

# Quick Guide to the eBird Smartphone App

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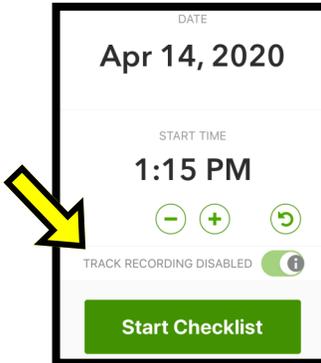
Open the app. Create an account and follow the instructions OR login.

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Share your data with the NC Bird Atlas by tapping More, then Settings and Account, and selecting the Atlas from the list of available Portals.

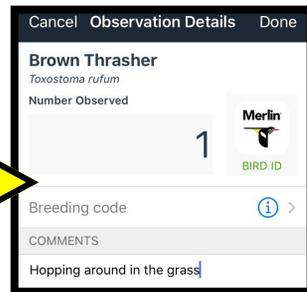
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Check the date and time, then click "Start Checklist" to begin. Select Track Recording if you'd like the app to automatically record your time/distance traveled while birding!



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Scroll through the list of birds and add in the total individuals for each species you see by 1) tapping the + sign next to a species in the list or 2) tapping the species name and typing in the total number.



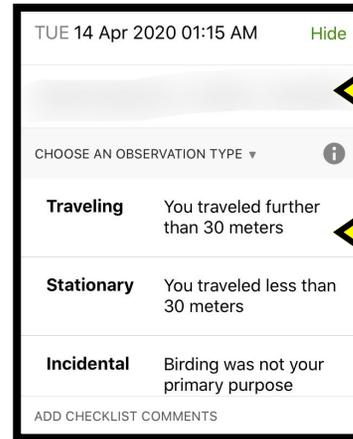
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When done observing birds, tap "Review."



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Enter the remaining data required as prompted and submit!



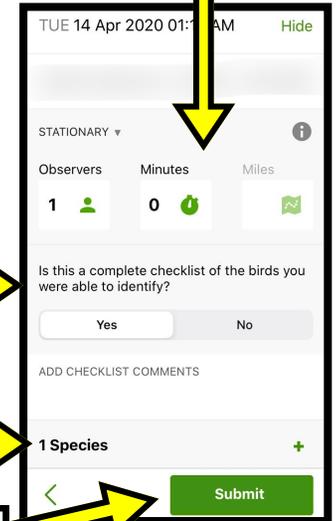
If the app needs your location, you will see a notice here. Tap to select your location.

If you did not use Track Recording, you must select an observation type here. Once a type is selected, enter the data required type as prompted where not entered automatically.

Are you submitting a list of every species you saw that you know how to identify? Choose yes if you left out birds that you could not identify. Choose no if you are leaving any species you could identify out for any reason.

Scroll through and check your species list and counts!

Tap Submit to send your list to eBird!



