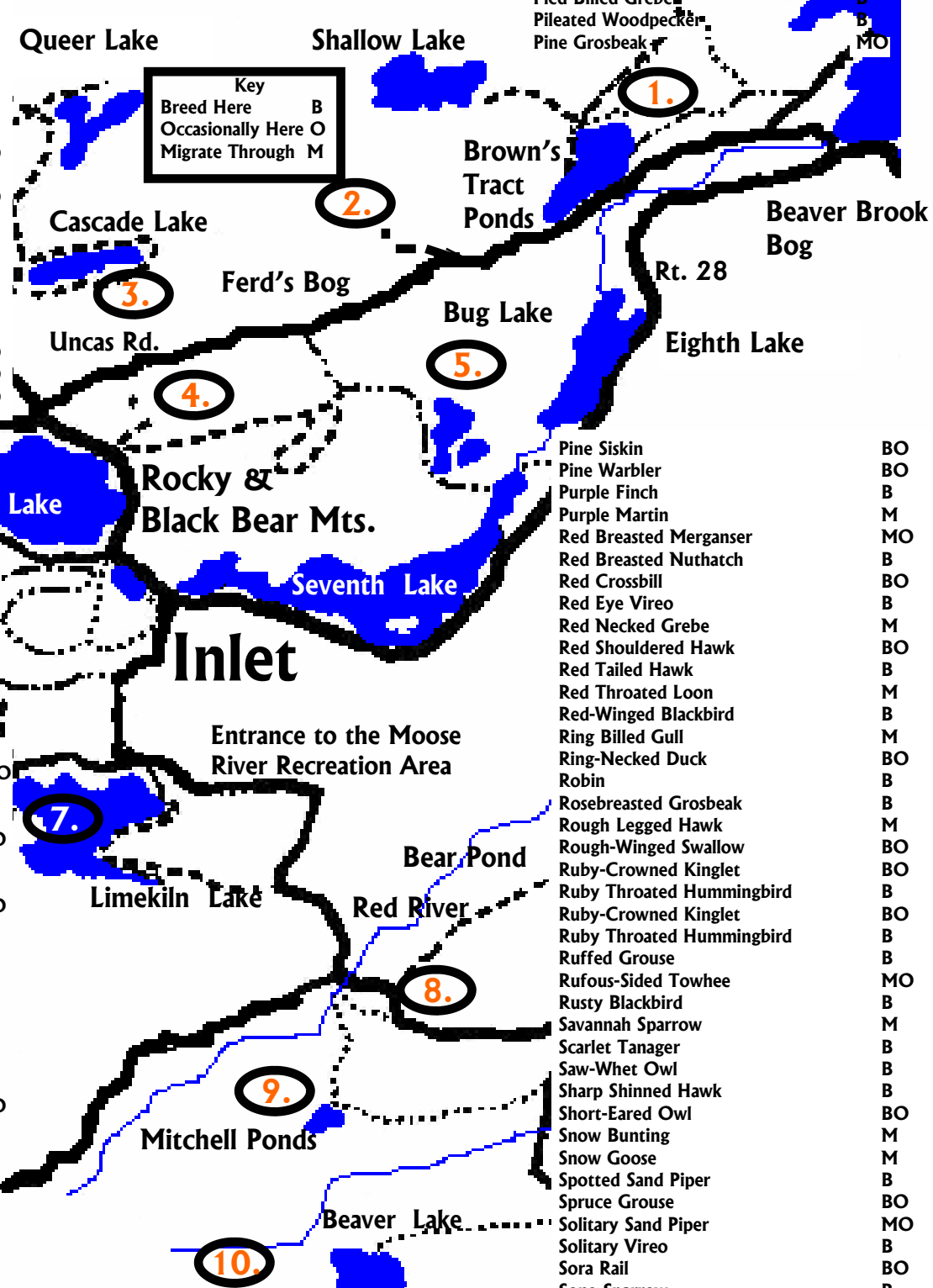


# Inlet's Bird Watching Hot Spots



- Alder Flycatcher B
- American Bittern B
- American Black Duck B
- American Crow B
- American Goldfinch BO
- American Redstart B
- American Tree Sparrow M
- American Woodcock B
- Bald Eagle MO
- Baltimore Oriole BO
- Bank Swallow B
- Barn Swallow B
- Barred Owl B
- Bay-Breasted Warbler BO
- Belted Kingfisher B
- Bicknell's Thrush B
- Black Backed Woodpecker B
- Black-Billed Cuckoo BO
- Black-Capped Chickadee B
- Black Crowned Night Heron MO
- Blackburnian Warbler B
- Black Scoter MO
- Blackpoll Warbler B
- Black-Throated Blue Warbler B
- Black-Throated Green Warbler B
- Black & White Warbler B
- Blue Jay B
- Blue Wing Teal M
- Bobolink MO
- Bohemian Waxwing MO
- Bonaparte's Gull MO
- Boreal Chickadee B
- Brant MO
- Broad-winged Hawk B
- Brown Creeper B
- Brown Thrasher BO
- Brownheaded Cowbird B
- Bufflehead M
- Canada Goose BO
- Canada Warbler B
- Cape-May Warbler M
- Cedar Waxwing B
- Chestnut-Sided Warbler B
- Chimney Swift B
- Chipping Sparrow B
- Cliff Swallow B
- Common Flicker B
- Common Gallinule BO
- Common Goldeneye M
- Common Grackle B
- Common Loon B
- Common Merganser B
- Common Nighthawk M
- Common Raven B
- Common Snipe B
- Common Redpoll M
- Common Yellow Throat B
- Cooper's Hawk B
- Dark-eyed Junco B
- Downy Woodpecker B
- Double Crested Cormorant MO
- Eastern Bluebird B
- Eastern Meadow Lark MO
- Eastern Pewee B
- Eastern Phoebe B
- Eared Grebe MO
- Evening Grosbeak BO
- Field Sparrow M
- Fox Sparrow M
- Gadwall Duck MO
- Golden Crowned Kinglet B
- Golden Eagle MO
- Gray Catbird B
- Gray Cheeked Thrush M
- Gray Jay B
- Great Blue Heron B
- Great Crested Flycatcher B
- Great Horned Owl M
- Greater Yellowlegs M
- Green Heron B
- Green Wing Teal M
- Hairy Woodpecker B
- Hermit Thrush B

**Key**  
 Breed Here B  
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- Old Squaw MO
- Olive-Sided Flycatcher B
- Oregon Junco MO
- Northern Three-toed Woodpecker B
- Northern Water Thrush B
- Old Squaw MO
- Olive-Sided Flycatcher B
- Oregon Junco MO
- Osprey B
- Ovenbird B
