

# **INDIA – THE NORTHEAST: SET DEPARTURE BIRDING TRIP REPORT**

# 26 FEBRUARY - 11 MARCH 2024

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Ibisbill was one of three monotypic family birds we found on this tour

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# <u>Overview</u>

Northeast India is one of the best places for finding **Ibisbill**, **Wallcreeper** and **Spotted Elachura**. These three species are the only members of their families, and are therefore soughtafter by bird family listers, like the three participants on this tour. Thankfully, we found these major targets. This part of the world is also excellent for a suite of Himalayan foothill forest bird species such as **Beautiful Nuthatch**, **Yellow-rumped Honeyguide**, **Fire-tailed Myzornis**, **Himalayan Cutia** and many other star birds; we saw the four mentioned above really well. The Sela Pass provides easy access to sought-after high altitude Himalayan birds like the luminous **Grandala**, **Blood Pheasant** and various rosefinches, all of which we enjoyed seeing on this tour.

In stark contrast to all these mountain species, the Assamese Plains on either side of the massive Brahmaputra River provide refuge for big mammals including **Greater One-horned** (Indian) **Rhinoceros**, **Asian Elephant** and many others, along with a rich assemblage of bird species.

All in all, this was a tour with spectacular, varied scenery, lots of birds, and brilliant mammals which also included an unexpected **Marbled Cat** in Nameri National Park.



Yellow-rumped Honeyguide showed well towards the end of the tour

# **Detailed Report**

# Day 1, 26th February 2024. Arrival in Delhi and birding Lodi Gardens

John and I had arrived the previous day, so we had time to bird the Lodi Gardens in Delhi for a couple of hours this afternoon (the other tour participants arrived this afternoon and opted out of



this introductory birding session). Before heading there, we enjoyed seeing some very tame **Bank Mynas** just outside the hotel, a nice species to see compared to the ever-abundant **Common Mynas** that are literally everywhere. At the Lodi Gardens, we enjoyed seeing some great birds such as **Brown-headed Barbet**, **Indian Grey Hornbill**, **Yellow-footed Green Pigeon**, **White-breasted Waterhen**, **Red-naped Ibis**, **Indian Pond Heron**, **Common Tailorbird**, personality-filled **Jungle Babbler**, large numbers of **Rose-ringed Parakeets** and a handful of their larger relatives, **Alexandrine Parakeets**. These gardens are a fascinating place to visit not only for birds, but also to see the 15<sup>th</sup> century Lodi dynasty tombs. After our visit to the park, we went to the Khan Market before heading back to our hotel for dinner and to get some rest for our flight to Assam the next day.

# Day 2, 27th February 2024. Flight to Guwahati and transfer to Nameri Tiger Reserve

This was mainly a travel day. After arrival in Guwahati in the late morning, we immediately visited the Deepor Beel Garbage Dump. This is not a pleasant place to visit but is famous in birding circles. Indeed, we were rewarded with close-up sightings of the rare and localized **Greater Adjutant**, among impressive numbers of **Black Kites** and **Eastern Cattle Egrets**.



The huge Greater Adjutant.

We then continued our journey, making some brief birding stops along the way, one of them being at some **Lesser Adjutant** nests so we could compare this species with its larger relative. A **Cinereous Tit**, singing alongside the adjutant nests, showed well.

With much anticipation about the next day's birding, we arrived at Baligara Camp, Nameri National Park (aka Nameri Tiger Reserve) and checked in for our two-night stay.



# Day 3, 28th February 2024. Birding Nameri National Park

This morning, we were distracted by a flowering Coral Tree that was attracting many excellent birds, including Lineated Barbet, Blue-throated Barbet, Green Imperial Pigeon, Chestnut-tailed Starling and a few others. This slightly delayed our morning visit to Nameri where, upon stopping at the park office, we got great views of some Capped Langurs, always a good-looking monkey to see.

Our main birding site for the morning was Jia Bhoroli Camp, where we amassed 50 bird species. One of the biggest highlights of this session was, however, seeing a mammal, not a bird, in the form of a **Marbled Cat** crossing the trail in front of us, wow! We also saw and heard **Northern Red Muntjac** (Barking Deer). Bird-wise, the pickings included a couple of **Peregrine Falcons** which we scoped, **Red Junglefowl** (ancestors of domestic chickens), **Barred Cuckoo-Dove**, **Green-billed Malkoha**, **Indian Stone-curlew**, some nice woodpeckers in the form of **Greater Flameback** and **Fulvous-breasted Woodpecker**, **Red-breasted Parakeets** feeding on Coral Tree flowers, and three species of colorful minivets: **Scarlet**, **Short-billed** and **Grey-chinned Minivets**. The unusual **Maroon Oriole** showed well, albeit briefly, as did **Black-naped Monarch**, **Small Niltava**, **Pale-chinned Flycatcher** and a fabulous **Little Pied Flycatcher**. A **White-capped** (Water) **Redstart** was yet another of many extremely colorful birds we saw. **Abbott's Babbler**, many **Pin-striped Tit-Babblers** and a host of other species kept us busy until we had to head back for lunch.

After lunch, we went rafting on the Kameng River. Our most important target, which we saw very well near the start of the session, was the unique Ibisbill. This bizarre wader is in its own family and hence sought after by family listers, like the participants on this tour. We enjoyed getting close views of four individuals. We also loved seeing the spectacle of hundreds of Small Pratincoles, such striking birds in flight with their pied wing pattern; they are more subtle when resting on the bank. A pair of massive-billed Great Thick-knees were a real highlight. This is truly an impressive-looking species and we saw them pretty close-up. A range of other great birds put in appearances along the bank, including beautiful **River Lapwings**, really close-up Little Ringed Plover, Common Greenshank, Green Sandpiper, Common Sandpiper, Sand Lark, Siberian Stonechat and three kingfisher species. Many pairs of Ruddy Shelducks, and smaller numbers of Eurasian Teals, Common Mergansers and a few other ducks, were in evidence. Flocks of Little Cormorants and the occasional Great Cormorant were also around. Sand Larks showed now and again, and there were also a couple flocks of Rosy Pipits, with one individual in beautiful pink breeding plumage. A couple of brightly-colored Indochinese Rollers sat conspicuously on open perches as we rafted by. An Asian Openbill flew past at one point.

