



SOUTH AFRICA

Oct 27 – Nov 11 2025

TRIP REPORT



Here we all are at the furthest tip of South Africa, Cape Agulhas!

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TOUR SUMMARY:

Our South Africa – Cape & Kruger Tour began smoothly with everyone safely arrived in Cape Town. Our first stop was the Kirstenbosch Botanical Gardens, where we enjoyed excellent views of many birds. Highlights included a Spotted Eagle with its chick, close encounters with Sweet Waxbills, nesting Olive Woodpecker and Cape Batis, plus a rare Brown-backed Honeybird. Outside Cape Town, we visited a site for the elusive Rockjumper and scoped a pair on a rocky hillside. Nearby, we enjoyed an African Penguin colony and had great success locating the rare Black Harrier. At West Coast National Park, we saw our first Common Ostriches and Greater Flamingos alongside a wealth of shorebirds. Heading east, we visited Wilderness and saw two Knysna specialties: Turaco and Warbler, plus the stunning Chorister Robin Chat. At De Hoop, we added Knysna Woodpecker to complete the trio. Other sightings included Blue Cranes, larks, lapwings, korhaans, and along the pure white coast, a Southern Right Whale with its calf. After our Cape adventure, we flew to Johannesburg to begin the Kruger chapter. We took two days to reach the park, birding en route through Dullstroom. Here we found Gurney's Sugarbird, displaying Long-tailed Widowbirds, and the tricky Yellow-breasted Pipit. Entering Kruger, the habitat shift was dramatic—this felt like the Africa we knew from TV. Our two superb local guides, with extended luxury jeeps, helped us build a huge list of birds and mammals, with prolonged and thrilling views. Raptors were abundant, along with hornbills, shrikes, cuckoos, bustards, rollers, larks, cisticolas, and starlings. We encountered herds of Elephants, Giraffes, Hippos, and many antelope species. A major highlight was a Leopard with its kill, plus two Cheetahs resting under a tree and some lazy Lions. With so much seen—great guides, food, and company—this summary only scratches the surface. You'll need to see the full report to truly appreciate the experience.

HIGHLIGHTS

Either for rarity value, excellent views or simply a group favourite.

- Rockjumper
- Knysna Turaco
- Black Harrier
- Chorister Robin-Chat
- African Penguin
- Cape Sugarbird
- Knysna Warbler
- Spotted Eagle & chicks
- Blue Cranes
- African Hoopoe
- Bokmakerie
- Grey-winged Francolin
- Kori Bustard
- Lemon Dove
- White-crowned Lapwing
- Red-crested Korhan
- African Harrier-Hawk
- Crested Barbet
- Brown-backed Honeybird
- Knysna Woodpecker
- Secretarybird
- Gurney's Sugarbird
- Namaqua Sandgrouse
- Purple-crested Turaco
- Black-bellied Bustard's
- Saddle-billed Stork
- Thick-billed Cuckoo
- Southern Ground Hornbill
- Olive Bushshrike
- Retz's Helmetshrike
- Cape Rockjumper
- Agulhas Long-billed Lark
- Lappet-faced Vulture
- Chestnut-vented Tit-babbler
- Violet-backed Starling
- Cape Sugarbird
- Long-tailed Widowbird
- Yellow-breasted Pipit
- Kirstenbosch Gardens
- HAMMERKOP !!!!
- Bateleur
- Lilac-breasted Roller
- Martial Eagle
- Southern Right Whale
- Leopard with kill
- Cheetah
- Cape Grysbok
- African Elephant
- Southern Giraffe
- Spotted Hyena
- Dwarf Mongoose
- Large-spotted Genet
- Lion
- Rock Hyrax & babies
- Leopard Tortoise
- Giant Plated Lizard
- Painted Emperor

And so, our Cape & Kruger Tour began. And from our lovely accommodation our first visit was to the wonderful Kirstenbosch Botanical Gardens. A favourite of everyone!



