

**CHECKLISTS**  
**OF THE WILDLIFE OF THE**  
**CLEARWATER AREA,**  
**BRITISH COLUMBIA**

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## MAMMAL CHECKLIST

### Shrews:

Vagrant Shrew	<i>Sorex vagrans</i>
Dusky Shrew	<i>Sorex monticolus</i>
Masked Shrew	<i>Sorex cinereus</i>

### Bats:

Little Brown Myotis	<i>Myotis lucifugus</i>
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### Lagomorphs:

Pika	<i>Ochotona princeps</i>
Snowshoe Hare	<i>Lepus americanus</i>

### Rodents:

Yellow-pine Chipmunk	<i>Tamias amoenus</i>
Woodchuck	<i>Marmota monax</i>
Hoary Marmot	<i>Marmota caligata</i>
Columbian Ground Squirrel	<i>Spermophilus columbianus</i>
Red Squirrel	<i>Tamiasciurus hudsonicus</i>
Northern Flying Squirrel	<i>Glacomys sabrinus</i>
Beaver	<i>Castor canadensis</i>
Deer Mouse	<i>Peromyscus maniculatus</i>
Bushy-tailed Woodrat	<i>Neotoma cinerea</i>
Southern Red-backed Vole	<i>Clethrionomys gapperi</i>
Heather Vole	<i>Phenacomys intermedius</i>
Meadow Vole	<i>Microtus pennsylvanicus</i>
Muskrat	<i>Ondatra zibethicus</i>
House Mouse	<i>Mus musculus</i>
Porcupine	<i>Erethizon dorsatum</i>

### Carnivores:

Coyote	<i>Canis latrans</i>
Grey Wolf	<i>Canis lupus</i>
Red Fox	<i>Vulpes vulpes</i>
Black Bear	<i>Ursus americanus</i>
Grizzly Bear	<i>Ursus arctos</i>
Raccoon	<i>Procyon lotor</i>
Marten	<i>Martes americana</i>
Ermine	<i>Mustela erminea</i>
Least Weasel	<i>Mustela nivalis</i>
Long-tailed Weasel	<i>Mustela frenata</i>

River Otter  
Mountain Lion  
Canada Lynx  
Bobcat  
Wolverine

*Lontra canadensis*  
*Puma concolor*  
*Lynx (canadensis) lynx*  
*Lynx rufus*  
*Gulo gulo*

Ungulates:

Mule Deer  
White-tailed Deer  
Moose  
Caribou

*Odocoileus hemionus*  
*Odocoileus virginianus*  
*Alces alces*  
*Rangifer tarandus*

## BIRD CHECKLIST

Common Loon	<i>Gavia immer</i>
Red-necked Grebe	<i>Podiceps grisegena</i>
Horned Grebe	<i>Podiceps auritus</i>
Great Blue Heron	<i>Ardea herodias</i>
Canada Goose	<i>Branta canadensis</i>
Wood Duck	<i>Aix sponsa</i>
Mallard	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>
Gadwall	<i>Anas strepera</i>
Northern Pintail	<i>Anas acuta</i>
American Wigeon	<i>Anas americana</i>
Northern Shoveler	<i>Anas clypeata</i>
Green-winged Teal	<i>Anas crecca</i>
Canvasback	<i>Aythya valisineria</i>
Ring-necked Duck	<i>Aythya collaris</i>
Lesser Scaup	<i>Aythya affinis</i>
White-winged Scoter	<i>Melanitta fusca</i>
Common Goldeneye	<i>Bucephala clangula</i>
Bufflehead	<i>Bucephala albeola</i>
Hooded Merganser	<i>Lophodytes cucullatus</i>
Common Merganser	<i>Mergus merganser</i>
Turkey Vulture	<i>Cathartes aura</i>
Northern Harrier	<i>Circus cyaneus</i>
Sharp-shinned Hawk	<i>Accipiter striatus</i>
Northern Goshawk	<i>Accipiter gentilis</i>
Swainson's Hawk	<i>Buteo swainsoni</i>
Red-tailed Hawk	<i>Buteo jamaicensis</i>
Rough-legged Hawk	<i>Buteo lagopus</i>
Golden Eagle	<i>Aquila chrysaetos</i>
Bald Eagle	<i>Haliaeetus leucocephalus</i>
Osprey	<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>
Merlin	<i>Falco columbarius</i>
American Kestrel	<i>Falco sparverius</i>
Peregrin Falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>
Spruce Grouse	<i>Falcipectens canadensis</i>
Blue Grouse	<i>Dendragapus obscurus</i>
White-tailed Ptarmigan	<i>Lagopus leucurus</i>
Ruffed Grouse	<i>Bonasa umbellus</i>
American Coot	<i>Fulica americana</i>
Sora	<i>Porzana carolina</i>
Sandhill Crane	<i>Grus canadensis</i>
Semipalmated Plover	<i>Charadrius semipalmatus</i>
Killdeer	<i>Charadrius vociferus</i>
Spotted Sandpiper	<i>Actitis macularia</i>
Least Sandpiper	<i>Calidris minutilla</i>
Common Snipe	<i>Gallinago gallinago</i>

