



AUSTRALIA COMPREHENSIVE TARGET SPECIES CUSTOM TOUR TRIP REPORT

23 AUGUST - 1 OCTOBER 2019

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The Endangered (BirdLife International) Mallee Emu-wren has a tiny global range, and we had excellent views of a pair while birdwatching in Victoria.

Overview

This 40-day custom birdwatching tour of Australia commenced in Adelaide, South Australia, on the 23rd of August 2019 and ended in Sydney, New South Wales, on the 1st of October 2019. The tour also visited the states and territories of Victoria, Northern Territory, and Queensland. A pelagic trip was taken off southern South Australia (Port MacDonnell). Unfortunately a planned pelagic trip off southern Queensland (Southport) was canceled due to illness.

This custom birding tour route was South Australia (Adelaide to Port MacDonnell) - Victoria (circuit around the western section of the state) - New South Wales (a brief stop for parrots along the state border) - Victoria (remainder of the western circuit back to Melbourne) - Northern Territory (Alice Springs area) - Northern Territory (Darwin to Kakadu and back) - Queensland (circuit out of Brisbane) - New South Wales (circuit out of Sydney). Several areas visited on this tour feature in our Australia set departure tours (e.g. East Coast and Northern Territory tours).

A list of target birds was provided for the tour (the clients' third trip to Australia), and these became the focus of the tour route and birding, though new trip birds encountered were also enjoyed! A total of 421 bird species were seen (plus 5 species heard only), including many client target birds.

This trip report highlights the key birds seen (either target species or other important/interesting species/subspecies), and a full species list is provided at the end of this report.

Detailed Report

Day 1, 23rd August 2019. Arrival in Adelaide

Arrival in Adelaide, South Australia, and remainder of day at leisure. No birding.

Day 2, 24th August 2019. Adelaide to Port MacDonnell

A drive south from Adelaide to Port MacDonnell calling in at Tolderol Game Reserve and Coorong National Park.

Target birds recorded: **Rufous Bristlebird, Banded Lapwing, and Red-kneed Dotterel.**

Other notable species recorded: **Crimson Rosella** (the *fleurieuensis* subspecies known as Adelaide Rosella), **Cape Barren Goose**, and **Yellow-tailed Black Cockatoo.**

Day 3, 25th August 2019. Port MacDonnell pelagic trip

All-day pelagic trip to the continental shelf off South Australia in rather rough sea conditions.

Target birds recorded: **Buller's Albatross, Slender-billed Prion, and Black-faced Cormorant.**

Other notable species recorded: **Blue Petrel** (the first in 100 trips of this pelagic), **Wandering Albatross, Antipodean Albatross** (*gibsoni* subspecies), **Indian Yellow-nosed Albatross, Shy Albatross, Black-browed Albatross, Campbell Albatross, Fairy Prion, Great-winged Petrel, White-faced Storm Petrel, Grey-backed Storm Petrel, White-fronted Tern, Hutton's Shearwater, Sooty Shearwater, and Musk Duck.**



Buller's Albatross was one of the first birds to arrive at the back of the boat!



Slender-billed Prion was a bonus bird that arrived near the end of the boat trip.

Day 4, 26th August 2019. Port MacDonnell to Little Desert National Park

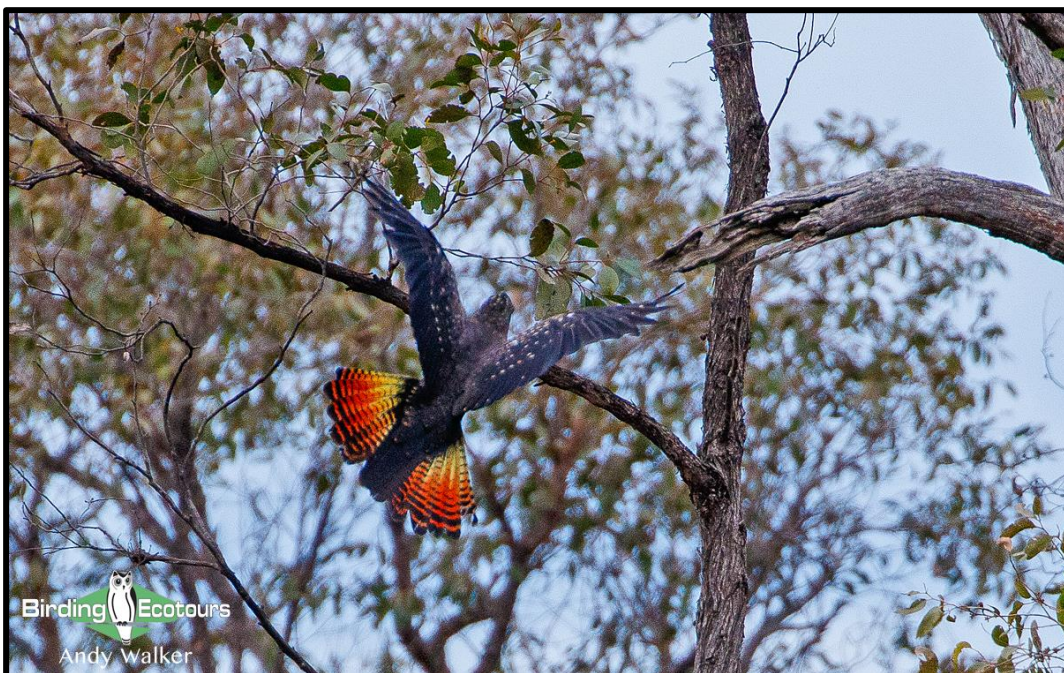
A drive from Port MacDonnell to Mount Gambier, into Victoria, and north to the Little Desert National Park, with brief stops at Drajurk State Forest and Brimboal State Forest along the way (as well as a couple of roadside stops along the Glenelg Highway near the border and near Jane Duff Memorial Park).

Target birds recorded: **Chestnut-rumped Heathwren, White-eared Honeyeater, Eastern Spinebill, Mistletoebird, and Rufous Fieldwren.**

Other notable species recorded: **Red-tailed Black Cockatoo** (localized *graptogyne* subspecies), **Yellow-tailed Black Cockatoo, Crimson Rosella** (*elegans* subspecies known as Crimson Rosella), **Brolga, Wedge-tailed Eagle** (displaying birds), **Forest Raven, and Scarlet Robin.**



Rufous Fieldwren showed well as it sang from the top of some heath.



We were pleased to find this rare and local subspecies of Red-tailed Black Cockatoo.

Day 5, 27th August 2019. Little Desert National Park to Ouyen

Morning birding at Little Desert National Park, then a drive to Ouyen, calling in at Timberoo.

Target birds recorded: **Slender-billed Thornbill** (local *hedleyi* subspecies), **Shy Heathwren**, **White-browed Treecreeper** (*affinis* subspecies), **Southern Scrub Robin**, **White-fronted Honeyeater**, **Banded Lapwing**, and **Eastern Bluebonnet**.

Other notable species recorded: **Emu**, **Purple-backed Fairywren**, **Splendid Fairywren** (*melanotus* subspecies), **Masked Lapwing** (*novaehollandiae* subspecies known as Black-shouldered Lapwing), **White-browed Babbler**, **Tawny-crowned Honeyeater**, **Hooded Robin** (*cucullata* subspecies), **Jacky Winter**, and **Red-capped Robin**.



Shy Heathwren was not particularly shy as it hopped out in the open and showed well.

Day 6, 28th August 2019. Hattah

All day birding the Hattah area.

Target birds recorded: **Malleefowl**, **Mallee Emu-wren**, **Striated Grasswren** (heard only), **Major Mitchell's Cockatoo**, **Mulga Parrot**, **Eastern Bluebonnet**, **Southern Whiteface**, **Crimson Chat**, **Chestnut Quail-thrush**, **Chestnut-crowned Babbler**, and **Crested Bellbird**.

Other notable species recorded: **Peregrine Falcon** (pair nesting on pylon), **Little Eagle**, **Regent Parrot**, **Crimson Rosella** (*flaveolus* subspecies known as Yellow Rosella), **Rufous Whistler** (*rufiventris* subspecies), **White-winged Triller**, and **Apostlebird**.



Malleefowl eventually gave good views as one crossed the road for us.

Day 7, 29th August 2019. Ouyen to Deniliquin

We moved from Ouyen to Cullens Lake and then to Deniliquin, New South Wales, for the night.

Target birds recorded: Gilbert's Whistler, Striated Grasswren (heard only), White-backed Swallow, Banded Lapwing, Red-kneed Dotterel, and Eastern Bluebonnet.



Excellent views of nest-building White-backed Swallow were a real treat.

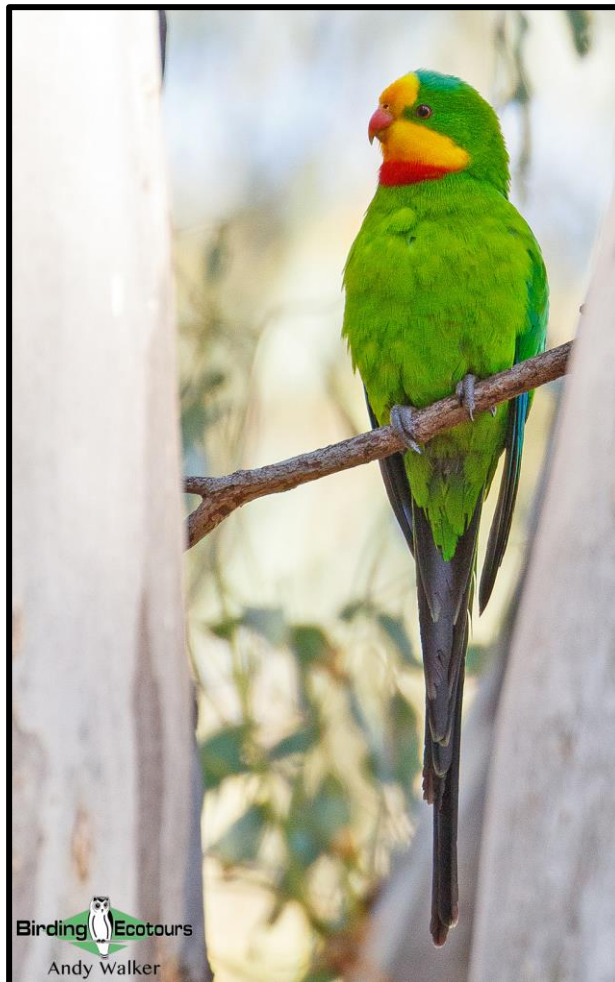
Other notable species recorded: **Red-necked Avocet, Australasian Shoveler, Pink-eared Duck, Black-fronted Dotterel, Red-capped Plover, White-winged Fairywren, and Brown Songlark,**

Day 8, 30th August 2019. Deniliquin to Chiltern

The Island Sanctuary was visited, followed by Murray Valley National Park. In the afternoon we drove back into Victoria, through the Warby Ranges, and ended at Chiltern.