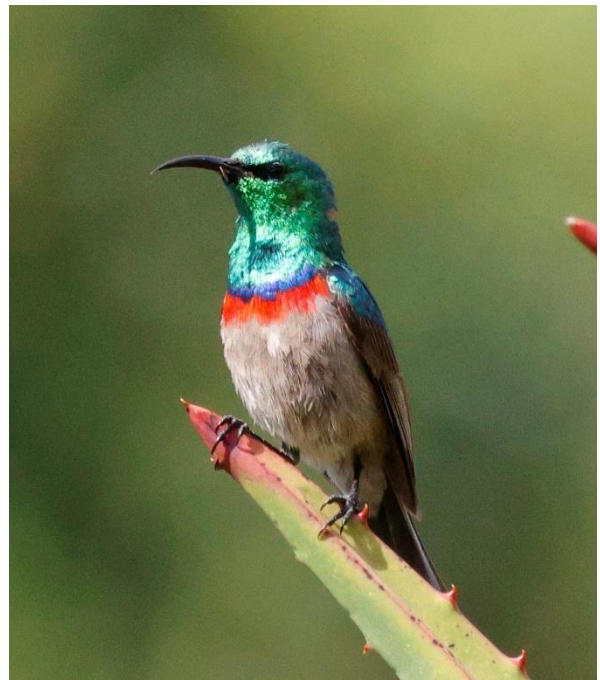
One of the first birds we saw was the little African Grey Flycatcher



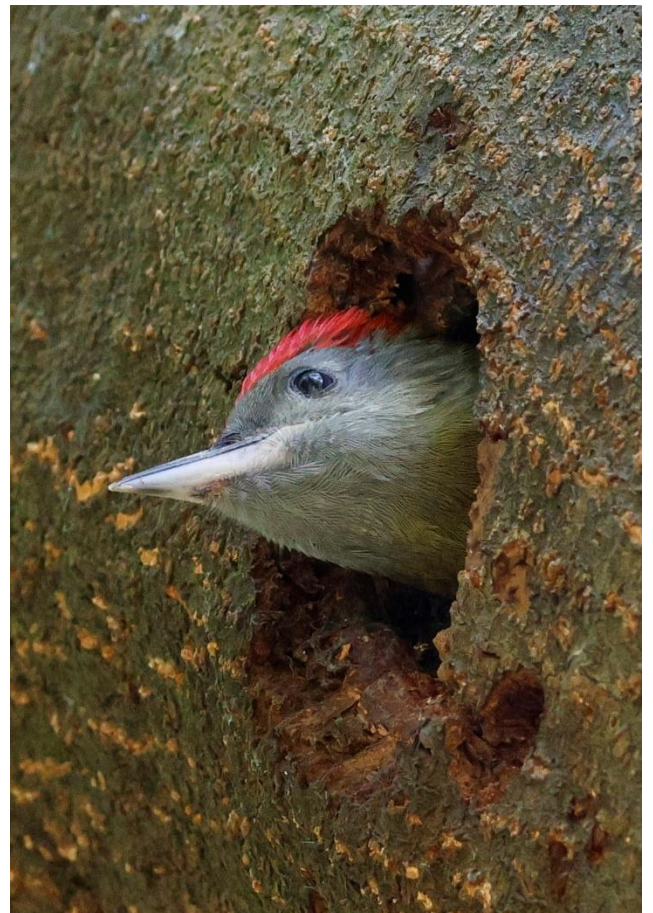
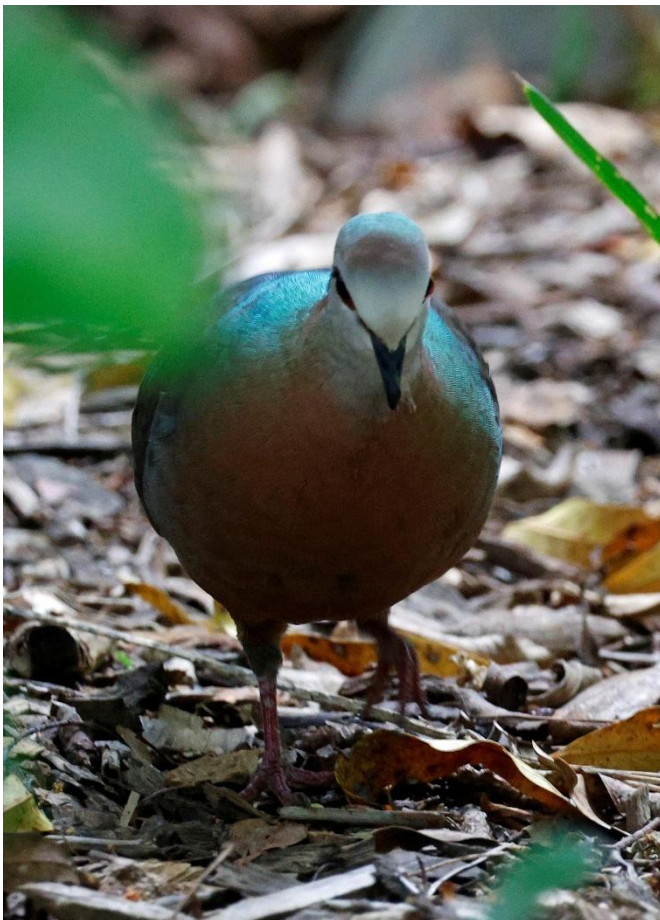
A real highlight was seeing this adult Spotted Eagle Owl with its chick in the flowerbeds. Amazing close views, while the other adult looked on from a nearby tree