- Palm Warbler BO
- Philadelphia Vireo BO
- Pied-Billed Grebe B
- Pileated Woodpecker B
- Pine Grosbeak MO
- Pine Siskin BO
- Pine Warbler BO
- Purple Finch B
- Purple Martin M
- Red Breasted Merganser MO
- Red Breasted Nuthatch B
- Red Crossbill BO
- Red Eye Vireo B
- Red Necked Grebe M
- Red Shouldered Hawk BO
- Red Tailed Hawk B
- Red Throated Loon M
- Red-Winged Blackbird B
- Ring Billed Gull M
- Ring-Necked Duck BO
- Robin B
- Rosebreasted Grosbeak B
- Rough Legged Hawk M
- Rough-Winged Swallow BO
- Ruby-Crowned Kinglet BO
- Ruby Throated Hummingbird B
- Ruby-Crowned Kinglet BO
- Ruby Throated Hummingbird B
- Ruffed Grouse B
- Rufous-Sided Towhee MO
- Rusty Blackbird B
- Savannah Sparrow M
- Scarlet Tanager B
- Saw-Whet Owl B
- Sharp Shinned Hawk B
- Short-Eared Owl BO
- Snow Bunting M
- Snow Goose M
- Spotted Sand Piper B
- Spruce Grouse BO
- Solitary Sand Piper MO
- Solitary Vireo B
- Sora Rail BO
- Song Sparrow B
- Starling B
- Surf Scoter MO
- Swainson Thrush B
- Swamp Sparrow B
- Tennessee Warbler B
- Tree Sparrow M
- Tree Swallow B
- Tufted Titmouse M
- Turkey Vulture B
- Veery B
- Warbling Vireo MO
- White Breasted Nuthatch B
- White Crowned Sparrow M
- White Throated Sparrow B
- White-Winged Crossbill BO
- White-Winged Scoter MO
- Wild Turkey B
- Winter Wren B
- Wilson's Warbler M
- Woodcock B
- Wood Duck B
- Wood Thrush B
- Yellow Bellied Flycatcher B
- Yellow Bellied Sapsucker B
- Yellow-Rumped Warbler B
- Yellow Throated Warbler BO
- Yellow Warbler B

- Herring Gull B
- Hoary Redpoll MO
- Hooded Merganser B
- Horned Lark M
- House Finch B
- House Sparrow B
- House Wren B
- Indigo Bunting B
- Killdeer B
- Least Flycatcher B
- Lesser Yellowlegs M
- Lincoln Sparrow B
- Magnolia Warbler B
- Mallard Duck B
- Merlin B
- Mourning Warbler B
- Mourning Dove B
- Nashville Warbler B
- Northern Cardinal BO
- Northern Goshawk B
- Northern Harrier B
- Northern Mockingbird BO
- Northern Parula Warbler BO
- Northern Shoveler M
- Northern Shrike MO
- Northern Three-toed Woodpecker B
- Northern Water Thrush B

Hawk. They also offer million dollar views on a good day.