Target birds recorded: **Superb Parrot, Turquoise Parrot, Speckled Warbler, and Mistletoebird.**

Other notable species recorded: **Little Lorikeet, Long-billed Corella, Yellow-tufted Honeyeater, Western Gerygone, and Crested Shriketit** (*frontatus* subspecies often called Eastern Shriketit).



This Superb Parrot showed extremely well as it sat near its nest hole.

Day 9, 31st August 2019. Chiltern to Melbourne

The morning was spent around the Chiltern-Mt Pilot National Park. Afternoon drive to Melbourne. Late-afternoon at Banyule Flats Reserve.

Target birds recorded: **Powerful Owl, Speckled Warbler, and Turquoise Parrot.**

Other notable species recorded: **Swift Parrot, Flame Robin, Eastern Yellow Robin, Red-capped Robin, and Scarlet Robin.**



Turquoise Parrot was very showy once located in its vast foraging range.



At our final stop of the day we were rewarded with a pair of roosting Powerful Owls in the glorious evening sunshine. These owls are so huge!

Day 10, 1st September 2019. Dandenong Ranges and Werribee

Morning in the mountains above Melbourne in a couple of sections of the Dandenong Ranges National Park. Afternoon at the Werribee Western Treatment Plant. Tour of Victoria ended.

Target birds recorded: **Red-browed Treecreeper, Rose Robin, Red-kneed Dotterel, Striated Fieldwren, and Fairy Tern.**

Other notable species recorded: **Superb Lyrebird, Yellow-tailed Black Cockatoo, Crescent Honeyeater, Cape Barren Goose, Blue-winged Parrot, Australian Crake, and Zebra Finch.**



Fairy Tern was found roosting as the tide was coming in (phone-scoped).

Day 11, 2nd September 2019. Rest day

Non-birding day in Melbourne.

Day 12, 3rd September 2019. Travel day

Non-birding day. Flight between Melbourne and Alice Springs via Adelaide. Arrival in Northern Territory.

Day 13, 4th September 2019. Alice Springs

Morning and afternoon birding sessions in the Alice Springs Desert Park.

Target birds recorded: **Spinifex Pigeon, Western Bowerbird, Grey Honeyeater, Grey-headed Honeyeater, Black Honeyeater, and Mistletoebird.**

Other notable species recorded: **Grey-crowned Babbler** (*rubeculus* subspecies, sometimes referred to as Red-breasted Babbler), **White-browed Babbler** (*centralis* subspecies), and **Splendid Fairywren** (*musgravi* subspecies).



Spinifex Pigeon (*leucogaster subspecies*) walked right up to us and looked stunning in the early-morning sunlight.



Western Bowerbird standing guard of a nearby bower

Day 14, 5th September 2019. Alice Springs

Olive Pink Botanic Garden, Alice Springs Telegraph Station Historical Reserve, and Ilparpa Swamp Wildlife Protected Area.

Target birds recorded: **Black-breasted Buzzard, Diamond Dove, Western Bowerbird, Crimson Chat, and Mistletoebird.**

Other notable species recorded: **Peregrine Falcon, Little Eagle, Collared Sparrowhawk, and Brown Goshawk.**



*As we drove around some back roads near Alice Springs we found this rather dainty **Diamond Dove** feeding on the roadside.*

Day 15, 6th September 2019. Santa Teresa Road

The morning and early-afternoon were spent birding at several places along the Santa Teresa Road to the southeast of Alice Springs.

Target birds recorded: **Dusky Grasswren, Black-breasted Buzzard, Slaty-backed Thornbill, White-browed Treecreeper** (*superciliosa* subspecies), **White-backed Swallow, Southern Whiteface, White-fronted Honeyeater, Crested Bellbird, and Mulga Parrot.**

Other notable species recorded: **Spotted Harrier, Wedge-tailed Eagle, Hooded Robin** (*westralensis* subspecies), **Purple-backed Fairywren, White-winged Fairywren, and Inland Thornbill** (*whitlocki* subspecies).



*We were very pleased to find **Dusky Grasswren** skulking around a rocky ridge.*

Day 16, 7th September 2019. Alice Springs and Hamilton Downs

Morning birding Alice Springs Desert Park and Ilparpa Swamp Wildlife Protected Area. Afternoon birding at Hamilton Downs (Kunoth Bore).

*Target birds recorded: **Red-browed Pardalote, Pied Honeyeater, Black-eared Cuckoo, Slaty-backed Thornbill, Western Bowerbird, and Grey-headed Honeyeater.***



***Black-eared Cuckoo** was an unexpected find, but well appreciated.*

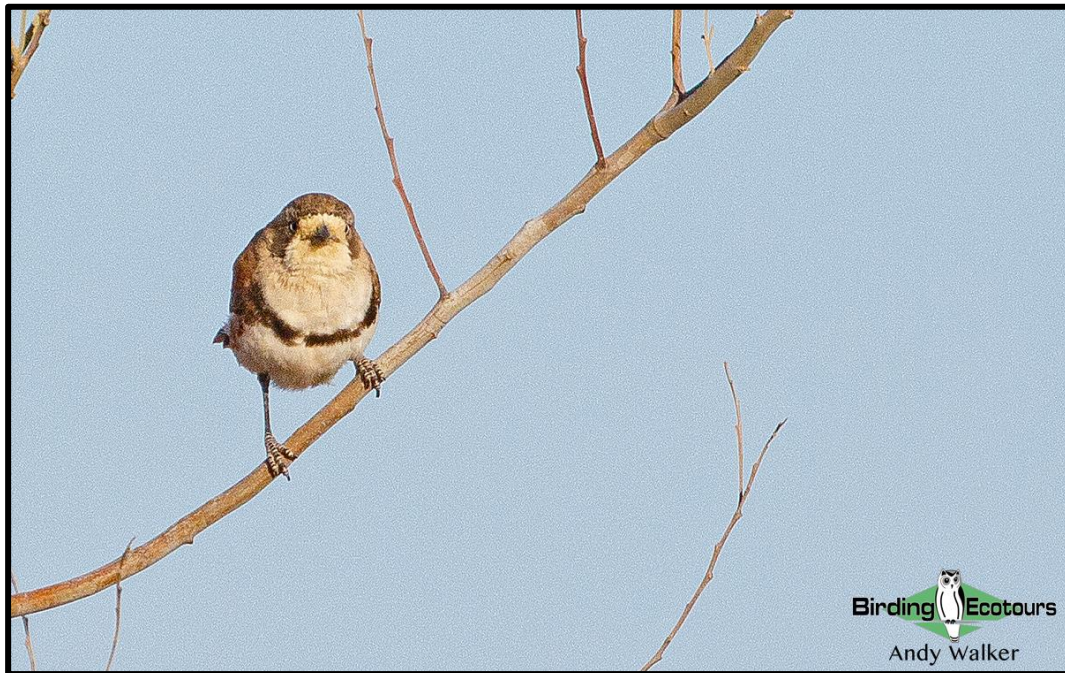
Other notable species recorded: **Rainbow Bee-eater, Western Gerygone, and Hooded Robin.**

Day 17, 8th September 2019. Santa Teresa Road and Hamilton Downs

Morning birding along Santa Teresa Road to the southeast of Alice Springs. Afternoon birding at Hamilton Downs (Kunoth Bore).

Target birds recorded: **Banded Whiteface, Bourke's Parrot, Red-browed Pardalote, Southern Whiteface, Crested Bellbird, and Mulga Parrot.**

Other notable species recorded: **Red-tailed Black Cockatoo** (*samueli* subspecies).



*We found a small flock of the nomadic **Banded Whiteface** as we drove through some pretty dry landscape south of Alice Springs.*

Day 18, 9th September 2019. Travel day

Non-birding day. Flight between Alice Springs and Darwin (both in Northern Territory).

Day 19, 10th September 2019. Rest in the morning, afternoon birding Darwin

Non-birding morning in Darwin, followed by an afternoon visit to Holmes Jungle Nature Park.

Target birds recorded: **Long-tailed Finch** (*hecki* subspecies), **Masked Finch** (*personata* subspecies), **Paperbark Flycatcher**, and **Red-collared Lorikeet**.

Other notable species recorded: **White-gaped Honeyeater, Rufous-banded Honeyeater, Banded Honeyeater, Masked Lapwing** (*miles* subspecies), **Red-tailed Black Cockatoo** (*macrorhynchus* subspecies), **Striated Pardalote** (*uropygialis* subspecies), **Green Oriole, Spangled Drongo** (*baileyi* subspecies), and **Lemon-bellied Flyrobin** (*flavigaster* subspecies).



Masked Finch was found feeding on grass seeds and bathing with other finches.



Long-tailed Finch is stunning and gave great views, often drinking next to Masked Finches.

