Port Townsend

January 15, 2019

The best sighting of the day was at Marrowstone Island. We were greeted with the Dunlin, Black-bellied Plovers. Sanderlings and Turnstones on the lawn as we drove into the park. At Port Townsend we had great views of the Ancient Murrelets.

80 species (approx. qty.)

Attendees: Wilma, Virginia, Phil B., Ken, Rex, Melinda, Bev, Reg, Art, Craig, Judy, Jim, Graham, Joyce, Phil D., Jeff, Sherrill, Rick, Karen, Frank and Sue

CHECKLIST:

WATERFOWL: Brant (7), Canada Goose (24), Gadwall (4), Eurasian Wigeon (2), American Wigeon (64), Mallard (40), Northern Shoveler (1), Green-winged Teal (42), Northern Pintail (74), Harlequin Duck (12), Surf Scoter (22), White-winged Scoter (1), Long-tailed Duck (3), Bufflehead (70), Common Goldeneye (8), Barrow's Goldeneye (2), Hooded Merganser (8), Redbreasted Merganser (95), Ruddy Duck (3)

GALLINACEOUS BIRDS: California Quail (2)

LOONS, GREBES: Red-throated Loon (6), Pacific Loon (4), Common Loon (9), Pied-billed Grebe (2), Horned Grebe (45), Red-necked Grebe (5), Eared Grebe (1)

PELICANS, HERONS, IBIS: Brant's Cormorant (3), Double-crested Cormorant (18), Pelagic Cormorant (11), Great Blue Heron (1)

RAPTORS: Bald Eagle (3), Red-tailed Hawk (1), Merlin (1)

RAILS, CRANES: American Coot (20)

SHOREBIRDS: Black-bellied Plover (150), Killdeer (2), Black Oystercatcher (10), Greater Yellowlegs (7), Black Turnstone (51), Sanderling (20), Least Sandpiper (1), Dunlin (75)

GULLS: Mew (150), Glaucous-winged (110)

ALCIDS: Common Murre (21), Pigeon Guillemot (20), Marbled Murrelet (8), Ancient Murrelet (60), Rhinoceros Auklet (2)

DOVES, PIGEONS: Rock Pigeon (26), Eurasian Collared-Dove (1)

HUMMINGBIRDS: Anna's (3)

KINGFISHER: Belted Kingfisher (5)

WOODPECKERS: Northern Flicker (1)

CORVIDS: Steller's Jay (1), American Crow (10), Common Raven (1)

CHICKADEES, BUSHTIT: Black-capped (1), Chestnut-backed (1)

WRENS: Bewick's (1), Pacific (1), Marsh (1)

KINGLETS: Golden-crowned (6), Ruby-crowned (1)

THRUSHES: American Robin (32), Varied Thrush (1)

STARLING: European Starling (5)

SPARROW, TANAGERS: Spotted Towhee (5), Fox Sparrow (5), Song Sparrow (9), Lincoln's Sparrow (1), White-crowned Sparrow (2), Golden-crowned Sparrow (2), Dark-eyed Junco (1 + 1 Slatey backed)

BLACKBIRDS, ORIOLES: Red-winged Blackbird (12)

FINCHES, WEAVER FINCH: Purple Finch (2), House Finch (7), Pine Siskin (100), American Goldfinch (3)