

# Thailand

**Custom Tour** 

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A lone bull Asiatic Elephant feeding by the roadside in Khao Yai NP (Charley Hesse)

Thailand is not only a safe, beautiful and fascinating country to visit, but with a wide variety of habitats easily accessible by good roads and within easy reach of comfortable lodges, it is also the perfect introduction to Asian birding. On this custom tour we concentrated on central and northwestern Thailand, racking up a bird list of over 400 species in just 17 days. An impressive total considering we didn't even bird the south of the country. We visited the world famous salt pans close to Bangkok where we saw the critically endangered Spoon-billed Sandpiper at 2 separate locations. At Khao Yai National Park we tracked down Siamese Fireback, Blue Pitta and had the added bonus of unbeatable views of Asiatic Elephants. We found the rare Baer's Pochard and countless other waterbirds at Bueng Boraphet, the largest lake in Thailand; and in the mountains of the northwest we saw numerous rare wintering birds and interesting Himalayan species. With very friendly people, delicious food, breathtaking scenery and unforgettable birdlife, Thailand is a difficult destination to beat.

Tropical Birding

#### 12<sup>th</sup> February – Bangkok area

The first day of the tour we spent in the Bangkok area. The morning birding and afternoon doing some sightseeing. We started our birding at the Mahachai Mangrove research station, one of the last mature stands of mangrove forest along the coast. After pulling off the highway we drove past an attractive temple where we had many **German's Swiftlet** flying overhead. These actually roost under the roof of the temple. On the road towards the research station we came across some ponds, the first of which had a **Little Cormorant** perched on a pole, **Brahminy Kites** and **Brown-headed Gulls** flying overhead, a lonely-looking **Common Greenshank** and a distant **Whiskered Tern** feeding over the water. Not a bad start. We approached a second pond and stopped quickly when somebody shouted "kingfisher!". In fact a very handsome **Black-capped Kingfisher**. We also got good views of a pair of **Yellow Bitterns**. We assumed that pair of black birds with long tails were Black Drongos but on closer inspection we found them to be **Racket-tailed Treepies**. Here we also added **White-breasted Waterhen, Greater Coucal** and a pair of **Streak-eared Bulbuls**. We entered the research station and explored the mangroves to find a pair of active **Pied Fantails**, many vocal **Golden-bellied Gerygones** singing their 'tuneless' song and a small flock of **Oriental White-eyes**. We explored further stands of mangroves and found a **Collared Kingfisher** but unfortunately no Mangrove Whistler.



Red-necked Stint flocks should always be checked for rarities (Charley Hesse)

We drove back towards Bangkok and stopped at the Khok Kham salt pans near Samut Sakhon. We had just started working our way through the shorebirds when a Thai man pulled up on a scooter. He said he knew of the whereabouts of **Spoon-billed Sandpiper** so without any argument, we followed him to his stake out. Ignoring all the other waders to begin with, he showed us exactly where one was. Unfortunately it was sleeping in a group of the common and very similar-looking **Red-necked Stints**. Finally it stood up and started preening to give us wonderful scope views. Once we were satisfied with our bird, we started looking at other species. There were many **Lesser Sand Plovers** with a few **Greater** mixed in. Also **Snowy & Pacific Golden Plovers, Great Knot, Marsh, Curlew & Broad-billed Sandpipers**, a **Little Tern** and even a **Yellow Wagtail** for good measure. On the way out, we saw the tiny yellow-legged **Temminck's Stint**. We headed straight back to Bangkok, and after lunch and a quick rest, we went sight-seeing in the centre. After getting a little stuck in traffic, we made it to Wat Pho and the largest reclining Buddha in the world. We even kick-started our mammal list with a **Variable Squirrel** running along a power line.

#### 13<sup>th</sup> February – Pak Thale to Kaeng Krachan

After one of the most impressive breakfast buffets I have ever seen, we left our hotel in Bangkok and drove straight to Pak Thale. Another famous shorebird site close to the city of Petchaburi. On the way we stoppod at a fresh-water pond where we saw Little Ringed Plover, Wood Sandpiper, Temminck's Stint and Yellow Wagtail. We neared the coast and entered an area of salt pans and started to see larger groups of

shorebirds. At one spot we saw **Brown-headed Gull, Bar-tailed Godwit, Great Knot** and **Spotted Redshank** along with **Caspian, Common** and **Little Terns**. Continuing along the road we had many birds on the overhead wires including **Red Collared-Dove, Collared Kingfisher, Green Bee-eater** and **Asian Pied Starling**. Before Pak Thale we noticed a concentration of larger birds including **Indian Cormorant,** several beautiful **Painted Storks** and the mega **Black-faced Spoonbill**. The latter is an endangered species and a particularly rare bird in Thailand. We finally made it to Pak Thale and started picking up a good variety of shorebirds including **Snowy Plover, Red-necked & Long-toed Stints** and yet another **Spoon-billed Sandpiper**. A very lucky find considering the tiny number of wintering individuals in the area. We carried on exploring the salt pans and worked through a group of larger shorebirds including **Black-tailed Godwit, Whimbrel, Eurasian & Far Eastern Curlews**. On a tip off, we headed further south to look for the very rare **Nordmann's Greenshank**. After chatting with more birders, we found the spot and found one mixed in with **Great Knot, Common Greenshank, Black-bellied Plover** and **Gull-billed Tern**. We even added **Zitting Cisticola** and **Yellow-bellied Prinia** in the vegetation by the salt pans.

After a productive morning, we stopped in Petchaburi for lunch and then a short visit to a temple adding **Long-tailed Macaque** to our mammal list. On to the Kaeng Krachan area where we would spend the next 2 days. On the way Ursula spotted some **Asian Openbills** in a flooded field. We pulled up to investigate and also found **Yellow & Cinnamon Bitterns**, **Red-wattled Lapwing**, an attractive male **Coppersmith Barbet** and even had a flyby of **Greater Painted-snipe**. When we arrived at our comfortable lodge just outside the national park we took a walk around the gardens, but in the heat of the early afternoon there were not too many birds, just an **Asian Brown Flycatcher** plus **Pallas's & Western Striped Squirrels**. After dinner we heard **Asian Barred Owlet** and **Large-tailed Nightjars** close but could not see them. We would have many more chances for these species.



Asian Openbills are commonly found in flooded fields (Charley Hesse)

#### 14<sup>th</sup> February – Kaeng Krachan

We had a very early start and drove into the national park in the dark. Today we were birding the upper part of Kaeng Krachan and we had to drive straight up as there were specific times to go up and come down. Our first stop was a lush forested area home to quite few target species. Straight away we found a pair of very vocal **Rufous-fronted Babblers** and then we had some real luck and saw a pair of nest-building **Long-tailed Broadbills** which we watched for quite a while. They came in every few minutes with more material while we waited with our cameras at the ready. On this first section we also found **Ashy Drongo**,

several Mountain Imperial-Pigeons and a Verditer Flycatcher. Many Himalayan Swiftlets and Forktailed Swifts flew overhead with an odd Asian Martin mixed in. We had a flyover of an enormous Great Hornbill and heard barbets calling everywhere although we only managed to see Blue-throated Barbet. We also found many mixed flocks along this stretch containing a variety of species including **Black-winged** Cuckooshrike, Black-crested, Ochraceous, Gray-eyed & Mountain Bulbuls, Blue-winged Leafbird, Yellow-bellied Warbler and Striped Tit-Babbler. A little further on we found a gorgeous male Blackthroated Sunbird, Streaked Spiderhunter, Fire-breasted Flowerpecker, Hair-crested Drongo and our first Dusky Langurs. A type of grey monkey with funny pink rings around their eyes. Close to the top we picked up our first raptors in the form of Black Eagle and Shikra. At top we had a great view of the whole area from the look out point and took plenty of scenery shots. Despite the late hour and heat of the day, there was a refreshing breeze and still plenty of bird activity. We had nice scope views of Great Barbet, a rather vocal Large Woodshrike and a distant Oriental Honey-buzzard. We sat down to enjoy our packed lunches and had scope views of a handsome female Blue Rock Thrush while we ate. Next we went looking for the Ratchet-tailed Treepie on the Orchid trail but it was very quiet still. Robert did spot a family of distant White-handed Gibbons before we went back to the restaurant where the driver pointed out some Yellow-throated Martens behind the kitchen at the outflow pipe.



Yellow-throated Martins are normally a difficult animal to see (Charley Hesse)

After lunch we drove along the ridge and had a rather out of place **Red-wattled Lapwing** running in front of the car in the middle of the forest. We went right down to the waterfall trail where we walked down, finding a great fruiting tree with **Wreathed Hornbill**, **Moustached Barbet** and several **Asian Fairy Bluebirds**. We were now allowed to make our way down to the entrance road. On the way back down we saw a **Grey Treepie** and then found a flowering tree with many **Vernal Hanging Parrots** and a **Thick-billed Flowerpecker**. We saw a pair of **Little Cuckoo Doves** flyby, then a tree full of **Wedge-tailed Pigeons** and even a brief view of a **Binturong** that had also come in to feed on the fruits. Lower down we flushed a huge **Crested Serpent Eagle** from its roadside perch and a pair of **Red Jungle-Fowl** from the side of the road. With the latter it is best only to count those away from human habitation as these ones were. The driver who had found quite a few nice birds for us during the day spotted a **Orange-breasted Trogon** which we all got views of. The diversity of this place just didn't seem to let up and we kept adding more and more species. **Chestnut headed Bee-eater**, **Stripe-throated Bulbul**, **White-browed Scimitar-Babbler**, **Blue-eared Barbet** and a flock of **Brown-rumped Minivets**. It was getting dark by the time we left the park and we saw a **Large-tailed Nightjar** flying in front of the car on the way back. We arrived back at the lodge the same way we had left, in the dark after a very productive day.

#### 15<sup>th</sup> February – Kaeng Krachan to Bangkok

This morning we were birding the lower part of the park and even before we had left we saw Asian Barred Owlet and Oriental Pied Hornbill in the gardens of the lodge. On the drive in we saw many of the same species as yesterday but added plenty of new ones like Golden-crested & Hill Mynas in the top of a tall dead tree, a distant pair of **Dollarbirds** and great scope views of a **Blue-eared Barbet**. We parked in the stream area and started to walk. We found a flock with Sulphur-breasted Warbler and Sultan Tit before continuing on to the site of a Rusty-cheeked Hornbill nest. We heard the birds calling very loudly and saw them flying away but not great views. The consolation was excellent views of Chestnut-breasted Malkoha and Black Giant Squirrel. Further on in a small gully we spotted a delightful Silver-breasted Broadbill and got some nice photos. Other birds in his section were Rosy Minivet, another Orange-breasted Trogon and a pretty male Blue-throated Flycatcher. We heard a Blue Pitta and went inside to chase it but it eluded us. Just before heading back to the lodge for lunch we met up with another group of birders to exchange information and together saw a mixed flock containing Grey-headed & Asian Paradise-Flycatchers. We also heard the distinctive call of a Banded Broadbill but despite our efforts we failed to locate it. Driving out of the park we got our mammal of the day, the interesting Stump-tail Macaque. With their long scraggy hair and deep pink faces they looked for all intents and purposes like a bunch of sunburnt hippies. On our way out back we added Ashy Woodswallow and Red-rumped Swallow before arriving for lunch back at the lodge.



Silver-beasted Broadbill is a fairly common but easily missed bird at Kaeng Krachan (Charley Hesse)

In the heat of the day, many birds were coming in to the bird bath to drink and bathe. During lunch we saw Lesser Necklaced Laughingthrush, Puff-throated Babbler, Blue Whistling Thrush, White-rumped Shama, Black-naped Monarch, Sooty-headed & Stripe-throated Bulbuls and Golden-fronted Leafbird. We checked out and made our way slowly back to Bangkok with a few birding stops on the way to pick up more open country species such as White-throated Kingfisher, Green Bee-eater, Indian Roller and Asian Openbill.

