

HOT BIRDS



This **Ross's Goose** was photographed by Jeremiah Trimble on Martha's Vineyard on October 21, 2001. If accepted by the MARC, it will be only the second record of this species in the state.

This **Sage Thrasher** delighted many a visitor during November and December at Nubble Light in Cape Neddick, York, Maine. The rather rotund appearance of the bird may be due in part to the large number of mealworms supplied by local birders. Denny Abbott obtained this video still on November 19, 2001.



This **Gray Jay** was an irregular visitor to a feeding station on Windsor Bush Road in Windsor, MA, from early December into January. Phil Brown took this photograph on December 30, 2001.

During the Greater Boston Christmas Bird Count, Ronnie Donovan and party were returning from a visit to the Harbor Islands when they spotted a large, dark falcon on the Black Falcon Terminal. This **Gyrfalcon** stayed long enough for Don Crockett to capture this video still on the next day, December 17, 2001.

