

## AVIFAUNA

The following bird records are duplicated from, The Keith Hindwood Bird Recording Service. The recorder is a Mr E.S.Hoskins who has been associated with Centennial Park for over 50 years.

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Great Crested Grebe. A rare visitor

Hoary-headed Grebe. A rare visitor

Australian Little Grebe. Always present in small numbers.

Wedge-tailed Shearwater. A storm-blown victim. ( 1978)

Australian Pelican. First recorded in 1976, a peak of 50 birds in 1978, small numbers since.

Australian Gannett. A storm-blown victim. (1984)

Darter. Often seen

Greater Cormorant. Always present. Roosts in trees on islands at night. Nesting yearly since 1983.

Pied Cormorant. Rare.

Little Black Cormorant. A breeding resident.

Little Pied Cormorant. A breeding resident.

Pacific Heron. Recorded occasionally.

White-faced heron. Often present.

Cattle Egret. Rare

Little Egret. Rare

Plumed Egret. Occasional

Mangrove Heron. A rare visitor

Rufous Night-Heron. Once regularly observed, now occasional.

Little Bittern. Irregular.

Australasian Bittern. Rare

Sacred Ibis. Very common. Breeding resident

Straw necked Ibis. A rare straggler

Royal Spoonbill. Occasional

Yellow-billed Spoonbill. A rare visitor

Magpie-Goose. Rare ( 1987-8)

Black Swan. A breeding resident

Pacific Black Duck. A common breeding resident

Grey Teal. Occasionally seen in small numbers.

Chestnut Teal. Occasionally seen in small numbers.

Pink-eared Duck. Rare

Hardhead. Present most of time; numbers fluctuate

Maned Duck. Present in small numbers

Musk Duck. A breeding resident

Black-shouldered Kite. Occasional

Whistling Kite. Rare

Brown Goshawk. Rare

Collared Sparrowhawk. Rare

White-bellied Sea-eagle. Rare

Little Eagle. Rare

Swamp Harrier. Rare

Peregrine Falcon. Occasional visitor

Australian Hobby. Occasional visitor

Brown Falcon. Rare

Australian Kestrel. Occasional visitor

Brown Quail. Rare

King Quail. Rare

Little Button-Quail. Rare

Banded Rail. Rare

Lewin's Rail. Rare

Corncrake. Exceptionally rare ( 1893, only Australian mainland record.)

Marsh Crake. Occasional visitor

Spotted Crake. Occasional visitor

Dusky Moorhen. A common breeding resident

Purple Swamphen. A common breeding resident.

Eurasian Coot. A common resident. Occasionally breeds.

Masked Lapwings. Resident and breeds

Banded Plover. Rare

Red-kneed Plover. Rare

Black-fronted Plover. Rare, except when lakes are low

Black-winged Stilt. Rare

Little Curlew. Rare. One record, 1981

Upland Plover. Exceptionally rare. ( 1848, only Australian mainland record )

Greenshank. Rare

Japanese Snipe. Occasional visitor in summer.

Marsh Sandpiper. Rare

Sharp-tailed Sandpiper. Rare

Pectoral Sandpiper. Rare in the park and uncommon elsewhere

Silver gull. Common

Whiskered Tern. Occasional visitor

Common Tern. A summer visitor

Little Tern. Occasional visitor in summer

Topknot Pigeon. Very rare

Peaceful Dove. Rare

Bar-shouldered Dove. Rare. One record (1982)

Crested Pigeon.

Galah. Common at times in large flocks

Long-billed Corella. Regular

Little Corella. Occasional visitor in small flocks

Sulphur-crested Cockatoo. Regular

Rainbow Lorikeet. Seen on most occasions

King Parrot. Rare

Red-winged Parrot. An escapee

Buderigar. An aviary escapee

Crimson Rosella. A rare straggler

Eastern Rosella. A breeding resident

Port Lincoln Parrot. An aviary escapee

Pale-headed Rosella. An aviary escapee

Red-rumped Parrot. Occasional

Blue Bonnet. An aviary escapee

Pallid Cuckoo. An occasional summer migrant, once more frequent

Brush Cuckoo. Rare

Fan-tailed Cuckoo. Often observed throughout the year

Horsfield's Cuckoo. Mainly spring and summer months

Golden Bronze Cuckoo. Records for every month

Common Koel. A summer migrant

Channel-billed Cuckoo. A rare summer migrant

Southern Boobook. An occasional visitor

Barn owl. One summer record

Tawny Frogmouth. An uncommon breeding resident

Spine-tailed swift. A summer migrant from east Asia

Azure kingfisher. A former breeding resident, now rare.

Laughing Kookaburra. A breeding resident.

Dollarbird. A passage migrant. Irregular

Welcome Swallow. Common

Tree Martin. Uncommon

Fairy Martin. Uncommon

Australian Pipit. Once commonly seen in small numbers, now rare.

Black-faced Cuckoo-shrike. A breeding resident

White-winged Triller. A rare summer migrant

Rose Robin. An autumn and winter nomad. Rare

Eastern Yellow Robin. A breeding resident

Jack winter. Once common, now rare

Golden Whistler. A regular nomad

Rufous Whistler. A regular breeding summer migrant

Black-faced monarch. An irregular passage migrant

Satin Flycatcher. A rare passage migrant

Restless Flycatcher. Once regular, now rare

Rufous Fantail. A regular autumn and winter visitor

Willy wag tail. A common breeding resident

Clamorous Reed Warbler. Once common, now in less numbers through lack of breeding situations

Little Grassbird. Once common, now rare

Golden-headed Cisticola. Once common, now rare, through habitat clearing

Superb Fairy-Wren. A breeding resident

Southern Emu Wren. Not recorded since early part of century

Brown Warbler. An uncommon winter nomad

White-throated Warbler. A rare passage migrant

Yellow-Rumped Thornbill. A breeding resident

Yellow Thornbill. A common breeding resident

Red Wattlebird. Rare winter visitor

Little Wattlebird. A rare visitor

Noisy Friarbird. A rare straggler

Noisy Miner. A small colony

Yellow-faced Honeyeater. A migratory winter visitor

White-Plumed Honeyeater. A common breeding resident now rare

White-naped Honey eater. A rare autumn and winter migrant

New Holland Honeyeater. A breeding resident

Diamond Firetail. Recorded in early days

Crimson Finch. An aviary escapee

Zebra Finch. Occasional visitor

Double-barred Finch. An occasional rare breeding species

Chestnut-breasted Mannikin. Occasional. Probably aviary escapees

Olive-backed Oriole. A rare nomad

Figbird. A breeding resident

Spangled Drongo. An occasional winter visitor

Magpie-Lark. A breeding resident

White-breasted Woodswallow. A recent visitation, has bred over the last three years

Masked Woodswallow. A single bird recorded in 1945

Australian Magpie. A breeding resident

Pied Currawong. A breeding resident

Australian Raven. A breeding resident.

#### INTRODUCED SPECIES

Mute Swan. Once resident. No record since 1955

Mallard. Common, with many aberrant species

Greylag and Chinese Geese. A mixed gaggle

Feral pigeon. Common

Spotted Turtle-Dove. Common

Peach-faced Lorikeet. An aviary escapee

Skylark. Once regular. Last record 1944

Red-whiskered Bulbul. Common

Blackbird. A breeding resident

European Goldfinch. Uncommon resident

European Greenfinch. A breeding resident

House Sparrow. A breeding resident

Nutmeg Mannikin. A breeding resident occasionally

Common Starling. Common

Common Myna. Common