Day 20, 11th September 2019. Darwin

Buffalo Creek (boat ramp and foreshore), Lee Point, and George Brown Darwin Botanic Gardens.

Target birds recorded: **Chestnut Rail, Beach Stone-curlew, Arafura Fantail, Mangrove Gerygone** (*levigaster* subspecies), **Green-backed Gerygone** (*chloronota* subspecies), **Australian Tern, Helmeted Friarbird, Red-collared Lorikeet, and Red-headed Myzomela.**



We were amazed at the views we had of the shy and rare Chestnut Rail.



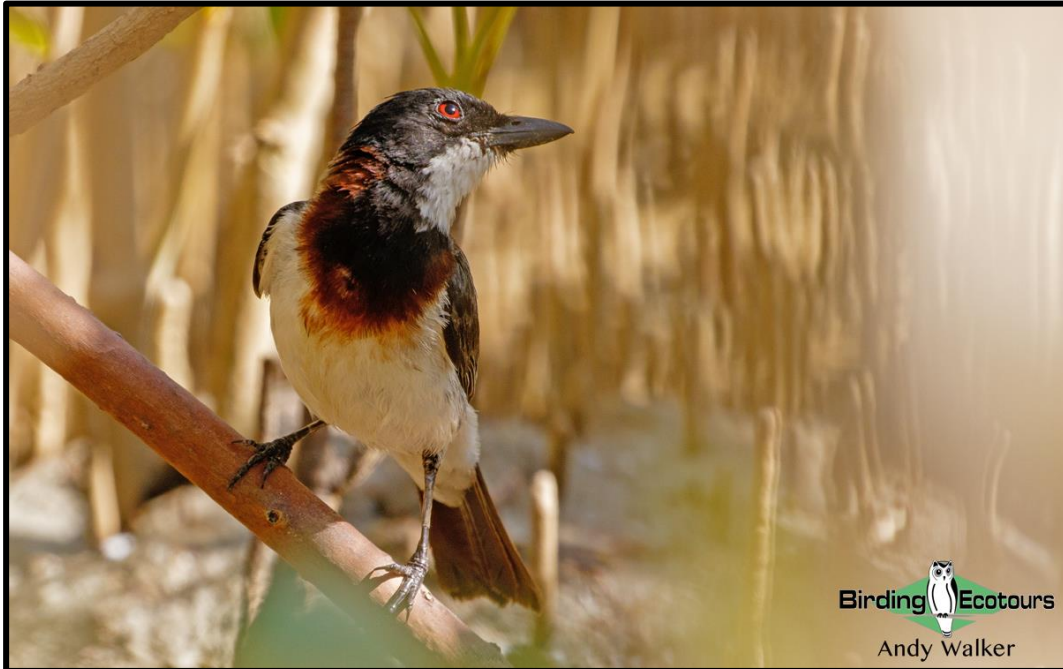
Red-headed Myzomela is a beautiful bird!

Other notable species recorded: Great Bowerbird, Grey Goshawk, Northern Fantail, Large-billed Gerygone (*magnirostris* subspecies), Silver-crowned Friarbird, numerous shorebirds (e.g. Far Eastern Curlew, Great Knot, Terek Sandpiper, and Grey-tailed Tattler), Eastern Osprey, and Rose-crowned Fruit Dove.

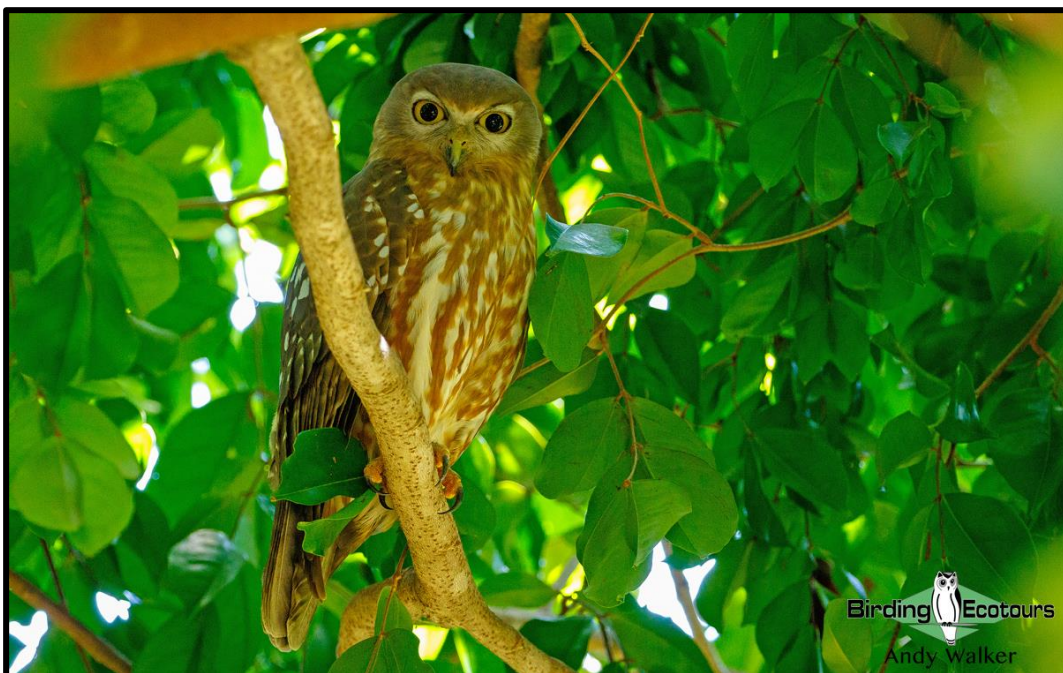
Day 21, 12th September 2019. Darwin

Morning Orchard Road Mangroves and George Brown Darwin Botanic Gardens. Afternoon Holmes Jungle Nature Park.

Target birds recorded: White-breasted Whistler, Rufous Owl, Barking Owl, Broad-billed Flycatcher, Red-headed Myzomela, Helmeted Friarbird, and Red-collared Lorikeet.



*We were rewarded with great views of a male **White-breasted Whistler** in the mangroves.*



*Fantastic to see a pair of day-roosting **Barking Owls** (we also saw a pair of **Rufous Owls**)!*

Other notable species recorded: **Grey Whistler** (*simplex* subspecies), **Shining Flycatcher** (*melvillensis* subspecies), and **Crimson Finch**.

Day 22, 13th September 2019. Darwin

Morning birding at East Point (Monsoon Forest Walk, Mangrove Boardwalk, and Eastern Point). Non-birding afternoon.

Target birds recorded: **Rainbow Pitta**, **Torresian Kingfisher**, **Canary White-eye**, **Varied Lorikeet**, **Arafura Shrikethrush**, **Mangrove Gerygone**, **Broad-billed Flycatcher**, **Red-collared Lorikeet**, **Green-backed Gerygone**, and **Mistletoebird**.



This unmistakable **Rainbow Pitta** led us to discover a couple of roosting **Large-tailed Nightjars**.

Other notable species recorded: **Large-tailed Nightjar**, **Yellow-tinted Honeyeater**, **Grey-fronted Honeyeater**, **Grey-headed Honeyeater**, and **Magpie Goose**.

Day 23, 14th September 2019. Darwin to Mary River

Morning birding at a very windy Fogg Dam (Monsoon Forest walk and dam wall), Adelaide River Bridge (Arnhem Highway crossing), and Mary River Wilderness Retreat.

Target birds recorded: **Mangrove Golden Whistler**, **Red-headed Myzomela**, **Broad-billed Flycatcher**, **Arafura Fantail**, **Paperbark Flycatcher**, **Varied Lorikeet**, and **Red-collared Lorikeet**.

Other notable species recorded: **Pacific Baza**, **Zitting Cisticola** (*leanyeri* subspecies), **Rufous Whistler** (*falcata* subspecies), **Channel-billed Cuckoo**, **Blue-winged Kookaburra**, **Black-necked Stork**, **Brolga**, **Red-tailed Black Cockatoo**, **Leaden Flycatcher**, **Nankeen Night Heron**, **Pheasant Coucal**, and **Comb-crested Jacana**.

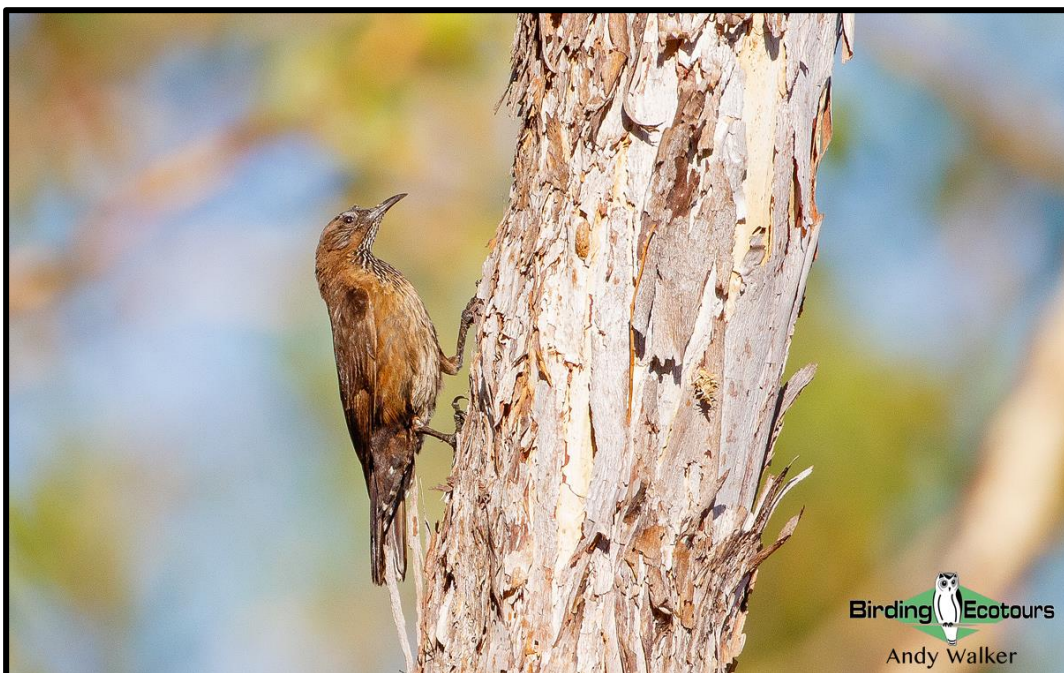


The male Mangrove Golden Whistler is a very brightly plumaged bird.

