



2016 BOBOLINK NESTING CALENDAR



VERMONT & NEW HAMPSHIRE



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MAY

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				



Male birds establish territories.

Females arrive and mate pairing begins.

Nest building and egg laying begins.

JUNE

			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

MOST CRITICAL PERIOD OF NESTING:
Females are incubating eggs and both parents are feeding nestlings.

JULY

					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30/31

Nests are fledging young who are incapable of flight for up to 10 days.

Most birds have fledged and are able to escape harvesting equipment.

Dates are approximate and can vary by up to a week depending on location, elevation and latitude.