After our very successful session on the river, we made a short birding stop on our way back to our lodgings. This did not disappoint, as we added some good trip birds like **Black-winged Cuckooshrike**, our first of many **Dusky Warblers**, **Red-wattled Lapwing**, **Rufous Treepie**, more **Greater Flamebacks** and a new woodpecker, **Black-rumped Flameback**.

Before dinner, we did a 45-minute-long owling session, seeing **Brown Boobook** (Brown Hawk-Owl) nicely. We heard two other owl species but were unable to lay eyes on them.



# Day 4, 29<sup>th</sup> February 2024. Climbing in altitude from Nameri to Dirang

At breakfast time, we found more good birds around our lodgings, the highlight being **Taiga Flycatcher**. We then began our drive towards the mountains, soon entering the state of Arunachal Pradesh (and saying goodbye to Assam for a few days). Shortly after crossing the state line, we scoped a stunning pair of **Oriental Hobbies** and a brightly-colored **Chestnutheaded Bee-eater**.

We then rapidly started climbing higher and higher into the Himalayan foothills, reaching 6,000 feet (1,830 meters) at the highest point before later descending a little to Dirang, which would be our base for the next three nights. We soon entered the bamboo zone where we obtained good views of a few **Yellow-bellied Warblers**.

Further up, we scoped some birds far down in the river below us. These included some attractive species like **Slaty-backed Forktail**, **White-capped** (Water) **Redstart**, **Plumbeous Water Redstart** and **Blue Whistling Thrush**. Another stream-associated bird, **Grey Wagtail**, visited us right on the road. Also very close to the road, but remaining well-hidden most of the time, was a beautiful but elusive **Chestnut-headed Tesia**. We got excellent views of a male **Black-throated Sunbird**, while on the slope between the road and the river, we scoped a female **Blue Rock Thrush**. In the scrubby hillside, we enjoyed looking at a mobile flock of **Silver-eared Mesias**, another really colorful species.

Driving further and stopping for roadside birding along the way generated new trip birds like a scoped Mountain Hawk-Eagle, a Buff-barred Warbler, Blyth's Leaf Warblers, a female Blue-fronted Redstart and a flock of Whiskered and White-naped Yuhinas.

Our lunch stop was arguably the best birding stop yet. While we waited for lunch to be prepared, we got close views of a handful of Little Buntings, while a Black-throated Prinia also cooperated well. A showy Rufous-gorgeted Flycatcher provided a nice comparison with the similar Taiga Flycatcher we'd seen earlier. We also found a number of other nice species like Green-backed Tits, a Grey-headed Canary-flycatcher, a female Hodgson's Redstart, some Olive-backed Pipits and another Dusky Warbler. A couple of Eurasian Tree Sparrows were also around.

We then went to a site along the Tenga River to look for **Long-billed Plover** and we weren't disappointed! This enigmatic plover breeds on mountain rivers with shingle islands and banks, a habitat shared with **Ibisbills**, and indeed we saw a dozen of these too. We also saw some other great birds, such as **Red-wattled Lapwings**, a showy **Brown Dipper**, good numbers of **White Wagtails** (at least three subspecies), a couple of **White-browed Wagtails**, a **Grey Wagtail** and various other bird species we had already seen.

Our last stop just before reaching our hotel was a site for the stunning **Wallcreeper**, and this charismatic species co-operated awesomely; we could not have asked for better views!





Wallcreeper was one of three monotypic family birds we were looking for on this tour

# Day 5, 1<sup>st</sup> March 2024. High altitude birds of the Sela Pass

We had a 4 am start to head to 14,108 feet (4,200 meters), where we were able to find star birds against the backdrop of spectacular Himalayan scenery. The vividly blue **Grandala** did not disappoint, and neither did the beautiful **Blood Pheasant**. White-browed **Tit-warbler** was another real highlight, as were the dapper **Snow Pigeons** that were around. The high altitude is great for rosefinch species and we saw **Dark-breasted**, **Himalayan White-browed** and **Red-fronted Rosefinches**. We also saw the much less colorful **Plain Mountain Finch**. Alpine Accentor and Alpine Chough were also around, and during the drive up, there were good numbers of **Eurasian Nutcracker**, a White-collared Blackbird and a spectacular Yellow-billed Blue Magpie. The charismatic Spotted and Black-faced Laughingthrushes were quite entertaining, and we were also treated to a magnificent Bearded Vulture. In the afternoon, we tried finding Black-tailed Crake but only heard it.

# Day 6, 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2024. Birding Mandala

We spent most of the day birding Mandala, up to about 10,500 feet (3,200 meters). Three **Black Eagles**, a **Shikra** dashing below us and a **Himalayan Vulture** were all good to see. We scoped fabulous-looking **Red-headed** and **Grey-headed Bullfinches** and unusual female **Goldennaped Finch**. We enjoyed seeing a lot of **Russet Sparrows** at breakfast time near the top, and a close-up pair of **Darjeeling Woodpeckers** co-operated nicely. Several striking tit species with crests were around: **Grey-crested Tit**, **Coal Tit** (of the crested subspecies), **Rufous-vented Tit** and the colorful **Yellow-cheeked Tit**. **Black-throated Bushtit** also provided a splash of color in a tree full of equally bright **Black-faced Warblers**. In another area, there was a tree full of **Ashy-throated Warblers**. Personality-filled **Black-faced** and **Chestnut-crowned** 



Laughingthrushes were also around. A couple of Green Shrike-babblers were next to show themselves to us. An exciting mixed flock contained several Brown Parrotbills, Brown-throated Fulvettas and, unexpectedly, Manipur Fulvettas (the latter was a lucky find). Our first of many flocks of Beautiful Sibias wowed us, as did a flock of Stripe-throated Yuhinas. We found our first Himalayan Bluetails, a couple of White-browed Bush Robins, which proved challenging to see and a couple of vibrant Green-tailed Sunbirds.