Day 24, 15th September 2019. Mary River to Jabiru (Kakadu National Park)

Morning at Mary River National Park, Mary River Wilderness Retreat, and Mamukala Billabong bird hide at Jabiru. Afternoon Nourlangie Rock.

Target birds recorded: **Black-tailed Treecreeper, Black-banded Fruit Dove, Sandstone Shrikethrush, Black-breasted Buzzard, Red-collared Lorikeet, and Mistletoebird.**



We found Black-tailed Treecreeper before breakfast!

Other notable species recorded: **Pied Heron** (hundreds), **Helmeted Friarbird** (*ammitophila* subspecies known as Sandstone Friarbird), and **Little Woodswallow**.

Day 25, 16th September 2019. Kakadu National Park

Morning at Nourlangie Rock and Jabiru township. Afternoon Bardedjilidji Sandstone Walk.

Target birds recorded: **White-lined Honeyeater**, **Partridge Pigeon** (*smithi* subspecies), **Black-banded Fruit Dove**, and **Sandstone Shrikethrush**.

Other notable species recorded: **Red-winged Parrot**, **Rufous-throated Honeyeater**, **Forest Kingfisher** (*macleayii* subspecies), and **Red-backed Fairywren**.



This Partridge Pigeon flew in and landed right next to us!

Day 26, 17th September 2019. Kakadu National Park to the Pine Creek area

Early-morning Bardedjilidji Sandstone Walk. Late-morning drive to Pine Creek with lunch stop at Mary River National Park headquarters and Mary River Roadhouse. Afternoon birding in Pine Creek village and along Edith Falls road (Ferguson River).

Target birds recorded: **Chestnut-quilled Rock Pigeon**, **Hooded Parrot**, **Silver-backed Butcherbird**, **Sandstone Shrikethrush**, **Black-banded Fruit Dove**, **Long-tailed Finch**, **Masked Finch**, **Red-collared Lorikeet**, **Varied Lorikeet**, **Paperbark Flycatcher**, and **Mistletoebird**.

Other notable species recorded: **Cockatiel**, **Red-backed Kingfisher**, **Great Bowerbird**, **Yellow-throated Miner** (*lutea* subspecies), **Little Bronze Cuckoo** (*minutilus* subspecies), **Brush Cuckoo** (*dumetorum* subspecies), and **Bush Stone-curlew**.

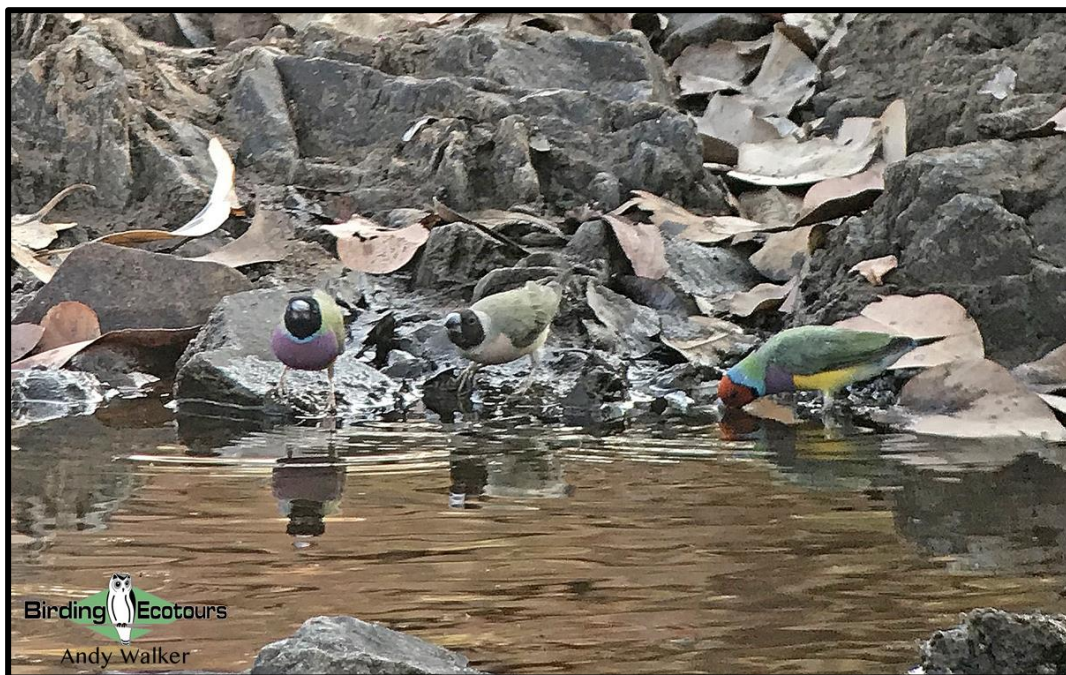


Multiple amazing sightings of Chestnut-quilled Rock Pigeon were the order of the morning!

Day 27, 18th September 2019. Pine Creek to Darwin

Early-morning along Edith Falls road (Ferguson River). Late-morning drive back to Darwin. Afternoon Palmerston mangroves and Knuckey Lagoons Conservation Reserve.

Target birds recorded: **Gouldian Finch, Budgerigar** (leader only unfortunately), **Hooded Parrot, Long-tailed Finch, Masked Finch, Chestnut Rail, and Paperbark Flycatcher.**



The sight of a flock of Gouldian Finches coming to drink was just incredible (phone-scoped).

Other notable species recorded: **Cockatiel, Red-backed Kingfisher, Mangrove Robin, Great Bowerbird, and Varied Sittella** (*leucoptera* subspecies known as White-winged Sittella).

Day 28, 19th September 2019. Travel day

Non-birding day. Flight between Darwin, Northern Territory, and Brisbane, Queensland.

Day 29, 20th September 2019. Morning birding in Brisbane, afternoon travel to Gold Coast
Birding at Moggill Conservation Park, Dowse Lagoon, Swan Lake and Boat Ramp (Port of Brisbane), and Sandy Camp Road Wetlands (several sites around Brisbane city and port), followed by afternoon travel to the Gold Coast and evening birding at Tea Trees Wetland (Arundel).

Target birds recorded: **Lewin's Rail** (seen!), **White-eared Monarch, Mangrove Honeyeater, Tawny Grassbird, Rufous Shrikethrush, Mangrove Gerygone** (*cantator* subspecies), and **Australian Tern.**

Other notable species recorded: **Baillon's Crake, Spotless Crake, Buff-banded Rail, Yellow-tailed Black Cockatoo, Rufous Fantail, Wonga Pigeon, Spectacled Monarch** (*gouldii* subspecies), **Red-backed Fairywren, Variegated Fairywren, and Little Lorikeet.**



We had fantastic views of White-eared Monarch not far out of the Brisbane CBD!

Day 30, 21st September 2019. Travel from the Gold Coast to O'Reilly's Rainforest Retreat
Southport pelagic canceled due to illness, so non-birding morning, followed by travel to O'Reilly's Rainforest Retreat in Lamington National Park. In the afternoon a brief walk around the retreat.

Target birds recorded: **Eastern Spinebill and Rose Robin**

Other notable species recorded: **Glossy Black Cockatoo, Grey Goshawk, and Green Catbird.**

Day 31, 22nd September 2019. O'Reilly's Rainforest Retreat, Lamington National Park
All day O'Reilly's Rainforest Retreat, Lamington National Park.

Target birds recorded: Bassian Thrush, Russet-tailed Thrush, Brown Cuckoo-Dove, Noisy Pitta (heard only), Paradise Riflebird (female seen by leader only), and Eastern Spinebill.



Bassian Thrush showed well near the trail.



*Great views were had of **Russet-tailed Thrush**, and good to compare with the Bassian Thrush seen earlier in the day – see photo above: cf. rump color and scallops, and wing coverts.*

Day 32, 23rd September 2019. O'Reilly's Rainforest Retreat to Stanthorpe

Morning birding at O'Reilly's Rainforest Retreat, Lamington National Park, and travel to Stanthorpe. Late-afternoon brief visit to Girraween National Park.

Target birds recorded: Albert's Lyrebird, Paradise Riflebird, White-headed Pigeon, Brown Cuckoo-Dove, Rose Robin, and Eastern Spinebill.



Albert's Lyrebird was practically the first bird we saw today!



We had some great views of a foraging and then displaying Paradise Riflebird.

Other notable species recorded (22nd and 23rd September): **Australian Logrunner, Eastern Whipbird, Regent Bowerbird, Satin Bowerbird, White-throated Gerygone, White-winged Chough, Wompoo Fruit Dove, Wonga Pigeon, Pacific Emerald Dove, Topknot Pigeon, Shining Bronze Cuckoo** (*plagosus* subspecies known as Golden Bronze Cuckoo), and **Green Catbird**.

Day 33, 24th September 2019. Stanthorpe to Gatton via Inglewood

Morning spent in the very dry areas of Inglewood (Mosquito Creek Road), afternoon at Highfields Falls near Toowoomba.

Target birds recorded: **Eastern Bluebonnet, Mistletoebird, Eastern Spinebill, and Brown Cuckoo-Dove.**

Other notable species recorded: **Grey-crowned Babbler** (*temporalis* subspecies), **Cockatiel, Pale-headed Rosella, Apostlebird, White-winged Chough, and Emu.**



We saw many Mistletoebirds during the tour, this male was possibly one of the best-looking ones, though.

