

Birds of Kodiak

The following list contains the birds that are seen in the Kodiak Island area during the Spring and Summer seasons.

A - Abundant

C - Common

U - Uncommon

Albatross

- Laysan Albatross: U
- Black-footed Albatross: C

Allies, Buntings, Sparrows

- Orange-Crowned Warbler: C
- Yellow Warbler: A (Summer Only)
- Yellow-Rumped Warbler: U
- Wilson's Warbler: A (Summer)
- American Tree Sparrow: U
- Savannah Sparrow: A
- Fox Sparrow: A
- Song Sparrow: U
- Golden-Crowned Sparrow: A
- Dark-Eyed Junco: U
- Lapland Longspur: A
- Snow Bunting: U

Auklets, Murrelets, Murres, Puffins

- Common Murre: C
- Pigeon Guillemot: C
- Marbled Murrelet: C
- Kittlitz's Murrelet: U
- Ancient Murrelet: U
- Cassin's Auklet: U
- Rhinoceros Auklet: U
- Horned Puffin: C
- Tufted Puffin: A

Creepers, Corvids, Cormorants

- Brown Creeper: U
- Black-Billed Magpie: C
- Northwestern Crow: C
- Common Raven: C
- Double-Crested Cormorant: U
- Red-Faced Cormorant: U
- Pelagic Cormorant: C

Dippers

- American Dipper: U

Ducks, Geese, Swans

- Greater White-Fronted Goose: U
- Emperor Goose: C
- Canada Goose: U
- Brant: C

- Tundra Swan: U
- Gadwall: C
- Eurasian Wigeon: U
- American Wigeon: C
- Mallard: A
- Northern Shoveler: C
- Northern Pintail: A
- Green-Winged Teal: C
- Greater Scaup: A
- Lesser Scaup: U
- Steller's Eider C
- King Eider: C
- Common Eider: U
- Harlequin Duck: C
- Surf Scoter: C
- White-Winged Scoter: A
- Black Scoter: A
- Oldsquaw: A
- Bufflehead: C
- Common Goldeneye: U
- Barrow's Goldeneye: C
- Common Merganser: C
- Red-Breasted Merganser: C

Eagles, Falcons, Hawks

- Bald Eagle: C
- Golden Eagle: U
- Merlin: U
- Peregrine Falcon: U
- Northern Harrier: U
- Sharp-Shinned Hawk: U
- Northern Goshawk: U
- Rough-Legged Hawk: U

Finches

- Rosy Finch: U
- Pine Grosbeak: C
- White-Winged Crossbill: U
- Common Redpoll: C
- Pine Siskin: C

Gallinaceous Birds, Grebes

- Willow Ptarmigan: C
- Rock Ptarmigan: C
- Horned Grebe: C
- Red-Necked Grebe: U

Gulls, Jaegers, Terns

- Pomarine Jaeger: C
- Parasitic Jaeger: C
- Long-Tailed Jaeger: U
- Bonaparte's Gull: U
- Mew Gull: C
- Herring Gull: U
- Glaucous-Winged Gull: A
- Glaucous Gull: U
- Sabine's Gull: U
- Black-Legged Kittiwake: A
- Arctic Tern: C
- Aleutian Tern: U

Kingfishers, Kinglets, Thrushes

- Belted Kingfisher: C
- Golden-Crowned Kinglet: C
- Gray-Cheeked Thrush: C (Summer Only)
- Hermit Thrush: A
- Varied Thrush: C

Loons, Nuthatches

- Red-Throated Loon: U
- Common Loon: C
- Red-Breasted Nuthatch: U

Owls, Oystercatchers, Pipits

- Short-Eared Owl: U
- Boreal Owl: U
- Black Oystercatcher: C
- American Pipit: C

Plovers

- Black-Bellied Plover: U
- American Golden Plover: U
- Pacific Golden-Plover: U
- Semipalmated Plover: C

Sandpipers

- Greater Yellowlegs: C
- Lesser Yellowlegs: C
- Wandering Tattler: C
- Spotted Sandpiper: U
- Whimbrel: U
- Black Turnstone: U
- Surfbird: U
- Western Sandpiper: C
- Least Sandpiper: C
- Baird's Sandpiper: U
- Pectoral Sandpiper: U
- Rock Sandpiper: C
- Dunlin: U
- Short-Billed Dowitcher: U
- Common Snipe: C
- Red-Necked Phalarope: A
- Red Phalarope: U

Shearwaters, Shrikes, Storm Petrels

- Northern Fulmar: A
- Mottled Petrel: U
- Sooty Shearwater: A
- Short-Tailed Shearwater: A
- Northern Shrike: U
- Fork-Tailed Storm-Petrel: C
- Leach's Storm-Petrel: U

Swallows

- Tree Swallow: C
- Violet-Green Swallow: C
- Bank Swallow: A

Titmice

- Black-Capped Chickadee: C

Woodpeckers, Wrens

- Downy Woodpecker: U
- Three-Toed Woodpecker: U
- Winter Wren: C

Data from the Northern prairie Wildlife Research Center website. For more information, go to www.npwrc.usgs.gov/resource/birds/chekbird/r7/kodiak.htm