# Day 7, 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2024. Birding Mandala again before transferring to Eaglenest Wildlife Sanctuary

We started the day with some productive birding just above Dirang. Highlights included Greybacked Shrike, Grey Bush Chat, Tibetan Serin, Daurian Redstart and several Blue-fronted Redstarts, Chestnut-bellied Rock Thrush, Large Hawk-Cuckoo, Fire-breasted Flowerpecker and the scarce Yellow-bellied Flowerpecker. We also saw our first Black Bulbuls, and several warblers including new ones like Grey-hooded Warbler, Grey-flanked Bush Warbler and Grey-sided Bush Warbler.

Ascending towards Mandala again, we found some mixed flocks containing new trip birds like **Golden-breasted Fulvetta**, **Rufous-capped Babbler**, **Streak-breasted Scimitar Babbler** and others. A small flock of **Crimson-browed Finches** also co-operated well.

Beyond Mandala, we made further birding stops all along the way to Lama Camp, the gateway to Eaglenest Sanctuary. We added quite a number of bird species to our growing list. These included **Rufous-vented Yuhina**, **Rufous-breasted Accentor**, **Bar-throated Minla**, **Red-tailed Minla** and **Golden-throated Barbet**.

We reached Lama Camp at dusk, eagerly anticipating further great birding.

# Day 8, 4<sup>th</sup> March 2024. Our first Eaglenest area birding

We started the day birding the Singchung Bugun Community Reserve and nearby areas. Exciting mixed species flocks were much in evidence in the early morning. These contained **Golden Babbler**, **Bhutan Laughingthrush**, **Rusty-fronted Barwing**, **Bar-throated Minla**, and various other species we'd seen earlier in the trip.

Good-looking **Striated** and **Black Bulbuls** were very vocal and at times showed well. At one point, a **White-tailed Nuthatch** sat on a rock (trying to be a rock nuthatch) and showed well. We scoped a nice **Rufous-bellied Woodpecker**. We found both **Black-throated** and **Rufous-fronted Bushtits**, the latter being new for the trip. A few lovely **Grey-winged Blackbirds** provided brief views.

It was an awesome morning for raptors, with a beautiful pair of **Mountain Hawk-Eagles** putting on a show, and three accipiter species in the form of **Crested Goshawk**, **Eurasian Sparrowhawk** and our second **Shikra** of the trip.

After breakfast, we embarked on the long drive to Bompu Birding Camp, which ended up taking five hours with all the birding stops! This proved to be productive, and we gradually added new species to our growing trip list all along the scenic mountain road. As is typical for them, a pair of highly vocal **Bay Woodpeckers** only gave us flight views, always hiding out of site when



perched. We gratefully accepted this as it's better than not seeing the species at all! We also saw our first **Great Barbet** for the trip, a real whopper of a barbet, being roughly a foot-long! While walking along a trail, we startled a female **Blyth's Tragopan** which quickly vanished after brief views, but tantalizingly, creating hope that we would lay eyes on a gorgeous male at some point. John saw a **Scaly-breasted Cupwing** just as we were getting into the vehicles to drive off, but the rest of us only heard it. We saw a lot of old friends we had already seen before, plus some new trip birds like **Hoary-throated Barwing** and a mobile flock of **White-throated Laughingthrushes**. We then settled in to our accommodation at Bompu Camp, where we would be based for the next three nights.

#### Day 9, 5th March 2024. Eaglenest Wildlife Sanctuary birding

Early this morning we saw a few **Hill Partridges** and **Kalij Pheasants** on the road in front of us. We also saw good numbers of all three **Barwings**, namely **Hoary-throated**, **Streak-throated** and **Rusty-fronted**. Additionally, we encountered a flock of **Yellow-throated Fulvettas** and groups of **Striated** and **Grey-sided Laughingthrushes**. A **Long-tailed Thrush** showed well right next to the road, and we also scoped a flock of nine **Brown Bullfinches**. The highlight of the morning, and indeed the day, was an extremely co-operative and beautiful **Fire-tailed Myzornis** feeding on tree sap in a stand of bamboo.



Fire-tailed Myzornis feeding on sap

The afternoon birding below Bompu Camp was spectacular. It didn't take us long to find a mixed flock containing **Beautiful Nuthatch**, **White-browed** and **Black-headed Shrike-babblers** and various other goodies. As we descended to lower altitude, we were very pleased to see five **Sikkim Wedge-billed Babblers**, each one stopping besides the road before flying off,



one after the other. Other new trip birds included a **Greater Yellownape**, a few **Long-tailed Sibias**, a spectacular **Lesser Racket-tailed Drongo** and others. Our first of many **Yellow-bellied Fantails** put on an awesome show and a **White-throated Fantail** made a brief appearance for comparison. No less than five **Spotted Elachuras** were vocal at various points in the afternoon, but only one of them allowed brief views, this afternoon and again the next morning. The elachura was the third and final monotypic family bird we needed on this tour.

We also heard **Asian Elephants** trumpeting in the distance, and saw their signs along the road.

# Day 10, 6<sup>th</sup> March 2024. Another full day around Bompu Birding Camp, Eaglenest Wildlife Sanctuary

We birded quite an altitudinal range from 6,400 feet (about 1,960 meters), down to 2,900 feet (890 meters). As we descended, we found a couple of **Red-headed Trogons**, some **Emerald Doves** on the road, **Red Junglefowl**, **Kalij Pheasants** and some exciting mixed species flocks. Good birds in the mixed flocks included a group of six **Beautiful Nuthatches**, **Black-eared Shrike-babbler**, **White-breasted Parrotbill**, **Black-crowned Scimitar Babbler**, **Rufous-winged Fulvetta**, **White-bellied Erpornis**, **Blue-winged Minla**, **Red-faced Liocichla**, **Sikkim Treecreeper**, **Chestnut-crowned Warbler** and others.

