

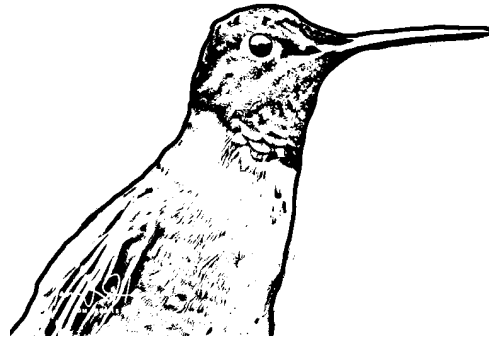
Westcave Preserve has over 170 different avian species, including the endangered Golden-cheeked Warbler.

Westcave supports a large variety of migratory and resident bird species. This is due, in part to the diversity of habitats found at Westcave, including a Live Oak – Ashe Juniper savanna and a riparian woodland in the canyon.

Westcave is within the central migratory flyway, one of four main migration routes birds follow during migration. Migration Flyways are often areas that provide adequate food, water, and shelter for birds. The endangered Golden-cheeked Warblers (here between March and June) are among the spring migrants.

**Please enjoy this check list as you explore our Preserve and bird blind.**

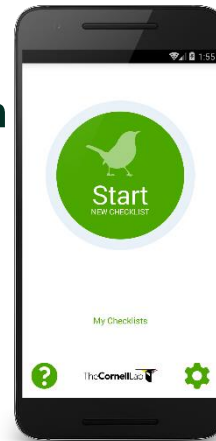
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Black-chinned Hummingbird

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## Westcave Preserve Bird Checklist



Golden-cheeked Warbler



**Family ANATIDAE**

- Greater White-fronted Goose
- Snow Goose
- Canada Goose
- Wood Duck
- Black-bellied Whistling Duck
- Blue-winged Teal
- Green-winged Teal

**Family ODONTOPHORIDAE**

- Northern Bobwhite

**Family PHASIANIDAE**

- Wild Turkey

**Family PHALACROCORACIDAE**

- Double-crested Cormorant

**Family PELECANIDAE**

- American White Pelican

**Family ARDEIDAE**

- Least Bittern
- Great Blue Heron
- Great Egret
- Cattle Egret
- Green Heron
- Black-crowned Night-heron

**Family GRUIDAE**

- Sandhill Crane

**Family CHARADRIIDAE**

- Killdeer

**Family SCOLOPACIDAE**

- Common Sandpiper
- Upland Sandpiper
- American Woodcock

**Family CATHARTIDAE**

- Black Vulture
- Turkey Vulture

**Family LARIDAE**

- Franklin's Gull

**Family ACCIPITRIDAE**

- Osprey
- Mississippi Kite
- Bald Eagle
- Northern Harrier
- Sharp-shinned Hawk
- Cooper's Hawk
- Red-shouldered Hawk
- Broad-winged Hawk
- Swainson's Hawk
- Zone-tailed Hawk
- Red-tailed Hawk

**Family COLUMBIDAE**

- Inca Dove
- Common Ground Dove
- White-winged Dove
- Mourning Dove

**Family CUCULIDAE**

- Yellow-billed Cuckoo
- Greater Roadrunner

**Family STRIGIDAE**

- Eastern Screech-owl
- Great Horned Owl

**Family CAPRIMULGIDAE**

- Common Nighthawk
- Common Poorwill
- Chuck-will's-widow
- Whip-poor-will

**Family ALCEDINIDAE**

- Belted Kingfisher
- Green Kingfisher

**Family APODIDAE**

- Chimney Swift

**Family TROCHILIDAE**

- Ruby-throated Hummingbird
- Black-chinned Hummingbird

**Family PICIDAE**

- Golden-fronted Woodpecker
- Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
- Ladder-backed Woodpecker
- Downy Woodpecker
- Northern Flicker

**Family FALCONIDAE**

- Crested Caracara
- American Kestrel

**Family TYRANNIDAE**

- Olive-sided Flycatcher
- Eastern Wood-pewee
- Acadian Flycatcher
- Alder Flycatcher
- Least Flycatcher
- Willow Flycatcher
- Empidonax spp.
- Eastern Phoebe
- Ash-throated Flycatcher
- Great Crested Flycatcher
- Western Kingbird
- Eastern Kingbird
- Scissor-tailed Flycatcher

**Family LANIIDAE**

- Loggerhead Shrike

**Family CORVIDAE**

- Blue Jay
- Western Scrub-jay
- American Crow
- Common Raven

**Family CERTHIIDAE**

- Brown Creeper

**Family VIREONIDAE**

- White-eyed Vireo
- Bell's Vireo
- Yellow-throated Vireo
- Black-capped Vireo
- Blue-headed Vireo
- Warbling Vireo
- Red-eyed Vireo

**Family HIRUNDINIDAE**

- Purple Martin
- Tree Swallow
- Cliff Swallow
- Barn Swallow

**Family PARIDAE**

- Carolina Chickadee
- Tufted Titmouse
- Black-crested Titmouse

**Family AEGITHALIDAE**

- Bushtit

**Family TROGLODYTIDAE**

- Rock Wren
- Canyon Wren
- Carolina Wren
- Bewick's Wren
- House Wren
- Winter Wren

**Family REGULIDAE**

- Golden-crowned Kinglet
- Ruby-crowned Kinglet

**Family SILVIIDAE**

- Blue-gray Gnatcatcher

**Family BOMBYCILLIDAE**

- Cedar Waxwing

**Family Remizidae**

- Verdin

**Family TURDIDAE**

- Eastern Bluebird
- Swainson's Thrush
- Hermit Thrush
- American Robin

**Family PARULIDAE**

- Louisiana Waterthrush
- Black-and-white Warbler
- Orange-crowned Warbler
- Nashville warbler
- Mourning Warbler
- Common Yellowthroat
- Northern Parula
- Magnolia Warbler
- Yellow Warbler
- Yellow-rumped Warbler
- Yellow-throated Warbler
- Black-throated Green Warbler
- Golden-cheeked Warbler
- Rufous-capped Warbler
- Wilson's Warbler
- Yellow-breasted Chat

**Family CARDINALIDAE**

- Summer Tanager
- Northern Cardinal
- Rose-breasted Grosbeak
- Blue Grosbeak
- Indigo Bunting
- Painted Bunting
- Dickcissel

**Family ICTERIDAE**

- Red-winged Blackbird
- Eastern Meadowlark
- Western Meadowlark
- Common Grackle
- Brown-headed Cowbird
- Orchard Oriole
- Baltimore Oriole

**Family FRINGILLIDAE**

- Purple Finch
- House Finch
- Pine Siskin
- Lesser Goldfinch
- American Goldfinch

**Family EMBERIZIDAE**

- Canyon Towhee
- Spotted Towhee
- Eastern Towhee
- Rufous-crowned Sparrow
- Cassin's Sparrow
- Chipping Sparrow
- Clay-colored Sparrow
- Field Sparrow
- Vesper Sparrow
- Lark Sparrow
- Savannah Sparrow
- Grasshopper Sparrow
- Le Conte's Sparrow
- Fox Sparrow
- Song Sparrow
- Lincoln's Sparrow
- White-throated Sparrow
- Harris's Sparrow
- White-crowned Sparrow
- Dark-eyed Junco

**Family MIMIDAE**

- Northern Mockingbird

**Family PASSERIDAE**

- House Sparrow (Introduced)

**Family STURNIDAE**

- European Starling (Introduced)

**Others**

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