Day 34, 25th September 2019. Gatton to Brisbane

Morning birding at Redbank Creek (Adare) and Banool Road, both near Gatton. Lunch and birding stop at Bundamba Creek, Ipswich. Non-birding afternoon. Evening owling at Kedron Brook Wetlands Reserve near Brisbane airport and briefly at Browns Road, Mount Glorious, but the latter was curtailed due to poor weather.

Target birds recorded: **Eastern Grass Owl, Plum-headed Finch, and Banded Lapwing.**

Other notable species recorded: **Varied Sittella** (*leucocephala* subspecies known as White-headed Sittella), **Scarlet Myzomela**, **Brown Songlark**, and **Cockatiel**.

Day 35, 26th September 2019. Travel day

Non-birding day. Flight between Brisbane, Queensland, and Sydney, New South Wales. Drive south of the city to Jamberoo.

Target birds recorded: **Gang-gang Cockatoo** (heard only).

Day 36, 27th September 2019. Budderoo National Park and Barren Grounds Nature Reserve
Morning and evening birding in Budderoo National Park and Barren Grounds Nature Reserve.

Target birds recorded: **Eastern Bristlebird**, **Eastern Ground Parrot** (leader only unfortunately), and **Eastern Spinebill**.

Other notable species recorded: **Beautiful Firetail**, and **Southern Emu-wren** (*malachurus* subspecies).



*We had excellent views of **Eastern Bristlebird** in some beautiful heathland.*

Day 37, 28th September 2019. Nowra and Budderoo National Park

Morning in Nowra (Hanging Rock, a pond at the Twin Waters Estate, and Bomaderry Creek Regional Park). Afternoon Budderoo National Park.

Target birds recorded: **Rockwarbler**, **Freckled Duck**, **White-headed Pigeon**, **Bassian Thrush**, **Eastern Bristlebird**, and **Eastern Spinebill**.

Other notable species recorded: **Grey Goshawk**, **Beautiful Firetail**, and **Little Grassbird**.



*Several **White-headed Pigeons** were very approachable near our accommodation.*

Day 38, 29th September 2019. Jamberoo area

Morning at Jerrara Dam near Jamberoo and Barren Grounds Nature Reserve. Afternoon at Budderoo National Park.

Target birds recorded: **Eastern Ground Parrot, Eastern Bristlebird, Brown Cuckoo-Dove, Eastern Spinebill.**

Other notable species recorded: **Superb Lyrebird.**

Day 39, 30th September 2019. Jamberoo area to Sydney

Morning walk at Barren Grounds Nature Reserve. Afternoon travel to Sydney.

Target birds recorded: **Eastern Bristlebird.**

Other notable species recorded: **Varied Sittella** (*chrysoptera* subspecies known as Orange-winged Sittella) and **Superb Lyrebird.**

Day 40, 1st October 2019. Tour concludes

No birding. International departure from Sydney, New South Wales, in the early morning.

Bird List - Following IOC (9.2)

Birds 'heard only' are marked with (H) after the common name, all other species were seen. The following notation after the common names is used to show conservation status following BirdLife International: CR = Critically Endangered, EN = Endangered, VU = Vulnerable, NT = Near Threatened.

Common Name	Scientific Name
Cassowaries, Emu (Casuariidae)	
Emu (Endemic)	<i>Dromaius novaehollandiae</i>
Megapodes (Megapodiidae)	
Australian Brushturkey (Endemic)	<i>Alectura lathamii</i>
Malleefowl (Endemic) - VU	<i>Leipoa ocellata</i>
Orange-footed Scrubfowl	<i>Megapodius reinwardt</i>
Pheasants & Allies (Phasianidae)	
Stubble Quail (Endemic) (H)	<i>Coturnix pectoralis</i>
Magpie Goose (Anseranatidae)	
Magpie Goose	<i>Anseranas semipalmata</i>
Ducks, Geese, Swans (Anatidae)	
Plumed Whistling Duck (Endemic)	<i>Dendrocygna eytoni</i>
Wandering Whistling Duck	<i>Dendrocygna arcuata</i>
Cape Barren Goose (Endemic)	<i>Cereopsis novaehollandiae</i>
Black Swan (Endemic)	<i>Cygnus atratus</i>
Freckled Duck (Endemic)	<i>Stictonetta naevosa</i>
Raja Shelduck	<i>Radjah radjah</i>
Australian Shelduck (Endemic)	<i>Tadorna tadornoides</i>
Pink-eared Duck (Endemic)	<i>Malacorhynchus membranaceus</i>
Maned Duck (Endemic)	<i>Chenonetta jubata</i>
Green Pygmy Goose	<i>Nettapus pulchellus</i>
Australasian Shoveler	<i>Spatula rhynchotis</i>
Pacific Black Duck	<i>Anas superciliosa</i>
Mallard	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>
Grey Teal	<i>Anas gracilis</i>
Chestnut Teal (Endemic)	<i>Anas castanea</i>
Hardhead	<i>Aythya australis</i>
Blue-billed Duck (Endemic)	<i>Oxyura australis</i>

Common Name	Scientific Name
Musk Duck (Endemic)	<i>Biziura lobata</i>
Frogmouths (Podargidae)	
Tawny Frogmouth (Endemic)	<i>Podargus strigoides</i>
Nightjars (Caprimulgidae)	
Large-tailed Nightjar	<i>Caprimulgus macrurus</i>
Cuckoos (Cuculidae)	
Pheasant Coucal	<i>Centropus phasianinus</i>
Channel-billed Cuckoo	<i>Scythrops novaehollandiae</i>
Horsfield's Bronze Cuckoo	<i>Chrysococcyx basalis</i>
Black-eared Cuckoo (Endemic)	<i>Chrysococcyx osculans</i>
Shining Bronze Cuckoo	<i>Chrysococcyx lucidus</i>
Little Bronze Cuckoo	<i>Chrysococcyx minutillus</i>
Pallid Cuckoo	<i>Cacomantis pallidus</i>
Fan-tailed Cuckoo	<i>Cacomantis flabelliformis</i>
Brush Cuckoo	<i>Cacomantis variolosus</i>
Pigeons, Doves (Columbidae)	
Rock Dove	<i>Columba livia</i>
White-headed Pigeon (Endemic)	<i>Columba leucomela</i>
Spotted Dove	<i>Spilopelia chinensis</i>
Brown Cuckoo-Dove (Endemic)	<i>Macropygia phasianella</i>
Pacific Emerald Dove	<i>Chalcophaps longirostris</i>
Common Bronzewing (Endemic)	<i>Phaps chalcoptera</i>
Crested Pigeon (Endemic)	<i>Ocyphaps lophotes</i>
Spinifex Pigeon (Endemic)	<i>Geophaps plumifera</i>
Squatter Pigeon (Endemic) (H)	<i>Geophaps scripta</i>
Partridge Pigeon (Endemic) - VU	<i>Geophaps smithii</i>
Wonga Pigeon (Endemic)	<i>Leucosarcia melanoleuca</i>
Chestnut-quilled Rock Pigeon (Endemic)	<i>Petrophassa rufipennis</i>
Diamond Dove (Endemic)	<i>Geopelia cuneata</i>
Peaceful Dove	<i>Geopelia placida</i>
Bar-shouldered Dove	<i>Geopelia humeralis</i>
Black-banded Fruit Dove (Endemic)	<i>Ptilinopus alligator</i>
Wompoo Fruit Dove	<i>Ptilinopus magnificus</i>
Rose-crowned Fruit Dove	<i>Ptilinopus regina</i>

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Torresian Imperial Pigeon	<i>Ducula spilorrhoa</i>
Topknot Pigeon (Endemic)	<i>Lopholaimus antarcticus</i>
Rails, Crakes & Coots (Rallidae)	
Buff-banded Rail	<i>Gallirallus philippensis</i>
Lewin's Rail	<i>Lewinia pectoralis</i>
Baillon's Crake	<i>Porzana pusilla</i>
Australian Crake (Endemic)	<i>Porzana fluminea</i>
Spotless Crake	<i>Porzana tabuensis</i>
Chestnut Rail	<i>Eulabeornis castaneoventris</i>
Australasian Swamphen	<i>Porphyrio melanotus</i>
Dusky Moorhen	<i>Gallinula tenebrosa</i>
Black-tailed Nativehen (Endemic)	<i>Tribonyx ventralis</i>
Eurasian Coot	<i>Fulica atra</i>
Cranes (Gruidae)	
Brolga	<i>Antigone rubicunda</i>
Grebes (Podicipedidae)	
Australasian Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus novaehollandiae</i>
Hoary-headed Grebe (Endemic)	<i>Poliiocephalus poliocephalus</i>
Stone-curlews, Thick-knees (Burhinidae)	
Bush Stone-curlew	<i>Burhinus grallarius</i>
Beach Stone-curlew	<i>Esacus magnirostris</i>
Oystercatchers (Haematopodidae)	
Pied Oystercatcher	<i>Haematopus longirostris</i>
Sooty Oystercatcher (Endemic)	<i>Haematopus fuliginosus</i>
Stilts, Avocets (Recurvirostridae)	
Pied Stilt	<i>Himantopus leucocephalus</i>
Red-necked Avocet (Endemic)	<i>Recurvirostra novaehollandiae</i>
Plovers (Charadriidae)	
Banded Lapwing (Endemic)	<i>Vanellus tricolor</i>
Masked Lapwing	<i>Vanellus miles</i>
Red-kneed Dotterel	<i>Erythrogonys cinctus</i>