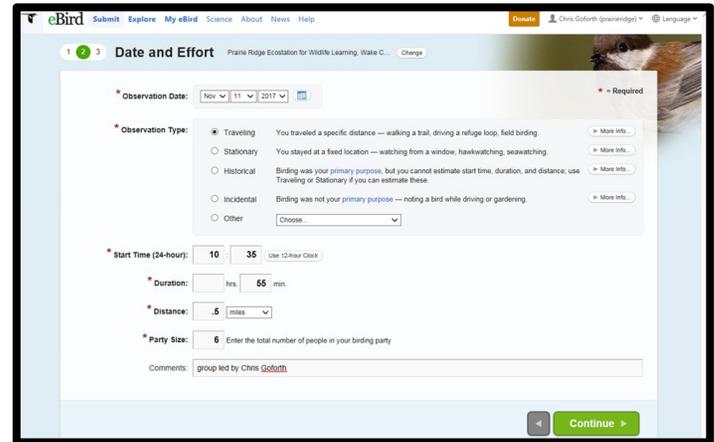
# Quick Guide to the eBird Website

**1** Visit ebird.org and create a free account. Login, then visit ebird.org/atlasnc .

**2** Click “Submit” in the upper left of the screen.

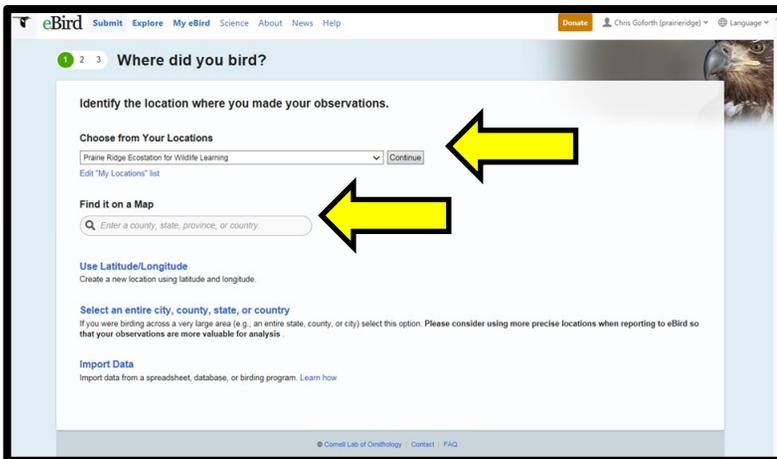
**3** Tell eBird where you went birding! If you’re in a location you’ve visited before, select it from “Choose from Your Locations.” Otherwise, find your location on the map.

**4** Tell eBird how you collected your data - the date, what time you started, how long you were out, whether you stayed in one place or walked, and how many people were in your group. This screen looks different depending on your choices! Click “Continue.”

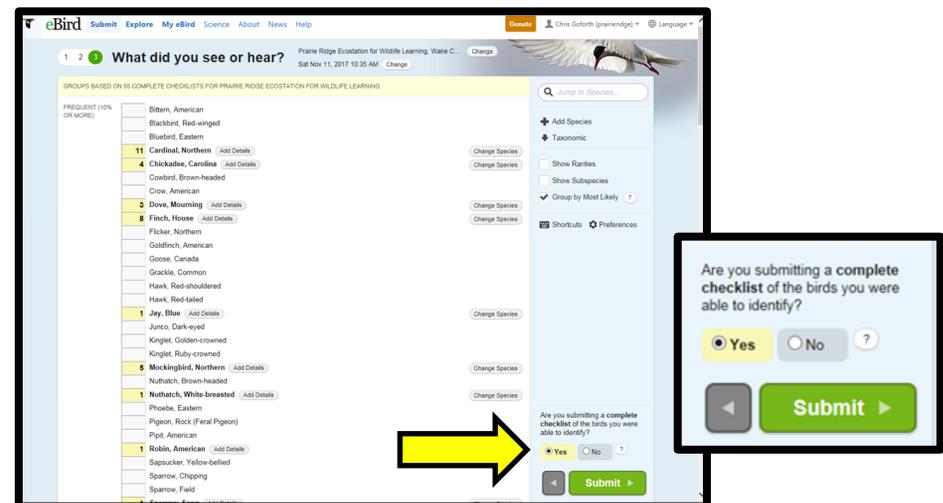


This screenshot shows the 'Date and Effort' form on the eBird website. It includes fields for 'Observation Date' (Nov 11, 2017), 'Observation Type' (Traveling), 'Start Time (24-hour)' (10:35), 'Duration' (1 hr 55 min), 'Distance' (.5 miles), and 'Party Size' (6). A 'Continue' button is visible at the bottom right.

**5** Enter the total number of birds you saw for each species listed. The most likely birds are listed at the top of the page and you will need to scroll down for the less common ones. Click Yes in the complete checklist question in the lower left if you are submitting all the birds you know how to identify, even if you saw birds couldn’t identify, then click “Submit!”



This screenshot shows the 'Where did you bird?' form. It has three main sections: 'Choose from Your Locations' (with a dropdown menu), 'Find it on a Map' (with a search bar), and 'Use Latitude/Longitude' (with a text input). Yellow arrows point to the dropdown menu and the search bar. A 'Continue' button is at the bottom right.



This screenshot shows the 'What did you see or hear?' checklist. It lists various bird species with checkboxes and 'Add Details' links. A 'Submit' button is at the bottom right. A yellow arrow points to the 'Submit' button. A callout box on the right asks 'Are you submitting a complete checklist of the birds you were able to identify?' with 'Yes' and 'No' radio buttons and a 'Submit' button.