

OUR FOUR BLACKBIRDS AT BOGGY CREEK

Female Redwinged Blackbird— an excellent example of a female bird with plumage quite unlike the male's. Her plumage is a streaked pattern of rust, browns and tans.



Yellow-headed Blackbird — showiest of all our blackbirds. It loves the prairie sloughs and marsh lands.

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Male Brewer's Blackbird—common in the farm-yard. Its beautiful black plumage gleams with purple, green and blue lights, punctuated with a bright yellow eye.





Rusty Blackbird — beautiful in autumn plumage. Feathers are brownish-black touched up with splashes of gold.