

# CLASSIC KENYA – JUNE 2007

## Day 1 Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> June

After an uneventful overnight flight from London via Amsterdam we touched down in Nairobi at 6.30am and once through the usual formalities of immigration and baggage reclaim we met our guide and good friend Steven Easley. We were soon whisked away in our two vehicles by our superb drivers Peter and Colin and our introduction to Kenya began immediately with 5 **Masai Giraffe** walking sedately across the savannah near the airport. This was a rather unexpected sighting and seemed to set the tone for the duration of our stay, as we were treated to an absolutely fantastic holiday. The drive to the very nice Pan Afric Hotel produced **Black Kites**, **Little and African Palm Swifts** and **Red-winged Starling**, with lots of **Marabou Storks** and **Sacred Ibis** present in the roadside trees. Everyone was very glad to retire to the rooms for a much needed shower and to prepare for the day ahead, and whilst waiting for our vehicles we saw **Variable Sunbird**, **Speckled Mousebird**, **Streaky Seedeater** and **Baglafecht Weaver**. So we headed out of the city on the Magadi Road and within 40 minutes we reached good roadside **habitat** consisting of rocky escarpments with typical bush country all around. A group of spectacular **Blue-naped Mousebirds** caused the first of many, many stops today. We followed the road down into what was basically the edge of the African Rift Valley and had a great view of the plains below us from an escarpment where we saw an **Augur Buzzard**, **Common Fiscal**, **Common Bulbul**, **Brown Parisoma**, **Red-faced Crombec**, **Abyssinian Scimitarbill**, the very common **African Grey Flycatcher**, **Rattling Cisticola** and a **Yellow Bishop** all in the same small group of trees! The main bird here was the **Nairobi Pipit** which is a new species to science and discovered by Steven a few years ago and we had great views of it perched up in a tree spending several minutes studying it. Whilst here, a few **Rock Martins** flew over, along with **Nyanza** and **Little Swifts** as we walked down the road a short way bumping into **Yellow-breasted Apalis**, **Yellow-rumped Seedeater**, **Lyne's Cisticola**, **Slate-coloured Boubou** and **Tawny-flanked Prinia**. As we turned the corner a huge **Martial Eagle** flew across in front of us and as we watched this a **White-browed Coucal** flew behind us. Steven then heard some **Red-faced Tits** calling from a group of Acacias below us and after a short wait we all had pretty decent views of this sometimes tricky bird. A short drive further down the road had us jumping out at a rocky area where a **White-winged Scrub-robin** got the ball rolling. This was quickly followed by a mixed species flock that held **Brubru**, **Brimstone Canary**, **Rufous Sparrow**, **Red-faced Crombec**, **Chin-spot Batis** and **Baglafecht Weaver**. On the other side of the road we had **Red-fronted Barbet**, **Grassland Pipit**, **Abyssinian White-eye**, **Cinnamon-breasted Rock Bunting**, **Sulphur-breasted Bush-shrike**, female **Black Cuckoo-shrike** and a superb **Little Rock-thrush**. It took a little time for us all to get on the rock-thrush and once we did, a short walk back to the bus was enlivened by some displaying **Rufous Sparrows**, **Bronze Sunbird** and a bunch of rather bland looking **Speke's Weavers**. Leaving here we again drove a very short distance before pulling up next to a short grassy area where a superb **Capped Wheatear** was seen perched on top of a bush and a few **Hildebrandt's Starlings** flew in and fed amongst some weeds. Just across the road from here was a more extensive grassland area where we walked in a line and found several **Short-tailed Larks**, 3 of which fed just a few metres away from us. As we walked across the grassland several **Rufous-naped Larks** were put to flight, revealing big rufous patches in the wings and the same area also held a displaying **Desert Cisticola**.

Our picnic lunch was then taken along the road and shortly after we found **White-bellied Canary**, **Red-and-Yellow Barbet** and a distant **Northern Anteater-chat** at one site. We drove along a side track down onto the plains which were very productive and our first stop held an excellent selection of species despite the rising temperature. We even found a **Southern Grosbeak Canary** feeding very small young at a nest, but I think everyone's favourite was the gorgeous **Somali Golden-breasted Bunting** perched in the shade of some big trees. Also in the same vicinity were **Grey-headed**

**Silverbill, Purple Grenadier, Eastern Pale Chanting-goshawk, Eastern Violet-backed Sunbird, Foxy Lark and Red-fronted Tinkerbird.** Driving on we had **Taita Fiscal, Nubian Woodpecker, Fork-tailed Drongo, African Hoopoe, Black-throated Barbet, Brown-crowned Tchagra** and a pair of **Von der Decken's Hornbills.** We walked a little way along a dirt track seeing **Blue-capped Cordon-blue, Yellow-bellied Eremomela, Eastern Paradise-whydah, Banded Parisoma, Straw-tailed Whydah** and **Ashy Cisticola.** In fact there were so many birds it was difficult to keep up at times, but we gave it our best shot! Driving back to the main road a flock of ugly-looking **Wattled Starlings** were perched in a roadside tree, and we also saw a tiny **Kirk's Dikdik,** as well as an even tinier **Tiny Cisticola, Yellow-spotted Petronia** and **Rufous-crowned Roller.** Yet sadly the sun was slipping towards the horizon much quicker than we would have liked, but Steven was keen for us to persevere a little longer so we went further along road seeing our first superb **Verreaux's Eagle,** as well as **Yellow-necked Spurfowl,** both **Eastern Paradise-whydah** and **Pin-tailed Whydahs** displaying, **Black-necked Weaver, African Black-hooded Oriole, Grey-capped Social-weaver, Speckle-fronted Weaver, Cutthroat** and several **White-rumped Swifts.** But eventually it was just too dark to continue birding and we headed back to our hotel for great buffet dinner and some much needed sleep!

### Day 2 Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> June

The day began with **Olive Thrush, Amethyst Sunbird** and **White-eyed Slaty-flycatcher** around the trees at the front of the hotel, whilst waiting for the vehicles to arrive this morning. A short drive then took us to the entrance of Nairobi National Park, but before entering we spent an hour checking out the car park area and turned up some good birds. A flock of **White-browed Sparrow-weavers** and **Speckled Mousebirds** were seen first, but things got better with our first **African Citril Finch** and a group of **Cinnamon-chested Bee-eaters.** Viewing was easy amongst the well spaced trees and we continued with **Red-faced Crombec, Abyssinian White-eye, Parrot-billed Sparrow, African Black-hooded Oriole, African Pied Wagtail, Holub's Golden Weaver,** and an extremely close **Ruppell's Griffon Vulture** perched on a wall. A **Blue Syke's Monkey** was the only non-avian thing of interest, before returning to the vehicles and seeing **Double-collared Sunbird** and **Hammerkop** on the way. Once inside the park we began picking up new species immediately, starting with loads of **White-backed Vultures** in the large trees before reaching the savannah habitat so typical of the natural history documentaries we see on television. A pool of water surrounded by sedges and scrub held a skulking **Siffling Cisticola,** as well as several spectacular **Red-collared Widowbirds** displaying and overhead **Black Saw-wings** and **Striped Swallows** were seen. On the track were lots of **Common Waxbills, Red-billed Firefinch** and **Red-cheeked Cordon-bleu,** with **Stout Cisticola** and **African Moustached Warbler** singing from nearby bushes. A huge **Saddle-billed Stork** and a party of 4 **Grey Crowned Cranes** flew over the savannah, and **White-browed Coucal** and **Malachite Sunbird** followed on to our ever growing lists. At another pool **Black-crowned Night-heron, Little Cormorant** and **African Darter** were present but didn't get the pulse racing as much as the next pond where 2 **Blacksmith's Plovers, Malachite Kingfisher** and **Black Crake** were seen. We had a few **Impala's** on the way to the viewpoint which gave us an uninterrupted view over the grassland below and what magic was created here! This was true Africa! We had more **Grey Crowned Cranes, Common Ostrich, Bateleur, 3 Martial Eagles, Lanner Falcon, Masai Giraffe, Black Rhino, Common Zebra, Eland, Coke's Hartebeest** and quite a few **Cape Buffalo.** Leaving here we found the first of several **Dark-capped Yellow Warblers** to be seen today, followed by a pair of **Long-crested Eagles** flying over, a **Tawny Eagle** and **Banded Martin** and some closer **Masai Giraffes** before having a picnic lunch at a designated area.

Leaving here we scored with close **Yellow-necked Spurfowl, Helmeted Guineafowl, Long-tailed Fiscal, Northern Pied Babbler, Yellow-throated Longclaw,** more **Impala,** close **Common Ostrich,** a pair of **Secretary Birds** and a **Montane Nightjar** flushed from the track. Dropping down into a lush river valley, a **Little Sparrowhawk** flew into a tree next to us whilst we were watching a troop of

**Black-faced Vervet Monkeys** and once this little cracker flew off we drove up to a viewpoint above the valley where we saw **Rock Hyrax**, **Verreaux's Eagle-owl**, sub-adult **African Hawk-eagle**, and a few **White-headed Barbets**. Moving on along the valley we saw a group of **White-bellied Go-away-birds**, **Fischer's Lovebirds**, **Striped Kingfisher** and **Pied Cuckoo** before reaching the Hippo Pools where at the edge of the car park an **African Harrier-hawk** was attacking some bugs in a dead tree and some more lovebirds gave nice views. We followed the trail along the river and had views of **African Grey-headed Woodpecker**, **Ruppell's Glossy Starling**, **Tropical Boubou**, brief **Chestnut Weaver** and our first troop of **Olive Baboons**. In a group of trees we found a good selection of birds including several **Black Cuckoo-shrikes**, **White-bellied** and **Red-throated Tits**, **Sulphur-breasted Bush-shrike**, **Lesser Honeyguide**, **Spot-flanked Barbet**, **Red-billed Quelea** and **Buff-bellied Warbler**, whilst in the scrub we heard a **Broad-tailed Warbler**, saw lots of **White-winged Widowbirds** and a few **Plain Martins** flew over.

Driving on, we passed a pair of **Common Waterbucks** in a marshy area and found a few **Bengani Longclaws** before reaching a small lake where we saw **Striated Heron**, **African Spoonbill**, **Egyptian Goose**, **Red-billed Teal**, **Spur-winged Plover**, a flock of **Banded Martins**, several **Pied Kingfishers** and a **Nile Crocodile**. The track we took up towards a nearby hill gave us great views of several **Quailfinch** and **Fischer's Sparrow-larks** right in front of our vehicles, as well as several **African Marsh Owls** quartering the hillside. Nearby, we followed this with an equally stunning and really popular double-whammy of **Croaking** and **Pectoral-patch Cisticolas**, before finishing off with a close **Silver-backed Jackal** beside the track as we eventually left the park as the sun set below the horizon. What a day!

### Day 3 Monday 4<sup>th</sup> June

We left the hustle and bustle of Nairobi and headed north-west to a mist shrouded Limuru Pond where we found **White-backed** and **Maccoa Ducks**, the latter of which was seen displaying. There were also **Red-knobbed Coots**, **Hadada Ibis**, **Yellow-billed Duck**, **Red-billed Teal**, **Whiskered Tern** and a fine **Malachite Sunbird** that posed for some of the group in a small waterside allotment. In the nearby scrub we saw a **Cape Robin-chat** and **Common Fiscal** before driving up further into the highlands towards Guatamaye Forest. There was a small village strung alongside the dirt road for the last half a mile or so and proved very productive with a good selection of species such as **African Stonechat**, **Yellow-bellied Waxbill**, **Hunter's Cisticola**, **African Paradise-flycatcher**, **White-eyed Slaty-flycatcher** and **Yellow-crowned Canary**.

This dense primary forest is home to several specialities and we started off with a flock of attractive **Black-throated Apalis** at the edge of the open area near the vehicles and a short while later a **Chestnut-throated Apalis** flew in and began to sing. Continuing with the same theme there was a **Grey Apalis** showing well, followed by **White-browed Crombec**, **Yellow-whiskered Greenbul**, **Spectacled Weaver** and our fourth and final **Apalis**, the very smart **Black-collared**. From here we followed a muddy track deeper into the forest and this was very profitable as over the course of the next few hours we managed to dig out **Dusky Turtle Dove**, **Mountain Wagtail**, **Yellow-rumped Tinkerbird**, **White-starred Robin**, **White-tailed Crested Flycatcher**, **Mountain**, **Yellow-whiskered** and **Placid Greenbuls**, a pair of superb **Black-fronted Bush-shrikes**, **White-tailed Oriole**, **Eastern Olive Sunbird**, several **Montane White-eyes**, **Brown Woodland Warbler**, **African Hill-babbler**, **Abyssinian Crimsonwing** and **Thick-billed Seedeater**. The morning session was finished off nicely when we scoped a pair of **Abbott's Starlings** perched at the top of a dead tree as we walked back to the vehicles for lunch. As we consumed a fine picnic lunch in the clearing where our vehicles were parked, birds kept appearing all the time starting off with a **Mountain Buzzard** that flew in and perched nearby. Then an **African Goshawk** flew over and there followed sightings of **Cardinal Woodpecker**, **Dusky Flycatcher** and **Brown-capped Weaver**, as well as several species already mentioned. So as the forest was so good to us this morning we decided to walk back along the track

which turned out to be a good move as first of all we had a **Bar-tailed Trogon** perched above us, with a **Hartlaub's Turaco** also flying in to the same huge tree. A **Grey Cuckoo-shrike** was then found a little further along the track and as we watched this a **Fine-banded Woodpecker** appeared, before we had further crippling views of **Black-fronted Bush-shrike** and **White-tailed Crested Flycatcher** together, as well as a **Jackson's Chameleon** and a troop of **Black-and-White Colobus Monkeys**. So after a successful visit it was time to leave and our next site was a field on the Kenangap Plateau where good views of several endemic **Sharpe's Longclaws** were had by everyone. A walk around the same area also gave us **Levaillant's** and **Wing-snapping Cisticolas**, several **African Snipe**, **Horus Swift**, a flyover **Great Sparrowhawk**, very close **Grey Crowned Crane** and a late returning migrant **Common Cuckoo**. But by the time we had finished birding here it was getting late so a rather scenic journey across a rocky escarpment and a couple of dodgy river crossings took us down into the Rift Valley and to our wonderful lodge set beside Lake Naivasha where we arrived in the dark.

