

**Yellow-crowned Night-Heron (*Nyctanassa violacea*), Seneca Lake, Gila County**

This Yellow-crowned Night-Heron was photographed by Gary Rosenberg on 12 September 2022

Juvenile bird found by Janine McCabe on 1 September 2022.

This would represent a 6th or 7th Arizona record, and first Gila County record.

Immature/Juvenile Night-Heron entirely streaked above and below; with stout mostly dark bill, thinner, more elongated neck compared to a juvenile Black-crowned, and more spotted and less streaked above than Black-crowned; overall grayer than juvenile Black-crowned.











*12 September 2022, photo by Gary Rosenberg*

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