### 16<sup>th</sup> February – Bangkok to Khao Yai

After another impressive breakfast buffet we headed north towards the amazing Khao Yai National Park stopping at Rangsit Marsh marsh on the way. This once extensive wetland is now a shadow of its former glory but still hosts a number of interesting birds associated with reed beds and flooded rice fields. Winding in and out of the narrow streets we got into more open scrub and fields and found our first small ponds and ditches. Straight away we saw **Yellow Bittern**, a fly over of **Asian Openbill** and a **White-breasted** 

Waterhen on the edge of a pond. On a open patch of mud behind some houses we saw a Little Ringed Plover and a Yellow Wagtail. We continued to explore the narrow roads and found a colourful pair of Blue-tailed Bee-eaters, a Common lora in a low bush and plenty of the very common and vocal Plain Prinias. We tried a bit of pishing in the reed beds and brought out the skulking Black-browed Reed- and Thick-billed Warblers. A female Siberian Stonechat perched up on top of some long grass, we had nice scope views of a pair of Brown-throated Sunbirds in a distant tree and saw a good number of Baya Weavers but sadly no breeding plumaged males.



Pig-tailed Macaques have become very accustomed to people at Khao Yai (Charley Hesse)

Having added nicely to our trip list we joined the tail end of rush hour traffic and then broke free heading north towards Khao Yai National Park where we would spend the next 3 nights. After checking in to the comfortable Juldis Resort, we dumped our bags, had a guick lunch and headed straight for the park. At the first view point we had good activity despite the time of day. Here we had great views of a Green-eared Barbet and other species like Brown-rumped Minivet, Golden-fronted Leafbird and a Dark-necked Tailorbird. In the car park of the view point we saw our first Pig-tailed Macaques. A big group with lots of juveniles waiting patiently for scraps. Unfortunately the macagues have become very accustomed to hand outs and as always happens, they have become very badly behaved. A little further along we had a quick jaunt down the Wang Jampee trail and true to form, it had a nice flock waiting for us with **Black-winged** Cuckooshrike, Blue-winged Leafbird and White-bellied Yuhina. We drove on and passed the reservoir and saw an Osprey fly by. Quite an unusual bird in the park. I decided to spend the afternoon on a trail where I had seen Coral-billed Ground-Cuckoo but it is always a long shot. We didn't luck upon one but did see some other great birds like Laced Woodpecker, White-crested Laughingthrush and White-browed Scimitar-Babbler. The bird of the afternoon however was a wonderful Blue Pitta. We hear it calling from the trail and we crept slowly into the dense tangly forest to try and track it down. Luckily there was something of a view of the ground and when we got close enough, we tried the tape and we spotted a movement and most of us had fine views of a male. In the late afternoon we took a walk along the trail to the wildlife watch tower. We had flybys of Mountain Imperial-Pigeons, Red-whiskered Bulbul and Hill Myna but all we saw from the tower itself was a large Water Monitor snaking menacingly through the lake below. We decided to get our night drive out of the way today but might as well not have bothered as all we saw were Sambar Deer and Red Muntjak both of which we had seen during day. It had been a long day and we had a delicious and well-deserved Thai meal in the restaurant.

#### 17<sup>th</sup> February –Khao Yai

We decided to spend our first morning in the park looking for pheasants. They often come out onto the roads in the early morning and we arrived at a nice stetch and drove slowly to see if anything came out. Our hearts jumped after a short while when we saw something in the road but were a little disappointed to see it was just a pair of **Red Junglefowl**. A little further along we saw something else and this time we caught a glimpse of a **Siamese Fireback** before it disappeared into the roadside vegetation. We pulled up and waited some distance away and sure enough a pair reappeared for great scope views. We drove to the top of the road where we had fine views from the upper view point but unfortunately no birds. The lower viewpoint was supposed to be closed for reconstruction but it was obvious that everyone climbed through a hole in the fence. We followed suit and got to the stunning viewpoint where we saw **Crested Goshawk** and **Brown-backed Needletail**. On the way back up a **White-browed Shrike-Babbler** kept us busy trying to spot it in the top of a tree. Our necks got so sore that we were actually driven to laying on our backs to get good views of it. Following another tip off from local birders, we headed to a specific cabin outside which were supposed to be a couple of interesting birds. The first of which was the **White-throated Rock Thrush** which we found straight away. Next a stunning male **Mugimaki Flycatcher** which came in very close giving great if somewhat brief views.



The Thai birding grape-vine helped us find this handsome White-throated Rock-Thrush (Charley Hesse)

Before lunch we headed down the famous Trail 6 and saw a pair of **Red-headed Trogons** after much effort and also a flock of noisy **Puff-throated Bulbuls** and an **Abbott's Babbler**. Lunch is always a fun encounter at the cafeteria in Khao Yai and involves a lot of pointing and asking about how spicy various dishes were. After lunch we went to a spot for the surprisingly uncommon **Plain-backed Sparrow** and then on to the Pa Gluay Mai Campsite. Often a hotbed of target bird activity. We checked a spot for the Rufoustailed Robin at a water outlet behind the toilet block which we had been told about but all we saw was a **Radde's Warbler**. Considering Thailand is such a beautiful country, you often find yourself birding in surprisingly unpicturesque places. We drove on to the upper waterfall and saw a gorgeous **Sultan Tit** on the way. Good birds have been seen around the waterfall itself but it is such a popular tourist destination, there almost always seem to be plenty of noisy non-birders to scare them away. We walked down a nice trail from here along the river. After quite a long walk, all we saw were a **Gray Wagtail** and a **Blue Whistling Thrush**. On the drive back though, we really struck gold. There seemed to be a bit of a traffic jam in the road and looking ahead we saw why. An adult bull **Asiatic Elephant** chewing on braches right in the middle of the road. We manoeuvred ourselved into position to get a good view and started following the other's example and took lots of pictures. We stopped at the campsite again and took a walk around. Bird activity had picked up considerably and we saw Vernal Hanging Parrot, Yellow-vented & Fire-breasted Flowerpeckers and Chestnut-flanked White-eye in a flowering tree and nearby a young Asian Emerald Cuckoo, Black-winged Cuckooshrike, Blue Rock Thrush and some Hill Mynas. Quite a haul. On the drive out we saw a large group of Pig-tailed Macaques.



Hainan Blue Flycatcher has a beautiful song that matches its looks (Charley Hesse)

#### 18<sup>th</sup> February – Khao Yai

We started the day with the beautiful Indian Roller in the garden before we left. We drove straight to the first viewpoint where we found a good mixed flock with Scarlet Minivet, Bar-winged Flycatcher-shrike and a lovely male **Black-naped Monarch**. We aso got our first **Green-billed Malkoha**. Walking along the road a little we got to another spot where we had scope views of a Greater Flameback and the incomparable **Great Hornbill**. Khao Yai is popular with regular tourists aswell as birders and it always pays to stop and check what they are looking at. We came acress such a backpackers tour and they helped us get on a group of White-handed Gibbons. They were feeding on a huge fig tree where we also saw Thick-billed Pigeon and Great & Oriental Pied Hornbills. We went straight up to the Pa Gluay May camp site as we had received a rumour about Coral-billed Ground-Cuckoo coming into feed on meal worms put out by photographers. It was far from regular but too good an opportunity to miss. We found their photographic blind and they kindly allowed us in to wait with them. We gave it about 30 minutes but no ground cuckoo. We did however get good views of Radde's Warbler, Puff-throated Babbler and a stunning male Siberian Blue Robin. Next we took a walk along the river trail where we saw Greater Flameback and Black-winged Cuckooshrike and then back to the car park where we added a confiding male Hainan Blue Flycatcher. We went down another short trail where the ground-cuckoo has been seen before but all we had was a large group of **Pig-tailed Macagues**. It was late morning by now and we were in no rush to go anywhere else so we relaxed in the shade to watch the monkeys playing in the river. They splashed and jumped and even swam backwards and forwards obviously having a wail of a time. It was almost midday and hot, but we tried just one more trail. This time the Nature Trail near the HQ. I didn't have high hopes but it surpassed all expectations and with 3 species of woodpecker. Namely Greater Flameback, Lesser Yellownape and Black-and-buff Woodpecker along with Abbott's Babbler, Whitecrested Laughingthrush, Greater Racket-tailed Drongo and several Green Magpies.

After lunch we headed to the Km33 trail and into mature forest. This is always a difficult trail to bird but often provides a few surprises. It was dead quiet at first but we finally found a cryptic **Yellow-streaked Warbler** hopping around in the undergrowth and further along in a clearing we spotted a distant pair of

**Dollarbirds** high up in a tree. We tried yet another trail which despite the early afternoon heat produced some nice birds including **White-crested Laughingthrush**, **Green Magpie**, **Red-headed Trogon** and even **Silver-breasted Broadbill**, many of which were heard but we finally managed to catch a glimpse of this delightful bird. Late in the afternoon we went to one of the reservoirs to watch **Brown-backed & Silver-backed Needletails** circling down to drink. They looked almost like 2<sup>nd</sup> world war aircraft on bombing runs. When they circled low over the water, it was the only time you could get to see their backs. The best distinguishing feature to separate these 2. It was now getting towards dusk and on the way out we had another strange traffic jam, this one much bigger. This time it was not a single Asiatic Elephant but a large herd numbering 27 animals come in to the salt lick by the side of the road. We saw several small groups running backwards and forwards, trumpeting. It was sheer elephant mayhem and we were so lucky to have caught it. After things had calmed down a little we drove out stopping briefly at a stake out for **Great Eared-Nightjar**. We were feeling rather lucky and proud of ourselves for all we had seen.

#### 19<sup>th</sup> February – Khao Yai to Bueng Boraphet

Even though we had spent 3 days at Khao Yai, we still hadn't birded the wonderful gardens of the Juldis Resort yet. We entered the garden after breakfast and started looking for our main target, the **Red-breasted Parakeet**. We walked around listening and scanning the top bare branches of the trees where they are often seen in the morning, and soon enough we spotted a pair and had distant scope views. We walked closer to get better views and spotted a pair of **Asian Barred Owlets** sat just below them. The gardens resounded to the calls of **Lineated & Coppersmith Barbets**, the former new for the trip. Having found our main targets we carried on birding a little to see what else we could find. A surprise **Ashy Minivet** was totally unexpected and **Grey-headed Flycatcher**, **Black-naped Oriole** and a pair of **White-rumped Munias** were also nice additions to the list. We were not going to add too much else here so we checked out and started our drive to the city of Nakhon Sawan about 3 hours away.



The distinctive grey-headed form of Purple Swamphen is sometimes considered a separate species (Charley Hesse)

After check in, we had lunch and drove straight out to the Bueng Boraphet birdwatching park to check on a boat for tomorrow. Whilst we were here we took a short walk around the lakeside trails and found Asian **Openbill, Eastern Marsh Harrier,** many **Purple Swamphens** and more skulking **Black-browed** & **Oriental Reed Warblers**. We would be back here tomorrow morning though and once we had the boat organized, we drove to north of the lake where there is a fisheries institute with a crocodile pool. This was a great place for **Asian Golden Weaver** but the vegetation around the enclosure had beed cleared. We watched for a while though and sure enough some weavers flew up into a tree giving scope views. **Darter**,

Purple Heron and Intermediate Egret were easily seen along the water's edge and taking a walk around the pool we spotted more interesting species like Pink-necked Pigeon, Black-capped Kingfisher, Bluetailed Bee-eater and even a pair of Fulvous-breasted Woodpeckers. We also saw many Dusky Warblers, some very vocal Brown-throated Sunbirds and a stunning male Scarlet-backed Flowerpecker. It was quite productive place. On the drive out we stopped at a public toilet surrounded by open woodland and found a lovely male Black-naped Monarch and on a muddy pond edge nearby our first White Wagtail. The last stop was a beach next to the lake. Normally very quiet, today it was heaving with people. Crowd of people gave us curious looks as we scanned across to a nearby island where we saw Glossy Ibis, Lesser Whistling-Duck and also had a flyby of a Pied Kingfisher.