**1. Beaver Brook Bog** Located off of the Uncas Road, almost into the village of Raquette Lake, this trail leads Northward to Shallow Lake . One mile in on the trail you will cross a

three-log bridge over the bog. This is a wonderful area to see Black-backed and Northern Three Toed Woodpeckers, Gray Jays, Boreal Chickadees, Olive-Sided & Yellow Bellied Flycatchers, White Throated, Swamp & Lincoln Sparrows, Rusty Blackbird, Solitary Vireo, Parula, Yellow Rumped, Palm, Nashville & Common Yellow Throat Warblers, Sawhet & Short-Eared Owls, and Red Breasted Nuthatch.

**2. Ferd's Bog** Located off the Uncas Road, this is a short but perfect hike to a safe, floating walkway, and observation post. In the midst of this Adirondack bog you are offered the surveillance of the same species as Beaver Brook Bog. But it also features Tree Swallow, Blue Bird, & Osprey. On the trail down on the bog you might find Wood Warblers, Winter Wrens, Hermit & Swainson Thrush, and Gray Jays that eat from your hand.

**3. Cascade Lake** Located off the Big Moose Road. The trail leads around the lake to the old children's camp Clearings. This offers a view of different species, such as Wood Warblers, Hairy-Downy & Pileated Woodpeckers, Wood Pewee, Winter Wren, Hermit Thrush and Cedar Waxwings. Near the Water you will see Ravens, Common Mergansers, and maybe Loons on the Lake.

**4. Rocky & Black Bear Mts.** Located off Route 28. The elevations of these two mountains offer bird watching of species that include Wood Warblers, Hairy-Downy & Pileated Woodpeckers, Hermit Thrush, Wood Pewee, Winter Wren, Barred Owl, & Broad Winged

Wood Warblers, Woodpeckers, & Ruffed Grouse are seen here often. On the water you might see Great Blue Heron, Merganser and Common Loons. The Last Golden Eagle to nest in New York State was along this trail in 1971.

**5. Bug Lake** Trail heads are located at Eighth Lake Campground or off of the Uncas Road. This is a long, zero grade, old wide stage coach road. On this remote, lakeside hiking trail, you can find most of the species listed in this brochure, at one time or another. On the lake you can see Mallard Ducks, Common & Hooded Mergansers, and Loons. At Eagles Nest Pond, there is a Raven nest.

**6. Third Lake Creek** Located off of the South Shore Road, this trail will wind along the edge of a slow moving creek nestled among the many types of Spruce & Balsam trees. Species often found here are Wood Warblers, Woodpeckers (Black Backed), Boreal Chickadee, White Throated & Swamp Sparrows, Dark Eyed Junco, Red Breasted, & White Breasted Nuthatch.

**7. Limekiln Lake Nature Trail** Located off of the Limekiln Road, this trail is accessible through the NYS DEC Limekiln Lake Camp-ground. The trailhead leading around the outlet of the lake offers Wood Warblers, Woodpeckers, possibly Black Backed, Common & Hooded Merganser, Winter Wren, and Nuthatch.

**8. Red River-Bear Pond** Located in the Moose River Recreation Area, about five miles in, at the Red River bridge, are large open parking areas. From the bridge you can access the trailhead to the left North to Bear Pond. Rising up out of the Red River valley you can expect to find Wood Warblers, Woodpeckers, Boreal Chickadee & Gray Jay near Bear Pond.

**9. Mitchell Ponds** This 2 mile trail to the upper pond is just past the 8 mile marker in the Moose River Recreation Area. Sightings of

Wood Warblers, Woodpeckers, & Ruffed Grouse are seen here often. On the water you might see Great Blue Heron, Merganser and Common Loons. The Last Golden Eagle to nest in New York State was along this trail in 1971.

**10. Beaver Lake** This trail is accessed from the Moose River Recreation Area at a right turn past the Moose River Bridge. This is a large river valley setting. During a short 2.5 mile hike through old growth timber, you will see a white pine over 6 foot across on the stump. Black Backed Woodpeckers nest along this trail. Many Wood Warblers are found, and at Beaver Lake Common Loons, Osprey and Great Blue Heron fish.

In brushy areas expect to find:  
Warblers: Wood, Black & White, Yellow Rumped, Black Throated Blue, Black Throated Green, Magnolia, Blackburnian, Chestnut-Sided. Also Indigo Bunting, American Red Start and Common Yellow Throat.

In most woodland habitat expect to hear and see these songbirds: Yellow Bellied Sap Suckers, Purple Finch, White Throated Sparrow, Dark Eyed Junco, Rose Breasted Grosbeak, Scarlet Tanager, Red-Eye or Solitary Vireo, Chickadee, Turkey, Golden Crowned Kinglet, Tree Creeper, and Ruby Throated Hummingbird.

**Uncommon Sightings/Nests In Our Area:**  
Pine, Canada, Blackpoll, Bay Breasted & Morning Warbler, Alder Fly Catcher, Goshawk, Merlin, Red Shoulder Hawk, Sharp Shinned Hawk, Cooper Hawk, Northern Water Thrush, Ring Necked Duck, Kingbird, Kingfisher, American Bittern, Bank & Rough Winged Swallow, Sora Rail, Ruby Crowned Kinglet, and Great Crested Flycatcher.  
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