As we walked throughout the gardens we encountered many exciting and special birds.



Cape Sugarbirds gave wonderful close views and we had lots of Southern Double-collared Sunbirds



We worked hard for everyone to get views of a Lemon Dove, while a nesting pair of Olive Woodpeckers was much easier to see.

A nest of a pair of Cape Batis was wonderful to watch.



And some butterflies



Palm-tree Nightfighter
(*Zophopetes dysmephila*)



Water Geranium Bronze
(*Cacyreus fracta*)

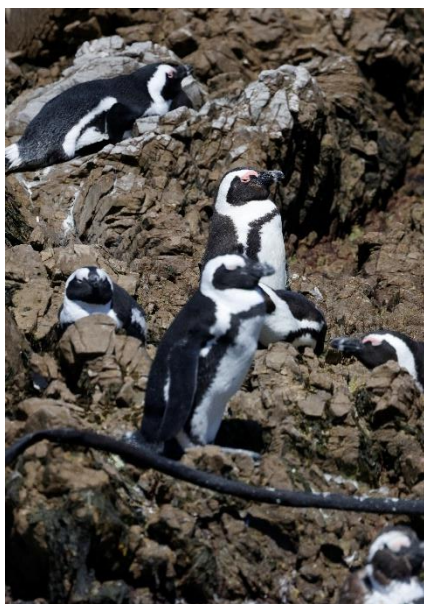


We then moved to the local sewerage works which were teeming with thousands of birds. Here are a few 2 Fulvous Whistling-Ducks, 3 Red-billed Teal and a Hadada Ibis.

Next, we headed out to an area of rocky coast where we saw a pair of Rockjumpers, but we could not get good photos. However other birds appeared much closer such as this Karoo Prinia.



Down on the beach we enjoyed a group of African Penguins, which were being pretty lazy. Some more further on were coming in and out of the surf.



On the same beach were a couple of African Oystercatchers, while among the rocks we watched a few smart looking Southern Rock Agamas.