Cotton Pygmy-Geese are seen in large numbers on the lake (Charley Hesse)

### 20<sup>th</sup> February – Bueng Boraphet

Today was our long awaited boat trip on Bueng Boraphet, Thailand's largest freshwater lake. Leaving the hotel in the morning we started the day off well by spotting a Shikra in some distant trees. We drove straight out to the lake where our boatman was waiting for us. On way out, we passed through a lot of floating vegetation and here we saw Yellow Bittern, Asian Openbill, large numbers of Lesser Whistlingducks & Purple Swamphens, both Pheasant-tailed and the less common Bronze-winged Jacana, Common Kingfisher, Long-tailed Shrike and Oriental Reed Warbler. Scanning the edge of the aquatic vegetation I spotted a Common Snipe sitting very still. I got it in the scope and showed the others but it was so well camouflaged they couldn't make it out. When we got closer it flushed and finally they realised where it had been. We moved out of the aquatic vegetation and into the open water which held different birds. Here we had **Darter**, Eurasian Coot, large numbers of delightful Cotton Pygmy-Geese, a single Black Kite flying high above the lake and a few Bank Swallows mixed in with the thousands of Barn Swallows. Unsurprisingly we did not see any White-eyed River-Martins. Almost certainly extinct now, this endemic species was last seen in 1980. We got off the boat at a site for the Siberian Rubythroat and as soon as we did, we spotted a Striated Grassbird, the largest warbler in the world. We went to the exact spot for the rubythroat and sure enough there it was. Despite being very skulking it seemed guite confiding until it became apparent that it had become accustomed to being fed mealworms by Thai photographers. Our boatman even had his own stash which he brough out for us to use.

The driver had been pointing at pictures of **Ruddy Shelduck**, a rarity in Thailand. I assumed that there would be only 1 but when we reached the site, we found a total of 15 and had great scope views. Next he took us to some muddy flieds visable from a channel in the lake. Here we saw a good selection of waterbirds including **Black-winged Stilt**, Little Ringed & Snowy Plovers, Marsh, Wood & Curlew

Sandpipers, Common Greenshank, Temminck's & Long-toed Stints, Glossy Ibis and Yellow Wagtail. It was time to start heading back but the boatman started pointing at pictures of the rare **Baer's Pochard** in the bird book and then pointed to his watch. He could show us it but we would have to pay extra. He hadn't mentioned this bird before but used it to extend the trip a little. I had planned for this eventuality and didn't mind paying the extra for such a great bird. You had to admire his entrepreneurship. True to his word, he found us a pair of Baer's Pochard along with Tufted Duck and Common Pochard in a small group. Just after we had all had good scope views, a long-tailed fishing boat came along and flushed them. We had been very lucky to see them. On the way back we saw large flock of Garganey in flight but it was definitely BVD. Better View Desired. We finished our boat trip after a very pleasant and productive morning. Before lunch we took a walk around the Nature trail seeing Cinnamon Bittern, Common lora, Black-capped Kingfisher and Blue-tailed Bee-eater. The low point of the morning however was finding 2 Whitebreasted Waterhens that had been purposefully trapped by locals (inside the so-called 'Birdwatching Park'!) using bait and hooks. The birds were bleeding profusely from their mouth but we managed to cut them free and release them. We were very angry to see this kind of thing going on inside a strict no-hunting zone. Birdwatching & photography are rapidly gaining popularity but conservation still has some way to go in this country. After a lunch made by the wife of the boatman, we started our long drive to the north of Thailand. It was dark by the time we reached Doi Inthanon where we would start our next stage of the trip.



Chestnut-tailed Minla is also sometimes known as Bar-throated Minla (Charley Hesse)

#### 21<sup>st</sup> February – Doi Inthanon

The birds in the mountains of the north west of Thailand are guite different from the rest of the country and we expected quite a few new birds today. Doi Inthanon is one of the top birding sites in the country and many species are more easily seen here than anywhere else in the country. We started our birding at an upper viewpoint which has been very productive in previous years. Here we had a brief flyby of Ashy Wood Pigeons and also good views of Asian Emerald Cuckoo, Stripe-breasted Woodpecker, many colourful Short-billed & Gray-chinned Minivets, Flavescent Bulbul, Chestnut-crowned Laughingthrush, Maroon Oriole, Bronzed & Lesser Racket-tailed Drongos and Verditer Flycatcher. Not a bad start. From here we drove straight up to the summit, and on the way picked up Asian Martin and Grey Bushchat. The summit is one of the most important sites in the park for our targets and luckily it is not too difficult to find them. We started with a short climb from the car park to the 'Highest Place in Thailand'. A short trail up some steps to a big sign where tourists love to have their picture taken. We soon found our first summit birds in the form of Dark-backed Sibia and Chestnut-tailed Minla. We walked down and onto the Ang Ka nature trail, the main birding spot at the summit. Straight away we found a beautiful Red-flanked Bluetail which was very confiding. Also our first Phylloscopus warblers in the form of Orange**barred** & Ashy-throated Warblers, both fairly common here. At the beginning of the boardwalk is a good spot for White-browed Shortwing, and sure enough, there it was singing away. We reached a clearing with some nice flowering trees where we had great views of both male Gould's & Green-tailed Sunbirds. It was difficult to say which of these birds is more beautiful but the Green-tailed is even more special as the subspecies is found only here and bears the name of the Ang Ka trail, *ankaensis*. We continued on the loop trail, adding Rufous-winged Fulvetta and Yellow-bellied Fantail on the way. We made our way back down the mountain to the famous Jeep trail, home to some of the most difficult target species in the park. I warned the clients that this trail can be a little quiet in the late morning but we were surprised to find quite a bit of activity still. We had a lovely little Slaty-bellied Tesia singing and we had nice views of this normally tricky skulker. Large Niltavas were calling everywhere and before long we got good views of this species too. I wasn't confident of being able to find the Pygmy Wren-Babbler when we heard it calling nearby, but we stuck our heads into the undergrowth and soon saw this diminutive bird hopping along the ground looking very much like a black ping-pong ball. On leaving the forest we also had a decent flock with flock Black-eared & Chestnut-fronted Shrike-Babblers, Rufous-winged & Grey-cheeked Fulvettas and Yellow-cheeked Tit.



Dark-sided Thrush is easily seen at Mr Daeng's Restaurant (Charley Hesse)

For lunch we went to Mr Daeng's restaurant, a legend in Thai birding. This is where all the birders hang out and it is a great place to exchange information and read their sightings book. He also has a balcony with a waterpipe and a food pipe leading to the forest floor below. This is probably the easiest place to see the rare Dark-sided Thrush. Joining it today were Blue Whistling Thrush, Hill Blue Flycatcher and even a Northern Treeshrew coming into feed on scraps of rice. After lunch we went looking for forktails in a small stream nearby. We didn't find any but did chance upon Black and White-headed Bulbuls, both uncommon birds on Doi Inthanon. Next we moved on to the Siriphun waterfall and lovely Royal Gardens where we found **Plumbeous Redstart** easily aswell as **Hill Prinia** on the edge of the car park. Near the park campsite is a well-known stake out for Black-tailed Crake. Most days it can be seen emerging from the long grass in the late afternoon but we waited for half an hour with no results. On a small pond nearby we did pick up Common Kingfisher and in the roadside forest found Ashy Bulbul and Drongo. On our way down out of the park we stopped at the spectacular Watchirathan Waterfall. Good birds can be seen here but are usually scared away by noisy local tourists who ignore the signs and splash about in the river. Today it was unusually quiet and thanks to this we saw some nice birds. Looking across to the main waterfall itself, we spotted the gorgeous White-capped Water-Redstart along with Gray Wagtail and Blue Whistling Thrush. From here we followed the trail along the river and heard the distinctive call of Slatybacked Forktail. We watched the river below and after a few minutes one popped out from behind a boulder and gave great scope views. Our last birding of the day was a spot near hotel where there was a pre-roosting site for Blossom-headed Parakeets. We parked the vehicle and started to walk along the

track and found several birds almost immediately. We carried along the track through open forest and farmland to find a few more species such as **Pied Bushchat**, **Plain Flowerpecker** and a surprise **Burmese Shrike**. It had been a very productive day but we had plenty still to look for in the next few days.

#### 22<sup>nd</sup> February – Doi Inthanon

Today we started birding on the km34.5 track and straight away had a great flock with Long-tailed, Shortbilled & Gray-chinned Minivets, Silver-eared Mesia, Spectacled Barwing, Blue-winged Minla and Rufous-backed Sibia. Making our way up the steep hill we saw a large, Changeable Hawk Eagle disappearing behind a hill. The track flattened off and went through good quality forest where we saw Hill Blue Flycatcher, Yellow-cheeked Tit and the uncommon White-necked Laughingthrush. We passed through an area of pine trees where we finally saw Golden-throated Barbet which calls incessantly here but can be very tricky to see. Olive-backed Pipits were common here and we also found Little Pied Flycatcher and Chestnut-vented Nuthatch. In the last patch of forest we saw Asian Emerald Cuckoo and Rufous-bellied Niltava before entering an open area which is always good for Russet Bush Warbler. Indeed as soon as I put in the call in responded and hopped onto an open branch and started singing its little heart out. A good deal easier than on previous trips. Again we birded the Jeep trail in the late morning and again had quite a few nice birds. We heard many Large Niltavas but this time also a Small Niltava in addition. This is much less common than Large and finally came in to give good views. Other good birds along this trail were White-throated Fantail, Grey-headed Flycatcher and in a patch of bamboo at the end, Mountain Tailorbird and Golden Babbler.



Golden-throated Barbets are common but can be very tricky to see (Charley Hesse)

Of course we had lunch again at Mr Daeng's and a walk in the gardens afterwards produced **Oriental Honey-buzzard, House Swift** and a lovely male **Black-throated Sunbird**. We had some time to kill this afternoon as we were planning to stay out until dark looking for nightbirds. We did a bit of exploring and checked out a lower trail which went through some forest, scrub and farmland. Here we had **Eurasian Buzzard, Sooty-headed Bulbul, Siberian Stonechat, Pied Bushchat**, a big flock of **White-rumped Munias, Oriental White-eye** and even a **Northern Treeshrew**. We decided to give the **Black-tailed Crake** one more chance and went a bit later. This made all the difference and just a few minutes after entering the hide, it came walking out onto the short grass in full view, bobbing its tail and walking with its characteristically jerky gait. We gave the Jeep trail one more chance in the hope for a cochoa but all we found were **Rufous-winged Fulvettas & Dark-backed Sibia**. Just before dark we went along another trail looking for Hodgson's Frogmouth but all we heard was a **Mountain Scops-Owl**. Another very long but productive day.