Other excellent birds not associated with the mixed flocks included a pair of massive **Rufous-necked Hornbills**, a tree with three minivet species; **Grey-chinned**, **Short-billed** and **Scarlet Minivets**, **Maroon Oriole**, **White-throated Bulbul**, **Grey-cheeked Warbler**, **Black-chinned Yuhina**, **White-naped Yuhina** and more.

There were (again) a number of **Spotted Elachuras** around but getting decent visuals proved difficult; John managed to see one through his binoculars but the others only got brief naked eye views. A **Spotted Forktail** gave brief flight views. Conversely, a **Pygmy Flycatcher** bathing in a puddle in the road was viewed well, as was a female **Large Niltava**. **Himalayan Bluetails** often appeared in the road in front of us; these included a couple of brightly-colored males. We also scoped an **Orange-bellied Leafbird** and a **Chestnut-bellied Rock Thrush**.

We enjoyed seeing some good mammals today, notably Black Giant Squirrel and Yellow-throated Marten.

# Day 11, 7th March 2024. Birding Bompu Camp back to Lama Camp

After a 6am breakfast, we birded a bit below Bompu Camp and then above it, before heading back to Lama Camp for another night there. Birding near Bompu was excellent, with a few highquality new trip birds. The best of these were **Yellow-rumped Honeyguide** (which showed for a long time and put on a great show) and a beautiful male **Himalayan Cutia** through the scope. Other great bird species included **Rusty-flanked Treecreeper**, **Sultan Tit**, **Yellow-cheeked Tit**, **Yellow-browed Tit**, **Golden-throated Barbet**, **Great Barbet**, **Crimson-naped Woodpecker**, **Rufous-bellied Woodpecker**, **Darjeeling Woodpecker**, **Black-winged Cuckooshrike** and many birds we had already seen before.





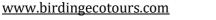
Himalayan Cutia, a beautiful and charismatic species

The afternoon birding back near Lama Camp afforded prolonged close-up views of a **Rufous-throated Wren-Babbler**, beautiful **Golden-breasted Fulvettas** and many other species we'd seen previously. We continued to enjoy exciting, fast-moving mixed-species flocks.

In the evening, we heard **Grey Nightjar**, **Hodgson's Frogmouth** and **Mountain Scops Owl** near Lama Camp, and saw a **Bhutan Giant Flying Squirrel**.

# Day 12, 8<sup>th</sup> March 2024. Lama Camp to Kaziranga National Park

We left Lama Camp just as it was getting light, and immediately heard a **Grey Nightjar** which we stopped for and finally got good views of. We then embarked on our long drive down onto the Assamese plains where we would spend two nights at Kaziranga National Park. Shortly after crossing the huge Brahmaputra River, we stopped at Lake Brahmaputra for some great birding. A female **Smew**, a handful of **Ferruginous Ducks** and various more common wildfowl such as **Indian Spot-billed Duck**, **Eurasian Wigeon**, **Eurasian Teal**, **Ruddy Shelduck** and **Barheaded Geese** were around. There were stacks of **Citrine Wagtails** and a couple of **White Wagtails** around, and we also found **Paddyfield**, **Richard's** and **Rosy Pipits**. We also saw a couple of **Bengal Bush Larks** and several **Oriental Skylarks** and **Zitting Cisticolas**. Both **Bronze-winged** and **Pheasant-tailed Jacanas** and a single **Temminck's Stint** were present, while **Black-headed Ibises**, five heron species and a number of other birds were seen around the lake.







Greater One-horned (Indian) Rhinoceros in Kaziranga National Park.

We got to our comfortable hotel near Kaziranga National Park in time for lunch and an afternoon birding and game drive. This generated 70 bird species and a good number of big mammals. The stars of the show were large numbers of **Greater One-horned** (Indian) **Rhinoceroses** (some of them close-up). Also excellent (mammal-wise) were **Barasinghas** (Swamp Deer), **Hog Deers**, a couple of **Sambars** and wild **Water Buffalos**. Bird-wise, we saw many waterbirds like **Spotbilled Pelicans**, **Bar-headed Geese**, **Asian Openbills**, **Asian Woolly-necked Storks** and a few **Black-necked Storks**. There were a few shorebirds around, including **Common Greenshanks**, **Marsh Sandpipers**, **Common Snipes** and some others we had seen earlier in the tour. **Greyheaded**, **Northern** and **Red-wattled Lapwings** were also out in numbers.

Apart from the waterbirds, we saw Eurasian Collared, Red Collared and Spotted Doves, Yellow-footed Green Pigeon, a Green-billed Malkoha, a lot of beautiful Red-breasted Parakeets and smaller numbers of Rose-ringed and Alexandrine Parakeets. Three kingfisher species, including Stork-billed Kingfisher, were good to see, and other splashes of vivid color came in the form of Black-hooded Oriole, Indochinese Roller and several barbet species. A singing Striated Grassbird was also a highlight. Hundreds of Barn Swallows were around and a cute Asian Barred Owlet watched us as we watched it.

# Day 13, 9th March 2024. A full day in Kaziranga National Park

We started the day seeing a few good birds around our hotel, including Tickell's Leaf Warbler, Black-hooded Oriole, Blossom-headed Parakeet, Alexandrine Parakeet, and a male Daurian Redstart amongst others.



We then did a morning game and birding drive into the eastern side of Kaziranga National Park, finding 87 bird species and numerous good mammals. An adorable family of **Smooth-coated Otters** entertained us for a while, and our first of two **Wild Boars** showed near the road. We also saw our first **Asian Elephants** in good numbers, and a **Burmese Python** right next to the road was a real highlight. Bird-wise, we added several new species to our list. These included a single **Lesser Whistling Duck**, **Greater** and **Lesser Coucals**, **Black Storks**, a cute **Spotted Owlet**, **Eurasian Hoopoe**, **Long-tailed Minivet**, **Brown Shrike**, **Great Myna** and others.

