

RECORD COUNTS FOR HANGING ROCK RAPTOR OBSERVATORY
FOR THE YEARS 1952 THROUGH 2024

SPECIES	LARGEST COUNT DAY	# BIRDS	LARGEST COUNT YEAR	# BIRDS
OSPREY	Sept. 18, 1996	43	1996	86
BALD EAGLE	Oct. 07, 2024	60	2024	373
GOLDEN EAGLE	Nov. 3, 2018	14	2017	96
NO. HARRIER	Sept. 30, 2001 Oct. 4, 2000 Sept 20, 2024	6	2024	24
SHARP-SHINNED	Oct. 13, 2020	218	2010	805
COOPER'S	Oct. 4, 1987	108	1987	230
RED-SHOULDERED	Oct. 22, 2010	5	1966	24
BROAD-WINGED	Sept. 20, 2024	3293	1974	10,501
RED-TAILED HAWK	Oct. 6, 2015	112	2016	635
AMERICAN KESTREL	Sept. 20, 1991	28	2021	97
MERLIN	Oct. 6, 1996	6	2021	18
PEREGRINE FALCON	Sept. 30, 2009	6	2009	15
GOSHAWK	Oct. 3, 1976	3	1976	3
ROUGH-LEGGED HAWK	ALL	1	2001	2