#### 23<sup>rd</sup> February – Doi Inthanon to Doi Chiang Dao

It was our final morning's birding in the national park and the only place left unbirded was the dry forest near the entrance. After parking the car, we walked across a stone bridge and looked very carefully for Black-backed Forktail but only saw yet another Gray Wagtail. We started up the steep road at the same time as another birding group. The more eyes the better. Before long we heard the loud call of a woodpecker ahead and spotted a bird climbing up a trunk right next to the road. It was a Black-headed Woodpecker, one of the main targets for the morning. This track is especially good for woodpeckers and we also added the tiny Gray-capped Woodpecker and a Greater Flameback further on. Another wellrepresented group are the raptors and we picked up Black Baza, Oriental Honey-buzzard & Shikra. The last main target however though was the Collared Falconet, a pint-sized bird of prey. Further on, the other birding group had stopped ahead of us and were looking up in the trees. As we approached we heard the distinctive high-pitched call of the falconet and our group managed to spot them first high up in a tree. As soon as we saw them, they took off and perched way in the distance, just close enough to give reasonable scope views. Having found our target we turned around and started to make our way back, finding a flock with Chestnut-bellied Nuthatch, Scarlet Minivet and Black-naped Monarch aswell as other birds such as the all dark **Purple Sunbird** and a **Eurasian Jay**, looking very different from the ones seen in Europe. On the way back to the hotel we stopped by some rice fields where we looked for and found several Greyheaded Lapwings. An uncommon bird in Thailand. Back in the hotel garden, as we loaded our bags in the vehicle, we saw Rufous Treepie and another Indian Roller before we left.



An alledgedly wild Silver Pheasant (Charley Hesse)

We left Doi Inthanon for Chiang Mai and onto Doi Chiang Dao making a hasty stop on the way when a stunning pair of **Blue Magpies** flew across the road. After a late lunch at our hotel at Doi Chiang Dao, we visited the peaceful Wat Tam Pah Plong where we spent the late afternoon birding the temple steps. It was fairly quiet and we only saw **White-throated Fantail** on the way up, but at the top the view was magnificent and the upper part of the temple served as a wonderful canopy platform from which we saw **Mountain Imperial-Pigeon**, **Himalayan Swiftlet**, **Greater Yellownape**, **Black-crested & Black Bulbuls**. The undoubted highlight though was getting attacked by a wild male **Silver Pheasant** which has taken to hanging around the temple and molesting visitors. It was ridiculously tame but we were assured that it was in fact a wild bird that had become habituated to people. Going down the 500 steps was certainly a lot easier than going up although we had to watch our footing in the dark looking for owls.

#### 24<sup>th</sup> February – Doi Chiang Dao

Today we had a driver taking us up in a 4x4 to the upper area of Doi Chiang Dao known as the Den Ya Kat. The 2 main targets for the day were the Giant Nuthatch and Hume's Pheasant although the latter has not been reliable there for some time. We needed to get up there early as the pheasants sometimes come out of the forest and can be found along the side of the road. We left in the dark and drove straight up to a firebreak trail where the birding was excellent. **Blue-throated Barbets** were calling and we had a nice scope view of one in the top of a tree. Other birds seen in this area were **Gray-capped Woodpecker**, **Olive-backed Pipit**, **Large & Indochinese Cuckooshrikes**, **Black-naped Monarch**, **White-crested Laughingthrush**, **White-browed Shrike-Babbler** and **Great Tit**. We still hadn't seen our main target though, the **Giant Nuthatch**. They are often found in the older pine trees and finally we had one responding. It stayed where it was high up in the tree and we all had fine views of this interesting bird. Back at the junction where we had left the car we saw **Crested Treeswift** and also a bright red male **Shortbilled Minivet**. We drove up the last steep section of the road until it flattened out. From here it was not too far to the sub-station so we decided to walk. Along here we had some very nice birds like Lesser **Yellownape**, our first **Orange-bellied Leafbird**, **Blyth's Leaf-Warbler**, **Little Pied**, **Hill Blue** and **Greyheaded Flycatchers**, **Puff-throated & Golden Babblers** and **Large Woodshrike**.



A male Little Pied Flycatcher (Charley Hesse)

We reached Den Ya Kat and met up with a Canadian birder we had bumped into a few times and exchanged information. Before lunch we had a quick walk around the camp seeing **Hoopoe**, **Flavescent** & **Black Bulbuls**, **Hill Prinia**, **Grey Bushchat** and **Velvet fronted Nuthatch**. We enjoyed our tasty packed lunch from the lodge before taking another short walk along another trail where we saw both **Burmese** & **Grey-backed Shrikes**. Several small creeks on the way down were good for **White-crowned Forktail** and the best way to locate them was to listen out for their high pitched calls. When we heard one we stopped and and got decent views of a bird that flicked repeatedly into view. We had a lot of early starts recently so took the opportunity to take a rest in the afternoon and recharge out batteries.

#### 25<sup>th</sup> February – Doi Ang Khang

Having missed Hume's Pheasant at Den Ya Kat yesterday we left very early for spot on the way to Doi Ang Kang where we would spend the next 2 nights. Despite our efforts and getting there nice and early, there was no sign. We would have another chance tomorrow morning. We did find a bit of action in one area of open forest and scrub where we found **Siberian Stonechat**, **Grey Bushchat**, **Blue Magpie** and a very noisy flock of **White-browed Laughingthrushes**, a new bird for the trip. It was still too early for check in so

we started our Doi Ang Khang birding with a vengeance. First to the Mae Per trail where despite having done exceedingly well in the north already, there were still a few possible birds to add. We had been hearing **Banded Bay Cuckoos** for days but we finally caught a glimpse of one in flight. One of the best birds of the morning was a pair of mating **Speckled Piculets** but we also found many flocks and picked up a large variety of species including **Mountain Tailorbird**, **Hume's Leaf-Warbler**, **Chestnut-crowned Warbler**, **Silver-eared Mesia**, **Yellow-cheeked Tit**, **Gould's & Black-throated Sunbirds**, **Japanese White-eye**, **Maroon Oriole** and **Lesser Racket-tailed Drongo**. Next we went on to the Royal Project. An extensive area of fruit and vegetable gardens mixed in with a few patches of of remnant natural habitat. First we visited the rock garden. Lower down it was very manicured but as we climbed higher up the huge limestone outcrop it reverted to dense tangles and large native trees. We saw **House Swift**, several **Olive-backed Pipits**, **Eyebrowed Thrush** and **Verditer & Pale Blue Flycatchers** here but we missed out main target, the Limestone Wren-Babbler. On to the Nature trail which led down into a bamboo dominated forest. **Hill Blue Flycatchers** were common here and we also picked up a nice male **Asian Paradise-Flycatcher**. The big surprise here though was our earlier miss, the Limestone Wren-Babbler. We spotted some movement and when we got the bird in our bins we saw the characteristic buffy streaking on its back.



True to its name, the Limestone Wren-Babbler frequents limestone boulders (Charley Hesse).

We were going to have lunch at the Royal Project restaurant but before that we quickly checked the waste water pipe that came out the back of the building. A spot very famous with Thai birders for wintering thrushes coming into eat little bits of rice and other scraps that were washed out. I just saw another **Blue Whistling Thrush** but Robert spotted something else on the ground hiding behind some grass. He described where it was and we found it to be a **Scaly Thrush**. A while later we got on another movement to find a young male **Black-breasted Thrush**. Not a bad haul for the morning. The food was excellent but very spicy at the restaurant and made mostly from vegetables grown here. We checked in at the comfortable Ang Khang Nature Resort and had some time to relax before going to check another trail a few kms out of town. It wasn't quite as productive as it had been in the past but we still had quite a few interesting birds, including **Striated Bulbul, Ashy & Bronzed Drongos, Grey-headed Flycatcher, Chestnut-crowned Laughingthrush** and **White-browed Shrike-Babbler**. The main target here though was the **Red-faced Liocichla** which although always present is a mega skulker and managed to avoid revealing itself on several occasions. We called it a day and went back for some delicious northern Thai cuisine at our hotel.

#### 26<sup>th</sup> February – Doi Ang Khang

We hit the Hume's Pheasant spot again. We wanted to make sure we were not late so arrived in the dark. I had heard talk of Hodgson's Frogmouth in the area and sure enough when we tried the call we had a distant response but it didn't come in. We did see a Large-tailed Nightjar sat on a road side post though. We drove backwards and forwards along the possible stretches of road but no luck. When a pair of Red Junglefowl crossed the road, our hearts skipped a beat. There was more good birding here though and we picked up Bay Woodpecker, Rusty-cheeked & White-browed Scimitar-Babblers, Brown-breasted Bulbul and Rufescent Prinia. Many of which were new. We returned to the km 21 trail but were a bit disappointed as it was fairly quiet. We saw White-throated Fantail, Rusty-cheeked Scimitar-Babbler, Golden Babbler, Blue-winged Minla, Dark-backed Sibia, Striated Bulbul, Mountain Tailorbird, Chestnut-vented Nuthatch and even some kind of views of Red-faced Liocichla but not great. We still had some time to play with in the morning and went to look at the viewpoint near town and at the Thai-Myanmar border but the only interesting birds we saw a flock of Fork-tailed Swifts flying high up in the air. We had a nice Thai lunch and rest back at the hotel before heading out to a trail through farmland. Here we saw Radde's Warbler, Brown-breasted Bulbul, a fly over of Eurasian Sparrowhawk, White-browed Laughingthrush, Burmese & Long-tailed Shrikes and the real surprise of the afternoon, a pair of Crested Finchbills. Rare in the area. We had done a little too well so far and it was now getting more and more difficult to pick up new birds.



Red-faced Liocichla is the ultimate skulker (Charley Hesse)

#### 27<sup>th</sup> February – Doi Lang to Ban Thaton

We packed up and checked out in the dark and were on our way to Doi Lang. One of the most exciting new birding sites and home to several species seen few other places in Thailand. We drove along the steep and winding roads and took our first birding stop at a concrete bridge over a steep valley. The view was spectacular but the only bird we saw was a **Streaked Spiderhunter** so we drove on higher up to where we had more target birds. There was an interesting area of paddyfields before the forest started again and just before these we spotted a couple of doves in the road. Only closer inspection we found that they were **Oriental Turtle Doves**, common further north in Asia but only found in the most northerly places in Thailand. In the paddyfields themselves we spotted an **Oriental Pipit** and a **Grey Bushchat** but the main target here was the **Jerdon's Bushchat**. A very rare bird in Thailand and a bird I had missed on countless previous occasions, but not this time. Normally a bird of long grass bordering water, it was perched on a cattle corral! We started to climb steeply up from here hoping our van had enough umph to get us up there. We hadn't gone far when someone spotted a perched raptor which we identified to be a **Mountain Hawk** 

**Eagle**. From here we drove straight to the military post at the top. Now famous among Thai birders as a place where some interesting birds have become used to eating fruit put out by the soldiers. The once unstable border is now safe, leaving the soldiers little to do all day but drink. Looking at some pretty birds seems to be a welcome diversion. We chopped up our papaya and put it down where instructed by the friendly soldier and within a few minutes the birds had started coming in. We saw **Chestnut-crowned Laughingthrush**, **Dark-backed Sibia** and **Blue Whistling-Thrush** but unfortunately no liocichlas. We did have a **Grey Treepie** fly across the road and some **Whiskered Yuhinas** feeding on berries nearby. These birds are found at very few sites in northern Thailand.



The enigmatic Black-throated Tit at its nest (Charley Hesse)

We started walking along the road finding many of the same birds we had seen at previous sites and were by now familiar with like Fork-tailed Swift, Golden-throated & Blue-throated Barbets, Grey-headed Flycatcher, White-browed Shrike-Babbler and Gould's & Black-throated Sunbirds. We did however add the tiny Black-throated Tit a beautiful little bird and a local rarity in Thailand. There was a spot where birds were being fed with mealworms and some normally difficult to see birds like Rufous-gorgeted & White-gorgeted Flycatchers and Red-flanked Bluetail were came in very close. In a nearby bush we also added Greenish Warbler. Another new bird for the trip. We walked for quite a while and finally got more Crested Finchbills before we decided to turn back. On the way back we heard some activity in the trees and got out to investigate. We found Rufous-winged Fulvetta, Blue-winged Minla, Yellow-cheeked Tit and Yellow-bellied Fantail but added a bird that we had missed at Doi Inthanon, Brown-throated Treecreeper. Another very restricted bird in Thailand. We stopped by the military post on the way back and got nice views of Large Niltava and Rufous-gorgeted Flycatcher before heading back down. It was such a steep descent that by the time we got to the bottom, the brakes were smoking.