#### Day 4 Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> June

What a place to wake up to! The extensive gardens proved irresistible this morning and at first light everyone was assembled outside the main pavilion, eager for new birds – and new birds we found. The distinctive call of a **Black Cuckoo** was eventually tracked down to the top of a large Acacia tree on the edge of the lawn and a pair of **White-browed Robin-chats** perched up on a bare branch calling. There was also a party of **Crimson-rumped Waxbills**, as well as **Tropical Boubou** and **Spectacled Weaver** before we 'migrated' to the restaurant for breakfast. Afterwards, a short stroll across the lawn and onto the boardwalk led us down to the edge of Lake Naivasha where the waterside trees held **White-fronted Bee-eater** and **Pied Kingfisher**, whilst a fine pair of **African Fish-eagles** looked pristine in the clear morning sunshine. Mammals were also very obvious from our viewpoint and there were **Common Zebra**, **Masai Giraffe**, **Defasa Waterbuck**, **Impala** and our first **Hippopotamus** grazing on the open savannah well away from the water! And as we waited for the **boats** to be made ready we continued picking up new birds including **African Jacana**, **Grey-headed Gull**, **Giant Kingfisher**, **Klaas's Cuckoo**, **Grey-rumped Swallow** and **Black-lored Babbler**. A short while later we boarded 2 motorised dug-out canoes and set off on a wonderful excursion across the lake, passing a large mixed feeding flock of **White-winged** and **Whiskered Terns**, as well as **Squacco** and **Purple Herons**, several flocks of close **White Pelicans**, **African Spoonbill** and a **Common Waterbuck**. As we followed the edge of an island, several **Hottentot Teal** were found amongst the marshy vegetation, along with some **Red-billed Teal** and **Yellow-billed Ducks**.

Numerous observations were made as we motored along including many **Black-winged Stilts**, as well as **Kittlitz's** and **Three-banded Plovers**, **Glossy** and **Hadada Ibis**, **Goliath Heron** and a group of **Thompson's Gazelles**. Eventually we reached an area of tall vegetation where Derek glimpsed a small rail scuttling deep within the densest and shadiest area, so we doubled back and had great views of an **Allen's Gallinule**, which is a good record for the lake. As we lingered in this area, several **Lesser Swamp Warblers** showed and a flock of birds flew in that included some **Chestnut Weavers** and both **Red-billed** and **Cardinal Queleas**. We then motored along the reeds until they ended and an open grassy plain dotted with acacias and mountains on the horizon provided a fitting vista where a herd of **Wildebeast** and **Common Zebra** roamed in typical 'African' style. Then Steven spotted a couple of **Greater Painted Snipes** amongst the lily pads bordering this section of lake, and there was also a few waders present such as **Ruff**, **Curlew Sandpipers**, **Little Stint**, **Eurasian Curlew** and **Common Ringed Plover**. But, as always, time passed really quickly and we found ourselves returning to the lodge, but not before finding a couple of **Lesser Black-backed Gulls**, as well as **Pink-backed Pelican**. Approaching the small jetty, we came across a group of half-submerged **hippos** at the edge of the lake, which was a nice way in which to end the outing.

Once ashore, it didn't take us long to load our luggage into the vehicles and head off on the long drive to Kakamega Rainforest. Of course we didn't take a direct route and a side road in the opposite

direction of our intended destination was quite productive, especially when one of the minibuses broke down. So we checked out the immediate area seeing **Hildebrant's Francolin** and Steven whistled in a **Pearl-spotted Owlet** that was immediately mobbed by a whole group of different birds including a stunning **Grey-headed Bush-shrike**, **Scarlet-chested Sunbird** and **Klaas's Cuckoo** whilst the drivers repaired a mechanical problem. It didn't take long for Colin and Peter to repair the vehicle and off we sped to a nearby gorge where our main target was **Schalow's Wheatear** which duly obliged. Also present were **Mocking Cliff-chat**, a very confiding **Hildebrant's Francolin** and a large troop of **Olive Baboons** before pausing for a picnic lunch and seeing **Lilac-breasted Roller** and an **African Cuckoo**. We then set off on the long and bumpy drive to the Rondo Retreat Centre nestled deep within Kakamega Rainforest.

### Day 5 Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> June

Everyone was very excited at the prospect of birding Kakamega Rainforest, so after a 6am breakfast we started by checking out the extensive gardens where a **Grey-headed Negrofinch** perched on top of a dead tree got the ball rolling, followed by several huge **Black-and-white Casqued Hornbills** flying over. New birds kept appearing all the time and the treetops at the edge of the lawn were literally alive with a succession of good species such as **African Green-pigeon**, **White-headed Saw-wing**, the common **Grey-throated Barbet**, **Green-throated** and **Green Sunbirds**, **Diederik Cuckoo**, **Petit's** and **Purple-throated Cuckoo-shrikes**, **Southern Hylia**, **Bocage's Bush-shrike**, **Chubb's Cisticola** and **Brown-capped Weaver**. Walking out towards the entrance gate gave us very good views of a **Red-chested Cuckoo** perched just above our heads, as well as **Green-headed** and **Western Olive Sunbirds**, **Northern Black Flycatcher**, **African Thrush**, **Black-collared Apalis** and **Red-legged Sun Squirrel**. Out on the main path we turned right and walked a short way along seeing a **Double-toothed Barbet** feeding on some fruits, but a shy **Tambourine Dove** perched above the path proved quite elusive and a **Snowy-headed Robin-chat** skulked in the shadows. Continuing on there was **Viellot's Black Weaver**, **Joyful Greenbul** and an inquisitive **Red-tailed Monkey**, before a superb **African Emerald Cuckoo** flew over and landed in a leafless tree giving the most incredible views through the scopes in the early morning sunshine. Then a mad 10 minute spell produced **Yellow-billed Barbet**, **Turner's Eremomela**, **Luhder's Bush-shrike**, **Common Wattle-eye**, **Buff-throated Apalis**, **Little Grey** and **Toro Olive Greenbuls**, **White-breasted Negrofinch**, both **Black-billed** and **Grosbeak Weavers** and a rather handsome **Blue Monkey**. Walking back to the lodge produced a **Yellow-whiskered Greenbul**, **Black-faced Rufous-warbler**, **Brown-chested Alethe**, and by the gate **Grey-winged Robin** and **Black-and-white Manakin**. A short break followed – well it was 9.30am after all and we picked up a few high flying **Scarce Swifts** before driving along the main forest road and parking. Initially the birding was slow and nothing was tape responsive but for no apparent reason apart from Steven's persistence we began seeing good birds. Starting with a **Least Honeyguide**, **Brown-eared Woodpecker** and a **White-chinned Prinia**, **Chestnut Wattle-eye**, **Cabanis's Greenbul** and **Uganda Woodland Warbler** were next up, before Derek found a female **African Shrike-flycatcher** way up in some leafless trees. Walking on produced **Yellow-crested** and a brief **Buff-spotted Woodpecker**, **Yellow-spotted Barbet**, **Dusky Tit**, **Camaroon Sombre (Plain) Greenbul**, **Olive-green Cameroptera**, **Square-tailed Drongo**, **Western Black-hooded Oriole**, **Red-headed Bluebill** and **Dark-backed Weaver** before returning to the lodge for a 12.00 lunch. In the afternoon we drove in a different direction and it wasn't long until we hopped out of the vehicles and were soon watching a **Green Hylia** creeping amongst the verdant green canopy above us. It was at this point that we experienced some rain which hampered birding somewhat, but kept plugging away and eventually found a **Stuhlmann's Starling**, as well as a very nice **Red-headed Bluebill** that hopped out onto the path in front of us. **Common Wattle-eye** and **African Yellow White-eye** soon followed, as did a fine trio of **Shelley's**, **Ansorge's** and **Slender-billed Greenbuls** before reaching a steep hill that led to an open area above the forest. Here we eventually found a **Mackinnon's Fiscal** and observed a small flock of **Black Saw-wings** flying over the forest. Once back inside the forest a pair of **Chapin's**

**Flycatchers** in the canopy above played hard to get and the only other bird of note was a **Banded Prinia** before we returned to the lodge early for a well deserved rest before dinner.

### Day 6 Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> June

After breakfast we drove a short distance to the reserve centre, stopping on the way to search for an **Equatorial Akalat** that was singing from somewhere deep within the roadside vegetation. As we waited, Peter, one of our drivers called us back as he could hear an **African Broadbill** displaying! We rushed back and took a narrow side trail and it didn't take us long to find this much-wanted bird perched on a bare branch and were privileged to watch it doing a circular display flight, during which its wings made a distinctive 'popping' sound. Needless to say, everyone was elated to finally catch up with this enigmatic species. So, how could you follow this? Well, quite easily when our next bird was a stunning **Blue-headed Bee-eater** perched above the narrow trail we were following within the primary forest. What a bird! There were a series of trails set out in a grid system by the researchers here and we eventually notched up a decent list of other special birds starting with **Dusky Crested Flycatcher**, another **Brown-eared Woodpecker**, a heard only **Scaly-breasted Illadopsis**, **Brown-chested Alethe**, **Blue-shouldered Robin-chat**, **Red-headed Malimbe**, **Pink-footed** and **Northern Puffbacks**, a skulking **Yellowbill** and **Jameson's Wattle-eye**. At an open grassy area we saw **Broad-tailed Warbler** and **Yellow-shouldered Widowbird** as well. During our lunchtime siesta Derek and Nick L found some **Great Blue Turacos** feeding in a fruiting tree and kindly rounded everybody up and we were all treated to superb views of up to 9 birds. Later on we followed a trail from the gardens into the forest, where an inquisitive **White-tailed Ant-thrush** was seen and a superb **White-spotted Flufftail** repeatedly appeared in a small clearing underneath the dense vegetation, allowing everyone the opportunity to see it. The rest of the afternoon was spent back in the primary forest but due to the impending thunderstorm, bird activity was practically zero so we returned, once again, to the lodge for a bit of rest and relaxation.

### Day 7 Friday 8<sup>th</sup> June

So Kakamega had been kind to us and many of the special birds found here had eventually made their way onto our list, so an early start saw us heading towards Kisumu. The day was punctuated with numerous roadside stops, starting with our first **Abdim's Storks** and a **Palm-nut Vulture**, before reaching a fast flowing river where we quickly found a pair of **Rock Pratincoles** perched mid-river on a large rock. Other species present included **Angola Swallow**, **Red-chested Sunbird**, **Yellow-backed Weaver**, **Southern Citril**, **Red-faced Cisticola**, with an enormous flock of **Little Swifts** overhead. A **Blue-headed Coucal** caused our next stop, before we walked up into a scrubby area and scanned the surrounding fields, scrub and small trees. What a great time we had here with lots of birds on view including **Speckle-breasted Woodpecker**, **Klaas's Cuckoo**, **White-browed** and **Senegal Coucals**, **Copper** and **Orange-tufted Sunbirds**, **Red-backed Scrub-robin**, **Brown-crowned Tchagra**, **Grey-capped Warbler**, **Yellow-fronted Canary**, **Yellow-shouldered Widowbird**, **Holub's Golden** and **Village Weavers**, **Bar-breasted Firefinch** and several **Yellow-throated Leafloves**. We then crossed the road and followed a trail alongside a narrow river where an **African Pygmy Kingfisher** gave good views, and there was also **Olive-bellied Sunbird**, **Little Greenbul**, **Black Cuckoo-shrike** and **Golden-winged Sunbird** in the lush vegetation. Steven then called us over beside the vehicles to look at a mixed group of **Fawn-breasted** and **Black-crowned Waxbills** that were present in some bushes.