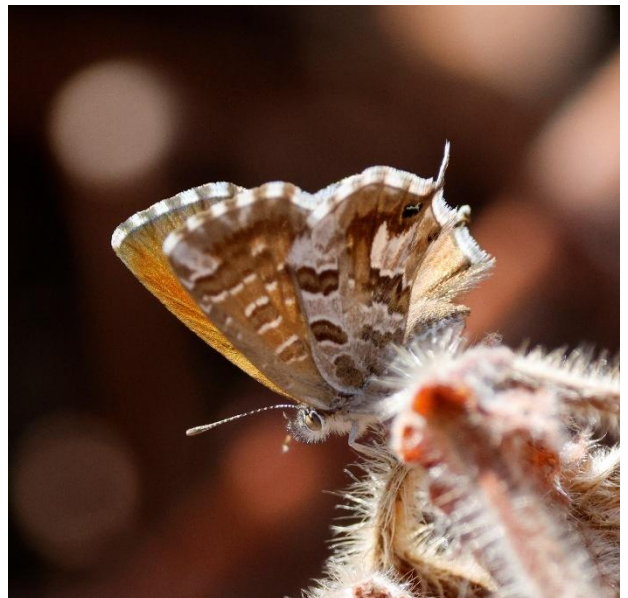
There were plenty of other things to see in this area including Angulate Tortoises and some very showy Grey-backed Cisticola.



It was great to find a lone Grey-headed Gull among the flocks of Hartlaub's Gulls.



A few other things were found including Red-veined Dropwing, and a Water Bronze butterfly



Time to move on and we headed to West Coast National Park. Where our first stop was a hide overlooking a small pool. Red Red-knobbed Coots showed well



An African Spoonbill posed nicely from the hide and then as we continued through the park several Common Ostriches were seen.



A White-throated Swallow joined us in the hide, while beside a boardwalk this Kittlitz's Plover showed nicely



We visited an area where Black Harriers breed and we saw several here, but got even better views at other spots throughout the day.



Several flowers – Longstalk Storksbill - were seen on our walk as well as groups of African Black Swifts.



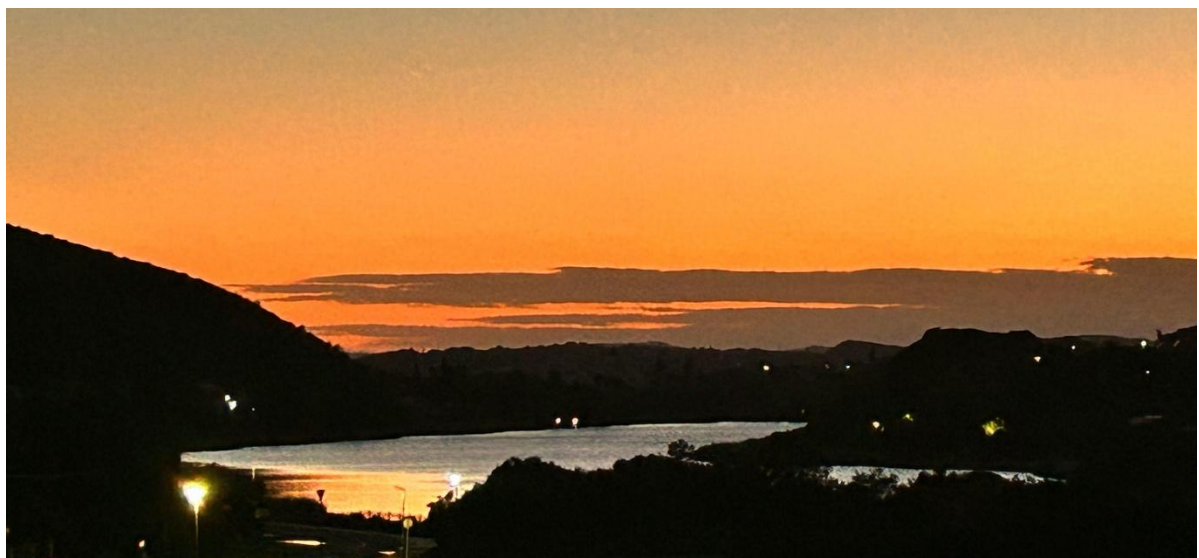
Our first Steenbok was seen as well as the attractive Bontebok.