We checked in to the luxurious Maekok River Village Resort and relaxed after a delicious lunch buffet before it had cooled down sufficiently to go out. We birded some small back roads and agricultural land with ponds and creeks near the river. We found Green & Common Sandpipers straight away and in a more open area we picked up Richard's Pipit, Long-tailed Shrike, Black-collared Starling and Eurasian Kestrel. We got to a lookout over the river and scanning upstream we spotted some Small Pratincoles and had great scope views. Other birds by the river were some Common Snipe in flight, a Common Kingfisher fishing on the other bank, Yellow-bellied Prinia and a small flock of Scaly-breasted Munias coming down to drink on the other bank. On the way back we stopped by a patch of long grass where we

found **Racket-tailed Treepie** and many **Baya Weavers**. Last call of the day was a cultural visit to a large temple on a hill overlooking town before heading back for a delicious dinner of Northern Thai food and a chat with the friendly British owners.

#### 28<sup>th</sup> February – Ban Thaton to Chiang Saen

It was our last half day of birding and we planned to see as many new species as possible. We were visiting the Chiang Saen area which consists of birding along the banks of the mighty Mekong river and Chiang Saen lake with its large concentrations of waterbirds. We drove straight to a spot along the river where I had seen **River Lapwing** on previous occasions and started to scan some inlets and lakes next to the river. We managed to find more **Ruddy Shelduck** and **Spot-billed Ducks** aswell as some **Small Pratincoles** showing their distinctive white flashes in their wings in flight. There were also several common shorebird species including **Little Ringed Plover**, **Common Snipe**, **Common Greenshank** and **Green Sandpiper**. Finally we tracked sown several **River Lapwings** and got nice looks at these local rarities in the scope.



The Eurasian Wryneck takes some spotting as it sits still for long periods of time (Charley Hesse).

Next we headed to the Chiang Saen lake although with road works going on, they had taken down the sign which made it a little more of a challenge to locate. Once we had found the entrance road we drove in, spotting Eurasian Buzzard and Chestnut-tailed Starling on the way. There is a boardwalk that goes out into the lake which makes a nice way to get closer to some of the birds. Along here we saw a family of Chestnut Munias, Intermediate Egret, Yellow Bittern, many Lesser Whistling-ducks and a few Garganey, White-browed Crake, Purple Swamphen and Pheasant-tailed & Bronze-winged Jacanas. The latter seemingly further north than its normal range. We reached the end of the boardwalk and carried on walking round the edge of the lake. In one of the larger trees, David spotted a Eurasian Wryneck. We reached a spot where we used the scope to scan across to the other side. We saw several Great Cormorants in a tree and on the other side of the lake, a group of ducks. Spot-billed Ducks were fairly obvious with the white panels in their wings but one by one we identified Northern Shoveler, Ferruginous Pochard and Tufted Duck. Quite a selection of ducks. As a bonus we had a juvenile Pied Harrier flying across the lake. We had just enough time to take a drive around the lake where we saw hundreds of Blackwinged Stilts and several other nice common birds like White-throated & Pied Kingfishers, Oriental Pipit, Ashy Woodswallow, Racket-tailed Treepie and Black-collared Starling. Our birding time was at an end and all that was left was to drive to Chiang Rai airport and take our flight back to Bangkok.

**Bird List** Taxonomy following Clements 6<sup>th</sup> edition

1	Little Grebe	Tachybaptus ruficollis	Seen at Mahachai, Bueng Boraphet & Chiang Saen.
2	Indian Cormorant	Phalacrocorax fuscicollis	Seen at Pak Thale & Bueng Boraphet.
3	Great Cormorant	Phalacrocorax carbo	Seen at Chiang Saen.
4	Little Cormorant	Phalacrocorax niger	Seen at most sites near water.
5	Darter	Anhinga melanogaster	Seen at Bueng Boraphet.
6	Grey Heron	Ardea cinerea	Seen at Pak Thale, Mahachai, Bueng Boraphet & Chiang Saen.
7	Purple Heron	Ardea purpurea	Seen at Bueng Boraphet & Chiang Saen.
8	Great Egret	Casmerodius albus	Seen at most sites near water.
9	Intermediate Egret	Mesophoyx intermedia	Seen at Rangsit, Bueng Boraphet & Chiang Saen.
10	Little Egret	Egretta garzetta	Seen at most sites.
11	Chinese Pond Heron	Ardeola bacchus	Seen at most sites.
12	Cattle Egret	Bubulcus coromandus	Seen at Pak Thale, Kaeng Krachan, Rangsit, Bueng Boraphet & Doi Inthanon.
13	Striated Heron	Butorides striata	Seen at Pak Thale. Heard at Mahachai.
14	Yellow Bittern	Ixobrychus sinensis	Seen at Mahachai, Kaeng Krachan, Rangsit, Bueng Boraphet & Chiang Saen.
15	Cinnamon Bittern	Ixobrychus cinnamomeus	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Bueng Boraphet.
16	Painted Stork	Mycteria leucocephala	Seen at Pak Thale & Bueng Boraphet.
17	Asian Openbill	Anastomus oscitans	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Rangsit & Bueng Boraphet.
18	Black-faced Spoonbill	Platalea minor	Seen at Pak Thale.
19	Glossy Ibis	Plegadis falcinellus	Seen at Bueng Boraphet.
20	Lesser Whistling-duck	Dendrocygna javanica	Seen at Bueng Boraphet & Chiang Saen.
21	Ruddy Shelduck	Tadorna ferruginea	Seen at Bueng Boraphet & Chiang Saen.
22	Cotton Pygmy-goose	Nettapus coromandelianus	Seen at Bueng Boraphet.
23	Spot-billed Duck	Anas poecilorhyncha	Seen at Chiang Saen.
24	Garganey	Anas querquedula	Seen at Bueng Boraphet & Chiang Saen.
25	Northern Shoveler	Anas clypeata	Seen at Chiang Saen.
26	Common Pochard	Aythya farina	Seen at Bueng Boraphet.
27	Ferruginous Pochard	Aythya nyroca	Seen at Chiang Saen.
28	Baer's Pochard	Aythya baeri	Seen at Bueng Boraphet.
29	Tufted Duck	Aythya fuligula	Seen at Bueng Boraphet & Chiang Saen.
30	Osprey	Pandion haliaetus	Seen at Khao Yai.
31	Black Baza	Aviceda leuphotes	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
32	Oriental Honey-buzzard	Pernis ptilorhynchus	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Doi Inthanon.
33	Black-shouldered Kite	Elanus caeruleus	Seen at Khao Yai, Bueng Boraphet & Chiang Saen.
34	Black Kite	Milvus migrans	Seen at Bueng Boraphet.
35	Brahminy Kite	Haliastur indus	Seen at Pak Thale, Mahachai, Kaeng Krachan & Rangsit.
36	Crested Serpent Eagle	Spilornis cheela	Seen at Kaeng Krachan. Heard at Khao Yai.
37	Eastern Marsh Harrier	Circus spilonotus	Seen at Bueng Boraphet.
38	Pied Harrier	Circus melanoleucos	Seen at Chiang Saen.
39	Crested Goshawk	Accipiter trivirgatus	Seen at Khao Yai.
40	Shikra	Accipiter badius	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Bueng Boraphet & Doi Inthanon.
41	Eurasian Sparrowhawk	Accipiter nisus	Seen at Doi Ang Khang.
42	Eurasian Buzzard	Buteo buteo	Seen at Doi Inthanon & Chiang Saen.
43	Black Eagle	Lophaetus malayensis	Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
44	Changeable Hawk Eagle	Nisaetus limnaeetus	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
45	Mountain Hawk Eagle	Spizaetus nipalensis	Seen at Doi Lang.
46	Collared Falconet	Microhierax caerulescens	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
47	Eurasian Kestrel	Falco tinnunculus	Seen at Thaton.
48	Peregrine Falcon	Falco peregrinus	Seen at Chiang Saen.
49	Scaly-breasted Partridge	Arborophila chloropus	Heard at Kaeng Krachan & Khao Yai.
50	Red Junglefowl	Gallus gallus	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai & Doi Ang Khang.
51	Silver Pheasant	Lophura nycthemera	Seen at Doi Chiang Dao.
52	Siamese Fireback	Lophura diardi	Seen at Khao Yai.
53	Grey Peacock Pheasant	Polyplectron bicalcaratum	Heard at Kaeng Krachan.