A few kilometres further along, the vehicles were pulled onto the grassy verge and we walked across some wet fields where **Violet-backed Starling**, **Broad-tailed Warbler** and a few **Compact Weavers** were the highlight, but it was hard going in the midday heat. So we took our picnic lunch in the shade of some trees where a colony of nesting **Viellot's Black Weavers** were rather distracting. There was also a **Woodland Kingfisher** perched below them, as well as a **Grey Woodpecker** and a colourful **Black-headed Gonolek** in the same row of trees, and our last lunchtime disruption was caused by a **Western Banded Snake-eagle**. Some of us took the opportunity to walk over the road and across some

more wet fields after lunch, which turned out to be a really good move as we found **Verreaux's Eagle-owl**, **Namaqua Dove**, **Green Crombec**, **Hartlaub's Marsh Widowbird**, **Black-rumped Waxbill**, **Village Indigobird**, and had several excellent close flight views of **Locust Finch**. Leaving here we saw **Grey Kestrel**, **Broad-tailed Widowbird**, **Grosbeak Weaver** and some soaring **African Openbills**. Driving on there was a **Lizard Buzzard** perched beside the road, and both **Wahlberg's** and **Long-crested Eagles** before arriving in Kisumu where we dumped the luggage at the hotel and drove down to the shores of Lake Victoria for some early evening birding. In fact there wasn't much time but after a day on the road we wanted to stretch our legs and enjoy the beautiful **sunset**, but also ended up seeing **African Openbill**, **Water Thick-knee**, **Swamp Flycatcher**, **Greater Swamp Warbler** and **Slender-billed Weaver**.

### Day 8 Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> June

For the first 3 hours before breakfast we checked out the papyrus marshes along the shores of Lake Victoria where the first marsh we parked alongside held a pair of superb **Long-toed Lapwings**, as well as **Northern Brown-throated Weavers** and a pair of **Allen's Gallinules**. As we were watching these birds, Derek found a **Lesser Moorhen** which remained on view for a long time as it fed amongst the lily pads providing excellent views. Then we walked down the dirt road and checked out another swampy area where **Papyrus Canary** gave good views and an **African Hobby** flew over. We drove a short distance from here and walked through some small settlements to a large marshy area and struck gold with a very obliging **Papyrus Gonlek** that gave ridiculously close views. We watched this bird for about 10 minutes and during this time also saw **Carruther's Cisticola** and **Greater Swamp Warbler**, with a calling **White-winged Warbler** that remained hidden in the dense vegetation. From here we drove around to a different site and found **Double-toothed** and **Black-billed Barbets**, **Village Weaver** and **Village Indigobird**, and they were followed by several **Madagascar Bee-eaters** perched at the top of a tall tree, **Brown Parrot** and **Eastern Grey Plantain-eaters**. Driving back to the hotel produced **Purple-banded Sunbird** and a confiding **Black-headed Gonolek**. Leaving Kisumu after breakfast we took a different route than usual and were rewarded with a pair of roadside **Bare-faced Go-away-birds** perched on top of an Acacia and followed this with a flock of 30+ **Grey Crowned Cranes** and an **African Openbill** flying over a marsh. A small roadside pond produced 3 **Black Crakes**, **Southern Red Bishop** and a colony of **Jackson's Golden-backed Weavers**, with a **Silverbird** and **Shikra** just a little further down the same road. A short while later we parked at another marshy area which was pure gold with several **Jackson's Widowbirds** flying over the reedbed with their ridiculously odd-shaped tails trailing behind them, and other species present included **African Marsh Harrier**, **Malachite Sunbird**, **Little Rush Warbler**, **Grey-rumped Swallow**, **African Black Swift** and a pair of **Black-winged Plovers**. The next stop was on an escarpment where we saw **Bronze-tailed Starling**, **Mosque Swallow** and a few **Fan-tailed Ravens** before driving down into the Kerio Valley where **Wahlberg's Eagle**, **Ross's Turaco**, **Black and White-headed Saw-wings**, **Tambourine Dove**, **Mosque Swallow**, **Grosbeak Weaver** and an **African Paradise-flycatcher** were all seen. Nearing Lake Baringo, Steven found a pair of **Green-backed Eremomelas** in the roadside bushes and we also saw **African Hawk-eagle**, **Amethyst** and **Marico Sunbirds**, **Dusky Turtle Dove**, **Spot-flanked Barbet**, **Pale Flycatcher**, **Red-headed Weaver**, **Golden-breasted Bunting**, **Violet-backed Starling**, and a particularly uninspiring **Rock Kestrel** before arriving at yet another wonderful lodge.

### Day 9 Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> June

We had a full day around the excellent Baringo area, starting off just after daybreak at some nearby cliffs where we scored with **Bristle-crowned Starling**, both **Hemprich's** and **Jackson's Hornbills** and a rather uninspiring **Brown-tailed Rock-chat** quite easily. However, due to some recent rain the ground had a slick layer of mud that stuck to the soles of our boots and made walking rather slow going and as we walked along the base of the cliffs I think we all gained an extra inch or two of height! Yet the birds made it all very worthwhile and the valley floor which was sparsely covered with Acacias and a thicker cover of thorn scrub proved attractive to **Dark-chanting Goshawk**, **Great Spotted Cuckoo**,

**Black-throated and D'Arnauds Barbets, Red-fronted Tinkerbird, Kenyan Violet-backed Sunbird, Brown-tailed Apalis, White-winged Scrub-robin, Green-winged Pytilia, Somali Tit and Lesser Masked Weaver.** Driving back to the lodge, **White-billed Buffalo-weaver and Northern White-crowned Shrike, Little Weaver, Diederik Cuckoo and Red-billed Hornbill** were seen. The feeders next to our dining table were a mass of birds with **Village, Northern Masked, Jackson's Golden-backed and Little Weavers, African Morning Dove, a D'Arnaud's Barbet** and later in the morning some **Brown Babblers** and even a **Fan-tailed Raven** put in an appearance! It really was a fine spectacle to sit in the restaurant and watch all this activity just a few metres away, whilst tucking into omelettes and pancakes! After breakfast we drove down the road and headed for a superb morning session of staked-out specialities, although we began with a totally unscheduled stop for our first **Pygmy Falcon** perched on the roadside telegraph wires. What a bird this was and we took quite some time to admire it and of course there were other birds around such as **White-throated Bee-eater, Spotted Morning Thrush, Pink-breasted Lark, Red-fronted Warbler, Parrot-billed Sparrow** and a very smart looking **Nubian Woodpecker**. A short walk then led us to our first stake-out of the morning, a fantastic pair of **Heuglin's Coursers** which seemed oblivious to our presence as they sat in the shade of some bushes and as we watched these a **Northern Crombec** was seen building a nest right next to them, whilst on the opposite side of the road a **Three-streaked Tchagra** showed nicely. Then we drove off-road into the bush to the roosting site of a **Northern White-faced Owl** and also had the added bonus of a **Gabar Goshawk** perched close by. From here we drove a short distance again to another area, seeing **Woolly-necked Stork, Black-headed Lapwing, African Hoopoe, Pygmy Batis and Chestnut Sparrow** before heading back into the bush. Walking between the tall trees there was **Grey-headed Kingfisher, African Cuckoo, African Black-hooded Oriole, Sulphur-breasted Bush-shrike, Brown Babbler**, a flock of **White-crested Helmetshrikes** and another pair of **Heuglin's Coursers** before arriving at the day roost of an **African Scops-owl**. This bird was perched half way up a tree in plain view and relied on its cryptic plumage to hide from predators, but obviously hadn't escaped the sharp eyes of Steven's network of local guides.

After a nice break and a siesta after lunch, some of the group decided to do 'their own thing' and went on a boat ride out onto Lake Baringo, whilst the rest of us had an excellent afternoon's birding with our superb guide, Steven. We began with a couple more stake-outs, starting with a **Slender-tailed Nightjar** at a roost and there was also a diminutive and rather comical looking **Elephant Shrew**, before driving to a site where a pair of **Greyish Eagle-owls** was seen well. The rest of the afternoon was spent walking along the road and around some fields and scrubland where numerous birds were seen such as more **Pygmy Falcons, Banded Martin, White-throated Bee-eater, Mouse-coloured Penduline Tits, Yellow-vented and Yellow-bellied Eremomelas**, a pair of **Maggie Starlings, Yellow-spotted Petronia**, several **Green-winged Pytilia, Pale Prinia, Hunter's Sunbird, Speckle-fronted Weaver, Somali Golden-breasted Bunting, Rufous Chatterer** and a covey of **Crested Francolins**. After a day of practically non-stop birding action, we rounded things off nicely with torchlight views of a **Hippo** walking across the lawn in front of our rooms!

### **Day 10 Monday 11<sup>th</sup> June**

A quick check from the boat ramp this morning produced **Little Bittern, African Fish-eagle** and a few flyover **White-faced Whistling-ducks**. We then loaded the luggage and sent off into the Kerio Valley and had a great couple of hours walking along a picturesque river seeing lots of birds including **African Green Pigeon, Crowned Hornbill, White-fronted Bee-eater, White-crested Turaco, White-headed and Red-and-yellow Barbets, Northern Puffback, Lead-coloured Flycatcher**, male **Violet-backed Starling, Chestnut and Red-headed Weavers** and a **Kerio Valley Bush Squirrel**. A short drive back up the side of the valley brought us to the escarpment above where a pair of **Black-headed Batis**, a **Marico Weaver** and a **Spot-flanked Barbet** were seen. Driving towards Nakuru a quick stop produced a superb **Ayres Hawk-eagle**, as well as **Yellow-rumped Tinkerbird, Black-throated Batis** and an **Olive-bellied Sunbird**. So we had scored with all our main target species and



then drove down to Nakuru during the middle of the day when bird activity is at its lowest ebb. And what perfect timing as we arrived in the middle of the afternoon at this wonderful National Park in plenty of time for a great afternoon's safari. With the roofs raised everyone was stood up in readiness, gazing intently towards the lake which had a pink halo all the way around it due to hundreds of thousands of **Lesser Flamingos** present. The first part of the drive was through an open wooded area with huge trees and plenty of secondary growth and this area produced nice views of a few **Green Woodhoopoes**. Once we reached the more open grassy areas more birds appeared such as **Black Cuckoo, Red-capped Lark, Plain-backed Pipit, Red-billed Oxpecker, Northern Anteater-chat, African Firefinch** and lots of **Jackson's Widowbirds**. There were also lots of **Impala** present, as well as **Thompson's Gazelle, Defassa Waterbuck** and **Common Zebra**. We drove down to the lake to take a look at the flamingo's, but didn't stay long as we would do this again tomorrow morning, but we did get a **Black-necked Grebe** and nice views of several **Kittlitz's Plovers**. All the while Steven and Peter had been listening intently to the radio system for any news of sightings of larger mammals as everyone naturally wanted to see the special animals for which Kenya is known. Sure enough our faith in their ability was rewarded when they took us out into the plains where a single huge tree was the current residence of a female **Leopard** and a well grown cub. There were already a few vehicles watching these beautiful animals in the tree, but just as we arrived they dropped down onto the floor and we were extremely privileged to watch them playing. At one point the large cub disappeared into the grass and tried to stalk the mother, creeping slowly and practically invisibly through the grass and pouncing on the not-so startled parent! It was simply amazing to watch the interaction between them and we stayed there for nearly an hour, before Steven's vehicle drove away leaving the other vehicle to watch a covey of **Blue Quails** fly up from the grass when the **Leopards** began walking away! From here it was just a short drive to the luxurious Lion Hill Sarova Lodge where we spent the night.

### Day 11 Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> June

We said goodbye to yet another wonderful lodge and had a full morning's game drive in Nakuru NP, seeing lots of new bird and some new mammal species too. In the car park **Speke's Weavers** were nest building and as we drove down the road out of the grounds a troop of **Olive Baboons** caused the first of many photo shoots! A flock of **White-crested Helmetshrikes** passed by and about an hour later we had good views of the very local and endangered **Grey-crested Helmetshrike** as well. There followed **Tawny Eagle, Bearded and African Grey Woodpeckers, Levillant's Cuckoo, Broad-billed Roller, African and Eurasian Hoopoes, Black-crowned Tchagra** and **Chin-spot Batis**. Leaving the forest behind we entered the grassland where **Masai Ostrich, Lanner, Crowned Plover, Yellow-throated and Rosy-throated Longclaws, Pectoral-patch Cisticola** and **Long-tailed Widowbirds** were present. Possibly the highlight this morning was when we parked close to the lake and got out of the vehicles to admire the spectacle that draws so many people to Nakuru - the sight of hundreds of thousands of **Lesser Flamingos**. To be so close to them was amazing and you simply cannot take it all in as the lake literally does have a pink ring all the way around. This is certainly one of the greatest sights in nature and to actually be there to experience it, with the cacophony of noise that surrounded us will live long in the memory. Driving around to the other side of the lake we had a few **Greater Flamingo, Marsh Sandpiper, Gull-billed Tern, Wahlberg's Honeybird, Arrow-marked Babbler** and close views of a **Mocking Cliff-chat** before driving up to a viewpoint above the lake. From our lofty vantage point we were able to get good views of **Nyanza Swifts** flying by and scope views of a distant pair of **Southern Ground Hornbill**, so we shot off back down to the plains and managed to get much closer views as they walked parallel to our vehicles just a few metres away. And on the drive out we had good views of a family of **Coqui Francolin** and another **Diederik Cuckoo** as well. As you can imagine, many mammals were seen at very close range this morning to keep almost everyone happy (!) and included **Hippopotamus, Cape Buffalo, White Rhino, Eland, Common Zebra, Impala, Warthog, Rothschild's Giraffe, Spotted Hyena, Rock Hyrax, DeFassa Waterbuck, Kirk's Dikdik** and **Grant's Gazelle**. Leaving here we drove up to Thompson Falls where **Eastern Double-collared Sunbird, Slender-billed Starling, Cinnamon Bracken Warbler** and **Hartlaub's Turaco** all put in an

appearance. At a nearby marsh a huge **Saddle-billed Stork** was present before driving on through the grassland where we stopped and found several **Black-bellied Bustards**. Leaving here we saw **Olive Pigeon**, **Black-backed Puffback**, and a **Greater Sparrowhawk** chasing a pigeon before reaching a quarry where a **Cape Eagle Owl** was seen well in the scope. The day was finished off nicely when a **Barn Owl** landed in some trees, just before reaching our accommodation for the night. During the night we were 'lulled' to sleep by the rather disturbing sound of the local **Tree Hyrax** population!