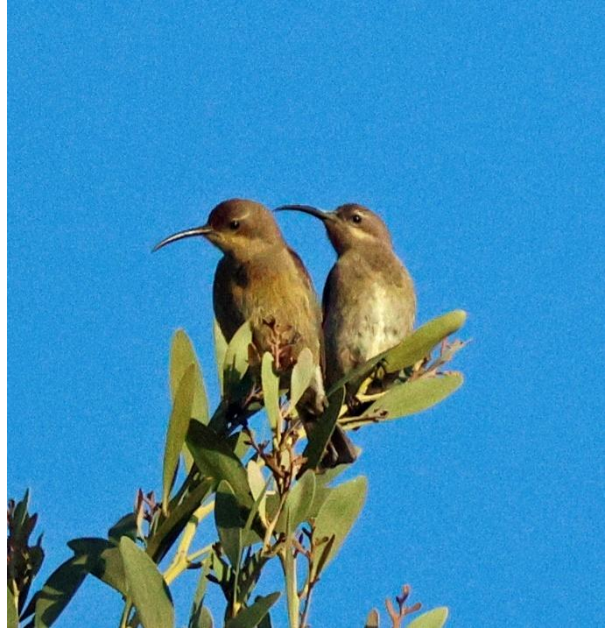
It was time to move on again and this time we headed east towards the town of Wilderness. Our first stop was to look at a pair of nesting Spotted Thick-knee's in Cape Town. Later in our hotel in Wilderness it was Steve's birthday, and a very nice cake!!



Sunrise from our hotel in Wilderness. Photo by Rubina



There were plenty of special birds in this area and we were lucky with most of them. Our early morning visit to a tract of forest produced a pair of Grey Sunbirds and some very vocal Olive Bushshrikes.



The beautiful Chorister Robin-chat showed well as did the often-skulking Lemon Dove



A pair of Grey Cuckooshrikes were eventually tracked down (photo Abby) and an obliging Olive Pigeon

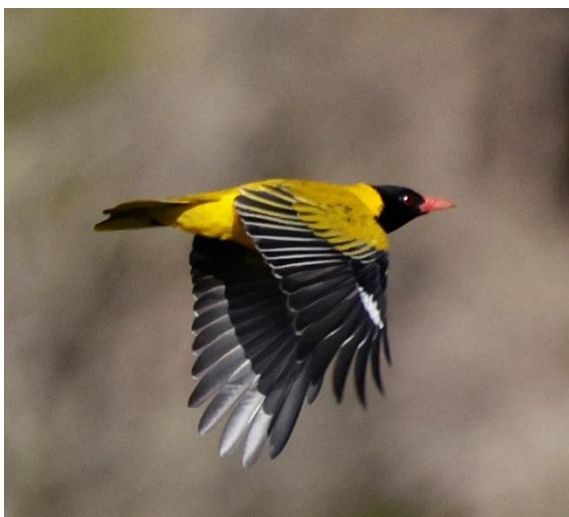


Today was our day to seek out a couple of very special birds that are only found in this area on our tour.



The Kynsna Warbler and the stunning Kynsna Turaco – fantastic sightings!

In the carpark we enjoyed great views of Cape Robin-chat and Southern Boubou



In the same car park was a Black-headed Oriole and a singing Sombre Greenbul

As we continued our journey towards DeHoop we passed numerous flocks of gorgeous Blue Cranes



Our journey took us to the most southerly point in Africa, Agulhas National Park and its rugged coastline.



Larks were a feature of our time at DeHoop and we spent time looking for the special Agulhas Long-billed Lark, while another excursion found us several of the less rare Large-billed Lark.



We found a group of three Namaqua Sandgrouse right near our wonderful cottages. Here is the male on the left and female on the right.



Mammals were well represented, and we got to see among others both Mountain Zebras and Eland



Another good bird that can sometimes be impossible to find was the localised Knysna Woodpecker.
We had great looks at this pair. Male on left and female on the right.



The African Hoopoe in the garden of our lodge was always a delight to see

We visited the coastal sand dunes which were pur white and offered incredible scenery. It was from high on top that we watched a mother Southern Right Whale with a calf – fantastic !



The two whales were within 100yards from shore and very slowly moved along the shoreline giving great views. Submerging and then surfacing again we watched them for a good 30 minutes



Our departing birds included a showy Cape Grassbird and back at the lodge a Spotted Eagle Owl posed at eye level. And the Bontebok were very photogenic.