54	White-breasted Waterhen	Amaurornis phoenicurus	Seen at Mahachai, Kaeng Krachan, Rangsit, Bueng Boraphet & Chiang Saen.
55	Black-tailed Crake	Porzana bicolor	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
56	White-browed Crake	Porzana cinerea	Seen at Chiang Saen.
57	Purple Swamphen	Porphyrio porphyrio	Seen at Bueng Boraphet & Chiang Saen.
58	Common Moorhen	Gallinula chloropus	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Bueng Boraphet, Thaton & Chiang Saen.
59	Eurasian Coot	Fulica atra	Seen at Bueng Boraphet.
60	Pheasant-tailed Jacana	Hydrophasianus chirurgus	Seen at Bueng Boraphet & Chiang Saen.
61	Bronze-winged Jacana	Metopidius indicus	Seen at Bueng Boraphet & Chiang Saen.
62	Greater Painted-snipe	Rostratula benghalensis	Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
63	Black-winged Stilt	Himantopus himantopus	Seen at Pak Thale, Mahachai, Bueng Boraphet & Chiang Saen.
64	Small Pratincole	Glareola lactea	Seen at Thaton & Chiang Saen.
65	River Lapwing	Vanellus duvaucelii	Seen at Chiang Saen.
66	Grey-headed Lapwing	Vanellus cinereus	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
67	Red-wattled Lapwing	Vanellus indicus	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai, Bueng Boraphet & Thaton.
68	Pacific Golden Plover	Pluvialis fulva	Seen at Pak Thale & Khok Kham.
69	Black-bellied Plover	Pluvialis squatarola	Seen at Pak Thale.
03 70	Little Ringed Plover	Charadrius dubius	Seen at Pak Thale, Rangsit, Bueng Boraphet, Thaton & Chiang Saen.
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71	Snowy Plover	Charadrius alexandrinus	Seen at Pak Thale, Khok Kham & Bueng Boraphet.
72	Lesser Sand Plover	Charadrius mongolus	Seen at Pak Thale & Khok Kham.
73	Greater Sand Plover	Charadrius leschenaultii	Seen at Pak Thale & Khok Kham.
74	Common Snipe	Gallinago gallinago	Seen at Bueng Boraphet, Thaton & Chiang Saen.
75	Black-tailed Godwit	Limosa limosa	Seen at Pak Thale.
76	Bar-tailed Godwit	Limosa lapponica	Seen at Pak Thale.
77	Whimbrel	Numenius phaeopus	Seen at Pak Thale.
78	Eurasian Curlew	Numenius arquata	Seen at Pak Thale.
79	Far Eastern Curlew	Numenius madagascariensis	Seen at Pak Thale.
80	Spotted Redshank	Tringa erythropus	Seen at Pak Thale.
81	Marsh Sandpiper	Tringa stagnatilis	Seen at Pak Thale, Khok Kham & Bueng Boraphet.
82	Common Greenshank	Tringa nebularia	Seen at Pak Thale, Mahachai, Khok Kham, Bueng Boraphet & Chiang Saen.
83	Nordmann's Greenshank	Tringa guttifer	Seen at Pak Thale.
84	Green Sandpiper	Tringa ochropus	Seen at Thaton & Chiang Saen.
85	Wood Sandpiper	Tringa glareola	Seen at Pak Thale & Bueng Boraphet.
86	Common Sandpiper	Actitis hypoleucos	Seen at Pak Thale, Mahachai, Thaton & Chiang Saen.
87	Great Knot	Calidris tenuirostris	Seen at Pak Thale & Khok Kham.
88	Sanderling	Calidris alba	Seen at Pak Thale & Khok Kham.
88 89		Calidris alba Calidris ruficollis	Seen at Pak Thale & Khok Kham.Seen at Pak Thale & Khok Kham.
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89	Sanderling Red-necked Stint	Calidris ruficollis	Seen at Pak Thale & Khok Kham.
89 90	Sanderling Red-necked Stint Temminck's Stint	Calidris ruficollis Calidris temminckii	Seen at Pak Thale & Khok Kham. Seen at Pak Thale, Khok Kham & Bueng Boraphet.
89 90 91	Sanderling Red-necked Stint Temminck's Stint Long-toed Stint	Calidris ruficollis Calidris temminckii Calidris subminuta	Seen at Pak Thale & Khok Kham.         Seen at Pak Thale, Khok Kham & Bueng Boraphet.         Seen at Pak Thale & Bueng Boraphet.
89 90 91 92	Sanderling Red-necked Stint Temminck's Stint Long-toed Stint Curlew Sandpiper	Calidris ruficollis Calidris temminckii Calidris subminuta Calidris ferruginea	Seen at Pak Thale & Khok Kham.         Seen at Pak Thale, Khok Kham & Bueng Boraphet.         Seen at Pak Thale & Bueng Boraphet.         Seen at Pak Thale, Khok Kham, Bueng Boraphet & Chiang Saen.
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110	Pink-necked Pigeon	Treron vernans	Seen at Bueng Boraphet.
111	Thick-billed Pigeon	Treron curvirostra	Seen at Khao Yai.
112	Wedge-tailed Pigeon	Treron sphenura	Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
113	Mountain Imperial-Pigeon	Ducula badia	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai, Doi Chiang Dao & Doi Lang. Heard at Doi Ang Khang.
114	Blossom-headed Parakeet	Psittacula roseata	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
115	Red-breasted Parakeet	Psittacula alexandri	Seen at Khao Yai.
116	Vernal Hanging Parrot	Loriculus vernalis	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Khao Yai.
117	Large Hawk Cuckoo	Hierococcyx sparverioides	Seen at Khao Yai & Doi Chiang Dao. Heard at Doi Inthanon & Doi Ang Khang.
118	Banded Bay Cuckoo	Cacomantis sonneratii	Seen at Doi Ang Khang. Heard at Kaeng Krachan, Doi Inthanon & Doi Chiang Dao.
119	Plaintive Cuckoo	Cacomantis merulinus	Seen at Bueng Boraphet.
120	Asian Emerald Cuckoo	Chrysococcyx maculatus	Seen at Khao Yai & Doi Inthanon.
121	Asian Koel	Eudynamys scolopacea	Seen at most sites.
122	Green-billed Malkoha	Rhopodytes tristis	Seen at Khao Yai.
123	Chestnut-breasted Malkoha	Zanclostomus curvirostris	Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
124	Greater Coucal	Centropus sinensis	Seen at most sites.
125	Lesser Coucal	Centropus bengalensis	Seen at Rangsit & Chiang Saen.
126	Mountain Scops-Owl	Otus spilocephalus	Heard at Doi Inthanon & Doi Chiang Dao.
127	Collared Scops-Owl	Otus lettia	Heard at Doi Ang Khang.
128	Collared Owlet	Glaucidium brodiei	Heard at Khao Yai, Doi Chiang Dao & Doi Ang Khang.
129	Asian Barred Owlet	Glaucidium cuculoides	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Khao Yai. Heard at Doi Inthanon.
130	Brown Hawk-Owl	Ninox scutulata	Heard at Khao Yai.
131	Hodgson's Frogmouth	Batrachostomus hodgsoni	Heard at Doi Ang Khang.
132	Great Eared-Nightjar	Eurostopodus macrotis	Seen at Khao Yai.
133	Large-tailed Nightjar	Caprimulgus macrurus	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai & Doi Ang Khang. Heard at Doi Chiang Dao.
134	Himalayan Swiftlet	Aerodramus brevirostris	Seen at Pak Thale, Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai & Doi Chiang Dao.
135	German's Swiftlet	Aerodramus germani	Seen at Mahachai & Khok Kham.
136	Silver-backed Needletail	Hirundapus cochinchinensis	Seen at Khao Yai.
137	Brown-backed Needletail	Hirundapus giganteus	Seen at Khao Yai.
138	Asian Palm Swift	Cypsiurus balasiensis	Seen at Khao Yai, Bueng Boraphet & Doi Inthanon.
139	Fork-tailed Swift	Apus pacificus	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Doi Ang Khang, Doi Lang & Thaton.
140	House Swift	Apus nipalensis	Seen at Doi Inthanon & Doi Ang Khang.
141	Crested Treeswift	Hemiprocne coronata	Seen at Doi Chiang Dao.
142	Red-headed Trogon	Harpactes erythrocephalus	Seen at Khao Yai.
143	Orange-breasted Trogon	Harpactes oreskios	Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
144	Common Kingfisher	Alcedo atthis	Seen at Bueng Boraphet, Doi Inthanon, Thaton & Chiang Saen.
145	White-throated Kingfisher	Halcyon smyrnensis	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai, Bueng Boraphet, Doi Inthanon & Chiang Saen.
146	Black-capped Kingfisher	Halcyon pileata	Seen at Pak Thale, Mahachai & Bueng Boraphet.
147	Collared Kingfisher	Todiramphus chloris	Seen at Pak Thale & Mahachai.
148	Pied Kingfisher	Ceryle rudis	Seen at Bueng Boraphet & Chiang Saen.
149	Green Bee-eater	Merops orientalis	Seen at Pak Thale & Kaeng Krachan.
150	Blue-tailed Bee-eater	Merops philippinus	Seen at Rangsit & Bueng Boraphet.
151 152	Chestnut headed Bee-eater	Merops leschenaulti Coracias benghalensis	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Doi Chiang Dao.Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Rangsit, Khao Yai, Bueng Boraphet & Doi
			Inthanon.
153	Dollarbird	Eurystomus orientalis	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Khao Yai.
154	Hoopoe	Upupa epops	Seen at Doi Chiang Dao, Doi Ang Khang & Chiang Saen.
155	Oriental Pied Hornbill	Anthracoceros albirostris	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Khao Yai.
156	Great Hornbill	Buceros bicornis	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Khao Yai.
		Anorrhinus tickelli	Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
157	Rusty-cheeked Hornbill		
157 158	Wreathed Hornbill	Aceros undulatus	Seen at Kaeng Krachan.           Seen at Kaeng Krachan. Heard at Doi Inthanon, Doi Chiang Dao & Doi
157 158 159	Wreathed Hornbill Great Barbet	Megalaima virens	Seen at Kaeng Krachan. Heard at Doi Inthanon, Doi Chiang Dao & Doi Ang Khang.
157 158 159 160	Wreathed Hornbill Great Barbet Lineated Barbet	Megalaima virens Megalaima lineata	Seen at Kaeng Krachan. Heard at Doi Inthanon, Doi Chiang Dao & DoiAng Khang.Seen at Khao Yai. Heard at Kaeng Krachan & Chiang Saen.
157 158 159 160 161	Wreathed Hornbill Great Barbet	Megalaima virens	Seen at Kaeng Krachan. Heard at Doi Inthanon, Doi Chiang Dao & Doi Ang Khang.Seen at Khao Yai. Heard at Kaeng Krachan & Chiang Saen.Seen at Khao Yai.
157 158 159 160	Wreathed Hornbill Great Barbet Lineated Barbet	Megalaima virens Megalaima lineata	Seen at Kaeng Krachan. Heard at Doi Inthanon, Doi Chiang Dao & Doi Ang Khang.         Seen at Khao Yai. Heard at Kaeng Krachan & Chiang Saen.

			Inthanon & Doi Ang Khang.
164	Moustached Barbet	Megalaima incognita	Seen at Kaeng Krachan. Heard at Khao Yai.
165	Blue-eared Barbet	Megalaima australis	Seen at Kaeng Krachan. Heard at Khao Yai.
166	Coppersmith Barbet	Megalaima haemacephala	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai & Bueng Boraphet. Heard at Rangsit & Doi Inthanon.
167	Eurasian Wryneck	Jynx torquilla	Seen at Chiang Saen.
168	Speckled Piculet	Picumnus innominatus	Seen at Doi Ang Khang.
169	Gray-capped Woodpecker	Dendrocopos canicapillus	Seen at Doi Inthanon & Doi Chiang Dao.
170	Fulvous-breasted Woodpecker	Dendrocopos macei	Seen at Bueng Boraphet.
171	Stripe-breasted Woodpecker	Dendrocopos atratus	Seen at Doi Inthanon & Doi Chiang Dao.
172	Lesser Yellownape	Picus chlorolophus	Seen at Khao Yai & Doi Chiang Dao.
173	Greater Yellownape	Chrysophlegma flavinucha	Seen at Doi Chiang Dao.
174	Laced Woodpecker	Picus vittatus	Seen at Khao Yai.
175	Black-headed Woodpecker	Picus erythropygius	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
176	Greater Flameback	Chrysocolaptes lucidus	Seen at Khao Yai & Doi Inthanon.
177	Bay Woodpecker	Blythipicus pyrrhotis	Seen at Doi Ang Khang. Heard at Doi Inthanon & Doi Lang.
178	Black-and-buff Woodpecker	Meiglyptes jugularis	Seen at Khao Yai.
179	Banded Broadbill	Eurylaimus javanicus	Heard at Kaeng Krachan.
180	Long-tailed Broadbill	Psarisomus dalhousiae	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Doi Inthanon.
181	Silver-breasted Broadbill	Serilophus lunatus	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Khao Yai.
182	Blue Pitta	Pitta cyanea	Seen at Khao Yai. Heard at Kaeng Krachan.
183	Bank Swallow	Riparia riparia	Seen at Bueng Boraphet.
184	Barn Swallow	Hirundo rustica	Seen at most sites.
185	Red-rumped Swallow	Cecropis daurica	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai, Doi Inthanon & Doi Chiang Dao.
186	Striated Swallow	Cecropis striolata	Seen at Doi Inthanon & Doi Ang Khang.
187	Asian Martin	Delichon dasypus	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Doi Inthanon.
188	White Wagtail	Motacilla alba	Seen at Bueng Boraphet, Thaton & Chiang Saen.
189	Yellow Wagtail	Motacilla flava	Seen at Pak Thale, Khok Kham, Rangsit & Bueng Boraphet.
190	Gray Wagtail	Motacilla cinerea	Seen at Khao Yai, Doi Inthanon & Doi Ang Khang.
191	Richard's Pipit	Anthus richardi	Seen at Thaton.
192	Oriental Pipit	Anthus rufulus	Seen at Doi Lang & Chiang Saen.
193	Olive-backed Pipit	Anthus hodgsoni	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Chiang Dao, Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang.
194	Large Cuckooshrike	Coracina macei	Seen at Doi Chiang Dao.
195	Indochinese Cuckooshrike	Coracina polioptera	Seen at Doi Chiang Dao.
196	Black-winged Cuckooshrike	Coracina melaschistos	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai & Doi Inthanon.
197	Rosy Minivet	Pericrocotus roseus	Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
198	Brown-rumped Minivet	Pericrocotus cantonensis	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Khao Yai.
199	Ashy Minivet	Pericrocotus divaricatus	Seen at Khao Yai.
200	Long-tailed Minivet	Pericrocotus ethologus	Seen at Doi Inthanon & Doi Lang.
201	Short-billed Minivet	Pericrocotus brevirostris	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Chiang Dao & Doi Ang Khang.
202	Scarlet Minivet	Pericrocotus speciosus	Seen at Khao Yai, Doi Inthanon.
203	Gray-chinned Minivet	Pericrocotus solaris	Seen at Doi Inthanon & Doi Chiang Dao.
204	Bar-winged Flycatcher-shrike	Hemipus picatus	Seen at Khao Yai.
205	Crested Finchbill	Spizixos canifrons	Seen at Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang.
206	Striated Bulbul	Pycnonotus striatus	Seen at Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang.
207	Black-headed Bulbul	Pycnonotus atriceps	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Doi Inthanon.
208	Black-crested Bulbul	Pycnonotus flaviventris	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai, Doi Inthanon, Doi Chiang Dao & Thaton.
209	Red-whiskered Bulbul	Pycnonotus jocosus	Seen at Khao Yai, Doi Chiang Dao, Doi Ang Khang & Chiang Saen.
210	Brown-breasted Bulbul	Pycnonotus xanthorrhous	Seen at Doi Ang Khang.
211	Sooty-headed Bulbul	Pycnonotus aurigaster	Seen at most sites.
212	Stripe-throated Bulbul	Pycnonotus finlaysoni	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Khao Yai.
213	Flavescent Bulbul	Pycnonotus flavescens	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Chiang Dao, Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang.
214	Yellow-vented Bulbul	Pycnonotus goiavier	Seen at Petchaburi, Rangsit & Bueng Boraphet.
215	Streak-eared Bulbul	Pycnonotus blanfordi	Seen at most sites.
216	Puff-throated Bulbul	Alophoixus pallidus	Seen at Khao Yai. Heard at Doi Chiang Dao.
217	Ochraceous Bulbul	Alophoixus ochraceus	Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
218	Gray-eyed Bulbul	lole propinqua	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Khao Yai. Heard at Doi Chiang Dao.

