

Breeding specialties of Carolinian Canada (mid-June):

Exploring the rich region of Long Point will provide our clients with some of the rarest breeding birds in Canada. The Long Point region boasts one of the highest diversity of breeding birds in Canada (150-170 species), with numerous Important Bird Areas and other protected lands throughout the region.

Our plan: throughout the day we'll explore many of the best locations for our target breeding bird species, including: Backus Woods, St. Williams Conservation Reserve, Coppin's and Wilson's Tract, Big Creek Marsh to name a few. Target species we'll aim to see throughout the day include: Least Bittern, Acadian Flycatcher, Cerulean, Prothonotary, and Hooded Warblers, and Louisiana Waterthrush.

We should be able to see ~110 species, with close to 20 species of warblers. Depending on water levels in some of the regional forests, we may see >50% of the Canadian population of the Prothonotary Warbler as well as nationally significant numbers of Acadian Flycatchers and Louisiana Waterthrushes.



Acadian Flycatcher – one of the rarest breeding birds in Canada; we should be able to encounter a few individuals.



Cerulean Warblers – an Endangered species which we should be able to see in some of the larger forests.