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PENNSYLVANIA GAME COMMISSION

MIDDLE CREEK

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Loon, Red-Throated	Ac	_	Ac	Ac		DUCK, RING-NECKED	С	Ac	С	U	
COMMON	U	Ac	U	R		SCAUP, GREATER	R		R	R	
GREBE, PIED-BILLED	U	R	U	R		LESSER	U	Ac	U	U	
HORNED	U		U	R		DUCK, LONG-TAILED	R		R	R	
Eared	Ac		Ac			Scoter, Black			Ac	Ac	
Red-necked	Ac		Ac			Surf	Ac		Ac		
Frigatebird Sp.	Ac					White-Winged			Ac		
♦CORMORANT, DBL-CRSTD	С	С	С	Ac		GOLDENEYE, COMMON	R		R	R	
BITTERN, AMERICAN	R		R	Ac		BUFFLEHEAD	U		U	R	
Least	Ac	Ac	Ac				U	Ac	U	R	
⊕HERON, GREAT BLUE	С	С	С	С		COMMON	С		U	С	
EGRET, GREAT	U	С	U	Ac		RED-BREASTED	R		R	R	
SNOWY		Ū	Ū			DUCK, RUDDY	U		U	U	
HERON, LITTLE BLUE		R	R			VULTURE, BLACK	Ü	U	Ū	Ū	
Tricolored		Ac	- ` `			&TURKEY	C	C	C	Ū	
EGRET, CATTLE	R	R	R			OSPREY	Ü	R	U	_	
⊕HERON, GREEN	U	Ü	Ü	Ac		Kite, Mississippi	Ac	- 11	0		
♦NIGHT-HERON, BLK-CR.	U	U	Ü	R		⊕EAGLE, BALD	U	U	U	U	
Yellow Crowned	Ac	0	0	11		HARRIER, NORTHERN	U	R	U	U	
Ibis, White	AC	۸۵	۸۵			⊕HAWK, SHARP-SHINNED	U	R	U	U	
GLOSSY	R	Ac R	Ac R				U	R	U	U	
Duck, Fulvous Whistling	Ac	К	К				R	К	R	R	
,		۸۵	U	Ab		GOSHAWK, NORTHERN	U	U	U	U	
SWAN, TUNDRA	Ab	Ac	U			♦HAWK, RED-SHOULDRD.				U	
Trumpeter	Ac		_	Ac		*BROAD-WINGED	U	U	U	_	
MUTE	R	Ac	R	R			С	С	С	С	
GOOSE, GR. WHITE-FR.	R		R	R		ROUGH-LEGGED	R		R	R	
SNOW	С	R	U	U		EAGLE, GOLDEN	R		R	R	
ROSS'	R			R		&KESTREL, AMERICAN	С	С	С	С	
Brant	Ac		Ac			MERLIN	R	Ac	R	Ac	
Barnacle	Ac					FALCON, PEREGRINE	R	Ac	R		
◆CANADA	Ab	Ab	Ab	Ab		Gyrfalcon	Ac				
Cackling	R		Ac	R		♦PHEASANT, RING-NECKD	С	С	С	С	
◆DUCK, WOOD	U	U	U	R		⊕GROUSE, RUFFED	U	U	U	U	
TEAL, GREEN-WINGED	С	Ac	U	U		⊕TURKEY, WILD	U	U	U	U	
⊕DUCK, AMERICAN BLACK	Ab	U	С	С		⊕BOBWHITE, NORTHERN	R	R	R	R	
	Ab	С	С	С		Rail, Black	Ac				
PINTAIL, NORTHERN	C	R	U	U		King	Ac	Ac			
⊕ TEAL, BLUE-WINGED	U	U	U	R		⊗ VIRGINIA	R	R	R	Ac	
SHOVELER, NORTHERN	С		С	U		SORA	R	R	R		
GADWALL	С		С	U		 ⊕GALLINULE, COMMON	R	R	R		
Wigeon, Eurasian	Ac		Ac			COOT, AMERICAN	U		U	R	
AMERICAN	С		С	U		Crane, Sandhill	Ac		Ac	Ac	
CANVASBACK	R		R	R		PLOVER, BLACK-BELLIED	R	R	R		
REDHEAD	R		R	R		AMERICAN GOLDEN			R		
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(PLOVER) SEMI-PALMATED	U	U	U		NIGHTHAWK, COMMON	U		U		
⊕KILLDEER	С	С	С	U	⊕WHIP-POOR-WILL, EASTRN	R	R	R		
