS

Chukar * (D.B. 10/3/95) California quail

Prairie falcon * (D.B. 1991)

Merlin * (C.Y. 12/21/96)

RAILS and COOTS

Sora * (C.H. 11/96?)

PLOVERS AND SANDPIPERS

Killdeer (n)
Mountain plover *
(D.B.3/07)
Whimbrel *(C.Y. 4/16/91)
Common snipe * (C.Y.
11/6/94)

GULLS and TERNS

Ring-billed gull California gull

PIGEONS AND DOVES

Rock dove (n) Mourning dove

CUCKOOS

Greater roadrunner

OWLS

Barn owl

Great horned owl (n: '99-'08)

SWIFTS

Vaux's swift

HUMMINGBIRDS

Black-chinned hummingbird (n)
Anna's hummingbird (n)
Rufous hummingbird
Allen's hummingbird * (C.Y.

4/21/04) WOODPECKERS

Red-breasted sapsucker * (C.Y. 3/22/99) Ladder-backed woodpecker Hairy woodpecker* (C.H. 4/91) Northern flicker

FLYCATCHERS

Western wood pewee Willow flycatcher Hammond's flycatcher Dusky flycatcher * (C.Y. &C.H. 4/20/98) Pacific slope flycatcher Black phoebe Say's phoebe Western kingbird (n)

LARKS

Horned lark

SWALLOWS

Tree swallow Violet green swallow * (C.Y. 3/91) Cliff swallow Barn swallow

JAYS and CROWS

Scrub jay Common raven (n) American crow * (C.H. 2/2/96)

CHICKADEES and TITMICE

Mountain chickadee Oak titmouse * (D.B. 10/1/96)

NUTHATCHES

Red-breasted nuthatch White-breasted nuthatch Pygmy nuthatch

WRENS

Cactus wren (n) Bewick's wren House wren Winter wren * Marsh wren * (C.Y. 9/19/95)

KINGLETS and THRUSHES

Ruby-crowned kinglet
Western bluebird * (C.Y. 91;
E.Y. 3/11/07)
Swainson's thrush
Hermit thrush
American robin (n)

THRASHERS

Northern mockingbird (n)

PIPITS

American pipit

SHRIKES

Loggerhead shrike

WAXWINGS

Cedar waxwing

STARLINGS

European starling (n)

AVC BIRD LIST – Continued

VIREOS

Plumbeous vireo * (C.Y. 5/11/91) Warbling vireo

WARBLERS

Tennessee warbler * (C.Y.)
Orange-crowned warbler
Nashville warbler
Yellow warbler
Townsend's warbler
Yellow-rumped warbler
Black-throated gray warbler
MacGillivray's warbler
Common yellowthroat
American redstart * (C.Y.
9/7/97)
Yellow breasted chat * (C.Y.
9/19/97)

BUNTINGS and GROSBEAKS

Black-headed grosbeak Lazuli bunting * (C.Y. 9/24/95)

TANAGERS

Western tanager

SPARROWS

Chipping sparrow
Brewer's sparrow
Lark sparrow
Savanna sparrow
Fox sparrow
Song sparrow * (C.Y.
11/6/94)
Lincoln's sparrow
White-crowned sparrow
Dark-eyed junco
California towhee * (C.Y.
6/5/07)

BLACKBIRDS

Red-winged blackbird Yellow-headed blackbird * (C.Y. 5/30/03) Brewer's blackbird (n) Brown-headed cowbird (n) Great-tailed grackle * (C.Y./D.B. 4/9/08)

ORIOLES

Northern Oriole

FINCHES

Cassin's finch House finch (n) Red crossbill Lesser goldfinch American goldfinch Lawrence's goldfinch (n)

WEAVER FINCHES

House sparrow (n)

TOTAL = **114** species (November **19**, **2008**)

KEY

- (*) fewer than three sightings
- (n) has nested on or near campus

C.Y. = Callyn Yorke (Compiler)

C.H. = Charles Hood

E.Y. = Ethan Yorke

N.M. = Nina Merrill

D.B.= Dan Byrne