

Multiple Nest Visits Data Sheet

This form is for your records — use it to locate and describe your nest site and record up to 10 visits to a nest. Use a separate form for each nest monitored and each new nest attempt. See keys on the next page for explanation of codes and fields. If response is "Other" enter "OT"; for "Unknown" enter "U."

Year 2013 Species Eastern Bluebird

1. Nest Site Location (see key on next page)	2. Description (see key on next page)
Nest Site Name: <u>VES nest box #1.</u>	Nest is located (circle one) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> ON <input type="checkbox"/> UNDER Substrate <u>Bluebird Nest Box</u>
Nest Location (nearest street address OR lat/long): <u>VES out field</u> <u>farthest from school</u>	Habitat within one meter <u>re-forested hill</u> Habitat within 100 meters <u>power corridor</u> Habitat modifier _____
OR Latitude N _____ Longitude W - _____	Elevation (specify ft. or m.) _____ Height above ground (ft. or m.) _____
Zip Code <u>21043</u>	Cavity orientation _____ Cavity opening width (specify in. or cm.) <u>1 1/2"</u>

3. BREEDING DATA *For columns C, D, E, and J, enter "X" if eggs or young are present, but exact number is unknown. Enter "U" for unknown.

Visits	Date/Time		Host Species*			Status/Activity Codes			Details (Optional)			
	A. Month / Day (1-12) / (1-31)	B. Time (am/pm)	C. # of Eggs	D. # Live Young	E. # Dead Young	F. Nest Status	G. Adult Activity	H. Young Status	I. Mgmt. Activity	J. Cowbird Evidence	K. Observer Initials	L. Comments below
Ex	5 / 4	4 PM	4	0	0	CN	AA	-	NO	IE 0 0	MS	✓
1	4 / 19	12:00	0	0	0	CN	VA	-	NO	0 0 0	EMB	✓
2	4 / 30	1:40	0	0	0	CN	VA	-	NO	0 0 0	EMB	✓
3	5 / 8	2:00	4	0	0	CN	VA	NO	NO	0 0 0	EMB	✓
4	5 / 16	1:30	0	4	0	CN	VA	PY	NO	0 0 0	EMB	✓
5	5 / 23	2:00	0	4	0	CN	VA	FY	NO	0 0 0	EMB	✓
6	5 / 28	1:45	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	- - -	EMB	✓
7	6 / 5	2:00	0	0	0	CN	NO	-	NO	0 0 0	EMB	✓
8	1											
9	1											
10	1											

4. NEST ATTEMPT SUMMARY Fill in the HOST information below after the nest attempt is complete.

IMPORTANT DATES		TOTALS				
First Egg Date		No. of visits	Clutch size	No. Unhatched eggs	No. live young	No. fledged
Estimated Hatch Date						
Estimated Fledge Date						

COMMENTS:
 4/30 - Couldn't view nests, adults were aggressive.
 5/8 - tree swallow eggs
 5/10 - 4 babies present, adults don't seem as aggressive

5/23 - young has good amount of feathers. Last time to view babies.
 5/28 - walked out to it, saw adults. Didn't open box
 6/5 - young gone

Site Name