

## Denver Urban Christmas Count January 1, 2012

A holiday tradition – everyone welcome: beginners, intermediate, and advanced. The more eyes we have, the more birds we see. And we like to encourage people to get involved. Start the New Year with a half day or whole day effort – a good way to start your New Year’s List!

The count covers a circle with a 15-mile diameter that includes the Platte River from North City limits to Mississippi, west to Buckley Field and Rocky Mtn. Arsenal. \$5.00 fee, payable to National Audubon Society, to defray costs of the count.

**Pot Luck**, 5:00 pm after the count, at Casey Davenhill’s, 415 South High (5 blocks west of University, about 2 blocks south of Alameda); please call Urling (303-814-2723) so we can count you in on the chili pot, Urling’s brownies, Casey’s hospitality, and your salad, dessert, veggie, or finger foods.

Count Leader, Hugh Kingery 303-814-2723

| <i>Area Location</i>   | <i>Leader</i>                           | <i>Telephone</i>                | <i>Activity level</i> |
|--|---|---------------------------------|-----------------------|
| South Platte (south) To Confluence Park                      | Doris Cruze                             | 303-798-8072                    | Some walking          |
| South Platte (central) Confluence Park to Riverside Cemetery | Casey Davenhill                         | 303-744-0613                    | Some walking          |
| South Platte (north)   | Dick Schottler                          | 303-278-8035                    | Walking               |
| Lower Sand Creek/Commerce City/Montbello                     | Mike Serruto                            | 303-377-9870                    | Some walking          |
| Aurora, Tollgate Ck Upper Sand Creek/Bluff Lake              | Randy Lentz                             | 303-680-3381                    | Walking               |
| Cherry Creek Res.  | Bob Brown<br>PicaPica@att.net           | 303-791-6204                    | Some walking          |
| Kent School, S/Hampden                                       | Lynn Willcockson                        | 303-757-7000                    | Some walking          |
| SE Denver, N/Hampden   | Mary Keithler<br>mkeithler@gmail.com    | 303-771-1421 or<br>303-941-7009 | Walking               |
|  | Harriet Stratton<br>hstra10@comcast.net | 303-798-9924                    |                       |
| Cherry Creek, dam to University Blvd.                        | Paul Slingsby<br>paslingsby@comcast.net | 303-422-3728                    | 7-mile walk           |
| City Park/Park Hill  | Kevin Corwin                            | 720-482-8454                    | Car, some walking     |
| Denver Country Club, Botanic Gardens,/Wash. Park             | Marilyn Rhodes and<br>Bob Santangelo    | 303-674-6580<br>303-477-1367    | Car, some walking     |
| <i>Rocky Mtn. Arsenal</i>                                    | <i>Urling Kingery</i>                   | <i>303-814-2723</i>             | <i>Closed</i>         |
| <i>Fairmont, Lowry</i>                                       | <i>Field Tuesday Birders</i>            | <i>303-979-6211</i>             | <i>Closed</i>         |
| <i>Denver Zoo</i>  | <i>Brad Parks</i>                       |                                 | <i>Closed</i>         |