

Claremont Canyon Wildlife Summary for 2017

A tally of species reported in the monthly wildlife list published on the OpenForum listserv

84 BIRD SPECIES

Canada Goose
California Quail
Wild Turkey
Double-crested Cormorant
Great Blue Heron
Turkey Vulture
Sharp-shinned Hawk
Cooper's Hawk
Red-shouldered Hawk
Red-tailed Hawk
Bald Eagle*
Rock Pigeon
Band-tailed Pigeon
Mourning Dove
Western Screech-Owl
Great Horned Owl
Northern Saw-whet Owl
White-throated Swift
Anna's Hummingbird
Costa's Hummingbird
Rufous Hummingbird
Allen's Hummingbird
Acorn Woodpecker
Red-breasted Sapsucker
Nuttall's Woodpecker
Downy Woodpecker
Hairy Woodpecker
Northern Flicker
American Kestrel
Merlin*
Peregrine Falcon*
Olive-sided Flycatcher
Western Wood-Pewee
Pacific-slope Flycatcher
Ash-throated Flycatcher
Black Phoebe
Hutton's Vireo
Warbling Vireo
Steller's Jay

California Scrub Jay
American Crow
Common Raven
Violet-green Swallow
Barn Swallow
Chestnut-backed
Chickadee
Oak Titmouse
Bushtit
Red-breasted Nuthatch
Pygmy Nuthatch
Brown Creeper
Bewick's Wren
House Wren
Golden-crowned Kinglet
Ruby-crowned Kinglet
Wrentit
Western Bluebird
Swainson's Thrush
Hermit Thrush
American Robin
Varied Thrush
Northern Mockingbird
California Thrasher
European Starling
Cedar Waxwing
Orange-crowned Warbler
McGillivray's Warbler
Yellow Warbler
Yellow-rumped Warbler
Townsend's Warbler
Hermit Warbler
Wilson's Warbler
Spotted Towhee
California Towhee
Fox Sparrow
Song Sparrow
White-throated Sparrow
White-crowned Sparrow

Golden-crowned Sparrow
Dark-eyed Junco
Western Tanager
Rose-breasted Grosbeak
Black-headed Grosbeak
Lazuli Bunting
Western Meadowlark*
Hooded Oriole

* = New species for website photo gallery

15 MAMMALS

Black-tailed Mule Deer
Brush Rabbit
Striped Skunk
Red Fox
Gray Fox
Virginia Opossum
Long-tailed Weasel
Bobcat
Coyote
Eastern Fox Squirrel
Botta's Pocket Gopher
Ringtail ??
Northern Raccoon
Bobcat
Mountain Lion
(heard only)

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31 BUTTERFLY and MOTH SPECIES

Anise Swallowtail
Western Tiger Swallowtail
Pale Swallowtail
Cabbage White
Gray-veined White
Sara Orangetip
Orange Sulphur
Common Hairstreak
Echo Blue
Acmon Blue
Mylitta Crescent
Variable Checkerspot
Northern Checkerspot
Mourning Cloak
Common Buckeye
Painted Lady
American Painted Lady
West Coast Lady
Red Admiral

Lorquin's Admiral
California Sister
Satyr Anglewing
Monarch
California Ringlet
Mournful Duskywing
Common Checkered-Skipper
Fiery Skipper
Umber Skipper
Crambid Snout moth
Barberry Geometer moth
Anstenoptilia marmarodactyla
plume moth

2 REPTILES

Coast or Western Terrestrial Gartersnake
Coast Range Fence Lizard

As of December 31, 2017, the website photo galleries contain 3948 pictures submitted by 126 photographers, covering at least

107 bird species
63 butterfly and moth species
67 other invertebrate species
17 mammal and marsupial species
16 amphibian and reptile species
242 plant species
65 mushroom species
87 lichen species, and
1 rock – our unique Claremont Chert