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Pacific Golden Plover	<i>Pluvialis fulva</i>
Grey Plover	<i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>
Red-capped Plover	<i>Charadrius ruficapillus</i>
Lesser Sand Plover	<i>Charadrius mongolus</i>
Greater Sand Plover	<i>Charadrius leschenaultii</i>
Black-fronted Dotterel	<i>Elseyaornis melanops</i>
Jacanas (Jacanidae)	
Comb-crested Jacana	<i>Irediparra gallinacea</i>
Sandpipers, Snipes (Scolopacidae)	
Whimbrel	<i>Numenius phaeopus</i>
Far Eastern Curlew - EN	<i>Numenius madagascariensis</i>
Bar-tailed Godwit	<i>Limosa lapponica</i>
Black-tailed Godwit	<i>Limosa limosa</i>
Ruddy Turnstone	<i>Arenaria interpres</i>
Great Knot - EN	<i>Calidris tenuirostris</i>
Sharp-tailed Sandpiper	<i>Calidris acuminata</i>
Curlew Sandpiper	<i>Calidris ferruginea</i>
Red-necked Stint	<i>Calidris ruficollis</i>
Sanderling	<i>Calidris alba</i>
Latham's Snipe	<i>Gallinago hardwickii</i>
Terek Sandpiper	<i>Xenus cinereus</i>
Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>
Grey-tailed Tattler	<i>Tringa brevipes</i>
Marsh Sandpiper	<i>Tringa stagnatilis</i>
Wood Sandpiper	<i>Tringa glareola</i>
Common Greenshank	<i>Tringa nebularia</i>
Gulls, Terns, Skimmers (Laridae)	
Silver Gull	<i>Chroicocephalus novaehollandiae</i>
Pacific Gull (Endemic)	<i>Larus pacificus</i>
Australian Tern	<i>Gelochelidon macrotarsa</i>
Caspian Tern	<i>Hydroprogne caspia</i>
Greater Crested Tern	<i>Thalasseus bergii</i>
Little Tern	<i>Sternula albifrons</i>
Fairy Tern - VU	<i>Sternula nereis</i>
White-fronted Tern	<i>Sterna striata</i>

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Whiskered Tern	<i>Chlidonias hybrida</i>
Austral Storm Petrels (Oceanitidae)	
Grey-backed Storm Petrel	<i>Garrodia nereis</i>
White-faced Storm Petrel	<i>Pelagodroma marina</i>
Albatrosses (Diomedidae)	
Wandering Albatross - VU	<i>Diomedea exulans</i>
Antipodean Albatross	<i>Diomedea antipodensis</i>
Black-browed Albatross - EN	<i>Thalassarche melanophris</i>
Campbell Albatross - VU	<i>Thalassarche impavida</i>
Shy Albatross	<i>Thalassarche cauta</i>
Indian Yellow-nosed Albatross - EN	<i>Thalassarche carteri</i>
Buller's Albatross	<i>Thalassarche bulleri</i>
Petrels, Shearwaters, Diving Petrels (Procellariidae)	
Blue Petrel	<i>Halobaena caerulea</i>
Slender-billed Prion	<i>Pachyptila belcheri</i>
Fairy Prion	<i>Pachyptila turtur</i>
Great-winged Petrel	<i>Pterodroma macroptera</i>
Sooty Shearwater	<i>Ardenna grisea</i>
Hutton's Shearwater - EN	<i>Puffinus huttoni</i>
Storks (Ciconiidae)	
Black-necked Stork	<i>Ephippiorhynchus asiaticus</i>
Gannets, Boobies (Sulidae)	
Australasian Gannet	<i>Morus serrator</i>
Cormorants, Shags (Phalacrocoracidae)	
Little Pied Cormorant	<i>Microcarbo melanoleucos</i>
Black-faced Cormorant (Endemic)	<i>Phalacrocorax fuscescens</i>
Little Black Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax sulcirostris</i>
Australian Pied Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax varius</i>
Great Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>
Anhingas, Darters (Anhingidae)	
Australasian Darter	<i>Anhinga novaehollandiae</i>

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Ibises, Spoonbills (Threskiornithidae)	
Australian White Ibis	<i>Threskiornis molucca</i>
Straw-necked Ibis	<i>Threskiornis spinicollis</i>
Glossy Ibis	<i>Plegadis falcinellus</i>
Royal Spoonbill	<i>Platalea regia</i>
Yellow-billed Spoonbill (Endemic)	<i>Platalea flavipes</i>
Hérons, Bitterns (Ardeidae)	
Nankeen Night Heron	<i>Nycticorax caledonicus</i>
Striated Heron	<i>Butorides striata</i>
Eastern Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus coromandus</i>
White-necked Heron	<i>Ardea pacifica</i>
Great Egret	<i>Ardea alba</i>
Intermediate Egret	<i>Ardea intermedia</i>
Pied Heron	<i>Egretta picata</i>
White-faced Heron	<i>Egretta novaehollandiae</i>
Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>
Pacific Reef Heron	<i>Egretta sacra</i>
Pelicans (Pelecanidae)	
Australian Pelican	<i>Pelecanus conspicillatus</i>
Ospreys (Pandionidae)	
Eastern Osprey	<i>Pandion cristatus</i>
Kites, Hawks, Eagles (Accipitridae)	
Black-shouldered Kite (Endemic)	<i>Elanus axillaris</i>
Black-breasted Buzzard (Endemic)	<i>Hamirostra melanosternon</i>
Pacific Baza	<i>Aviceda subcristata</i>
Little Eagle (Endemic)	<i>Hieraaetus morphnoides</i>
Wedge-tailed Eagle	<i>Aquila audax</i>
Grey Goshawk (Endemic)	<i>Accipiter novaehollandiae</i>
Brown Goshawk	<i>Accipiter fasciatus</i>
Collared Sparrowhawk	<i>Accipiter cirrocephalus</i>
Swamp Harrier	<i>Circus approximans</i>
Spotted Harrier	<i>Circus assimilis</i>
Black Kite	<i>Milvus migrans</i>

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Whistling Kite	<i>Haliastur sphenurus</i>
Brahminy Kite	<i>Haliastur indus</i>
White-bellied Sea Eagle	<i>Haliaeetus leucogaster</i>
Barn Owls (Tytonidae)	
Eastern Grass Owl	<i>Tyto longimembris</i>
Owls (Strigidae)	
Rufous Owl	<i>Ninox rufa</i>
Powerful Owl (Endemic)	<i>Ninox strenua</i>
Barking Owl	<i>Ninox connivens</i>
Australian Boobook	<i>Ninox boobook</i>
Rollers (Coraciidae)	
Oriental Dollarbird	<i>Eurystomus orientalis</i>
Kingfishers (Alcedinidae)	
Laughing Kookaburra (Endemic)	<i>Dacelo novaeguineae</i>
Blue-winged Kookaburra	<i>Dacelo leachii</i>
Forest Kingfisher	<i>Todiramphus macleayii</i>
Torresian Kingfisher	<i>Todiramphus sordidus</i>
Sacred Kingfisher	<i>Todiramphus sanctus</i>
Red-backed Kingfisher	<i>Todiramphus pyrrhopygius</i>
Azure Kingfisher	<i>Ceyx azureus</i>
Bee-eaters (Meropidae)	
Rainbow Bee-eater	<i>Merops ornatus</i>
Caracaras, Falcons (Falconidae)	
Nankeen Kestrel	<i>Falco cenchroides</i>
Australian Hobby	<i>Falco longipennis</i>
Brown Falcon	<i>Falco berigora</i>
Peregrine Falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>
Cockatoos (Cacatuidae)	
Cockatiel (Endemic)	<i>Nymphicus hollandicus</i>
Red-tailed Black Cockatoo (Endemic)	<i>Calyptorhynchus banksii</i>
Glossy Black Cockatoo (Endemic)	<i>Calyptorhynchus lathami</i>

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Yellow-tailed Black Cockatoo (Endemic)	<i>Calyptorhynchus funereus</i>
Gang-gang Cockatoo (Endemic) (H)	<i>Callocephalon fimbriatum</i>
Galah (Endemic)	<i>Eolophus roseicapilla</i>
Major Mitchell's Cockatoo (Endemic)	<i>Lophochroa leadbeateri</i>
Long-billed Corella (Endemic)	<i>Cacatua tenuirostris</i>
Little Corella	<i>Cacatua sanguinea</i>
Sulphur-crested Cockatoo	<i>Cacatua galerita</i>
Old World Parrots (Psittaculidae)	
Superb Parrot (Endemic)	<i>Polytelis swainsonii</i>
Regent Parrot (Endemic)	<i>Polytelis anthopeplus</i>
Australian King Parrot (Endemic)	<i>Alisterus scapularis</i>
Red-winged Parrot	<i>Aprosmictus erythropterus</i>
Red-rumped Parrot (Endemic)	<i>Psephotus haematonotus</i>
Eastern Bluebonnet (Endemic)	<i>Northiella haematogaster</i>
Mulga Parrot (Endemic)	<i>Psephotellus varius</i>
Hooded Parrot (Endemic)	<i>Psephotellus dissimilis</i>
Crimson Rosella (Endemic)	<i>Platycercus elegans</i>
Pale-headed Rosella (Endemic)	<i>Platycercus adscitus</i>
Eastern Rosella (Endemic)	<i>Platycercus eximius</i>
Australian Ringneck (Endemic)	<i>Barnardius zonarius</i>
Swift Parrot (Endemic) - CR	<i>Lathamus discolor</i>
Eastern Ground Parrot (Endemic)	<i>Pezoporus wallicus</i>
Bourke's Parrot (Endemic)	<i>Neopsephotus bourkii</i>
Blue-winged Parrot (Endemic)	<i>Neophema chrysostoma</i>
Turquoise Parrot (Endemic)	<i>Neophema pulchella</i>
Little Lorikeet (Endemic)	<i>Parvipsitta pusilla</i>
Purple-crowned Lorikeet (Endemic)	<i>Parvipsitta porphyrocephala</i>
Varied Lorikeet (Endemic)	<i>Psitteuteles versicolor</i>
Rainbow Lorikeet (Endemic)	<i>Trichoglossus moluccanus</i>
Red-collared Lorikeet (Endemic)	<i>Trichoglossus rubritorquis</i>
Scaly-breasted Lorikeet (Endemic)	<i>Trichoglossus chlorolepidotus</i>
Musk Lorikeet (Endemic)	<i>Glossopsitta concinna</i>
Budgerigar (Endemic)	<i>Melopsittacus undulatus</i>
Pittas (Pittidae)	
Rainbow Pitta (Endemic)	<i>Pitta iris</i>
Noisy Pitta (H)	<i>Pitta versicolor</i>