After lunch, we spent the afternoon in the central section of Kaziranga National Park. Here, we obtained good views of **Blossom-headed Parakeet**, closer views of **Slender-billed Vultures** than yesterday, **Long-tailed Shrike**, **Spot-winged Starling**, **Finn's Weaver** and others. A number of **Swamp Francolins** were seen well in the late afternoon, but we unfortunately just missed a Bengal Tiger nearby. We ended the day back at our hotel with heard-only **Blue-naped Pitta**.

#### Day 14, 10th March 2024. Drive back to Guwahati for flight back to Delhi

This was a travel day in preparation for departure from Delhi homewards the following day.



Grey-headed Fish Eagle looking at a rhino

# Day 15, 11<sup>th</sup> March 2024. Delhi

John flew out of Delhi early, on his way to Ghana to go and see more family birds, while Joy and Dave did a city tour of Delhi before their evening flights home.

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# Bird List - Following IOC (14.1 – December 2023)

Birds 'heard only' are marked with (H) after the common name, all other species were seen.

The following notation after species names is used to show conservation status following BirdLife International: CR = Critically Endangered, EN = Endangered, VU = Vulnerable.

Common name	Scientific name
Ducks, Geese, Swans (Anatidae)	<u>.</u>
Lesser Whistling Duck	Dendrocygna javanica
Bar-headed Goose	Anser indicus
Common Shelduck	Tadorna tadorna
Ruddy Shelduck	Tadorna ferruginea
Gadwall	Mareca strepera
Eurasian Wigeon	Mareca penelope
Indian Spot-billed Duck	Anas poecilorhyncha
Northern Pintail	Anas acuta
Eurasian Teal	Anas crecca
Ferruginous Duck	Aythya nyroca
Tufted Duck	Aythya fuligula
Smew	Mergellus albellus
Common Merganser	Mergus merganser
Pheasants & Allies (Phasianidae)	1
Hill Partridge	Arborophila torqueola
Rufous-throated Partridge	Arborophila rufogularis
Blood Pheasant	Ithaginis cruentus
Blyth's Tragopan - VU	Tragopan blythii
Kalij Pheasant	Lophura leucomelanos
Grey Peacock-Pheasant (H)	Polyplectron bicalcaratum
Red Junglefowl	Gallus gallus
Swamp Francolin - VU	Ortygornis gularis
Nightjars (Caprimulgidae)	
Grey Nightjar	Caprimulgus jotaka
Frogmouths (Podargidae)	
Hodgson's Frogmouth (H)	Batrachostomus hodgsoni
Swifts (Anadidaa)	
Swifts (Apodidae)	A ano duamua huoning stais
Himalayan Swiftlet	Aerodramus brevirostris
Asian Palm Swift	Cypsiurus balasiensis
Cuckoos (Cuculidae)	I
Greater Coucal	Centropus sinensis
Lesser Coucal	Centropus sinchisis Centropus bengalensis
	contopus conguiensis



Common name	Scientific name
Green-billed Malkoha	Phaenicophaeus tristis
Common Hawk-Cuckoo	<i>Hierococcyx varius</i>
Large Hawk-Cuckoo	<i>Hierococcyx sparveroides</i>
Pigeons, Doves (Columbidae)	
Rock Dove	Columba livia
Snow Pigeon	Columba leuconota
Oriental Turtle Dove	Streptopelia orientalis
Eurasian Collared Dove	Streptopelia decaocto
Red Collared Dove	Streptopelia tranquebarica
Spotted Dove	Spilopelia chinensis
Barred Cuckoo-Dove	Macropygia unchall
Common Emerald Dove	Chalcophaps indica
Yellow-footed Green Pigeon	Treron phoenicopterus
Green Imperial Pigeon	Ducula aenea
Mountain Imperial Pigeon	Ducula badia
Rails, Crakes & Coots (Rallidae)	
Eurasian Coot	Fulica atra
Black-tailed Crake (H)	Zapornia bicolor
White-breasted Waterhen	Amaurornis phoenicurus
Grebes (Podicipedidae)	
Little Grebe	Tachybaptus ruficollis
Stone anderes Thick knoog (Durkin	: Joo)
Stone-curlews, Thick-knees (Burhin Great Stone-curlew	
Indian Stone-curlew	Esacus recurvirostris Burhinus indicus
Indian Stone-curiew	Burninus inaicus
Ibisbill (Ibidorhynchidae)	
Ibisbill	Ibidorhyncha struthersii
Plovers (Charadriidae)	
Little Ringed Plover	Charadrius dubius
Long-billed Plover	Charadrius placidus
Northern Lapwing	Vanellus vanellus
River Lapwing	Vanellus duvaucelii
Grey-headed Lapwing	Vanellus cinereus
Red-wattled Lapwing	Vanellus indicus
Jacanas (Jacanidae)	· · ·
Pheasant-tailed Jacana	Hydrophasianus chirurgus
Bronze-winged Jacana	Metopidius indicus



Common name	Scientific name
Sandpipers, Snipes (Scolopacidae)	1
Common Snipe	Gallinago gallinago
Common Sandpiper	Actitis hypoleucos
Green Sandpiper	Tringa ochropus
Marsh Sandpiper	Tringa stagnatilis
Common Redshank	Tringa totanus
Common Greenshank	Tringa nebularia
Temminck's Stint	Calidris temminckii
Coursers, Pratincoles (Glareolidae)	
Small Pratincole	Glareola lactea
Gulls, Terns, Skimmers (Laridae)	C.
River Tern - VU	Sterna aurantia
Storks (Ciconiidae)	
Asian Openbill	Anastomus oscitans
Lesser Adjutant	Leptoptilos javanicus
Greater Adjutant	Leptoptilos dubius
Black-necked Stork	<i>Ephippiorhynchus asiaticus</i>
Asian Woolly-necked Stork	Ciconia episcopus
Black Stork	Ciconia nigra
Cormorants, Shags (Phalacrocoracida	e)
Little Cormorant	Microcarbo niger
Great Cormorant	Phalacrocorax carbo
Ibises, Spoonbills (Threskiornithidae)	
Black-headed Ibis	Threskiornis melanocephalus
Red-naped Ibis	Pseudibis papillosa
Glossy Ibis	Plegadis falcinellus
Herons, Bitterns (Ardeidae)	
Little Egret	Egretta garzetta
Indian Pond Heron	Ardeola grayii
Eastern Cattle Egret	Bubulcus coromandus
Great Egret	Ardea alba
Medium Egret	Ardea intermedia
Grey Heron	Ardea cinerea
Purple Heron	Ardea purpurea
Pelicans (Pelecanidae)	
Spot-billed Pelican	Pelecanus philippensis