### Day 12 Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> June

We started the day with a **Tacazze Sunbird** in the lodge's superb gardens, followed by **Mountain** and **African Pied Wagtails**, **Red-fronted Parrot** and the extremely localised **Brown-backed Scrub-rob** singing from on top of a bush. From here we drove to Mount Kenya National Park and birded the area around the entrance gate where an awesome **African Crowned Eagle** was seen displaying, before driving up towards the top of the mountain. On the way we had **Mountain Buzzard**, **Mountain Yellow Warbler**, **White-headed Woodhoopoe**, **Abbott's Starling**, **Eastern Double-collared Sunbird** and **Black-headed Waxbill**, whilst a pair of **Jackson's Francolins** fed beside the dirt road. However, our attempt to reach the summit was doomed as the track proved totally impassable despite energetic work by the group to fill in some heavily muddied and very deep ruts in the track with stones, so we took the decision to abandon our visit and set off towards the fantastic Samburu National Park. It was a long drive and most of us fell asleep on the way, but eventually we reached Samburu in the late afternoon and began seeing new birds immediately. In fact we had a great time on the drive in to our luxurious lodge and most of us felt like we were in paradise! Starting with a group of bizarre-looking **Vulturine Guinea fowl**, there was a pair of shy **Somali Coursers**, both **Black-faced** and the scarce **Chestnut-bellied Sandgrouse** and the common **Yellow-necked Spurfowl**. Further along the track we saw **Bateleur**, **Eastern Pale Chanting-goshawk**, **Spotted Thick-knee**, **Namaqua Dove**, **Pink-breasted** and **Fawn-coloured Larks**, **Taita Fiscal**, **Hunter's Sunbird**, **Ashy Cisticola**, **Dodson's Bulbul**, **Rosy-patched Bush-shrike**, **African Silverbill**, **Fischer's Sparrow-lark**, and plenty of **Black-capped Social-weavers** and **Red-billed Buffalo-weavers**. At one point the track turned left and crossed a line of trees and this was where we had our first view of a group of **African Savannah Elephants**. As the engines were turned off we watched them come closer and closer until they crossed the track no more than a few metres away from us and was certainly one of the most uplifting experiences of the whole tour. But we were not finished yet and there was also several **Reticulated Giraffes** seen, as well as a huge herd of **Beisa Oryx** and some cute-looking **Gerenuks** as well before we reached what turned out to be the best lodge of the entire tour.

### Day 13 Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> June

The habitat of Samburu is varied and comprises of semi-desert areas, riverine forest, rolling hills, savannah and huge rugged peaks thus giving it an extremely rich assortment of wildlife. The plan today was to split into 3 sessions starting with an early morning game drive in the cool morning air and we got the ball rolling with our first **Donaldson-smith Sparrow-weavers**, followed by **White-headed Mousebird**, **Southern Black Flycatcher**, **Parrot-billed Sparrow** and **Slate-coloured Boubou** along the river. Then a **Bateleur** was seen flying into a tree and we had fabulous views of it grabbing some branches and taking it away to build a nest, followed by a **Greater Honeyguide** spotted by Peter, **Northern Brownbul**, **Eastern Violet-backed Sunbird**, **Crested Francolin**, a spectacular **Marshall Eagle** clutching a recently caught **Vulturine Guinea fowl**, both **White-backed** and **Palm-nut Vultures**, **Black-faced Sandgrouse** next to the track and more **African Savannah Elephants** and **Reticulated Giraffes**. At one point during the morning we were told to sit down and our drivers took us across the plains without stopping and we all knew something was happening as Steven was listening intently to his walkie-talkie again. The reason for this became obvious a short while later as we came across 3 **Lions** walking across the bush – and as luck would have it they walked straight towards us and alongside our vehicles. Wow! Of course everyone was elated with this and having had our mammal fix for a while carried on birding, this time seeing **Orange-bellied Parrot**, **Von Der**

**Decken's Hornbill, Somali Bee-eater, Red-winged Lark and Fischer's Starling.** After breakfast we found a couple of beautiful **Golden-breasted Starlings**, as well as **Verreaux's** and **Tawny Eagles**, another **Pygmy Falcon**, **Black-cheeked Waxbill**, **White-winged Scrub-robin**, **Pygmy Batis**, **Northern Crombec**, **Grey Wren-warbler** and a cracking **Golden Pipit**. However, the focus of our drive this morning into a remote corner of the park resulted in cracking views of the extremely local **Somali Long-billed Crombec** which we had feeding in a bush quite close by. This area was also productive for **Buff-crested Bustard**, several of which gave outstanding views. So we headed back towards the lodge once the sun became too hot, passing a flock of confiding **Vulturine Guinea fowl** and a **Common Waterbuck** along the way. After lunch and a siesta we headed out once more, although the afternoon game drive was a little quiet, but we started off great with a close **African bare-eyed Thrush** perched in some roadside trees. We then set off out into the dry scrub, seeing **Ruppell's Griffon Vulture**, **Eastern Yellow-billed Hornbill**, **Black-throated Barbet** and a **Nile Crocodile** along the river. Lots of previously mentioned species were around like **Black-capped Social-weavers**, **Donaldson-Smith Sparrow-weavers**, **White-headed** and **Red-billed Buffalo-weavers**, **Buff-crested Bustard**, **Rosy-patched Bush-shrike** and a group of **Dwarf Mongoose** in a termite mound.

But after criss-crossing an area of scrub for ages without seeing much at all, we began to slowly make our way back towards the lodge and just after turning a corner near the river the vehicles stopped abruptly as right in front of us was an adult **Leopard**. It was no more than 25 feet in front of us, sat nonchalantly next to the path and seemingly oblivious to our presence. With racing hearts and clicking cameras we soaked up this once in a lifetime chance to observe this beautiful predator at such close quarters. Wow! We watched it for quite a while before leaving it in peace and returned to the lodge in a rather exultant mood. So now our mammal list was looking pretty good, despite this being a birding tour! That night another **Leopard** came in to the meat put out by the staff across the river and was seen by some of our group.

#### **Day 14 Friday 15<sup>th</sup> June**

We had an early breakfast and spent a few minutes birding around the lodge seeing **Vitelline Masked Weaver**, **White-headed Mousebird**, **Northern Puffback** and a pair of **Verreaux's Eagle Owls** before leaving on our final morning's game drive at Samburu. We had **Vulturine Guinea fowl**, **Orange-bellied Parrot**, **Black-faced Sandgrouse**, **Gabar Goshawk** attacking some weaver nests, **Namaqua Dove**, a pair of **Secretary Birds** eating a sandgrouse and close looks at several **Heuglin's Coursers**. A solitary **Lichtenstein's Sandgrouse** on the track in front of us was the first new bird of the day for us and this was followed by a huge **Kori Bustard**. Other birds seen this morning included **Brown Snake Eagle**, **Bateleur**, **Lappet-faced Vulture**, **African Hawk-eagle**, **Buff-crested Bustard**, **Rufous-crowned Roller**, **Three-streaked Tchagra**, **Golden Palm Weaver** and **Hunter's Sunbird**, before we checked out a vast open grassy plain where some **Somali Ostrich** were present. Our main reason to visit this area was to look for a **Cheetah** that had been reported here yesterday, but alas we could not find it despite an extensive search and in hindsight we probably spent far too long here, which meant we could not visit some other probably far more productive areas. However, excellent views followed of the critically endangered **Grevy's Zebra** and our own tour record-breaking bird at 596 was an amazing **Bat Hawk** somehow picked up by Steven perched in the shadows of a large tree. We had also seen a good selection of the usual mammals this morning such as **Reticulated Giraffe**, **Common Zebra**, **African Savanna Elephant**, **Impala**, **Beisa Oryx** and **Gerenuk** before we sadly had to leave. So we drove to the Equator for some photos and a mini-shopping expedition, and followed this up with a very cooperative **Boran Cisticola** before driving to the superb Mountain Lodge. Nearing the lodge we had a pair of nesting **Crowned Eagles** in a lush valley, as well **Eastern Bronze-naped Pigeon**, **Silvery-cheeked Hornbill** and **Hartlaub's Turaco** before arriving in the early evening.

And what a place this is with viewing areas of a waterhole from all the different levels of the lodge and even from the bedrooms as well! So that evening during and after dinner a variety of wildlife was seen from the comfort of the lodge, including **Spotted Hyaena**, **Masai Waterbuck** and **Cape Buffalo**, as well as a huge **Verreaux's Eagle Owl** perched close by. We even had our 600<sup>th</sup> species of the tour highlighted by the floodlights surrounding the waterhole, but we weren't that excited as it was only a **Green Sandpiper**! One of the advantages of staying here is that the staff will wake you during the night if anything unusual is seen, and although that never happened during our stay some of us still saw at least 8 **Spotted Hyenas**, a **Bush Pig** and a **Common Genet** visiting the feeders.

### Day 15 Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> June

Our last day in Kenya began with a leisurely scan from the top of the viewing area, seeing **Cape Wagtail**, **Black-throated Apalis**, **Hunter's Cisticola**, **Grey-capped Warbler**, **Eastern Mountain** and **Slender-billed Greenbuls**, **Thick-billed Seedeater** and an **African Emerald Cuckoo**. After breakfast we walked down the road from the lodge, seeing **Scaly Francolin**, **Martial** and **African Crowned Eagles**, **Silvery-cheeked Hornbill**, **Abyssinian Crimsonwing**, **Moustached Green Tinkerbird**, **White-bellied Tit**, **Montane Oriole**, and our final new mammal of the tour - **African Forest Elephant**. We made it to the famous Wajee Camp for lunch which is home to the endemic **Hinde's Babbler**, a group of which showed really well in the extensive grounds. Whilst waiting for these to show, a superb **Red-throated Wryneck** gave outstanding views in a bare tree and we also had **African Wood Owl**, **Eastern Honeybird**, **Ruppell's** and **Cape Robin-chats**, **Dusky Flycatcher**, **Grey-olive Greenbul**, **Brown-backed Mannikin** and **Southern Black Flycatcher**. But all too soon it was time to head towards Nairobi, stopping at some rice fields for a quick scan which revealed **Fulvous Whistling-duck**, **Squacco Heron**, **Sacred Ibis**, female **Greater Painted Snipe** and **Grey-headed Kingfisher**. On arrival in Nairobi we checked in to our hotel, had a refreshing shower and our last evening meal together before driving to the airport.

Nick Bray.

