

# COMMON BIRDS OF SWAN LAKE IRIS GARDENS



GREAT BLUE HERON



MALLARD



BELTED KINGFISHER



AMERICAN COOT



ANHINGA



DOUBLE-CRESTED CORMORANT



WOOD DUCK



GREAT EGRET



CANADA GOOSE



PIED-BILLED GREBE



COMMON GRACKLE



RED-SHOULDERED HAWK



YELLOW-RUMPED WARBLER



PROTHONOTARY WARBLER



AMERICAN GOLDFINCH



RED-TAILED HAWK



PINE WARBLER



NORTHERN PARULA WARBLER



TUFTED TITMOUSE



RUBY-CROWNED KINGLET



BLACK-CAPPED CHICKADEE



CAROLINA WREN



RED-HEADED WOODPECKER



BLUE JAY



NORTHERN CARDINAL



SUMMER TANAGER



RED-BELLIED WOODPECKER



NORTHERN FLICKER



YELLOW-BELLIED SAPSUCKER



RUBY-THROATED HUMMINGBIRD



EASTERN BLUEBIRD



DOWNY WOODPECKER



PILEATED WOODPECKER



BROWN THRASHER



NORTHERN MOCKINGBIRD



MOURNING DOVE



EASTERN TOWHEE



AMERICAN ROBIN



BROWN-HEADED NUTHATCH



BROWN CREEPER



EASTERN PHOEBE



DARK-EYED JUNCO



WHITE-BREASTED NUTHATCH



WHITE-THROATED SPARROW

The most common and obvious native birds at Swan Lake Iris Gardens were chosen for inclusion in this brochure. Therefore, not all birds at Swan Lake are included, nor are the domesticated fowl such as swans.

**FIND OUT MORE**

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*Sibley Field Guide to Birds of Eastern North America* by David Allen Sibley

*Peterson Field Guide to Birds of Eastern and Central North America* by Roger Tory Peterson

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