And so, Part 1 of our South Africa came to an end as we returned to Cape Town ready for our flight to Johannesburg the following morning and the start of Part 2, the Kruger National Park

WILDLIFE LIST for South Africa 2025

A = Number of species recorded on tour

B = Number of days recorded

C = Highest daily count

H = Heard Only with highest number heard in () N/C = No Count C=Common

This list is in line with the NEW AviList – 2025, and as such names may be different than some of the field guides and other taxonomy's – any additional notes see appendix *

PART 1. The Cape – 27th Oct – 4th Nov 2025 - 8 Days

| A | BIRD SPECIES | SCIENTIFIC NAME | B | C |
|---|------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|-----|
| 1 | Common Ostrich | <i>Struthio camelus</i> | 5 | 40+ |
| 2 | Helmeted Guineafowl | <i>Numida meleagris</i> | 8 | 10+ |
| 3 | Grey-winged Francolin | <i>Scleroptila afra</i> | 2 | 8 |
| 4 | Cape Spurfowl | <i>Pternistis capensis</i> | 6 | 12 |
| 5 | Fulvous Whistling Duck | <i>Dendrocygna <u>bicolor</u></i> | 1 | 5 |

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| 6 | Spur-winged Goose | <i>Plectropterus gambensis</i> | 5 | 250 |
| 7 | Egyptian Goose | <i>Alopochen aegyptiaca</i> | 8 | C |
| 8 | South African Shelduck | <i>Tadorna cana</i> | 1 | 3 |
| 9 | Cape Shoveler | <i>Spatula smithii</i> | 3 | 25 |
| 10 | Yellow-billed Duck | <i>Anas undulata</i> | 3 | 20 |
| 11 | Mallard | <i>Anas platyrhynchos</i> | 1 | 8 |
| 12 | Cape Teal | <i>Anas capensis</i> | 2 | 100 |
| 13 | Red-billed Teal | <i>Anas erythrorhyncha</i> | 1 | 3 |
| 14 | Southern Pochard | <i>Netta erythrophthalma</i> | 1 | 5 |
| 15 | Maccoa Duck | <i>Oxyura maccoa</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 16 | Fiery-necked Nightjar | <i>Caprimulgus pectoralis</i> | 2 | H |
| 17 | Rufous-cheeked Nightjar | <i>Caprimulgus rufigena</i> | 1 | H |
| 18 | African Palm Swift | <i>Cypsiurus parvus</i> | 1 | 3 |
| 19 | Alpine Swift | <i>Tachymarptis melba</i> | 5 | 2 |
| 20 | African Black Swift | <i>Apus barbatus</i> | 3 | 12 |
| 21 | White-rumped Swift | <i>Apus caffer</i> | 3 | 4 |
| 22 | Knysna Turaco | <i>Tauraco corythaix</i> | 2 | 4 |
| 23 | Denham's Bustard | <i>Neotis denhami</i> | 2 | 1 |
| 24 | Southern Black Korhaan | <i>Afrotis afra</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 25 | Karoo Korhaan | <i>Heterotetrax vigorsii</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 26 | Diederik Cuckoo | <i>Chrysococcyx caprius</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 27 | African Emerald Cuckoo | <i>Chrysococcyx cupreus</i> | 2 | 1 + 1H |
| 28 | Red-chested Cuckoo | <i>Cuculus solitarius</i> | 3 | 2 + 2H |
| 29 | Namaqua Sandgrouse | <i>Pterocles namaqua</i> | 2 | 4 |
| 30 | Rock Dove / Feral Pigeon | <i>Columba livia</i> | 7 | N/C |
| 31 | Speckled Pigeon | <i>Columba guinea</i> | 7 | 4 |
| 32 | African Olive Pigeon | <i>Columba arquatrix</i> | 2 | 4 |
| 33 | Lemon Dove | <i>Columba larvata</i> | 2 | 1 |
| 34 | Red-eyed Dove | <i>Streptopelia semitorquata</i> | 7 | C |
| 35 | Ring-necked Dove | <i>Streptopelia capicola</i> | 6 | C |
| 36 | Laughing Dove | <i>Spilopelia senegalensis</i> | 7 | 20+ |
| 37 | Namaqua Dove | <i>Oena capensis</i> | 1 | 4 |
| | Buff-spotted Flufftail | <i>Sarothrura elegans</i> | 1 | H |
| 38 | Purple Swamphen | <i>Porphyrio porphyrio madagascariensis</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 39 | Common Moorhen | <i>Gallinula chloropus</i> | 3 | 6 |
| 40 | Red-knobbed Coot | <i>Fulica cristata</i> | 4 | 100+ |
| 41 | Blue Crane | <i>Grus paradisea</i> | 4 | 114 |
| 42 | Little Grebe | <i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i> | 5 | 20 |
| 43 | Great Crested Grebe | <i>Podiceps cristatus</i> | 4 | 3 |
| 44 | Black-necked Grebe | <i>Podiceps nigricollis</i> | 4 | 10 |
| 45 | Greater Flamingo | <i>Phoenicopterus roseus</i> | 2 | 80 |
| 46 | Lesser Flamingo | <i>Phoeniconaias minor</i> | 1 | 4+ |
| 47 | Spotted Thick-knee | <i>Burhinus capensis</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 48 | African Oystercatcher | <i>Haematopus moquini</i> | 4 | 4 |
| 49 | Black-winged Stilt | <i>Himantopus himantopus</i> | 6 | 12 |
| 50 | Pied Avocet | <i>Recurvirostra avosetta</i> | 2 | 50 |
| 51 | Blacksmith Lapwing | <i>Vanellus armatus</i> | 5 | 20 |
| 52 | Crowned Lapwing | <i>Vanellus coronatus</i> | 4 | 3 |
| 53 | Grey Plover | <i>Pluvialis squatarola</i> | 1 | 5 |
| 54 | Common Ringed Plover | <i>Charadrius hiaticula</i> | 1 | 2 |