## BIRDLIST FOR KENYA – JUNE 2007

	<b>SPECIES</b>	<b>Scientific Name</b>	<b>No of days out of 15 recorded</b>
1	Somali Ostrich	<i>Struthio camelus molybdophanes</i>	1
2	Masai Ostrich	<i>Struthio camelus massaicus</i>	2
3	Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>	6
4	Black-necked Grebe	<i>Podiceps nigricollis</i>	1
5	Great White Pelican	<i>Pelecanus onocrotalus</i>	3
6	Pink-backed Pelican	<i>Pelecanus philippensis rufescens</i>	1
7	White-breasted Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo lucidus</i>	3
8	Long-tailed Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax africanus</i>	7
9	African Darter	<i>Anhinga melanogaster rufa</i>	1
10	Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>	6
11	Black-headed Heron	<i>Ardea melanocephala</i>	12
12	Goliath Heron	<i>Ardea goliath</i>	1
13	Purple Heron	<i>Ardea purpurea</i>	2
14	Great Egret	<i>Ardea alba</i>	8
15	Intermediate Egret	<i>Egretta intermedia</i>	1
16	Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>	7
17	Squacco Heron	<i>Ardeola ralloides</i>	4
18	Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>	12
19	Striated Heron	<i>Butorides striatus</i>	5
20	Black-crowned Night Heron	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>	1
21	Little Bittern	<i>Ixobrychus minutus</i>	1
22	Hamerkop	<i>Scopus umbretta</i>	14
23	Yellow-billed Stork	<i>Mycteria ibis</i>	8
24	African Openbill	<i>Anastomus lamelligerus</i>	3
25	Abdim's Stork	<i>Ciconia abdimii</i>	2
26	Woolly-necked Stork	<i>Ciconia episcopus</i>	1
27	Saddle-billed Stork	<i>Ephippiorhynchus senegalensis</i>	2
28	Marabou Stork	<i>Leptoptilos crumeniferus</i>	9
29	Sacred Ibis	<i>Threskiornis aethiopicus</i>	12
30	Hadada Ibis	<i>Bostrychia hagedash</i>	14
31	Glossy Ibis	<i>Plegadis falcinellus</i>	3
32	African Spoonbill	<i>Platalea alba</i>	5
33	Greater Flamingo	<i>Phoenicopterus ruber</i>	1
34	Lesser Flamingo	<i>Phoenicopterus minor</i>	2
35	Fulvous Whistling Duck	<i>Dendrocygna bicolor</i>	2
36	White-faced Whistling Duck	<i>Dendrocygna viduata</i>	3
37	White-backed Duck	<i>Thalassornis leuconotus</i>	1
38	Egyptian Goose	<i>Alopochen aegyptiacus</i>	7
39	Comb Duck	<i>Sarkidiornis melanotos</i>	2
40	African Black Duck	<i>Anas sparsa</i>	1
41	Cape Teal	<i>Anas capensis</i>	1
42	Yellow-billed Duck	<i>Anas undulata</i>	7
43	Red-billed Teal	<i>Anas erythrorhyncha</i>	4
44	Hottentot Teal	<i>Anas hottentota</i>	3
45	Maccoa Duck	<i>Oxyura maccoa</i>	1
46	Bat Hawk	<i>Macheiramphus alcinus</i>	1
47	Black-shouldered Kite	<i>Elanus caeruleus</i>	4

48	Yellow-billed Kite	<i>Milvus migrans parasitus</i>	7
49	African Fish-eagle	<i>Haliaeetus vocifer</i>	5
50	Palm-nut Vulture	<i>Gypohierax angolensis</i>	3
51	White-backed Vulture	<i>Gyps bengalensis africanus</i>	4
52	Ruppell's Griffon	<i>Gyps rueppellii</i>	2
53	Lappet-faced Vulture	<i>Torgos tracheliotus</i>	1
54	Brown Snake-eagle	<i>Circaetus cinereus</i>	1
55	Western Banded Snake-eagle	<i>Circaetus cinerascens</i>	1
56	Bateleur	<i>Terathopius ecaudatus</i>	5
57	African Marsh Harrier	<i>Circus aeruginosus ranivorus</i>	1
58	African Harrier Hawk	<i>Polyboroides radiatus typus</i>	5
59	Lizard Buzzard	<i>Kaupifalco monogrammicus</i>	1
60	Dark Chanting Goshawk	<i>Melierax metabates</i>	1
61	Eastern Pale Chanting Goshawk	<i>Melierax canorus poliopterus</i>	4
62	Gabar Goshawk	<i>Micronisus gabar</i>	3
63	African Goshawk	<i>Accipiter tachiro</i>	1
64	Shikra	<i>Accipiter badius</i>	1
65	Little Sparrowhawk	<i>Accipiter minullus</i>	1
66	Great Sparrowhawk	<i>Accipiter melanoleucus</i>	4
67	Mountain Buzzard	<i>Buteo oreophilus</i>	2
68	Augur Buzzard	<i>Buteo auger auger</i>	10
69	Tawny Eagle	<i>Aquila rapax</i>	6
70	Verreaux's Eagle	<i>Aquila verreauxii</i>	2
71	Wahlberg's Eagle	<i>Aquila wahlbergi</i>	2
72	African Hawk Eagle	<i>Hieraaetus fasciatus splogaster</i>	3
73	Ayres' Hawk Eagle	<i>Hieraaetus ayresii</i>	1
74	Martial Eagle	<i>Polemaetus bellicosus</i>	4
75	Long-crested Eagle	<i>Lophaetus occipitalis</i>	10
76	African Crowned Eagle	<i>Stephanoaetus coronatus</i>	3
77	Secretary-bird	<i>Sagittarius serpentarius</i>	4
78	African Pygmy Falcon	<i>Polihierax semitorquatus</i>	3
79	Rock (Eurasian) Kestrel	<i>Falco tinnunculus</i>	2
80	Grey Kestrel	<i>Falco ardosiaceus</i>	1
81	African Hobby	<i>Falco cuvierii</i>	1
82	Lanner Falcon	<i>Falco biarmicus</i>	2
83	Peregrine Falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>	1
84	Coqui Francolin	<i>Francolinus coqui</i>	1
85	Crested Francolin	<i>Francolinus sephaena</i>	3 + 2H
86	Scaly Francolin	<i>Francolinus squamatus</i>	1
87	Hildebrandt's Francolin	<i>Francolinus hildebrandti</i>	2
88	Yellow-necked Spurfowl	<i>Francolinus leucoscepus</i>	5
89	Jackson's Francolin	<i>Francolinus jacksoni</i>	1
90	Blue Quail	<i>Coturnix chinensis adansonii</i>	1
91	Helmeted Guineafowl	<i>Numida meleagris</i>	8
92	Vulturine Guineafowl	<i>Acryllium vulturinum</i>	3
93	Grey Crowned Crane	<i>Balearica pavonina regulorum</i>	8
94	White-spotted Flufftail	<i>Sarothrura pulchra</i>	1 + 1H
95	Black Crake	<i>Amaurornis flavirostris</i>	7
96	Allen's Gallinule	<i>Porphyrio alleni</i>	3
97	Common Moorhen	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>	5
98	Lesser Moorhen	<i>Gallinula angulata</i>	1
99	Red-knobbed Coot	<i>Fulica cristata</i>	4
100	Kori Bustard	<i>Ardeotis kori</i>	1

101	Buff-crested Bustard	<i>Eupodotis ruficrista gindiana</i>	2 + 2H
102	Black-bellied Bustard	<i>Lissotis melanogaster</i>	1
	Hartlaub's Bustard	<i>Lissotis hartlaubii</i>	Leader Only Sighting
103	African Jacana	<i>Actophilornis africanus</i>	6
104	Greater Painted-snipe	<i>Rostratula benghalensis</i>	2
105	Black-winged Stilt	<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>	4
106	Water Thick-knee	<i>Burhinus vermiculatus</i>	3
107	Spotted Thick-knee	<i>Burhinus capensis</i>	1
108	Somali Courser	<i>Cursorius cursor somalensis</i>	1
109	Heuglin's Courser	<i>Rhinoptilus cinctus</i>	2
110	Rock Pratincole	<i>Glareola nuchalis</i>	1
111	Long-toed Plover	<i>Vanellus crassirostris</i>	2
112	Blacksmith Plover	<i>Vanellus armatus</i>	8
113	Spur-winged Plover	<i>Vanellus spinosus</i>	7
114	Black-headed Plover	<i>Vanellus tectus</i>	1
115	Black-winged Plover	<i>Vanellus melanopterus</i>	1
116	Crowned Plover	<i>Vanellus coronatus</i>	6
117	Common Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius hiaticula</i>	1
118	Kittlitz's Plover	<i>Charadrius pecuarius</i>	4
119	Three-banded Plover	<i>Charadrius tricollaris</i>	2
120	Ruff	<i>Philomachus pugnax</i>	1
121	Little Stint	<i>Calidris minuta</i>	1
122	Curlew Sandpiper	<i>Calidris ferruginea</i>	1
123	Green Sandpiper	<i>Tringa ochropus</i>	2
124	Marsh Sandpiper	<i>Tringa stagnatilis</i>	1
125	Greenshank	<i>Tringa nebularia</i>	1
126	Eurasian Curlew	<i>Numenius arquata</i>	1
127	African Snipe	<i>Gallinago nigripennis</i>	1
128	Grey-headed Gull	<i>Larus cirrocephalus</i>	4
129	Lesser Black-backed Gull	<i>Larus fuscus</i>	1
130	Gull-billed Tern	<i>Sterna nilotica</i>	1
131	Whiskered Tern	<i>Chlidonias hybridus</i>	5
132	White-winged Tern	<i>Chlidonias leucopterus</i>	1
133	Chestnut-bellied Sandgrouse	<i>Pterocles exustus</i>	1
134	Black-faced Sandgrouse	<i>Pterocles decoratus</i>	3
135	Lichtenstein's Sandgrouse	<i>Pterocles lichtensteinii</i>	1
136	Feral Pigeon	<i>Columba livia 'feral'</i>	7
137	Speckled Pigeon	<i>Columba guinea</i>	12
138	Olive Pigeon	<i>Columba arquatrix</i>	2
139	Eastern Bronze-naped Pigeon	<i>Columba delegorguei</i>	2
140	Laughing Dove	<i>Streptopelia senegalensis</i>	8
141	Dusky Turtle Dove	<i>Streptopelia lugens</i>	4
142	African Mourning Dove	<i>Streptopelia decipiens</i>	5
143	Red-eyed Dove	<i>Streptopelia semitorquata</i>	11
144	Ring-necked Dove	<i>Streptopelia capicola</i>	8
145	Emerald-spotted Wood Dove	<i>Turtur chalcospilos</i>	7
146	Blue-spotted Wood Dove	<i>Turtur afer</i>	4
147	Tambourine Dove	<i>Turtur tympanistria</i>	4 + 1H
148	Namaqua Dove	<i>Oena capensis</i>	5
149	African Green Pigeon	<i>Treron australis calva</i>	2
150	Red-headed Lovebird	<i>Agapornis pullarius</i>	1
151	Fischer's Lovebird	<i>Agapornis personatus fischeri</i>	2 + 1H
152	Red-fronted Parrot	<i>Poicephalus gulielmi</i>	3

153	Brown Parrot	<i>Poicephalus meyeri</i>	3
154	African Orange-bellied Parrot	<i>Poicephalus rufiventris</i>	2
155	Great Blue Turaco	<i>Corythaeola cristata</i>	1 + 1H
156	White-crested Turaco	<i>Tauraco leucolophus</i>	1 + 1H
157	Hartlaub's Turaco	<i>Tauraco hartlaubi</i>	5
158	Ross' Turaco	<i>Musophaga rossae</i>	1 + 1H
159	Bare-faced Go-away-bird	<i>Corythaixoides personatus</i>	1
160	White-bellied Go-away-bird	<i>Corythaixoides leucogaster</i>	7
161	Eastern Plantain-eater	<i>Crinifer zonurus</i>	1
162	Great Spotted Cuckoo	<i>Clamator glandarius</i>	1
163	Levaillant's Cuckoo	<i>Clamator levaillanti</i>	1
164	Jacobin Cuckoo	<i>Clamator jacobinus</i>	2
165	African Cuckoo	<i>Cuculus gularis</i>	2
166	Common Cuckoo	<i>Cuculus canorus</i>	1
167	Red-chested Cuckoo	<i>Cuculus solitarius</i>	5 + 7H
168	Black Cuckoo	<i>Cuculus clamosus</i>	3 + 4H
169	Diederik Cuckoo	<i>Chrysococcyx caprius</i>	5
170	Klaas's Cuckoo	<i>Chrysococcyx klaas</i>	3 + 2H
171	African Emerald Cuckoo	<i>Chrysococcyx cupreus</i>	2 + 2H
172	Yellowbill	<i>Ceuthmochares aereus</i>	1
173	Blue-headed Coucal	<i>Centropus monachus</i>	2
174	Senegal Coucal	<i>Centropus senegalensis</i>	1
175	White-browed Coucal	<i>Centropus superciliosus</i>	9
176	Barn Owl	<i>Tyto alba</i>	1
177	African Scops-owl	<i>Otus senegalensis</i>	1
178	Northern White-faced Owl	<i>Ptilopsis leucotis</i>	1
179	Mackinder's (Cape) Eagle Owl	<i>Bubo capensis mackinderi</i>	1
180	Spotted (Greyish) Eagle Owl	<i>Bubo africanus</i>	1
181	Verreaux's Eagle Owl	<i>Bubo lacteus</i>	3 + 1H
182	African Wood Owl	<i>Strix woodfordii</i>	1
183	Pearl-spotted Owlet	<i>Glaucidium perlatum</i>	2 + 4H
184	Marsh Owl	<i>Asio capensis</i>	1
185	Montane (Abyssinian) Nightjar	<i>Caprimulgus poliocephalus</i>	1 + 1H
186	Slender-tailed Nightjar	<i>Caprimulgus clarus</i>	1
187	Scarce Swift	<i>Schoutedenapus myoptilus</i>	2
188	African Palm Swift	<i>Cypsiurus parvus</i>	8
189	Mottled Swift	<i>Tachymarptis aequatorialis</i>	1
190	Nyanza Swift	<i>Apus niansae</i>	3
191	African Black Swift	<i>Apus barbatus</i>	1
192	Little Swift	<i>Apus affinis</i>	11
193	Horus Swift	<i>Apus horus</i>	5
194	White-rumped Swift	<i>Apus caffer</i>	8
195	Speckled Mousebird	<i>Colius striatus</i>	13
196	White-headed Mousebird	<i>Colius leucocephalus</i>	2
197	Blue-naped Mousebird	<i>Urocolius macrourus</i>	7
198	Narina Trogon	<i>Apaloderma narina</i>	1 + 1H
199	Bar-tailed Trogon	<i>Apaloderma vittatum</i>	1 + 1H
200	Malachite Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo cristata</i>	5
201	African Pygmy Kingfisher	<i>Ispidina picta</i>	1
202	Woodland Kingfisher	<i>Halcyon senegalensis</i>	3
203	Grey-headed Kingfisher	<i>Halcyon leucocephala</i>	4
204	Striped Kingfisher	<i>Halcyon helicuti</i>	2
205	Giant Kingfisher	<i>Megaceryle maxima</i>	2



