



Colorado Birding Challenge 2022 Par for Each County



Not all Colorado counties were created equal. Some are large, some are small, some are urban, some are rural, some have diverse habitats, some not so much. CFO has developed a handicap system based on a decade of eBird data that will establish "par" for each county. This par is essentially the total number of species that one would expect to find in that county at that time of year. Teams will be scored according to the total species they observe divided by par for the county they birded. Teams will be ranked by the total percentage of par they score.

County	Par	County	Par	County	Par
Adams	154	Fremont	169	Montrose	148
Alamosa	150	Garfield	117	Morgan	146
Arapahoe	157	Gilpin	74	Otero	183
Archuleta	113	Grand	105	Ouray	93
Baca	199	Gunnison	132	Park	136
Bent	204	Hinsdale	87	Phillips	121
Boulder	184	Huerfano	151	Pitkin	90
Broomfield	122	Jackson	128	Prowers	192
Chaffee	112	Jefferson	181	Pueblo	218
Cheyenne	110	Kiowa	171	Rio Blanco	157
Clear Creek	104	Kit Carson	160	Rio Grande	130
Conejos	116	Lake	62	Routt	121
Costilla	137	La Plata	165	Saguache	149
Crowley	143	Larimer	193	San Juan	68
Custer	140	Las Animas	156	San Miguel	142
Delta	146	Lincoln	188	Sedgwick	116
Denver	150	Logan	147	Summit	94
Dolores	128	Mesa	179	Teller	133
Douglas	167	Mineral	60	Washington	159
Eagle	125	Moffat	135	Weld	190
Elbert	133	Montezuma	162	Yuma	168
El Paso	194				