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| 55 | Kittlitz's Plover | <i>Charadrius pecuarius</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 56 | Three-banded Plover | <i>Charadrius tricollaris</i> | 1 | 3 |
| 57 | White-fronted Plover | <i>Charadrius marginatus</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 58 | Eurasian Whimbrel | <i>Numenius phaeopus</i> | 1 | 8 |
| 59 | Eurasian Curlew | <i>Numenius arquata</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 60 | Bar-tailed Godwit | <i>Limosa lapponica</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 61 | Ruddy Turnstone | <i>Arenaria interpres</i> | 1 | 8 |
| 62 | Red Knot | <i>Calidris canutus</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 63 | Curlew Sandpiper | <i>Calidris ferruginea</i> | 1 | 100 |
| 64 | Sanderling | <i>Calidris alba</i> | 1 | 150 |
| 65 | Little Stint | <i>Calidris minuta</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 66 | Marsh Sandpiper | <i>Tringa stagnatilis</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 67 | Common Greenshank | <i>Tringa nebularia</i> | 1 | 30 |
| 68 | Grey-headed Gull | <i>Chroicocephalus poiocephalus poiocephalus</i> | 2 | 3 |
| 69 | Hartlaub's Gull | <i>Chroicocephalus hartlaubii</i> | 6 | 300 |
| 70 | Kelp Gull | <i>Larus dominicanus</i> | 8 | 200 |
| 71 | Caspian Tern | <i>Hydroprogne caspia</i> | 3 | 1 |
| 72 | Greater Crested Tern | <i>Thalasseus bergii</i> | 5 | 10 |
| 73 | Sandwich Tern | <i>Thalasseus sandvicensis</i> | 6 | 40 |
| 74 | Common Tern | <i>Sterna hirundo</i> | 3 | 3 |
| 75 | Whiskered Tern | <i>Chlidonias hybrida</i> | 2 | 12 |
| 76 | African Penguin | <i>Spheniscus demersus</i> | 1 | 100 |
| 77 | Cape Gannet | <i>Morus capensis</i> | 2 | 3 |
| 78 | Reed Cormorant | <i>Microcarbo africanus</i> | 7 | 4 |
| 79 | Crowned Cormorant | <i>Microcarbo coronatus</i> | 2 | 12 |
| 80 | Bank Cormorant | <i>Phalacrocorax neglectus</i> | 1 | 10 |
| 81 | Great Cormorant | <i>Phalacrocorax carbo lucidus</i> | 5 | 20 |
| 82 | Cape Cormorant | <i>Phalacrocorax capensis</i> | 2 | 100 |
| 83 | African Darter | <i>Anhinga rufa</i> | 2 | 1 |
| 84 | African Sacred Ibis | <i>Threskiornis aethiopicus</i> | 8 | 2,000 |
| 85 | Hadada Ibis | <i>Bostrychia hagedash</i> | 8 | 10 |
| 86 | Glossy Ibis | <i>Plegadis falcinellus</i> | 3 | 4 |
| 87 | African Spoonbill | <i>Platalea alba</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 88 | Black-crowned Night Heron | <i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 89 | Western Cattle Egret | <i>Ardea ibis</i> | 7 | 20+ |
| 90 | Grey Heron | <i>Ardea cinerea</i> | 6 | 3 |
| 91 | Black-headed Heron | <i>Ardea melanocephala</i> | 6 | 4 |
| 92 | Little Egret | <i>Egretta garzetta</i> | 5 | 2 |
| 93 | Great White Pelican | <i>Pelecanus onocrotalus</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 94 | Secretarybird | <i>Sagittarius serpentarius</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 95 | Black-winged Kite | <i>Elanus caeruleus</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 96 | African Harrier-Hawk | <i>Polyboroides typus</i> | 1 | 3 |
| 97 | Cape Vulture | <i>Gyps coprotheres</i> | 1 | 20 |
| 98 | Booted Eagle | <i>Hieraaetus pennatus</i> | 2 | 1 |
| 99 | African Goshawk | <i>Accipiter tachiro</i> | 2 | 1 |
| 100 | Rufous-breasted Sparrowhawk | <i>Accipiter rufiventris</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 101 | African Marsh Harrier | <i>Circus ranivorus</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 102 | Black Harrier | <i>Circus maurus</i> | 5 | 10 |
| 103 | Pallid Harrier | <i>Circus macrourus</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 104 | Black (Yellow-billed) Kite | <i>Milvus migrans parasitus</i> | 6 | 10 |