219	Buff-vented Bulbul	lole olivacea	Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
220	Ashy Bulbul	Hemixos flavala	Seen at Khao Yai & Doi Inthanon.
221	Mountain Bulbul	Ixos mcclellandii	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Doi Inthanon, Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang.
222	Black Bulbul	Hypsipetes leucocephalus	Seen at Doi Inthanon & Doi Chiang Dao.
223	White-headed Bulbul	Cerasophila thompsoni	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
224	Greater Green Leafbird	Chloropsis sonnerati	Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
225	Blue-winged Leafbird	Chloropsis cochinchinensis	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Khao Yai.
226	Golden-fronted Leafbird	Chloropsis aurifrons	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai, Doi Inthanon & Doi Chiang Dao.
227	Orange-bellied Leafbird	Chloropsis hardwickii	Seen at Doi Chiang Dao.
228	Common lora	Aegithina tiphia	Seen at Rangsit, Khao Yai, Bueng Boraphet, Doi Chiang Dao & Chiang Saen.
229	White-throated Rock Thrush	Monticola gularis	Seen at Khao Yai.
230	Blue Rock Thrush	Monticola solitarius	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai & Chiang Saen.
231	Blue Whistling Thrush	Myophonus caeruleus	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai, Doi Inthanon, Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang.
232	Scaly Thrush	Zoothera dauma	Seen at Doi Ang Khang.
233	Dark-sided Thrush	Zoothera marginata	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
234	Black-breasted Thrush	Turdus dissimilis	Seen at Doi Ang Khang.
235	Eyebrowed Thrush	Turdus obscurus	Seen at Doi Ang Khang.
236	White-browed Shortwing	Brachypteryx montana	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
237	Zitting Cisticola	Cisticola juncidis	Seen at Pak Thale, Rangsit & Bueng Boraphet.
238	Golden-headed Cisticola	Cisticola exilis	Seen at Bueng Boraphet.
239	Hill Prinia	Prinia superciliaris	Seen at Doi Inthanon & Doi Chiang Dao. Heard at Doi Ang Khang.
240	Rufescent Prinia	Prinia rufescens	Seen at Doi Ang Khang.
241	Yellow-bellied Prinia	Prinia flaviventris	Seen at Pak Thale, Thaton & Chiang Saen.
242	Plain Prinia	Prinia inornata	Seen at Rangsit, Bueng Boraphet & Thaton.
243	Slaty-bellied Tesia	Tesia olivea	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
244	Aberrant Bush-Warbler	Cettia flavolivacea	Seen at Doi Lang.
245	Russet Bush Warbler	Bradypterus mandelli	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
246	Black-browed Reed Warbler	Acrocephalus bistrigiceps	Seen at Rangsit & Bueng Boraphet.
247	Oriental Reed Warbler	Acrocephalus orientalis	Seen at Bueng Boraphet.
248	Thick-billed Warbler	Phragmaticola aedon	Seen at Rangsit & Bueng Boraphet. Heard at Khao Yai.
249	Mountain Tailorbird	Orthotomus cucullatus	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang. Heard at Kaeng Krachan.
250	Common Tailorbird	Orthotomus sutorius	Seen at Mahachai, Kaeng Krachan & Doi Inthanon.
251	Dark-necked Tailorbird	Orthotomus atrogularis	Seen at Khao Yai. Heard at Kaeng Krachan.
252	Dusky Warbler	Phylloscopus fuscatus	Seen at Bueng Boraphet & Doi Ang Khang.
253	Yellow-streaked Warbler	Phylloscopus armandii	Seen at Khao Yai.
254	Radde's Warbler	Phylloscopus schwarzi	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai & Doi Ang Khang.
255	Orange-barred Warbler	Phylloscopus pulcher	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang.
256	Ashy-throated Warbler	Phylloscopus maculipennis	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
257	Yellow-browed Warbler	Phylloscopus inornatus	Seen at most sites.
258	Hume's Leaf-Warbler	Phylloscopus humei	Seen at Doi Ang Khang.
259	Arctic Warbler	Phylloscopus borealis	Seen at Khao Yai.
260	Greenish Warbler	Phylloscopus trochiloides	Seen at Doi Lang.
261	Pale-legged Leaf-Warbler	Phylloscopus tenellipes	Seen at Khao Yai.
262	Blyth's Leaf-Warbler	Phylloscopus reguloides	Seen at Doi Chiang Dao.
263	White-tailed Leaf-Warbler	Phylloscopus davisoni	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Chiang Dao, Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang.
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265	Sulphur-breasted Warbler	Phylloscopus ricketti	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai & Doi Inthanon.
205	Sulphur-breasted Warbler Chestnut-crowned Warbler	Phylloscopus ricketti Seicercus castaniceps	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai & Doi Inthanon. Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang.
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	Chestnut-crowned Warbler	Seicercus castaniceps	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang.
266	Chestnut-crowned Warbler Yellow-bellied Warbler	Seicercus castaniceps Abroscopus superciliaris	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang. Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
266 267	Chestnut-crowned Warbler Yellow-bellied Warbler Striated Grassbird	Seicercus castaniceps Abroscopus superciliaris Megalurus palustris	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang. Seen at Kaeng Krachan. Seen at Bueng Boraphet.
266 267 268	Chestnut-crowned Warbler Yellow-bellied Warbler Striated Grassbird Dark-sided Flycatcher	Seicercus castaniceps Abroscopus superciliaris Megalurus palustris Muscicapa sibirica	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang. Seen at Kaeng Krachan. Seen at Bueng Boraphet. Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
266 267 268 269	Chestnut-crowned Warbler Yellow-bellied Warbler Striated Grassbird Dark-sided Flycatcher Asian Brown Flycatcher	Seicercus castaniceps Abroscopus superciliaris Megalurus palustris Muscicapa sibirica Muscicapa dauurica	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang. Seen at Kaeng Krachan. Seen at Bueng Boraphet. Seen at Kaeng Krachan. Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Khao Yai.
266 267 268 269 270	Chestnut-crowned Warbler Yellow-bellied Warbler Striated Grassbird Dark-sided Flycatcher Asian Brown Flycatcher Narcissus Flycatcher	Seicercus castaniceps Abroscopus superciliaris Megalurus palustris Muscicapa sibirica Muscicapa dauurica Ficedula narcissina	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang. Seen at Kaeng Krachan. Seen at Bueng Boraphet. Seen at Kaeng Krachan. Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Khao Yai. Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
266 267 268 269 270 271	Chestnut-crowned Warbler Yellow-bellied Warbler Striated Grassbird Dark-sided Flycatcher Asian Brown Flycatcher Narcissus Flycatcher Mugimaki Flycatcher	Seicercus castaniceps Abroscopus superciliaris Megalurus palustris Muscicapa sibirica Muscicapa dauurica Ficedula narcissina Ficedula mugimaki	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang. Seen at Kaeng Krachan. Seen at Bueng Boraphet. Seen at Kaeng Krachan. Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Khao Yai. Seen at Kaeng Krachan. Seen at Khao Yai.

