

GREEN HERON AT DUNNET PARK

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I took the photo of the green heron (*Butorides virescens*) at Dunnet Park near Avonlea, on Thursday May 8th 2014 and it was spotted on Wednesday May 7th. We spent about three hours there and took several photos and videos of it. Al [Smith] showed up to have another look at it when we were there. It was a nice warm sunny day.

Note: The green heron was seen from 7-11 May. This is the 20th record for the province and the first since 2007. It was seen in a tree bordered oxbow in Dunnet Park, which is pretty typical of it habitat farther south.



Green heron in a tree in Dunnet Regional Park, SK

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(for colour image, see outside back cover)