Stilt, Black-necked	Ac				SWIFT, CHIMNEY	C	С	С		
Avocet, American		Ac	Ac		⊕HUMMINGBIRD, RBY-THR	U	U	U		
YELLOWLEGS, GREATER	U	U	J			כ	J	U	U	
LESSER	С	U	C		⊕WOODPECKER, RED-HD	R	R	R	R	
SANDPIPER, SOLITARY	U	C	U		⊕RED-BELLIED	С	С	С	С	
Willet	Ac				SAPSUCKER, YELLW-BEL	U		U	U	
	С	U	С	Ac	�WOODPECKER, DOWNY	С	С	С	С	
Upland	Ac	Ac			⊕HAIRÝ	U	U	U	U	
Godwit, Hudsonian			Ac		⊕FLICKER, NORTHERN	C	C	C	Ū	
Marbled	Ac	Ac	Ac		♦WOODPKR, PILEATED	Ü	Ü	Ü	Ü	
TURNSTONE, RUDDY	R	R	710		FLYCATCHR, OLIVE-SIDED	R		R	_	
SANDERLING	R	R	R		♦WOOD-PEWEE, EASTRN	C	С	C		
SANDPIPER, SEMIPALMATD	U	U	U		FLYCATCHER, YELLW-BEL	R		R	Ac	
WESTERN	J	R	R		ACADIAN	R	R	R	7.0	
LEAST	С	C	C		alder	Ac	Ac	К		
_	R					C				
WHITE-RUMPED	K	R	R		⊕WILLOW		С	U		
BAIRD'S		R	R		LEAST	R	R	R	_	
PECTORAL	U	U	U		⊕PHOEBE, EASTERN	С	С	С	R	
DUNLIN	R		R		Say's				Ac	
SANDPIPER, STILT		R	R		&FLYCATCHER, GREAT CR	С	С	С		
Ruff	Ac				Kingbird, Western		Ac	Ac		
DOWITCHER, SHORT-BILLD	U	U	U		⊕ EASTERN	С	С	С		
LONG-BILLED		R	R		LARK, HORNED	U	U	U	U	
SNIPE, WILSON'S	U	Ac	U	U	♠MARTIN, PURPLE	U	U	U		
⊕WOODCOCK, AMERICAN	U	U	U	R	⊗SWALLOW, TREE	Ab	Ab	С		
PHALAROPE, WILSON'S	Ac	R	Ac		NRTHRN ROUGH-WINGED	U	U	U		
Red-Necked	Ac	Ac	Ac		BANK	U	U	U		
Jaeger Sp.			Ac		⊕ CLIFF	U	R	Ū		
Gull, Little	Ac		7.0		⊕BARN	C	C	C		
Franklin's	710		Ac		⊕JAY, BLUE	C	C	C	С	
Laughing		Ac	Ac		⊕CROW, AMERICAN	C	C	C	C	
BONAPARTE'S	R	710	R	Ac	⊕FISH	U	Ü	IJ	Ü	
RING-BILLED	C	R	C	C	Raven, Common	Ac	0	Ac	Ac	
HERRING	U	IX.	U	U	&CHICKADEE, BLK-CAPPD	C	U	C	C	
			Ac			C	C	C	C	
Lesser Black-backed	Ac		AC	Ac	®CAROLINA		_			
GREATER BLACK-BACKED	R	۸ -		R	TITMOUSE, TUFTED	С	C	C	С	
Tern, Royal		Ac	_		®NUTHATCH, RED-BRSTD	U	Ac	U	U	
CASPIAN	R	U	R		&WHITE-BREASTED	C :	U	С	С	
COMMON	R				CREEPER, BROWN	U		U	U	
FORSTER'S	R	R	_			С	С	С	С	
BLACK	R	R	R		⊕HOUSE	С	С	С		
⊕DOVE, ROCK	U	U	U	U	WINTER	U		U	U	
⊕MOURNING	С	С	C	С	 ⊕ Sedge	Ac	Ac			
⊕CUCKOO, BLACK-BILLED	U	U	J		MARSH			R		
⊕YELLOW-BILLED	С	С	C		KINGLET, GOLDEN-CRWND	C		С	С	
⊕OWL, BARN	R	R	R	R	RUBY-CROWNED	C		С	U	
®EASTERN SCREECH	С	С	С	С	�GNATCATCHR , BLU-GRY	С	С	С	Ac	
⊕GREAT HORNED	С	С	С	С	&BLUEBIRD, EASTERN	С	С	С	С	
SNOWY				R	Mountain	Ac				
Barred		Ac		Ac	⊕VEERY	U	U	U		
⊕LONG-EARED	U	Ac	R	U	THRUSH, GRAY-CHEEKED	R		R		
SHORT-EARED	Ü	, .0	Ü	U	SWAINSON'S	U		Ü		
NORTHERN SAW-WHET	R		J	R	HERMIT	U		U	U	
NONTHENN SAW-WILL	17			ľ	HERIVIII	U		U	U	