206	Pied Kingfisher	<i>Ceryle rudis</i>	7
207	Blue-headed Bee-eater	<i>Merops muelleri</i>	1
208	White-fronted Bee-eater	<i>Merops bullockoides</i>	4
209	Little Bee-eater	<i>Merops pusillus</i>	4
210	Cinnamon-chested Bee-eater	<i>Merops oreobates</i>	9
211	White-throated Bee-eater	<i>Merops albicollis</i>	4
212	Somali Bee-eater	<i>Merops revoilii</i>	1
213	Madagascar Bee-eater	<i>Merops superciliosus</i>	3
214	Broad-billed Roller	<i>Eurystomus glaucurus</i>	1
215	Lilac-breasted Roller	<i>Coracias caudata</i>	8
216	Rufous-crowned Roller	<i>Coracias naevia</i>	3
217	Eurasian Hoopoe	<i>Upupa epops</i>	1
218	African Hoopoe	<i>Upupa africana</i>	6
219	Green Woodhoopoe	<i>Phoeniculus purpureus</i>	5
220	White-headed Woodhoopoe	<i>Phoeniculus bollei</i>	1
221	Common Scimitar-bill	<i>Rhinopomastus cyanomelas</i>	1
222	Abyssinian Scimitar-bill	<i>Rhinopomastus minor</i>	4
223	Red-billed Hornbill	<i>Tockus erythrorhynchus</i>	5
224	Eastern Yellow-billed Hornbill	<i>Tockus flavirostris</i>	2
225	Jackson's Hornbill	<i>Tockus jacksoni</i>	2
226	Von Der Decken's Hornbill	<i>Tockus deckeni</i>	4
227	Crowned Hornbill	<i>Tockus alboterminatus</i>	2
228	Hemprich's Hornbill	<i>Tockus hemprichii</i>	1
229	African Grey Hornbill	<i>Tockus nasutus</i>	4
230	Silvery-cheeked Hornbill	<i>Ceratogymna brevis</i>	2 + 1H
231	Black-and-white-casqued Hornbill	<i>Ceratogymna subcylindricus</i>	3
232	Southern Ground-Hornbill	<i>Bucorvus leadbeateri</i>	1
233	Grey-throated Barbet	<i>Gymnobucco bonapartei</i>	2
234	Moustached Green Tinkerbird	<i>Pogoniulus leucomystax</i>	1
235	Yellow-rumped Tinkerbird	<i>Pogoniulus bilineatus</i>	5 + 2H
	Yellow-fronted Tinkerbird	<i>Pogoniulus chrysoconus</i>	Heard Only
236	Red-fronted Tinkerbird	<i>Pogoniulus pusillus</i>	4
237	Yellow-spotted Barbet	<i>Buccanodon duchaillui</i>	2
	Hairy-breasted Barbet	<i>Tricholaema hirsuta</i>	Heard Only
238	Red-fronted Barbet	<i>Tricholaema diademata</i>	3
239	Spot-flanked Barbet	<i>Tricholaema lacrymosa</i>	3
240	Black-throated Barbet	<i>Tricholaema melanocephala</i>	4
241	White-headed Barbet	<i>Lybius leucocephalus</i>	2
	<i>White-tailed Barbet</i> (race of above)	<i>Lybius leucocephalus albicauda</i>	1
242	Black-billed Barbet	<i>Lybius guifsobalito</i>	1
243	Double-toothed Barbet	<i>Lybius bidentatus</i>	2
244	Yellow-billed Barbet	<i>Trachyphonus purpuratus</i>	1 + 1H
245	Red-and-yellow Barbet	<i>Trachyphonus erythrocephalus</i>	6
246	D'arnaud's Barbet	<i>Trachyphonus darnaudii</i>	3
247	Greater Honeyguide	<i>Indicator indicator</i>	1
248	Lesser Honeyguide	<i>Indicator minor</i>	4
249	Least Honeyguide	<i>Indicator exilis</i>	1
250	Eastern Honeybird	<i>Prodotiscus zambesiae</i>	1
251	Wahlberg's Honeybird	<i>Prodotiscus regulus</i>	1
252	Red-throated Wryneck	<i>Jynx ruficollis</i>	1
253	Nubian Woodpecker	<i>Campethera nubica</i>	6 + 1H
254	Fine-banded (Tullberg's) Woodpecker	<i>Campethera tullbergi taeniolaema</i>	1
255	Buff-spotted Woodpecker	<i>Campethera nivosa</i>	1

256	Brown-eared Woodpecker	<i>Campethera caroli</i>	2
257	Speckle-breasted Woodpecker	<i>Dendropicos poecilolaemus</i>	1
258	Cardinal Woodpecker	<i>Dendropicos fuscescens</i>	7 + 1H
259	Bearded Woodpecker	<i>Dendropicos namaquus</i>	1 + 1H
260	Yellow-crested Woodpecker	<i>Dendropicos xantholophus</i>	1
261	Grey Woodpecker	<i>Dendropicos goertae</i>	2
262	African Grey-headed Woodpecker	<i>Dendropicos spodocephalus</i>	5
263	African Broadbill	<i>Smithornis capensis</i>	1
264	White-tailed Lark	<i>Mirafra albicauda</i>	1
265	Red-winged Lark	<i>Mirafra hypermetra</i>	1
266	Rufous-naped Lark	<i>Mirafra africana</i>	5 + 1H
267	Fawn-coloured (Foxy) Lark	<i>Mirafra africanoides</i>	4
268	Pink-breasted Lark	<i>Mirafra poecilosterna</i>	4
269	Fischer's Sparrow Lark	<i>Eremopterix leucopareia</i>	5
270	Red-capped Lark	<i>Calandrella cinerea</i>	3
271	Short-tailed Lark	<i>Pseudalaemon fremantlii</i>	1
272	Plain Martin	<i>Riparia paludicola</i>	7
273	Banded Martin	<i>Riparia cincta</i>	3
274	Grey-rumped Swallow	<i>Hirundo griseopyga</i>	4
275	Rock Martin	<i>Hirundo fuligula</i>	10
276	Angola Swallow	<i>Hirundo angolensis</i>	4
277	Wire-tailed Swallow	<i>Hirundo smithii</i>	8
278	Lesser Striped Swallow	<i>Hirundo abyssinica</i>	6
279	Mosque Swallow	<i>Hirundo senegalensis</i>	5
280	Red-rumped Swallow	<i>Hirundo daurica rufula</i>	8
281	White-headed Sawwing	<i>Psalidoprocne albiceps</i>	5
282	Black Sawwing	<i>Psalidoprocne holomelas</i>	12
283	African Pied Wagtail	<i>Motacilla aguimp</i>	15
284	Cape Wagtail	<i>Motacilla capensis</i>	1
285	Mountain Wagtail	<i>Motacilla clara</i>	3
286	Golden Pipit	<i>Tmetothylacus tenellus</i>	2
287	Yellow-throated Longclaw	<i>Macronyx croceus</i>	4
288	Rosy-throated Longclaw	<i>Macronyx ameliae</i>	1
289	Pangani Longclaw	<i>Macronyx aurantiigula</i>	1
290	<b>Sharpe's Longclaw - ENDEMIC</b>	<i>Macronyx sharpei</i>	1
291	Plain-backed Pipit	<i>Anthus leucophrys</i>	2
292	African (Grassland) Pipit	<i>Anthus cinnamomeus</i>	4
293	Long-billed Pipit	<i>Anthus similis</i>	1
294	Nairobi Pipit	<i>Anthus chyuluensis</i>	1
295	Grey Cuckoo-shrike	<i>Coracina caesia</i>	2 + 1H
296	Petit's Cuckoo-shrike	<i>Campephaga petiti</i>	2
297	Purple-throated Cuckoo-shrike	<i>Campephaga quiscalina</i>	1
298	Black Cuckoo-shrike	<i>Campephaga flava</i>	5
299	Dodson's Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus barbatus dodsoni</i>	3
300	Common Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus barbatus</i>	14
301	Kakamega (Shelley's) Greenbul	<i>Andropadus kakamegae</i>	1
302	Little Greenbul	<i>Andropadus virens</i>	1
303	Little Grey Greenbul	<i>Andropadus gracilis</i>	2
304	Ansorge's Greenbul	<i>Andropadus ansorgei</i>	1
305	Plain Greenbul (Cameroon Sombre)	<i>Andropadus curvirostris</i>	2
306	Slender-billed Greenbul	<i>Andropadus gracilirostris</i>	3
307	Yellow-whiskered Greenbul	<i>Andropadus latirostris</i>	4
308	Eastern Mountain Greenbul	<i>Andropadus nigriceps</i>	3

	Honeyguide Greenbul	<i>Beapogon indicator</i>	Heard Only
309	Yellow-throated Leaflove	<i>Chlorocichla flavicollis</i>	1 + 1H
310	Joyful Greenbul	<i>Chlorocichla laetissima</i>	2
311	Cabinis's Greenbul	<i>Phyllastrephus cabanisi</i>	2
312	Placid Greenbul	<i>Phyllastrephus placidus</i>	2
313	Northern Brownbul	<i>Phyllastrephus strepitans</i>	2
314	Grey-olive Greenbul	<i>Phyllastrephus cerviniventris</i>	1
315	Toro Olive Greenbul	<i>Phyllastrephus hypochloris</i>	1
316	Red-tailed Bristlebill	<i>Bleda syndactyla</i>	1 + 1H
317	White-tailed Ant-thrush	<i>Neocossyphus poensis</i>	1
318	Little Rock-thrush	<i>Monticola rufocinereus</i>	2
319	Olive (Mountain) Thrush	<i>Turdus olivaceus</i>	6
320	African Thrush	<i>Turdus pelios</i>	5
321	African Bare-eyed Thrush	<i>Turdus tephronotus</i>	1
322	Brown-chested Alethe	<i>Alethe poliocephala</i>	2
323	Red-faced Cisticola	<i>Cisticola erythrops</i>	2
324	Singing Cisticola	<i>Cisticola cantans</i>	1
325	Chubb's Cisticola	<i>Cisticola chubbi</i>	2
326	Hunter's Cisticola	<i>Cisticola hunteri</i>	4
327	Boran Cisticola	<i>Cisticola bodessa</i>	1
328	Rattling Cisticola	<i>Cisticola chiniana</i>	8
329	Ashy Cisticola	<i>Cisticola cinereolus</i>	4
330	Lynes's Cisticola	<i>Cisticola distinctus</i>	2
331	Winding Cisticola	<i>Cisticola galactotes</i>	5
332	Carruther's Cisticola	<i>Cisticola carruthersi</i>	1
333	Levaillant's (Tinkling) Cisticola	<i>Cisticola tinniens</i>	2+ 1H
334	Stout Cisticola	<i>Cisticola robustus</i>	2
335	Croaking Cisticola	<i>Cisticola natalensis</i>	1
336	Siffling Cisticola	<i>Cisticola brachypterus</i>	1
337	Tiny Cisticola	<i>Cisticola nanus</i>	1
338	Zitting Cisticola	<i>Cisticola juncidis</i>	1
339	Desert Cisticola	<i>Cisticola aridulus</i>	2
340	Pectoral-patch Cisticola	<i>Cisticola brunnescens</i>	3
341	Wing-snapping Cisticola	<i>Cisticola ayresii</i>	1
342	Tawny-flanked Prinia	<i>Prinia subflava</i>	6
343	Pale Prinia	<i>Prinia somalica</i>	1
344	White-chinned Prinia	<i>Prinia leucopogon</i>	3
345	Banded (Black-faced) Prinia	<i>Prinia bairdii</i>	2
346	Black-collared Apalis	<i>Apalis pulchra</i>	3
347	Black-throated Apalis	<i>Apalis jacksoni</i>	2
348	Yellow-breasted Apalis	<i>Apalis flavida</i>	6
	<i>Brown-tailed Apalis</i> (race of above)	<i>Apalis flavida viridiceps</i>	1
349	Buff-throated Apalis	<i>Apalis rufogularis</i>	1 + 2H
350	Chestnut-throated Apalis	<i>Apalis porphyrolaema</i>	1
351	Grey Apalis	<i>Apalis cinerea</i>	2
352	Red-fronted Warbler	<i>Urorhipis rufifrons</i>	2
353	Grey-capped Warbler	<i>Eminia lepida</i>	2
354	Grey-backed Camaroptera	<i>Camaroptera brevicaudata</i>	10 + 2H
355	Olive-green Camaroptera	<i>Camaroptera chloronota</i>	2
356	Grey Wren-warbler	<i>Calamonastes simplex</i>	3
357	Little Rush Warbler	<i>Bradypterus baboecala</i>	1
	White-winged Scrub Warbler	<i>Bradypterus carpalis</i>	Heard Only
358	Cinnamon Bracken Warbler	<i>Bradypterus cinnamomeus</i>	1 + 1H