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Ospreys (Pandionidae)			
Osprey	Pandion haliaetus		
Kites, Hawks, Eagles (Accipitridae)			
Black-winged Kite	Elanus caeruleus		
Bearded Vulture	Gypaetus barbatus		
Slender-billed Vulture - CR	Gyps tenuirostris		
Himalayan Vulture	Gyps himalayensis		
Crested Serpent Eagle	Spilornis cheela		
Mountain Hawk-Eagle	Nisaetus nipalensis		
Changeable Hawk-Eagle	Nisaetus cirrhatus		
Black Eagle	Ictinaetus malaiensis		
Eastern Imperial Eagle - VU	Aquila heliaca		
Crested Goshawk	Accipiter trivirgatus		
Shikra	Accipiter badius		
Eurasian Sparrowhawk	Accipiter nisus		
Black Kite	Milvus migrans		
Pallas's Fish Eagle - EN	Haliaeetus leucoryphus		
Grey-headed Fish Eagle	Icthyophaga ichthyaetus		
Owls (Strigidae)			
Brown Boobook	Ninox scutulata		
Collared Owlet (H)	Taenioptynx brodiei		
Spotted Owlet	Athene brama		
Asian Barred Owlet	Glaucidium cuculoides		
Mountain Scops Owl (H)	Otus spilocephalus		
Oriental Scops Owl (H)	Otus sunia		
Collared Scops Owl (H)	Otus lettia		
Trogons (Trogonidae)	Hamastas amthrocorp.		
Red-headed Trogon	Harpactes erythrocephalus		
Hoopoes (Upupidae)	1		
Eurasian Hoopoe	Upupa epops		
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Hornbills (Bucerotidae)			
Great Hornbill - VU	Buceros bicornis		
Indian Grey Hornbill	Ocyceros birostris		
Rufous-necked Hornbill - VU	Aceros nipalensis		
Rollers (Coraciidae)			
Indochinese Roller	Coracias affinis		