275	Little Pied Flycatcher	Ficedula westermanni	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Chiang Dao & Doi Lang.
276	Ultramarine Flycatcher	Ficedula superciliaris	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Doi Inthanon.
277	Verditer Flycatcher	Eumyias thalassinus	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai, Doi Inthanon, Doi Chiang Dao & Doi Ang Khang.
278	Large Niltava	Niltava grandis	Seen at Doi Inthanon & Doi Lang.
279	Small Niltava	Niltava macgrigoriae	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
280	Rufous-bellied Niltava	Niltava sundara	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
281	Hainan Blue Flycatcher	Cyornis hainanus	Seen at Khao Yai.
282	Pale Blue Flycatcher	Cyornis unicolor	Seen at Doi Ang Khang.
283	Blue-throated Flycatcher	Cyornis rubeculoides	Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
284	Hill Blue Flycatcher	Cyornis banyumas	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Chiang Dao & Doi Ang Khang. Heard at Khao Yai.
285	Grey-headed Flycatcher	Culicicapa ceylonensis	Seen at many sites.
286	Siberian Rubythroat	Luscinia calliope	Seen at Bueng Boraphet.
287	Siberian Blue Robin	Luscinia cyane	Seen at Khao Yai.
288	Red-flanked Bluetail	Tarsiger cyanurus	Seen at Doi Inthanon & Doi Lang.
289	Oriental Magpie Robin	Copsychus saularis	Seen at most sites.
290	White-rumped Shama	Copsychus malabaricus	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai, Doi Inthanon & Doi Chiang Dao.
291	White-capped Water-Redstart	Chaimarrornis leucocephalus	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
292	Plumbeous Redstart	Rhyacornis fuliginosus	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
293	Siberian Stonechat	Saxicola maurus	Seen at most sites.
294	Slaty-backed Forktail	Enicurus schistaceus	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
295	White-crowned Forktail	Enicurus leschenaulti	Seen at Doi Chiang Dao. Heard at Doi Ang Khang.
296	Pied Bushchat	Saxicola caprata	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Ang Khang, Thaton & Chiang Saen.
297	Jerdon's Bushchat	Saxicola jerdoni	Seen at Doi Lang.
298	Grey Bushchat	Saxicola ferrea	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Chiang Dao, Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang.
299	Yellow-bellied Fantail	Rhipidura hypoxantha	Seen at Doi Inthanon & Doi Lang.
300	White-throated Fantail	Rhipidura albicollis	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Chiang Dao & Doi Ang Khang.
301	Pied Fantail	Rhipidura javanica	Seen at Mahachai, Rangsit & Bueng Boraphet.
302	Black-naped Monarch	Hypothymis azurea	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai, Bueng Boraphet, Doi Inthanon & Doi Chiang Dao.
303	Asian Paradise-flycatcher	Terpsiphone paradisi	Seen at Kaeng Krachan. Heard at Doi Ang Khang.
304	White-crested Laughingthrush	Garrulax leucolophus	Seen at Khao Yai & Doi Chiang Dao. Heard at Kaeng Krachan & Doi Inthanon.
305	Lesser Necklaced Laughingthrush	Garrulax monileger	Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
306	Greater Necklaced Laughingthrush	Garrulax pectoralis	Heard at Kaeng Krachan.
307	White-necked Laughingthrush	Garrulax strepitans	Seen at Doi Inthanon. Heard at Doi Ang Khang.
308	Black-throated Laughingthrush	Garrulax chinensis	Heard at Khao Yai.
309	White-browed Laughingthrush	Pterorhinus sannio	Seen at Doi Ang Khang.
310	Chestnut-crowned Laughingthrush	Trochalopteron melanostigma	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang. Heard at Doi Chiang Dao.
311	Red-faced Liocichla	Liocichla ripponi	Seen at Doi Ang Khang.
312	Abbott's Babbler	Malacocincla abbotti	Seen at Khao Yai.
313	Puff-throated Babbler	Pellorneum ruficeps	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai & Doi Chiang Dao.
314	Rusty-cheeked Scimitar-Babbler	Pomatorhinus erythrogenys	Seen at Doi Ang Khang.
315	White-browed Scimitar-Babbler	Pomatorhinus schisticeps	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai & Doi Ang Khang.
316	Limestone Wren-Babbler	Napothera crispifrons	Seen at Doi Ang Khang.
317	Eyebrowed Wren-Babbler	Napothera epilepidota	Heard at Doi Inthanon.
318	Pygmy Wren-Babbler	Pnoepyga pusilla	Seen at Doi Inthanon. Heard at Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang.
319	Rufous-fronted Babbler	Stachyris rufifrons	Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
320	Golden Babbler	Stachyris chrysaea	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Chiang Dao & Doi Ang Khang.
321	Grey-throated Babbler	Stachyris nigriceps	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
322	Striped Tit-Babbler	Macronus gularis	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Khao Yai.
323 324	Silver-eared Mesia White-browed Shrike-Babbler	Leiothrix argentauris Pteruthius flaviscapis	Seen at Doi Inthanon & Doi Ang Khang. Seen at Khao Yai, Doi Chiang Dao & Doi Lang. Heard at Doi Inthanon &
		,	Doi Ang Khang.
325	Black-eared Shrike-Babbler	Pteruthius melanotis	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
326	Chestnut-fronted Shrike-Babbler	Pteruthius aenobarbus	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
327	Spectacled Barwing	Actinodura ramsayi	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
328	Blue-winged Minla	Siva cyanouroptera	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang.

329	Chestnut-tailed Minla	Chrysominla strigula	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
330	Rufous-winged Fulvetta	Pseudominla castaneceps	Seen at Doi Inthanon & Doi Lang.
331	Grey-cheeked Fulvetta	Alcippe fratercula	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang.
332	Rufous-backed Sibia	Leioptila annectans	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
333	Dark-backed Sibia	Malacias melanoleucus	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang.
334	Striated Yuhina	Staphida castaniceps	Seen at Doi Chiang Dao.
335	Whiskered Yuhina	Yuhina flavicollis	Seen at Doi Lang.
336	White-bellied Yuhina	Yuhina (Erpornis) zantholeuca	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai.
337	Golden-bellied Gerygone	Gerygone sulphurea	Seen at Mahachai.
338	Great Tit	Parus major	Seen at Doi Chiang Dao. Heard at Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang.
339	Yellow-cheeked Tit	Parus spilonotus	
340	Sultan Tit	Melanochlora sultanea	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang. Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Khao Yai.
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341	Black-throated Tit	Aegithalos concinnus	Seen at Doi Lang. Seen at Doi Inthanon.
342	Chestnut-bellied Nuthatch	Sitta castanea	
343	Chestnut-vented Nuthatch	Sitta nagaensis	Seen at Doi Inthanon & Doi Ang Khang.
344	Velvet fronted Nuthatch	Sitta frontalis	Seen at Doi Chiang Dao.
345	Giant Nuthatch	Sitta magna	Seen at Doi Chiang Dao.
346	Brown-throated Treecreeper	Certhia manipurensis	Seen at Doi Lang.
347	Brown-throated Sunbird	Anthreptes malacensis	Seen at Rangsit & Bueng Boraphet.
348	Purple Sunbird	Cinnyris asiatica	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
349	Olive-backed Sunbird	Cinnyris jugularis	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai & Bueng Boraphet.
350	Gould's Sunbird	Aethopyga gouldiae	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang.
351	Green-tailed Sunbird	Aethopyga nipalensis	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
352	Black-throated Sunbird	Aethopyga saturata	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Doi Inthanon, Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang.
353	Little Spiderhunter	Arachnothera longirostra	Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
354	Streaked Spiderhunter	Arachnothera magna	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Doi Lang.
355	Yellow-breasted Flowerpecker	Prionochilus maculatus	Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
356	Thick-billed Flowerpecker	Dicaeum agile	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Khao Yai.
357	Yellow-vented Flowerpecker	Dicaeum chrysorrheum	Seen at Khao Yai.
358	Plain Flowerpecker	Dicaeum concolor	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
359	Fire-breasted Flowerpecker	Dicaeum ignipectum	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai & Doi Inthanon.
360	Scarlet-backed Flowerpecker	Dicaeum cruentatum	Seen at Khao Yai, Bueng Boraphet & Chiang Saen.
361	Chestnut-flanked White-eye	Zosterops erythropleurus	Seen at Khao Yai & Doi Inthanon.
362	Oriental White-eye	Zosterops palpebrosus	Seen at Mahachai, Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai, Bueng Boraphet & Doi Inthanon.
363	Japanese White-eye	Zosterops japonicus	Seen at Doi Chiang Dao & Doi Ang Khang.
364	Black-naped Oriole	Oriolus chinensis	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai, Bueng Boraphet & Doi Inthanon.
365	Black-hooded Oriole	Oriolus xanthornus	Heard at Kaeng Krachan & Doi Chiang Dao.
366	Maroon Oriole	Oriolus traillii	Seen at Doi Inthanon & Doi Chiang Dao. Heard at Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang.
367	Asian Fairy Bluebird	Irena puella	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai & Doi Chiang Dao.
368	Brown Shrike	Lanius cristatus	Seen at many sites.
369	Burmese Shrike	Lanius collurioides	Seen at Doi Inthanon, Doi Chiang Dao & Doi Ang Khang.
370	Long-tailed Shrike	Lanius schach	Seen at Bueng Boraphet, Doi Ang Khang & Thaton.
371	Grey-backed Shrike	Lanius tephronotus	Seen at Doi Chiang Dao, Doi Ang Khang & Thaton.
372	Large Woodshrike	Tephrodornis gularis	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Doi Chiang Dao.
373	Black Drongo	Dicrurus macrocercus	Seen at most sites.
374	Ashy Drongo	Dicrurus leucophaeus	Seen at many sites.
375	Bronzed Drongo	Dicrurus aeneus	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Doi Inthanon, Doi Chiang Dao & Doi Ang Khang.
376	Lesser Racket-tailed Drongo	Dicrurus remifer	Seen at Doi Inthanon & Doi Chiang Dao.
377	Hair-crested Drongo	Dicrurus hottentottus	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai, Doi Inthanon, Doi Chiang Dao & Chiang Saen.
378	Greater Racket-tailed Drongo	Dicrurus paradiseus	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai & Doi Inthanon.
379	Ashy Woodswallow	Artamus fuscus	Seen at Kaeng Krachan, Khao Yai, Bueng Boraphet, Thaton & Chiang Saen.
380	Eurasian Jay	Garrulus glandarius	Seen at Doi Inthanon & Doi Chiang Dao.
381	Blue Magpie	Urocissa erythrorhyncha	Seen at Doi Inthanon & Doi Ang Khang.
382	Green Magpie	Cissa chinensis	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Khao Yai. Heard at Doi Inthanon.
383	Rufous Treepie	Dendrocitta vagabunda	Seen at Doi Inthanon.
503		Denurocilla vayabullua	

384	Grey Treepie	Dendrocitta formosae	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Doi Lang. Heard at Doi Inthanon, Doi Chiang Dao & Doi Ang Khang.
385	Racket-tailed Treepie	Crypsirina temia	Seen at Mahachai, Thaton & Chiang Saen.
386	Large-billed Crow	Corvus macrorhynchos	Seen at most sites.
387	Golden-crested Myna	Ampeliceps coronatus	Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
388	Hill Myna	Gracula religiosa	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Khao Yai.
389	White-vented Myna	Acridotheres grandis	Seen at most sites.
390	Common Myna	Acridotheres tristis	Seen at most sites.
391	Black-collared Starling	Gracupica nigricollis	Seen at Thaton & Chiang Saen.
392	Asian Pied Starling	Gracupica contra	Seen at Pak Thale, Rangsit & Bueng Boraphet.
393	Chestnut-tailed Starling	Sturnia malabarica	Seen at Chiang Saen.
394	Baya Weaver	Ploceus philippinus	Seen at Rangsit & Thaton.
395	Asian Golden Weaver	Ploceus hypoxanthus	Seen at Bueng Boraphet.
396	White-rumped Munia	Lonchura striata	Seen at Khao Yai, Bueng Boraphet, Doi Inthanon, Thaton & Chiang Saen.
397	Scaly-breasted Munia	Lonchura punctulata	Seen at Thaton.
398	Chestnut Munia	Lonchura Malacca	Seen at Chiang Saen.
399	House Sparrow	Passer domesticus	Seen at Rangsit.
400	Plain-backed Sparrow	Passer flaveolus	Seen at Khao Yai.
401	Eurasian Tree Sparrow	Passer montanus	Seen at most sites.

## Mammal List

1	White-handed Gibbon	Hylobates lar	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Khao Yai.
2	Stump-tail Macaque	Macaca arctoides	Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
3	Long-tailed Macaque	Macaca fascicularis	Seen at Petchaburi.
4	Pig-tailed Macaque	Macaca nemestrina	Seen at Khao Yai.
5	Dusky Langur	Trachypithecus obscures	Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
6	Northern Treeshrew	Tupia bekangeri	Seen at Doi Ang Khang.
7	Grey-bellied Squirrel	Callosciurus caniceps	Seen at Khao Yai & Khao Yai.
8	Variable Squirrel	Callosciurus finlaysonii	Seen at Khok Kham, Doi Ang Khang & Doi Lang.
9	Pallas's Squirrel	Callosciurus erythraeus	Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
10	Black Giant Squirrel	Ratufa bicolour	Seen at Kaeng Krachan & Doi Lang.
11	Western Striped Squirrel	Tamiops macclellandi	Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
12	Binturong	Arctictis binturong	Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
13	Yellow-throated Marten	Martes flavigula	Seen at Kaeng Krachan.
14	Sambar Deer	Cervus unicolor	Seen at Khao Yai.
15	Red Muntjak	Muntiacus muntjak	Seen at Khao Yai.
16	Asiatic Elephant	Elephas maximus	2 lone bulls and a large family group seen at Khao Yai