	Evergreen Forest Warbler	<i>Bradypterus lopezi</i>	Heard Only
359	Black-faced Rufous Warbler	<i>Bathmocercus rufus</i>	2
360	African Moustached Warbler	<i>Melocichla mentalis</i>	1 + 1H
361	African Reed-warbler	<i>Acrocephalus cinnamomeus</i>	1
362	Lesser Swamp-warbler	<i>Acrocephalus gracilirostris</i>	3 + 1H
363	Greater Swamp Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus rufescens</i>	2
364	Dark-capped Yellow Warbler	<i>Chloropeta natalensis</i>	1
365	Mountain Yellow Warbler	<i>Chloropeta similis</i>	1
366	Buff-bellied Warbler	<i>Phyllolais pulchella</i>	2 + 1H
367	Yellow-vented Eremomela	<i>Eremomela flavicrissalis</i>	1
368	Yellow-bellied Eremomela	<i>Eremomela icteropygialis</i>	2
369	Green-backed Eremomela	<i>Eremomela canescens</i>	1
370	Turner's Eremomela	<i>Eremomela turneri</i>	1
371	Green Crombec	<i>Sylvietta virens</i>	1
372	White-browed Crombec	<i>Sylvietta leucophrys</i>	1
373	Northern Crombec	<i>Sylvietta brachyura</i>	3
374	Red-faced Crombec	<i>Sylvietta whytii</i>	4 + 1H
375	Somali Long-billed Crombec	<i>Sylvietta isabellina</i>	1
376	Green Hylia	<i>Hylia prasina</i>	1 + 1H
377	Uganda Woodland Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus budongoensis</i>	2
378	Brown Woodland Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus umbrovirens</i>	1 + 1H
379	Southern (Kakamega) Hyliota	<i>Hyliota australis</i>	1
380	Broad-tailed Warbler	<i>Schoenicola brevirostris</i>	2 + 1H
381	Brown Parisoma	<i>Parisoma lugens</i>	3
382	Banded Parisoma	<i>Parisoma boehmi</i>	1 + 2H
383	Silverbird	<i>Empidonis semipartitus</i>	2
384	Pale Flycatcher	<i>Bradornis pallidus</i>	6
385	African Grey Flycatcher	<i>Bradornis microrhynchus</i>	6
386	White-eyed Slaty Flycatcher	<i>Melaenornis fischeri</i>	11
387	Northern Black Flycatcher	<i>Melaenornis edolioides</i>	4
388	Southern Black Flycatcher	<i>Melaenornis pammelaina</i>	2
389	Swamp Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa aquatica</i>	2
390	Chapin's Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa lendu</i>	1
391	African Dusky Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa adusta</i>	4
392	Lead-coloured Flycatcher	<i>Myioparus plumbeus</i>	1
393	White-starred Robin	<i>Pogonocichla stellata</i>	2
394	Equatorial Akalat	<i>Sheppardia aequatorialis</i>	1
395	Cape Robin-chat	<i>Cossypha caffra</i>	4 + 1H
396	Blue-shouldered Robin-chat	<i>Cossypha cyanocampter</i>	1
397	Grey-winged Robin	<i>Cossypha polioptera</i>	1
398	Rueppell's Robin-Chat	<i>Cossypha semirufa</i>	2
399	White-browed Robin-chat	<i>Cossypha heuglini</i>	7
400	Snowy-headed Robin-chat	<i>Cossypha niveicapilla</i>	2
401	Spotted Morning-thrush	<i>Cichladusa guttata</i>	4 + 1H
402	Brown-backed Scrub-robin	<i>Cercotrichas hartlaubi</i>	1
403	Red-backed Scrub-robin	<i>Cercotrichas leucophrys</i>	2
404	White-winged Scrub-robin	<i>Cercotrichas leucoptera</i>	3
405	African Stonechat	<i>Saxicola torquata axillaris</i>	5
406	Schalow's Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe lugens lugubris</i>	1
407	Capped Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe pileata</i>	1
408	Brown-tailed Rock Chat	<i>Cercomela scotocerca</i>	1
409	Northern Anteater-chat	<i>Myrmecocichla aethiops</i>	5
410	Cliff Chat	<i>Thamnolaea cinnamomeiventris</i>	3

411	African Shrike-flycatcher	<i>Megabyas flammulatus</i>	1
412	Brown-throated (Common) Wattle-eye	<i>Platysteira cyanea</i>	2
413	Black-throated Wattle-eye	<i>Platysteira peltata</i>	1
414	Chestnut Wattle-eye	<i>Platysteira castanea</i>	1 + 1H
415	Jameson's Wattle-eye	<i>Platysteira jamesoni</i>	1
	Yellow-bellied Wattle-eye	<i>Platysteira concreta</i>	Heard Only
416	Chinspot Batis	<i>Batis molitor</i>	6
417	Black-headed Batis	<i>Batis minor</i>	1
418	Pygmy Batis	<i>Batis perkeo</i>	2 + 1H
419	African Blue-flycatcher	<i>Elminia longicauda</i>	3
420	Dusky Crested-flycatcher	<i>Elminia nigromitrata</i>	1
421	White-tailed Crested-flycatcher	<i>Elminia albonotatus</i>	1
422	African Paradise-flycatcher	<i>Terpsiphone viridis</i>	8 + 2H
	Scaly-breasted Illadopsis	<i>Illadopsis apbipectus</i>	Heard Only
423	Pale-breasted Illadopsis	<i>Illadopsis rufipennis</i>	1
	Brown Illadopsis	<i>Illadopsis fulvescens</i>	Heard Only
	Grey-chested Illadopsis	<i>Illadopsis cleaveri</i>	Heard Only
424	African Hill-babbler	<i>Illadopsis abyssinica</i>	1
425	Rufous Chatterer	<i>Turdoides rubiginosus</i>	5
426	Black-lored Babbler	<i>Turdoides melanops sharpei</i>	1
427	Northern Pied-babbler	<i>Turdoides hypoleucus</i>	1
428	<b>Hinde's Babbler</b>	<i>Turdoides hindei</i>	1
429	Brown Babbler	<i>Turdoides plebejus</i>	2
430	Arrow-marked Babbler	<i>Turdoides jardineii</i>	1
431	White-bellied Tit	<i>Melaniparus albiventris</i>	5 + 1H
432	Dusky Tit	<i>Melaniparus funereus</i>	2
433	Red-throated Tit	<i>Melaniparus fringillinus</i>	2
434	Somali (Northern Grey) Tit	<i>Melaniparus thruppi</i>	2
435	Mouse-coloured Penduline Tit	<i>Anthoscopus musculus</i>	1
436	Kenya Violet-backed Sunbird	<i>Anthreptes orientalis</i>	3
437	Green (Grey-chinned) Sunbird	<i>Anthreptes rectirostris</i>	2
438	Collared Sunbird	<i>Hedydipna collaris</i>	2
439	Green-headed Sunbird	<i>Cyanomitra verticalis</i>	2
440	Western Olive Sunbird	<i>Cyanomitra olivacea obscura</i>	1
441	Eastern Olive Sunbird	<i>Cyanomitra olivacea</i>	1
442	Green-throated Sunbird	<i>Chalcomitra rubescens</i>	2
443	Amethyst Sunbird	<i>Chalcomitra amethystina</i>	4
444	Scarlet-chested Sunbird	<i>Chalcomitra senegalensis</i>	8
445	Hunter's Sunbird	<i>Chalcomitra hunteri</i>	3
446	Tacazze Sunbird	<i>Nectarinia tacazze</i>	2
447	Bronze Sunbird	<i>Nectarinia kilimensis</i>	9
448	Golden-winged Sunbird	<i>Nectarinia reichenowi</i>	4
449	Malachite Sunbird	<i>Nectarinia famosa</i>	3
450	Olive-bellied Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris chloropygius</i>	1
451	Northern Double-collared Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris preussi</i>	7
452	Eastern Double-collared Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris mediocris</i>	4
453	Beautiful Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris pulchellus</i>	3
454	Marico Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris mariquensis</i>	3
455	Red-chested Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris erythrocerca</i>	2
456	Black-bellied Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris nectarinioides</i>	2
457	Orange-tufted Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris bouvieri</i>	1
458	Purple-banded Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris bifasciata</i>	1
459	Variable Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris venusta</i>	7

460	Copper Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris cupreus</i>	1
461	African Yellow White-eye	<i>Zosterops senegalensis</i>	7
462	Montane (Broad-ringed) White-eye	<i>Zosterops poliogaster kikuyuensis</i>	3
463	Abyssinian White-eye	<i>Zosterops abyssinicus</i>	2
464	Western Black-headed Oriole	<i>Oriolus brachyrhynchus</i>	2
465	African Black-headed Oriole	<i>Oriolus larvatus</i>	6
466	Montane (Black-tailed) Oriole	<i>Oriolus percivali</i>	2
467	Grey-backed Fiscal	<i>Lanius excubitoroides</i>	6
468	Long-tailed Fiscal	<i>Lanius cabanisi</i>	2
469	Taita Fiscal	<i>Lanius dorsalis</i>	4
470	Mackinnon's Shrike	<i>Lanius mackinnoni</i>	1
471	Common Fiscal	<i>Lanius collaris</i>	12
472	Northern White-crowned Shrike	<i>Eurocephalus rueppelli</i>	6
473	Brubru	<i>Nilaus afer</i>	8
474	Northern Puffback	<i>Dryoscopus gambensis</i>	4
475	Black-backed Puffback	<i>Dryoscopus cubla</i>	3 + 1H
476	Pink-footed Puffback	<i>Dryoscopus angolensis</i>	2
477	Black-crowned Tchagra	<i>Tchagra senegala</i>	2
478	Brown-crowned Tchagra	<i>Tchagra australis</i>	2 + 2H
479	Three-streaked Tchagra	<i>Tchagra jamesi</i>	3
480	Luehder's Bushshrike	<i>Laniarius luehderi</i>	2
481	Tropical Boubou	<i>Laniarius aethiopicus</i>	8 + 2H
482	Black-headed Gonolek	<i>Laniarius erythrogaster</i>	3
483	Papyrus Gonolek	<i>Laniarius mufumbiri</i>	1
484	Slate-coloured Boubou	<i>Laniarius funebris</i>	6 + 1H
485	Rosy-patched Bushshrike	<i>Rhodophoneus cruentus</i>	3 + 1H
486	Grey-green (Bocage's) Bushshrike	<i>Telophorus bocagei</i>	1 + 1H
487	Sulphur-breasted Bushshrike	<i>Telophorus sulfureopectus</i>	4 + 1H
488	Black-fronted Bushshrike	<i>Telophorus nigrifrons</i>	1
489	Grey-headed Bushshrike	<i>Malaconotus blanchoti</i>	2 + 3H
490	White-crested Helmetshrike	<i>Prionops plumatus</i>	2
491	Grey-crested Helmetshrike	<i>Prionops poliophus</i>	1
492	Square-tailed Drongo	<i>Dicrurus ludwigii</i>	2
493	Fork-tailed Drongo	<i>Dicrurus adsimilis</i>	10
494	Cape Crow	<i>Corvus capensis</i>	9
495	Pied Crow	<i>Corvus albus</i>	12
496	Fan-tailed Raven	<i>Corvus rhipidurus</i>	5
497	Greater Blue-eared Glossy Starling	<i>Lamprotornis chalybaeus</i>	7
498	Bronze-tailed Glossy Starling	<i>Lamprotornis chalcurus</i>	1
499	Rueppell's Glossy-Starling	<i>Lamprotornis purpuropterus</i>	6
500	Golden-breasted Starling	<i>Lamprotornis regius</i>	1
501	Superb Starling	<i>Lamprotornis superbus</i>	11
502	Hildebrandt's Starling	<i>Lamprotornis hildebrandti</i>	1
503	Fischer's Starling	<i>Spreo fischeri</i>	1
504	Wattled Starling	<i>Creatophora cinerea</i>	7
505	Red-winged Starling	<i>Onychognathus morio</i>	5
506	Slender-billed Starling	<i>Onychognathus tenuirostris</i>	1
507	Bristle-crowned Starling	<i>Onychognathus salvadorii</i>	2
508	Stuhlmann's Starling	<i>Poeoptera stuhlmanni</i>	2
509	Violet-backed Starling	<i>Cinnyricinclus leucogaster</i>	3
510	Magpie Starling	<i>Speculipaster bicolor</i>	1
511	Abbott's Starling	<i>Pholia femoralis</i>	2
512	Red-billed Oxpecker	<i>Buphagus erythrorhynchus</i>	5