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Kingfishers (Alcedinidae)	
Stork-billed Kingfisher	Pelargopsis capensis
White-throated Kingfisher	Halcyon smyrnensis
Common Kingfisher	Alcedo atthis
Pied Kingfisher	Ceryle rudis
Bee-eaters (Meropidae)	
Asian Green Bee-eater	Merops orientalis
Chestnut-headed Bee-eater	Merops leschenaulti
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Asian Barbets (Megalaimidae)	
Great Barbet	Psilopogon virens
Brown-headed Barbet	Psilopogon zeylanicus
Lineated Barbet	Psilopogon lineatus
Golden-throated Barbet	Psilopogon franklinii
Blue-throated Barbet	Psilopogon asiaticus
Coppersmith Barbet (H)	Psilopogon haemacephalus
Honeyguides (Indicatoridae)	
Yellow-rumped Honeyguide	Indicator xanthonotus
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Woodpeckers (Picidae)	
Crimson-naped Woodpecker	Dryobates cathpharius
Rufous-bellied Woodpecker	Dendrocopos hyperythrus
Fulvous-breasted Woodpecker	Dendrocopos macei
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Darjeeling Woodpecker	Dendrocopos darjellensis
Greater Yellownape	Chrysophlegma flavinucha
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Pittas (Pittidae)	
Blue-naped Pitta (H)	Hydrornis nipalensis
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Ioras (Aegithinidae)	
Common Iora	Aegithina tiphia
Cuckooshrikes (Campephagidae)	
Grey-chinned Minivet	Pericrocotus solaris
Short-billed Minivet	Pericrocotus brevirostris
Long-tailed Minivet	Pericrocotus ethologus
Scarlet Minivet	Pericrocotus speciosus
Black-winged Cuckooshrike	Lalage melaschistos
Vireos, Greenlets, Shrike-babblers	
Green Shrike-babbler	Pteruthius xanthochlorus
Black-eared Shrike-babbler	Pteruthius melanotis
Black-headed Shrike-babbler	Pteruthius rufiventer
White-browed Shrike-babbler	Pteruthius aeralatus
White-bellied Erpornis	Erpornis zantholeuca
Figbirds, Old World Orioles, Piopi	og (Oriolidae)
Maroon Oriole	Oriolus traillii
Black-hooded Oriole	Oriolus xanthornus
Black-nooded Onoie	
Drongos (Dicruridae)	
Bronzed Drongo	Dicrurus aeneus
Lesser Racket-tailed Drongo	Dicrurus remifer
Greater Racket-tailed Drongo	Dicrurus paradiseus
Hair-crested Drongo	Dicrurus hottentottus
Ashy Drongo	Dicrurus leucophaeus
Black Drongo	Dicrurus macrocercus
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Fantails (Rhipiduridae)	
White-throated Fantail	Rhipidura albicollis
Monarchs (Monarchidae)	
Black-naped Monarch	Hypothymis azurea
Shrikes (Laniidae)	<u> </u>
Brown Shrike	Lanius cristatus
Long-tailed Shrike	Lanius cristaius Lanius schach
Grey-backed Shrike	
	Lanius tephronotus
Crows, Jays (Corvidae)	I
Yellow-billed Blue Magpie	Urocissa flavirostris
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Rufous Treepie	Dendrocitta vagabunda
Spotted Nutcracker	Nucifraga caryocatactes
Red-billed Chough	Pyrrhocorax pyrrhocorax
House Crow	Corvus splendens
Large-billed Crow	Corvus macrorhynchos
Fairy Flycatchers (Stenostiridae)	
Yellow-bellied Fantail	Chelidorhynx hypoxanthus
Grey-headed Canary-flycatcher	Culicicapa ceylonensis
Tits, Chickadees (Paridae)	
Yellow-browed Tit	Sylviparus modestus
Sultan Tit	Melanochlora sultanea
Rufous-vented Tit	Periparus rubidiventris
Coal Tit	Periparus ater
Grey-crested Tit	Lophophanes dichrous
Cinereous Tit	Parus cinereus
Green-backed Tit	Parus monticolus
Yellow-cheeked Tit	Machlolophus spilonotus
Larks (Alaudidae)	
Bengal Bush Lark	Mirafra assamica
Oriental Skylark	Alauda gulgula
Sand Lark	Alaudala raytal
Bulbuls (Pycnonotidae)	
White-throated Bulbul	Alophoixus flaveolus
Striated Bulbul	Alcurus striatus
Black Bulbul	<i>Hypsipetes leucocephalus</i>
Black-crested Bulbul	Rubigula flaviventris
Red-whiskered Bulbul	Pycnonotus jocosus
Red-vented Bulbul	Pycnonotus cafer
Swallows, Martins (Hirundinidae)	
Pale Martin	Riparia diluta
Barn Swallow	Hirundo rustica
Cupwings (Pnoepygidae)	
Pygmy Cupwing (H)	Pnoepyga pusilla
Scaly-breasted Cupwing	Pnoepyga albiventer
Cettia Bush Warblers & Allies (Cetti	idae)
Yellow-bellied Warbler	Abroscopus superciliaris
Black-faced Warbler	Abroscopus schisticeps
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Brown-flanked Bush Warbler	Horornis fortipes
Aberrant Bush Warbler	Horornis flavolivaceus
Slaty-bellied Tesia (H)	Tesia olivea
Grey-sided Bush Warbler	Cettia brunnifrons
Chestnut-headed Tesia	Cettia castaneocoronata
Chesthut-headed Tesia	
Bushtits (Aegithalidae)	
White-browed Tit-warbler	Leptopoecile sophiae
Black-throated Bushtit	Aegithalos concinnus
Rufous-fronted Bushtit	Aegithalos iouschistos
Leaf Warblers (Phylloscopidae)	
Buff-barred Warbler	Phylloscopus pulcher
Ashy-throated Warbler	Phylloscopus maculipennis
Yellow-browed Warbler	Phylloscopus inornatus
Lemon-rumped Warbler	Phylloscopus chloronotus
Tickell's Leaf Warbler	Phylloscopus affinis
Dusky Warbler	Phylloscopus fuscatus
Common Chiffchaff	Phylloscopus collybita
Grey-cheeked Warbler	Phylloscopus poliogenys
Chestnut-crowned Warbler	Phylloscopus castaniceps
Blyth's Leaf Warbler	Phylloscopus reguloides
Grey-hooded Warbler	Phylloscopus xanthoschistos
Grassbirds & Allies (Locustellidae)	
Striated Grassbird	Megalurus palustris
Cisticolas & Allies (Cisticolidae)	
Fan-tailed Warbler	Cisticola juncidis
Black-throated Prinia	Prinia atrogularis
Grey-breasted Prinia	Prinia hodgsonii
Common Tailorbird	Orthotomus sutorius
Parrotbills & Allies (Paradoxornithidae)	
Fire-tailed Myzornis	Myzornis pyrrhoura
Golden-breasted Fulvetta	Lioparus chrysotis
Brown-throated Fulvetta	Fulvetta ludlowi
Manipur Fulvetta	Fulvetta manipurensis
Brown Parrotbill	Paradoxornis unicolor
White-breasted Parrotbill	Paradoxornis ruficeps
White-eyes (Zosteropidae)	<u> </u>
Black-chinned Yuhina	Yuhina nigrimenta
Whiskered Yuhina	Yuhina flavicollis