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⊕THRUSH, WOOD	С	С	С			WARBLER, CONNECTICUT	Ac		R			
Varied				Ac		MOURNING	R		R			
⊕ROBIN, AMERICAN	С	С	С	U		♠YELWTHROAT, COMMON	С	С	С	Ac		
⊕CATBIRD, GRAY	С	C	С	R			R	R	R			
♠MOCKINGBIRD, NORTHRN	С	C	С	U		WILSON'S	U	R	U			
⊕THRASHER, BROWN	С	U	U	R		CANADA	U	U	U			
PIPIT, AMERICAN	C		U	R		⊕CHAT, YELLOW-BRSTD	R	R	R			
Waxwing, Bohemian				Ac		⊕TANAGER, SCARLET	С	С	С			
⊕ CEDAR	U	U	U	U		 ⊕CARDINAL, NORTHERN	С	С	С	С		
SHRIKE, NORTHERN	R		R	R		�GROSBEAK, ROSE-BRST	С	U	С			
Loggerhead	Ac		Ac	Ac		BLUE	R	R				
♦STARLING, EUROPEAN	C	С	C	C		⊕BUNTING, INDIGO	C	C	С			
♦VIREO, WHITE-EYED	С	С	C			Dickcissel		Ac	<u> </u>			
BLUE-HEADED	U	R	Ü			⊕ TOWHEE, EASTERN	С	C	С	U		
®VIREO, YELLOW-THROATED	U	U	U			SPARROW, AMER TREE-	U		U	С		
₩VIREO, FELLOW-THROATED	U	U	U			&CHIPPING	C	С	C	Ac		
PHILADELPHIA	R	R	R		 		Ac	U	U	AU		
	C	C	C			Clay-colored ⊛FIFLD	C	С				
&RED-EYED									С	U		
WARBLER, BLUE-WINGED	U	U	U			⊕VESPER	R	R	R	R		
GOLDEN-WINGED	R	R	R			@SAVANNAH	U	U	U	U		
TENNESSEE	U	R	U			⊕GRASSHOPPER	С	С	U			
ORANGE-CROWNED	R		R			Nelson's Sharp-Tailed	Ac					
NASHVILLE	U	R	U			FOX	U		U	R		
PARULA, NORTHERN	U	R	U			⇔ SONG	С	С	С	С		
⊕WARBLER , YELLOW	O	C	U			LINCOLN'S	R		R			
⊕CHESTNUT-SIDED	U	U	U			⊕ SWAMP	U	U	U	U		
MAGNOLIA	U	U	U			WHITE-THROATED	С		С	Ab		
CAPE MAY	U	R	U			WHITE-CROWNED	U		U	U		
BLACK-THROATED BLUE	U	R	Ū			JUNCO, DARK-EYED	С		С	Ab		
YELLOW-RUMPED	C	R	Ü	U		LONGSPUR, LAPLAND	R		R	R		
BLACK-THROATED GREEN	C	U	C			BUNTING, SNOW	R		R	R		
BLACKBURNIAN	U	R	Ü			⊕ BOBOLINK	C	С	C			
YELLOW-THROATED	R	R				BLACKBIRD, RED-WINGD	Ab	Ab	Ab	U		
PINE	R	Ac	R	Ac		BEAGRONLARK, EASTRN	C	C	С	Ü		
PRAIRIE	U	R	U	AC		Blackbird, Yellow-Headed	Ac			U		
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BAY-BREASTED	U	R	U		 	♦GRACKLE, COMMON	С	С	С	U	-	
BLACKPOLL	U	R	U		+	&COWBIRD, BRN-HEADED	С	С	С	U		
*CERULEAN	U	R	R				U	U	L			
BLACK-AND-WHITE	С	U	С			&BALTIMORE	С	С	U			
®REDSTART, AMERICAN	C	U	С			FINCH, PURPLE	U		U	U		
WARBLER, PROTHONOTRY	R					♦ HOUSE	С	С	С	С		
⊕WORM-EATING	U	R	U			CROSSBILL, WH-WINGED	R			R		
⊕OVENBIRD	С	С	С			REDPOLL, COMMON	R		R	R		
WATERTHRUSH, NORTHRN	U	R	R			SISKEN, PINE	R		R	R		
⊕ LOUISIANA	U	U	R			⊕GOLDFINCH, AMERICAN	С	С	С	U		
&WARBLER, KENTUCKY	U	U	R			GROSBEAK, EVENING	R		R	R		
						♦SPARROW, HOUSE	С	С	С	С		
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KEY

⊕ - Has bred at Middle Creek

AUT – September – November

WIN - December - February

SPR - March - May

SUM – June – August

Abundant – Readily observed in large numbers

Common – Observed regularly in suitable habitat

Uncommon – Present, but hard to find or sightings unusual

Rare - Not observed every year

Accidental - Ten or fewer sightings

114 birds have been known to breed at Middle Creek

293 species of birds have been seen at Middle Creek

Species in lower case italics or not on this list should be reported to the Middle Creek Staff and a birding hotline.

NOTES:

LANCASTER COUNTY BIRD CLUB http://www.lancasterbirdclub.org/



The personnel at Middle Creek wish to thank Randy C. Miller for compiling the information for this list.

The Middle Creek Wildlife Management Area is owned by the Pennsylvania Game Commission and is operated primarily from revenue obtained from hunting license sales.