

September 18, 2019 - Red Oaks

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Sixteen birders enjoyed a beautiful late summer morning and some great looks at (mostly) cooperative migrants at Red Oaks County Park on Wednesday, Sept. 18. The day started slow as the birders were active before the birds, but as the sun rose, things picked up. We often had to work hard to find the birds -- as is often the case with thick summer foliage -- but the birds later relented and gave us wonderful looks. Cameras sure did help clinch those tough IDs, especially with the Blue-winged Warbler. In all, we had eight species of warblers and 31 species in all.

Rock Pigeon (Feral Pigeon)
Mourning Dove
Turkey Vulture
Cooper's Hawk
Red-bellied Woodpecker
Downy Woodpecker
Hairy Woodpecker
Northern Flicker
Eastern Wood-Pewee
Philadelphia Vireo
Red-eyed Vireo
Blue Jay
American Crow
Black-capped Chickadee
Tufted Titmouse
White-breasted Nuthatch
European Starling
Gray Catbird
Swainson's Thrush
American Robin
American Goldfinch
Red-winged Blackbird
Blue-winged Warbler
Black-and-white Warbler
Tennessee Warbler
American Redstart
Bay-breasted Warbler
Blackburnian Warbler
Blackpoll Warbler
Black-throated Green Warbler
Scarlet Tanager
Northern Cardinal