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Lyrebirds (Menuridae)	
Albert's Lyrebird (Endemic)	<i>Menura alberti</i>
Superb Lyrebird (Endemic)	<i>Menura novaehollandiae</i>
Bowerbirds (Ptilonorhynchidae)	
Green Catbird (Endemic)	<i>Ailuroedus crassirostris</i>
Regent Bowerbird (Endemic)	<i>Sericulus chrysocephalus</i>
Satin Bowerbird (Endemic)	<i>Ptilonorhynchus violaceus</i>
Western Bowerbird (Endemic)	<i>Chlamydera guttata</i>
Great Bowerbird (Endemic)	<i>Chlamydera nuchalis</i>
Australasian Treecreepers (Climacteridae)	
White-throated Treecreeper (Endemic)	<i>Cormobates leucophaea</i>
Red-browed Treecreeper (Endemic)	<i>Climacteris erythrops</i>
White-browed Treecreeper (Endemic)	<i>Climacteris affinis</i>
Brown Treecreeper (Endemic)	<i>Climacteris picumnus</i>
Black-tailed Treecreeper (Endemic)	<i>Climacteris melanurus</i>
Australasian Wrens (Maluridae)	
Purple-backed Fairywren (Endemic)	<i>Malurus assimilis</i>
Variegated Fairywren (Endemic)	<i>Malurus lamberti</i>
Superb Fairywren (Endemic)	<i>Malurus cyaneus</i>
Splendid Fairywren (Endemic)	<i>Malurus splendens</i>
Red-backed Fairywren (Endemic)	<i>Malurus melanocephalus</i>
White-winged Fairywren (Endemic)	<i>Malurus leucopterus</i>
Southern Emu-wren (Endemic)	<i>Stipiturus malachurus</i>
Mallee Emu-wren (Endemic) - EN	<i>Stipiturus mallee</i>
Striated Grasswren (Endemic) (H)	<i>Amytornis striatus</i>
Dusky Grasswren (Endemic)	<i>Amytornis purnelli</i>
Honeyeaters (Meliphagidae)	
Black Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Sugomel niger</i>
Dusky Myzomela	<i>Myzomela obscura</i>
Red-headed Myzomela	<i>Myzomela erythrocephala</i>
Scarlet Myzomela (Endemic)	<i>Myzomela sanguinolenta</i>
Tawny-crowned Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Gliciphila melanops</i>
Eastern Spinebill (Endemic)	<i>Acanthorhynchus tenuirostris</i>

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Pied Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Certhionyx variegatus</i>
Banded Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Cissomela pectoralis</i>
Brown Honeyeater	<i>Lichmera indistincta</i>
Crescent Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Phylidonyris pyrrhopterus</i>
New Holland Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Phylidonyris novaehollandiae</i>
Striped Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Plectorhyncha lanceolata</i>
Little Friarbird	<i>Philemon citreogularis</i>
Helmeted Friarbird	<i>Philemon buceroides</i>
Silver-crowned Friarbird (Endemic)	<i>Philemon argenticeps</i>
Noisy Friarbird	<i>Philemon corniculatus</i>
Blue-faced Honeyeater	<i>Entomyzon cyanotis</i>
Black-chinned Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Melithreptus gularis</i>
Brown-headed Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Melithreptus brevirostris</i>
White-throated Honeyeater	<i>Melithreptus albogularis</i>
White-naped Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Melithreptus lunatus</i>
White-eared Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Nesoptilotis leucotis</i>
Crimson Chat (Endemic)	<i>Epthianura tricolor</i>
White-fronted Chat (Endemic)	<i>Epthianura albifrons</i>
Rufous-banded Honeyeater	<i>Conopophila albogularis</i>
Rufous-throated Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Conopophila rufogularis</i>
Grey Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Conopophila whitei</i>
Spiny-cheeked Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Acanthagenys rufogularis</i>
Little Wattlebird (Endemic)	<i>Anthochaera chrysoptera</i>
Red Wattlebird (Endemic)	<i>Anthochaera carunculata</i>
Yellow-faced Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Caligavis chrysops</i>
Yellow-tufted Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Lichenostomus melanops</i>
Bell Miner (Endemic)	<i>Manorina melanophrys</i>
Noisy Miner (Endemic)	<i>Manorina melanocephala</i>
Yellow-throated Miner (Endemic)	<i>Manorina flavigula</i>
White-fronted Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Purnella albifrons</i>
White-gaped Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Stomiopera unicolor</i>
Mangrove Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Gavicalis fasciogularis</i>
Singing Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Gavicalis virescens</i>
Yellow-tinted Honeyeater	<i>Ptilotula flavescens</i>
Fuscous Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Ptilotula fusca</i>
Grey-headed Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Ptilotula keartlandi</i>
Grey-fronted Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Ptilotula plumula</i>
Yellow-plumed Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Ptilotula ornata</i>

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White-plumed Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Ptilotula penicillata</i>
White-lined Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Meliphaga albilineata</i>
Lewin's Honeyeater (Endemic)	<i>Meliphaga lewinii</i>
Bristlebirds (Dasyornithidae)	
Eastern Bristlebird (Endemic) - EN	<i>Dasyornis brachypterus</i>
Rufous Bristlebird (Endemic)	<i>Dasyornis broadbenti</i>
Pardalotes (Pardalotidae)	
Spotted Pardalote (Endemic)	<i>Pardalotus punctatus</i>
Red-browed Pardalote (Endemic)	<i>Pardalotus rubricatus</i>
Striated Pardalote (Endemic)	<i>Pardalotus striatus</i>
Australasian Warblers (Acanthizidae)	
Weebill (Endemic)	<i>Smicrornis brevirostris</i>
Striated Fieldwren (Endemic)	<i>Calamanthus fuliginosus</i>
Rufous Fieldwren (Endemic)	<i>Calamanthus campestris</i>
Chestnut-rumped Heathwren (Endemic)	<i>Hylacola pyrrhopygia</i>
Shy Heathwren (Endemic)	<i>Hylacola cauta</i>
Speckled Warbler (Endemic)	<i>Pyrrholaemus sagittatus</i>
Rockwarbler (Endemic)	<i>Origma solitaria</i>
Yellow-throated Scrubwren (Endemic)	<i>Neosericornis citreogularis</i>
Large-billed Scrubwren (Endemic)	<i>Sericornis magnirostra</i>
White-browed Scrubwren (Endemic)	<i>Sericornis frontalis</i>
Brown Gerygone (Endemic)	<i>Gerygone mouki</i>
Mangrove Gerygone	<i>Gerygone levigaster</i>
Western Gerygone (Endemic)	<i>Gerygone fusca</i>
Large-billed Gerygone	<i>Gerygone magnirostris</i>
Green-backed Gerygone	<i>Gerygone chloronota</i>
White-throated Gerygone	<i>Gerygone olivacea</i>
Brown Thornbill (Endemic)	<i>Acanthiza pusilla</i>
Inland Thornbill (Endemic)	<i>Acanthiza apicalis</i>
Chestnut-rumped Thornbill (Endemic)	<i>Acanthiza uropygialis</i>
Buff-rumped Thornbill (Endemic)	<i>Acanthiza reguloides</i>
Slender-billed Thornbill (Endemic)	<i>Acanthiza iredalei</i>
Yellow-rumped Thornbill (Endemic)	<i>Acanthiza chrysorrhoa</i>
Yellow Thornbill (Endemic)	<i>Acanthiza nana</i>
Striated Thornbill (Endemic)	<i>Acanthiza lineata</i>

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Slaty-backed Thornbill (Endemic)	<i>Acanthiza robustirostris</i>
Southern Whiteface (Endemic)	<i>Aphelocephala leucopsis</i>
Banded Whiteface (Endemic)	<i>Aphelocephala nigricincta</i>
Australasian Babblers (Pomatostomidae)	
Grey-crowned Babbler	<i>Pomatostomus temporalis</i>
White-browed Babbler (Endemic)	<i>Pomatostomus superciliosus</i>
Chestnut-crowned Babbler (Endemic)	<i>Pomatostomus ruficeps</i>
Logrunners (Orthonychidae)	
Australian Logrunner (Endemic)	<i>Orthonyx temminckii</i>
Whipbirds, (Psophodidae)	
Eastern Whipbird (Endemic)	<i>Psophodes olivaceus</i>
Jewel-babblers, Quail-thrushes (Cinclosomatidae)	
Chestnut Quail-thrush (Endemic)	<i>Cinclosoma castanotum</i>
Woodswallows, Butcherbirds & Allies (Artamidae)	
White-breasted Woodswallow	<i>Artamus leucorhynchus</i>
Masked Woodswallow (Endemic)	<i>Artamus personatus</i>
Black-faced Woodswallow	<i>Artamus cinereus</i>
Dusky Woodswallow (Endemic)	<i>Artamus cyanopterus</i>
Little Woodswallow (Endemic)	<i>Artamus minor</i>
Black Butcherbird	<i>Melloria quoyi</i>
Australian Magpie	<i>Gymnorhina tibicen</i>
Grey Butcherbird (Endemic)	<i>Cracticus torquatus</i>
Silver-backed Butcherbird (Endemic)	<i>Cracticus argenteus</i>
Pied Butcherbird (Endemic)	<i>Cracticus nigrogularis</i>
Pied Currawong (Endemic)	<i>Strepera graculina</i>
Grey Currawong (Endemic)	<i>Strepera versicolor</i>
Cuckooshrikes (Campephagidae)	
Black-faced Cuckooshrike	<i>Coracina novaehollandiae</i>
White-bellied Cuckooshrike	<i>Coracina papuensis</i>
White-winged Triller	<i>Lalage tricolor</i>
Varied Triller	<i>Lalage leucomela</i>