Wilson's Phalarope	<i>Phalaropus tricolor</i>
Bonaparte's Gull	<i>Larus philadelphia</i>
Mew Gull	<i>Larus canus</i>
Herring Gull	<i>Larus argentatus</i>
Black Tern	<i>Chlidonias niger</i>
Mourning Dove	<i>Zenaida macroura</i>
Eurasian Collared Dove	<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>
Feral Pigeon	<i>Columba livia</i>
Great Horned Owl	<i>Bubo virginianus</i>
Common Nighthawk	<i>Chordeiles minor</i>
Calliope Hummingbird	<i>Stellula calliope</i>
Rufous Hummingbird	<i>Selasphorus rufus</i>
Belted Kingfisher	<i>Ceryle alcyon</i>
Red-breasted Sapsucker	<i>Sphyrapicus ruber</i>
Downy Woodpecker	<i>Picoides pubescens</i>
Hairy Woodpecker	<i>Picoides villosus</i>
Northern Flicker	<i>Colaptes auratus</i>
Pileated Woodpecker	<i>Dryocopus pileatus</i>
Western Wood-Pewee	<i>Contopus sordidulus</i>
Say's Phoebe	<i>Sayornis saya</i>
Eastern Kingbird	<i>Tyrannus tyrannus</i>
Northern Shrike	<i>Lanius excubitor</i>
Vireo (species unidentified)	<i>Vireo sp.</i>
Steller's Jay	<i>Cyanocitta stelleri</i>
Grey Jay	<i>Perisoreus canadensis</i>
Black-billed Magpie	<i>Pica hudsonia</i>
Common Raven	<i>Corvus corax</i>
American Crow	<i>Corvus brachyrhynchos</i>
Horned Lark	<i>Eremophila alpestris</i>
Bank Swallow	<i>Riparia riparia</i>
Violet-green Swallow	<i>Tachycineta thalassina</i>
Tree Swallow	<i>Tachycineta bicolor</i>
Cliff Swallow	<i>Petrochelidon pyrrhonota</i>
Barn Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>
Black-capped Chickadee	<i>Poecile atricapilla</i>
Boreal Chickadee	<i>Poecile hudsonica</i>
Red-breasted Nuthatch	<i>Sitta canadensis</i>
White-breasted Nuthatch	<i>Sitta carolinensis</i>
Brown Creeper	<i>Certhia americana</i>
Winter Wren	<i>Troglodytes troglodytes</i>
American Dipper	<i>Cinclus mexicanus</i>
Golden-crowned Kinglet	<i>Regulus satrapa</i>
Mountain Bluebird	<i>Sialia currucoides</i>
Varied Thrush	<i>Ixoreus naevius</i>
American Robin	<i>Turdus migratorius</i>
Swainson's Thrush	<i>Catharus ustulatus</i>
Gray Catbird	<i>Dumetella carolinensis</i>

European Starling  
American Pipit  
Bohemian Waxbill  
Yellow Warbler  
Yellow-rumped Warbler  
Townsend's Warbler  
American Redstart  
Western Tanager  
Black-headed Grosbeak  
American Tree Sparrow  
White-crowned Sparrow  
Dark-eyed Junco  
Snow Bunting  
Western Meadowlark  
Brown-headed Cowbird  
Brewer's Blackbird  
Evening Grosbeak  
Pine Grosbeak  
House Finch  
Red Crossbill  
Common Redpoll  
Hoary Redpoll  
Pine Siskin  
House Sparrow

*Sturnus vulgaris*  
*Anthus rubescens*  
*Bombycilla garrulus*  
*Dendroica petechia*  
*Dendroica coronata*  
*Dendroica townsendi*  
*Setophaga ruticulla*  
*Piranga ludoviciana*  
*Pheucticus melanocephalus*  
*Spizella arborea*  
*Zonotrichia leucophrys*  
*Junco hyemalis*  
*Plectrophenax nivalis*  
*Sturnella neglecta*  
*Molothrus ater*  
*Euphagus cyonoccephalus*  
*Coccothraustes vespertinus*  
*Pinicola enucleator*  
*Carpodacus mexicanus*  
*Loxia curvirostra*  
*Carduelis flammea*  
*Carduelis hornemanni*  
*Carduelis pinus*  
*Passer domesticus*

## **REPTILE CHECKLIST**

Common Garter Snake  
Painted Turtle

*Thamnophis sirtalis*  
*Chrysemys picta*

## **AMPHIBIAN CHECKLIST**

Long-toed Salamander  
Spotted Frog  
Wood Frog  
Western Toad  
Pacific Tree Frog

*Ambystoma macrodactylum*  
*Rana pretiosa*  
*Rana sylvatica*  
*Anaxyrus boreas*  
*Hyla regilla*

## FISH CHECKLIST

Sockeye Salmon

Coho Salmon

Rainbow Trout

Lake Trout

*Oncorhynchus nerka*

*Oncorhynchus kisutch*

*Oncorhynchus mykiss*

*Salvelinus namaycush*