513	Yellow-billed Oxpecker	<i>Buphagus africanus</i>	1
514	House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>	6
515	Kenya Rufous-Sparrow	<i>Passer motitensis rufocinctus</i>	6
516	Grey-headed Sparrow	<i>Passer griseus</i>	4
517	Parrot-billed Sparrow	<i>Passer gongonensis</i>	6
518	Chestnut Sparrow	<i>Passer eminibey</i>	3
519	Yellow-spotted Petronia	<i>Petronia pyrgita</i>	3
520	White-billed Buffalo-weaver	<i>Bubalornis albirostris</i>	2
521	Red-billed Buffalo-weaver	<i>Bubalornis niger</i>	3
522	White-headed Buffalo-weaver	<i>Dinemellia dinemelli</i>	5
523	Speckle-fronted Weaver	<i>Sporopipes frontalis</i>	4
524	White-browed Sparrow-weaver	<i>Plocepasser mahali</i>	9
525	Donaldson-smith's Sparrow-weaver	<i>Plocepasser donaldsoni</i>	2
526	Grey-headed Social-weaver	<i>Pseudonigrita araudi</i>	1
527	Black-capped Social-weaver	<i>Pseudonigrita cabanisi</i>	3
528	Baglafecht Weaver	<i>Ploceus baglafecht</i>	11
529	Slender-billed Weaver	<i>Ploceus pelzelni</i>	2
530	Little Weaver	<i>Ploceus luteolus</i>	2
531	Lesser Masked Weaver	<i>Ploceus intermedius</i>	3
532	Spectacled Weaver	<i>Ploceus ocularis</i>	5 + 2H
533	Black-necked Weaver	<i>Ploceus nigricollis</i>	3
534	Black-billed Weaver	<i>Ploceus melanogaster</i>	1
535	African Golden-weaver	<i>Ploceus subaureus</i>	1
536	Holub's Golden-weaver	<i>Ploceus xanthops</i>	2
537	Golden Palm Weaver	<i>Ploceus bojeri</i>	1
538	Northern Brown-throated Weaver	<i>Ploceus castanops</i>	2
539	Northern Masked-weaver	<i>Ploceus taeniopterus</i>	2
540	Vitelline Masked-weaver	<i>Ploceus velatus vitellinus</i>	5
541	Village Weaver	<i>Ploceus cucullatus</i>	5
542	Speke's Weaver	<i>Ploceus spekei</i>	4
543	Vieillot's Black Weaver	<i>Ploceus nigerrimus</i>	2
544	Yellow-backed Weaver	<i>Ploceus melanocephalus</i>	2
545	Golden-backed (Jackson's) Weaver	<i>Ploceus jacksoni</i>	3
546	Chestnut Weaver	<i>Ploceus rubiginosus</i>	5
547	Dark-backed (Forest) Weaver	<i>Ploceus bicolor</i>	2
548	Brown-capped Weaver	<i>Ploceus insignis</i>	4
549	Compact Weaver	<i>Pachyphantes superciliosus</i>	1
550	Red-headed Malimbe	<i>Malimbus rubricollis</i>	1
551	Red-billed Quelea	<i>Quelea quelea</i>	6
552	Cardinal Quelea	<i>Quelea cardinalis</i>	2
553	Red-headed Weaver	<i>Anaplectes rubriceps</i>	5
554	Black Bishop	<i>Euplectes gierowii</i>	1
555	Black-winged Red Bishop	<i>Euplectes hordeaceus</i>	1
	Northern Red Bishop	<i>Euplectes franciscanus</i>	Single observer sighting
556	Southern Red Bishop	<i>Euplectes orix</i>	1
557	Yellow Bishop	<i>Euplectes capensis</i>	4 + 1H
558	Fan-tailed Widowbird	<i>Euplectes axillaris</i>	2
559	Yellow-shouldered Widowbird	<i>Euplectes macrourus macrocercus</i>	2
560	White-winged Widowbird	<i>Euplectes albonotatus</i>	1
561	Red-collared Widowbird	<i>Euplectes ardens</i>	4
562	Long-tailed Widowbird	<i>Euplectes progne</i>	2
563	Jackson's Widowbird	<i>Euplectes jacksoni</i>	4
564	Hartlaub's Marsh Widowbird	<i>Euplectes hartlaubi</i>	1

565	Grosbeak Weaver	<i>Amblyospiza albifrons</i>	5
566	White-breasted Negrofinch	<i>Nigrita fusconota</i>	1
567	Grey-headed Negrofinch	<i>Nigrita canicapilla</i>	1
568	Green-winged Pytilia	<i>Pytilia melba</i>	1
569	Abyssinian Crimson-wing	<i>Cryptospiza salvadorii</i>	2
570	Red-headed Bluebill	<i>Spermophaga ruficapilla</i>	2
571	Bar-breasted Firefinch	<i>Lagonosticta rufopicta</i>	1
572	Red-billed Firefinch	<i>Lagonosticta senegala</i>	7
573	African Firefinch	<i>Lagonosticta rubricata</i>	1
574	Red-cheeked Cordonbleu	<i>Uraeginthus bengalus</i>	6
575	Blue-capped Cordonbleu	<i>Uraeginthus cyanocephalus</i>	2
576	Purple Grenadier	<i>Uraeginthus ianthinogaster</i>	4
577	Yellow-bellied Waxbill	<i>Estrilda quartinia</i>	2
578	Fawn-breasted Waxbill	<i>Estrilda paludicola</i>	1
579	Crimson-rumped Waxbill	<i>Estrilda rhodopyga</i>	3
580	Black-rumped Waxbill	<i>Estrilda troglodytes</i>	1
581	Common Waxbill	<i>Estrilda astrild</i>	8
582	Black-crowned Waxbill	<i>Estrilda nonnula</i>	1
583	Black-headed Waxbill	<i>Estrilda atricapilla</i>	1
584	Black-cheeked Waxbill	<i>Estrilda charmosyna</i>	1
585	African Quailfinch	<i>Ortygospiza atricollis</i>	2 + 2H
586	African Silverbill	<i>Lonchura cantans</i>	2
587	Grey-headed Silverbill	<i>Lonchura griseicapilla</i>	1
588	Locustfinch	<i>Ortygospiza locustella</i>	1
589	Bronze Mannikin	<i>Lonchura cucullata</i>	8
590	Black-and-white Mannikin	<i>Lonchura bicolor</i>	2
591	Brown -backed Mannikin	<i>Lonchura nigriceps</i>	3
592	Cut-throat	<i>Amadina fasciata</i>	2
593	Village Indigobird	<i>Vidua chalybeata</i>	3
594	Straw-tailed Whydah	<i>Vidua fischeri</i>	1
595	Pin-tailed Whydah	<i>Vidua macroura</i>	10
596	Eastern Paradise Whydah	<i>Vidua paradisaea</i>	1
597	Yellow-crowned Canary	<i>Serinus canicollis flavivertex</i>	4
598	African Citril (Western)	<i>Serinus citrinelloides</i>	5
599	East African Citril( Southern)	<i>Serinus citrinelloides hypostictus</i>	2
600	Papyrus Canary	<i>Serinus koliensis</i>	1
601	Kenya Yellow-rumped Seedeater	<i>Serinus atrogularis reichenowi</i>	7
602	Yellow-fronted Canary	<i>Serinus mozambicus</i>	3
603	Southern Grosbeak-canary	<i>Serinus buchanani</i>	1
604	White-bellied Canary	<i>Serinus dorsostriatus</i>	7
605	Brimstone Canary	<i>Serinus sulphuratus</i>	5
606	Streaky Seedeater	<i>Serinus striolatus</i>	10
607	Thick-billed Seedeater	<i>Serinus burtoni</i>	3
608	Cinnamon-breasted Bunting	<i>Emberiza tahapisi</i>	5
609	Golden-breasted Bunting	<i>Emberiza flaviventris</i>	2
610	Somali Golden-breasted Bunting	<i>Emberiza poliopleura</i>	2



	<b>Mammals &amp; Other Animals</b>	Scientific Name	Number of days out of 15 recorded
1	Abyssinian Black-and-white Colobus	<i>Colobus polykomos</i>	8
2	Olive Baboon	<i>Papio anubis</i>	8
3	Vervet Monkey (Black-faced)	<i>Cercopithecus aethiops</i>	9
4	Mount Kenya Sykes Monkey	<i>Cercopithecus albogularis</i>	1
5	Red-tailed Monkey	<i>Cercopithecus nictitans</i>	2
6	Blue Monkey	<i>Cercopithecus nictitans</i>	2
7	Cape Hare	<i>Lepus capensis</i>	4
8	Unstriped Ground Squirrel	<i>Xerus rutilus</i>	6
9	Mt. Kenya Bush Squirrel	<i>Paraxerus sp.</i>	2
10	Kerio Valley Bush Squirrel	<i>Paraxerus sp.</i>	1
11	Red-legged Sun Squirrel	<i>Heliosciurus rufobrachium</i>	2
12	White-tailed Mongoose	<i>Ichneumia albicauda</i>	1
13	Northern Dwarf Mongoose	<i>Helogale parvula</i>	2
14	White-winged Tomb Bat	<i>Taphozous mauritanus</i>	2
15	Yellow-winged Bat	<i>Lavia fons</i>	2
16	Wahlberg's Epauletted Fruit Bat		1
17	Black-backed Jackel	<i>Canis mesomelas</i>	2
18	Marsh Mongoose	<i>Atilax paludinosus</i>	2
19	Spotted Hyaena	<i>Crocuta crocuta</i>	3
20	Common Genet	<i>Genetta genetta</i>	1
21	Leopard	<i>Panthera pardus</i>	2
22	Lion	<i>Panthera leo</i>	1
23	Rock Hyrax	<i>Procavia capensis</i>	3
	Tree Hyrax	<i>Dendrohyrax dorsalis</i>	Heard Only
24	Yellow-spotted (Bush) Hyrax	<i>Heterohyrax brucei</i>	3
25	African Savannah Elephant	<i>Loxodonta Africana</i>	3
26	African Forest Elephant	<i>Loxodonta cyclotis</i>	1
27	Common Zebra	<i>Equus burchelli</i>	6
28	Grevy's Zebra	<i>Equus grevyi</i>	1
29	Black Rhinoceros	<i>Diceros bicornis</i>	2
30	White Rhinoceros	<i>Ceratotherium simum</i>	2
31	Hippopotamus	<i>Hippopotamus amphibius</i>	5
32	Common Warthog	<i>Phacochoerus aethiopicus</i>	4
33	Masai Giraffe	<i>Giraffe camelopardalis</i>	3
34	Reticulated Giraffe	<i>Giraffe reticulate</i>	3
35	Rothschild's Giraffe	<i>Giraffe rothchildi</i>	2
36	Cape Buffalo	<i>Syncerus caffer</i>	6
37	Bushbuck	<i>Tragelaphus scriptus</i>	4
38	Eland	<i>Taurotragus oryx</i>	3
39	Kirk's Dikdik	<i>Rhynchotragus</i>	5
40	Common Waterbuck	<i>Kobus ellipsiprymnus</i>	3
41	Defassa Waterbuck	<i>Kobus ellipsiprymnus defassa</i>	4
42	Thomson's Gazelle	<i>Gazella thomsonii</i>	5
43	Grant's Gazelle	<i>Gazella granti</i>	5
44	Gerenuk	<i>Litocranius walleri</i>	3
45	Impala	<i>Aepyceros melampus</i>	10
46	Coke's Hartebeest	<i>Alcelaphus buselaphus cokii</i>	1
47	White-bearded Gnu	<i>Connochaetes taurinus</i>	1
48	Beisa Oryx	<i>Oryx beisa</i>	3

49	Suni	<i>Neotragus moschatus</i>	1
50	Nile Crocodile	<i>Crocodulus niloticus</i>	4
51	Four-toed Elephant Shrew	<i>Petrodromus tetradactylus</i>	1
52	Bush Pig	<i>Potamochoerus larvatus</i>	1
53	Nile Monitor Lizard	<i>Varanus niloticus</i>	1
54	White-throated Savannah Monitor	<i>Varanus exanthematicus albigularis</i>	1
55	Rock Agama	<i>Agama agama</i>	3
56	Elementeita Rock Agama	<i>Agama caudospina</i>	1
57	Blue-headed Tree Agama	<i>Acanthocerus atricollis</i>	1
58	Tropical House Gecko	<i>Hemidactylus mabouia</i>	6
59	Variable Skink	<i>Eumeces gaigeae</i>	1
60	Panther Toad	<i>Bufo regularis</i>	2
61	Serrated Hinged Terrapin	<i>Pelusios sinuatus</i>	1
62	Leopard Tortoise	<i>Geochelone pardalis</i>	1
63	Jackson's Chameleon	<i>Chameleo jacksoni</i>	1
64	Battersby's Green Snake	<i>Philothamnus battersbyi</i>	1
65	Speckled Sand Snake	<i>Psammophis punctulatus</i>	1