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**Insectivores – Insectivora**

**Amphibians and Reptiles**

- \_\_\_ Tiger Salamander – *Ambystoma tigrinum*  
\_\_\_ Western Terrestrial Garter Snake – *Thamnophis elegans*

**Introduced Fish**

- \_\_\_ Eastern Brook Trout – *Salvelinus fontinalis*

**Insects with complete metamorphosis**

**Butterflies**

- \_\_\_ Western Tiger Swallowtail – *Papilio rutulus*  
\_\_\_ Orange Sulphur – *Colias eurytheme*  
\_\_\_ Clouded (Common) Sulphur – *Colias philodice*  
\_\_\_ Mourning Cloak – *Nymphalis antiopa*  
\_\_\_ Weidemeyer’s Admiral – *Limenitis weidemeyerii*

**Wildlife Checklist – Big Thompson Pool**

**Even-toed Ungulates - Artiodactyls**

**Deer Family – Cervidae**

- \_\_\_ Elk (Wapiti) – *Cervus elaphus canadensis*  
\_\_\_ Mule Deer – *Odocoileus hemionus*

**Carnivores – Carnivora**

**Canine Family - Canidae**

- \_\_\_ Coyote – *Canis latrans*

**Bear Family – Ursidae**

- \_\_\_ Black Bear – *Ursus americanus*

**Weasel Family - Mustelidae**

- \_\_\_ Long-tailed Weasel – *Mustela frenata*

**Rabbits – Lagomorpha**

**Rabbit Family - Leporidae**

- \_\_\_ Nuttall’s Cottontail – *Sylvilagus nuttallii*  
\_\_\_ Snowshoe Hare – *Lepus americanus*

**Rodents – Rodentia**

**Squirrel Family – Sciuridae**

- \_\_\_ Red Squirrel (Chickaree) *Tamiasciurus hudsonicus*  
\_\_\_ Golden-mantled Ground Squirrel – *Spermophilus lateralis*  
\_\_\_ Chipmunk - *Tamias*

**Mouse Family – Cricetidae**

- \_\_\_ Muskrat – *Ondatra zibethicus*

**Beaver Family - Castoridae**

- \_\_\_ Beaver – *Castor canadensis*

Big Thompson Pool - elevation 8355 feet

Trailhead 8155 feet – 1.7 miles each way

List compiled by Kaiyote Snow - updated April 2008

This is a list of all the species that have been observed along  
The Big Thompson Pool Trail on Kaiyote’s Birding & Botany Hikes

**Birds (48 species) in alphabetical order**

\_\_\_ American Crow – *Corvus brachyrhynchos*  
\_\_\_ American Dipper – *Cinclus mexicanus*  
\_\_\_ American Magpie – *Pica hudsonia*  
\_\_\_ American Robin – *Turdus migratorius*  
\_\_\_ Belted Kingfisher – *Ceryle alcyon*  
\_\_\_ Black-capped Chickadee – *Parus atricapillus*  
\_\_\_ Blue Grouse – *Dendragapus obscurus*  
\_\_\_ Brewer’s Blackbird – *Euphagus cyanocephalus*  
\_\_\_ Broad-tailed Hummingbird – *Selasphorus platycercus*  
\_\_\_ Brown Creeper – *Certhis americana*  
\_\_\_ Cedar Waxwing – *Bombycilla cedrorum*  
\_\_\_ Clark’s Nutcracker – *Nucifraga columbiana*  
\_\_\_ Common Nighthawk – *Chordeiles minor*  
\_\_\_ Common Raven – *Corvus corax*  
\_\_\_ Cordilleran Flycatcher – *Empidonax occidentalis*  
\_\_\_ Dark-eyed Junco – *Junco hyemalis*  
\_\_\_ Downy Woodpecker – *Picoides pubescens*  
\_\_\_ Golden Eagle – *Aquila chrysaetos*  
\_\_\_ Gray Jay – *Perisoreus canadensis*  
\_\_\_ Green-tailed Towhee – *Pipilo chlorurus*  
\_\_\_ Hairy Woodpecker - *Picoides villosus*  
\_\_\_ Hermit Thrush – *Catharus guttatus*  
\_\_\_ House Wren – *Troglodytes aedon*  
\_\_\_ Lincoln’s Sparrow – *melospiza lincolnii*  
\_\_\_ MacGillivray’s Warbler – *Oporornis tolmiei*  
\_\_\_ Mallard – *Anas platyrhynchos*  
\_\_\_ Mountain Bluebird – *Sialia currucoides*  
\_\_\_ Mountain Chickadee – *Poecile gambeli*  
\_\_\_ Mourning Dove - *Zenaida macroura*  
\_\_\_ Northern Flicker – *Colaptes auratus*

\_\_\_ Red-breasted Nuthatch – *Sitta Canadensis*  
\_\_\_ Red-naped Sapsucker – *Sphyrapicus nuchalis*  
\_\_\_ Red-winged Blackbird – *Agelaius phoeniceus*  
\_\_\_ Ruby-crowned Kinglet – *Regulus calendula*  
\_\_\_ Rufous Hummingbird – *Selasphorus rufus*  
\_\_\_ Song Sparrow – *Melospiza melodia*  
\_\_\_ Spotted Sandpiper – *Actitis macularia*  
\_\_\_ Steller’s Jay – *Cyanocitta stelleri*  
\_\_\_ Townsend’s Solitaire – *Myadestes townsendii*  
\_\_\_ Townsend’s Warbler – *Dendroica townsendi*  
\_\_\_ Turkey Vulture – *Cathartes aura*  
\_\_\_ Violet Green swallow – *Tachycineta thalassina*  
\_\_\_ Warbling Vireo – *Vireo gilvus*  
\_\_\_ Western Tanager – *Piranga ludoviciana*  
\_\_\_ Western Wood-pewee – *Contopus caribaeus*  
\_\_\_ White-breasted Nuthatch – *Sitta carolinensis*  
\_\_\_ Wilson’s Warbler – *Wilsonia pusilla*  
\_\_\_ Yellow-rumped Warbler – *Dendroica coronata*