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White-naped Yuhina	Yuhina bakeri
Stripe-throated Yuhina	Yuhina gularis
Rufous-vented Yuhina	Yuhina occipitalis
Indian White-eye	Zosterops palpebrosus
Babblers, Scimitar Babblers (Timaliid	lae)
Pin-striped Tit-Babbler	Mixornis gularis
Golden Babbler	Cyanoderma chrysaeum
Rufous-capped Babbler	Cyanoderma ruficeps
Rufous-throated Wren-Babbler	Spelaeornis caudatus
Black-crowned Scimitar Babbler	Pomatorhinus ferruginosus
Streak-breasted Scimitar Babbler	Pomatorhinus ruficollis
Sikkim Wedge-billed Babbler	Stachyris humei
Ground Babblers (Pellorneidae)	
Yellow-throated Fulvetta	Schoeniparus cinereus
Rufous-winged Fulvetta	Schoeniparus castaneceps
Buff-breasted Babbler	Pellorneum tickelli
Abbott's Babbler	Malacocincla abbotti
Laughingthrushes & Allies (Leiothric	
Striated Laughingthrush	Grammatoptila striata
Himalayan Cutia	Cutia nipalensis
Bhutan Laughingthrush	Trochalopteron imbricatum
Black-faced Laughingthrush	Trochalopteron affine
Chestnut-crowned Laughingthrush	Trochalopteron erythrocephalum
Long-tailed Sibia	Heterophasia picaoides
Beautiful Sibia	Heterophasia pulchella
Hoary-throated Barwing	Actinodura nipalensis
Streak-throated Barwing	Actinodura waldeni
Blue-winged Minla	Actinodura cyanouroptera
Bar-throated Minla	Actinodura strigula
Rusty-fronted Barwing	Actinodura egertoni
Silver-eared Mesia - EN	Leiothrix argentauris
Red-tailed Minla	Minla ignotincta
Red-faced Liocichla	Liocichla phoenicea
Jungle Babbler	Argya striata
White-crested Laughingthrush (H)	Garrulax leucolophus
Spotted Laughingthrush	Ianthocincla ocellata
White-throated Laughingthrush	Pterorhinus albogularis
Grey-sided Laughingthrush	Pterorhinus caerulatus
Goldcrests, Kinglets (Regulidae)	
Goldcrest (Reguldae)	Regulus regulus
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Elachura (Elachuridae)		
Spotted Elachura	Elachura formosa	
Wrens (Troglodytidae)		
Eurasian Wren	Troglodytes troglodytes	
Nuthatches (Sittidae)		
XX71 * *1 1 XX .1 . 1	Sitta formosa	
White-tailed Nuthatch	Sitta himalayensis	
Wallcreeper (Tichodromidae)		
Wallcreeper	Tichodroma muraria	
Treecreepers (Certhiidae)		
Rusty-flanked Treecreeper	Certhia nipalensis	
Sikkim Treecreeper	Certhia discolor	
Starlings, Rhabdornises (Sturnida		
Spot-winged Starling		
	Saroglossa spilopterus	
Great Myna	Acridotheres grandis	
Jungle Myna Bank Myna	Acridotheres fuscus Acridotheres ginginianus	
Common Myna	Acridotheres tristis	
Indian Pied Myna	Gracupica contra	
Chestnut-tailed Starling	Sturnia malabarica	
Chestilut-taned Starling		
Thrushes (Turdidae)		
Grandala	Grandala coelicolor	
Green Cochoa (H)	Cochoa viridis	
Long-tailed Thrush	Zoothera dixoni	
Grey-winged Blackbird	Turdus boulboul	
White-collared Blackbird	Turdus albocinctus	
Chats, Old World Flycatchers (Mu Oriental Magpie-Robin	Copsychus saularis	
Small Niltava	Niltava macgrigoriae	
Large Niltava	Niltava grandis	
Pale-chinned Flycatcher	Cyornis poliogenys	
Slaty-backed Forktail	Enicurus schistaceus	
Spotted Forktail	Enicurus senisticeus Enicurus maculatus	
Blue Whistling Thrush	Myophonus caeruleus	
Pygmy Flycatcher	Ficedula hodgsoni	
Rufous-gorgeted Flycatcher	Ficedula strophiata	
Little Pied Flycatcher	Ficedula westermanni	
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Crimson Sunbird Aethopyga siparaja	
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Russet Sparrow Passer cinnamomeus	
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House Sparrow Passer domesticus	
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Weavers, Widowbirds (Ploceidae)	
Finn's Weaver - ENPloceus megarhynchus	
Accentors (Prunellidae)	
Alpine Accentor Prunella collaris	
Rufous-breasted Accentor Prunella strophiata	
Wagtails, Pipits (Motacillidae)	
Eastern Yellow WagtailMotacilla tschutschensis	



Common name	Scientific name
Citrine Wagtail	Motacilla citreola
Grey Wagtail	Motacilla cinerea
White Wagtail	Motacilla alba
White-browed Wagtail	Motacilla maderaspatensis
Richard's Pipit	Anthus richardi
Paddyfield Pipit	Anthus rufulus
Olive-backed Pipit	Anthus hodgsoni
Rosy Pipit	Anthus roseatus
Finches, Euphonias (Fringillidae)	
Brown Bullfinch	Pyrrhula nipalensis
Red-headed Bullfinch	Pyrrhula erythrocephala
Grey-headed Bullfinch	Pyrrhula erythaca
Golden-naped Finch	Pyrrhoplectes epauletta
Dark-breasted Rosefinch	Procarduelis nipalensis
Plain Mountain Finch	Leucosticte nemoricola
Himalayan White-browed Rosefinch	Carpodacus thura
Red-fronted Rosefinch	Carpodacus puniceus
Crimson-browed Finch	Carpodacus subhimachalus
Yellow-breasted Greenfinch	Chloris spinoides
Tibetan Serin	Spinus thibetanus
Buntings (Emberizidae)	
Little Bunting	Emberiza pusilla
Total seen	333
Total heard only	9
Total recorded	342

# Mammal List – Following Mammalwatching.com (January 2024)

The following notation after species names is used to show conservation status following IUCN: EN = Endangered, VU = Vulnerable.

Common name	Scientific name	
Elephants (Elephantidae)		
Asian Elephant - EN	Elephas maximus	
Old World Monkeys (Cercopithecidae)		
Rhesus Macaque	Macaca mulatta	
Arunachal Macaque - EN	Macaca munzala	
Capped Langur - VU	Trachypithecus pileatus	



Common name	Scientific name
Squirrels (Sciuridae)	
Irrawaddy Squirrel	Callosciurus pygerythrus
Himalayan Striped Squirrel	Tamiops mcclellandii
Indian Palm Squirrel	Funambulus palmarum
Black Giant Squirrel	Ratufa bicolor
Bhutan Giant Flying Squirrel	Petaurista nobilis
Mustelids (Mustelidae)	
Yellow-throated Marten	Martes flavigula
Smooth-coated Otter - VU	Lutra perspicillata
Felids (Felidae)	
Marbled Cat	Pardofelis marmorata
Mongooses (Herpestidae)	
Small Indian Mongoose	Urva auropunctata
Rhinoceroses (Rhinocerotidae)	
Greater One-horned Rhinoceros - VU	Rhinoceros unicornis
Bovids (Bovidae)	
Domestic Yak - DO	Bos grunniens
Asian Wild Buffalo - EN	Bubalus arnee
Deer (Cervidae)	
Hog Deer - EN	Axis porcinus
Barasingha - VU	Rucervus duvaucelii
Sambar - VU	Rusa unicolor
Northern Red Muntjac	Muntiacus vaginalis
Suids (Suidae)	
Eurasian Wild Pig	Sus scrofa
Total seen	21

# **Reptile List – Following The Reptile Database and iNaturalist**

Common name	Scientific name
Pythons (Pythonidae)	
Burmese Python - VU	Python bivittatus
Total seen	1

