

Loon Count Results***Adults******Chicks***

2003	17	0
2004	25	3
2005	18	2
2006	20	1
2007	20	2
2008	28	3

All counts are from the Maine Audubon Society. Sue Harvey is the coordinator for the annual Loon Count on Cold Stream Pond. It is held from 7 a.m. to 7:30 a.m. on a Saturday in July every year. The upper and lower basins of the lake are divided into 10 distinct sections. A pair of volunteer counters is responsible for quietly patrolling each section for the full half hour and recording any adult or chick sightings on a map of the lake. The maps and accompanying data sheets are collected and totals calculated. Everything is then sent off to the Maine Audubon Society where the count is recorded for use in research.

Visit www.maineaudubon.org/conservation/loon/index.shtml for more information about the Maine Loon Project.