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Sittellas (Neosittidae)	
Varied Sittella (Endemic)	<i>Daphoenositta chrysoptera</i>
Australo-Papuan Bellbirds (Oreoicidae)	
Crested Bellbird (Endemic)	<i>Oreoica gutturalis</i>
Shriketit (Falcunculidae)	
Crested Shriketit (Endemic)	<i>Falcunculus frontatus</i>
Whistlers & Allies (Pachycephalidae)	
Gilbert's Whistler (Endemic)	<i>Pachycephala inornata</i>
Grey Whistler	<i>Pachycephala simplex</i>
Australian Golden Whistler	<i>Pachycephala pectoralis</i>
Mangrove Golden Whistler	<i>Pachycephala melanura</i>
Rufous Whistler	<i>Pachycephala rufiventris</i>
White-breasted Whistler (Endemic)	<i>Pachycephala lanioides</i>
Arafura Shrikethrush	<i>Colluricincla megarhyncha</i>
Rufous Shrikethrush	<i>Colluricincla rufogaster</i>
Grey Shrikethrush	<i>Colluricincla harmonica</i>
Sandstone Shrikethrush (Endemic)	<i>Colluricincla woodwardi</i>
Figbirds, Orioles, Turnagra (Oriolidae)	
Australasian Figbird	<i>Sphecotheres vieilloti</i>
Olive-backed Oriole	<i>Oriolus sagittatus</i>
Green Oriole	<i>Oriolus flavocinctus</i>
Drongos (Dicruridae)	
Spangled Drongo	<i>Dicrurus bracteatus</i>
Fantails (Rhipiduridae)	
Willie Wagtail	<i>Rhipidura leucophrys</i>
Northern Fantail	<i>Rhipidura rufiventris</i>
Grey Fantail	<i>Rhipidura albiscapa</i>
Rufous Fantail	<i>Rhipidura rufifrons</i>
Arafura Fantail	<i>Rhipidura dryas</i>
Monarchs (Monarchidae)	
Spectacled Monarch	<i>Symposiachrus trivirgatus</i>

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White-eared Monarch (Endemic)	<i>Carterornis leucotis</i>
Magpie-lark	<i>Grallina cyanoleuca</i>
Leaden Flycatcher	<i>Myiagra rubecula</i>
Broad-billed Flycatcher	<i>Myiagra ruficollis</i>
Shining Flycatcher	<i>Myiagra alecto</i>
Paperbark Flycatcher	<i>Myiagra nana</i>
Restless Flycatcher (Endemic)	<i>Myiagra inquieta</i>
Crows, Jays (Corvidae)	
Torresian Crow	<i>Corvus orru</i>
Little Crow (Endemic)	<i>Corvus bennetti</i>
Forest Raven (Endemic)	<i>Corvus tasmanicus</i>
Little Raven (Endemic)	<i>Corvus mellori</i>
Australian Raven (Endemic)	<i>Corvus coronoides</i>
Australian Mudnesters (Corcoracidae)	
White-winged Chough	<i>Corcorax melanorhamphos</i>
Apostlebird (Endemic)	<i>Struthidea cinerea</i>
Birds-of-paradise (Paradisaeidae)	
Paradise Riflebird (Endemic)	<i>Ptiloris paradiseus</i>
Australasian Robins (Petroicidae)	
Pale-yellow Robin (Endemic)	<i>Tregellasia capito</i>
Eastern Yellow Robin (Endemic)	<i>Eopsaltria australis</i>
Hooded Robin (Endemic)	<i>Melanodryas cucullata</i>
Mangrove Robin	<i>Peneothello pulverulenta</i>
Southern Scrub Robin (Endemic)	<i>Drymodes brunneopygia</i>
Lemon-bellied Flyrobin	<i>Microeca flavigaster</i>
Jacky Winter	<i>Microeca fascinans</i>
Rose Robin (Endemic)	<i>Petroica rosea</i>
Flame Robin (Endemic)	<i>Petroica phoenicea</i>
Scarlet Robin (Endemic)	<i>Petroica boodang</i>
Red-capped Robin (Endemic)	<i>Petroica goodenovii</i>
Larks (Alaudidae)	
Eurasian Skylark	<i>Alauda arvensis</i>

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Swallows, Martins (Hirundinidae)	
White-backed Swallow (Endemic)	<i>Cheramoeca leucosterna</i>
Welcome Swallow	<i>Hirundo neoxena</i>
Fairy Martin	<i>Petrochelidon ariel</i>
Tree Martin	<i>Petrochelidon nigricans</i>
Reed Warblers & Allies (Acrocephalidae)	
Australian Reed Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus australis</i>
Grassbirds & Allies (Locustellidae)	
Little Grassbird	<i>Poodytes gramineus</i>
Brown Songlark (Endemic)	<i>Cincloramphus cruralis</i>
Rufous Songlark (Endemic)	<i>Cincloramphus mathewsi</i>
Tawny Grassbird	<i>Cincloramphus timoriensis</i>
Cisticolas & Allies (Cisticolidae)	
Zitting Cisticola	<i>Cisticola juncidis</i>
Golden-headed Cisticola	<i>Cisticola exilis</i>
White-eyes (Zosteropidae)	
Canary White-eye (Endemic)	<i>Zosterops luteus</i>
Silveryeye	<i>Zosterops lateralis</i>
Starlings, Rhabdornis (Sturnidae)	
Common Myna	<i>Acridotheres tristis</i>
Common Starling	<i>Sturnus vulgaris</i>
Thrushes (Turdidae)	
Russet-tailed Thrush	<i>Zoothera heinei</i>
Bassian Thrush (Endemic)	<i>Zoothera lunulata</i>
Common Blackbird	<i>Turdus merula</i>
Flowerpeckers (Dicaeidae)	
Mistletoebird	<i>Dicaeum hirundinaceum</i>
Old World Sparrows, Snowfinches (Passeridae)	
House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>

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Waxbills, Munias & Allies (Estrildidae)	
Beautiful Firetail (Endemic)	<i>Stagonopleura bella</i>
Red-browed Finch (Endemic)	<i>Neochmia temporalis</i>
Crimson Finch	<i>Neochmia phaeton</i>
Plum-headed Finch (Endemic)	<i>Neochmia modesta</i>
Masked Finch (Endemic)	<i>Poephila personata</i>
Long-tailed Finch (Endemic)	<i>Poephila acuticauda</i>
Zebra Finch	<i>Taeniopygia guttata</i>
Double-barred Finch (Endemic)	<i>Taeniopygia bichenovii</i>
Gouldian Finch (Endemic)	<i>Erythrura gouldiae</i>
Scaly-breasted Munia	<i>Lonchura punctulata</i>
Chestnut-breasted Mannikin	<i>Lonchura castaneothorax</i>
Wagtails, Pipits (Motacillidae)	
Australian Pipit	<i>Anthus australis</i>
Finches, Euphonias (Fringillidae)	
European Greenfinch	<i>Chloris chloris</i>
European Goldfinch	<i>Carduelis carduelis</i>

Total seen	21
Total heard only	5
Total recorded	426

Mammal List

Common Name	Scientific Name
Dogs (Canidae)	
Dingo	<i>Canis lupus dingo</i>
Red Fox	<i>Vulpes vulpes</i>
Old World Fruit Bats (Pteropodidae)	
Black Flying Fox	<i>Pteropus alecto</i>
Grey-headed Flying Fox	<i>Pteropus poliocephalus</i>
Little Red Flying Fox	<i>Pteropus scapulatus</i>

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Dasyurids (Dasyuridae)	
Yellow-footed Antechinus	<i>Antechinus flavipes</i>
Brown Antechinus	<i>Antechinus stuartii</i>
Kangaroos, Wallabies, and Relatives (Macropodidae)	
Agile Wallaby	<i>Macropus agilis</i>
Western Gray Kangaroo	<i>Macropus fuliginosus</i>
Eastern Grey Kangaroo	<i>Macropus giganteus</i>
Whiptail Wallaby	<i>Macropus parryi</i>
Red-necked Wallaby	<i>Macropus rufogriseus</i>
Red Kangaroo	<i>Macropus rufus</i>
Common Wallaroo	<i>Macropus robustus</i>
Red-legged Pademelon	<i>Thylogale stigmatica</i>
Red-necked Pademelon	<i>Thylogale thetis</i>
Swamp Wallaby	<i>Wallabia bicolor</i>
Brushtail Possums and Cuscuses (Phalangeridae)	
Common Brushtail Possum	<i>Trichosurus vulpecula</i>
Wombats (Vombatidae)	
Common Wombat	<i>Vombatus ursinus</i>
Hares and Rabbits (Leporidae)	
European Hare	<i>Lepus europaeus</i>
European Rabbit	<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>
Echidnas (Tachyglossidae)	
Short-beaked Echidna	<i>Tachyglossus aculeatus</i>
Total Seen	22

Reptile List

Common Name	Scientific Name
Crocodiles (Crocodylidae)	
Salt-water Crocodile	<i>Crocodylus porosus</i>
Geckos (Gekkonidae)	
Common House Gecko	<i>Hemidactylus frenatus</i>
Dragons (Agamidae)	
Eastern Water Dragon	<i>Intellagama lesueurii</i>
Eastern Bearded Dragon	<i>Pogona barbata</i>
Monitors (Varanidae)	
Lace Monitor	<i>Varanus varius</i>
Skinks (Scincidae)	
Tree-crevice Skink	<i>Egermia striolata</i>
Colubrid snakes (Colubridae)	
Green Tree Snake	<i>Dendrelaphis punctulatus</i>
Total Seen	7