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| 105 | African Fish Eagle | <i>Haliaeetus vocifer</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 106 | Common Buzzard | <i>Buteo buteo vulpinus</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 107 | Forest Buzzard | <i>Buteo trizonatus</i> | 3 | 1 |
| 108 | Jackal Buzzard | <i>Buteo rufofuscus</i> | 6 | 4 |
| 109 | Elgin Buzzard – Mystery Buzzard | <i>Buteo sp ?</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 110 | African Cuckoo-Hawk | <i>Aviceda cuculoides</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 111 | Spotted Eagle-Owl | <i>Bubo africanus</i> | 2 | 3 |
| 112 | Speckled Mousebird | <i>Colius striatus</i> | 5 | 10 |
| 113 | White-backed Mousebird | <i>Colius colius</i> | 3 | 8 |
| 114 | Red-faced Mousebird | <i>Urocolius indicus</i> | 2 | 6 |
| 115 | (African) Hoopoe | <i>Upupa epops africana</i> | 4 | 3 |
| 116 | Green Wood Hoopoe | <i>Phoeniculus purpureus</i> | 1 | 4 |
| 117 | Malachite Kingfisher | <i>Corythornis cristatus</i> | 2 | 1 |
| 118 | Acacia Pied Barbet | <i>Tricholaema leucomelas</i> | 2 | 1 |
| 119 | Brown-backed Honeybird | <i>Prodotiscus regulus</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 120 | Knysna Woodpecker | <i>Campethera notata</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 121 | Cardinal Woodpecker | <i>Dendropicos fuscescens</i> | 1 | H |
| 122 | Olive Woodpecker | <i>Dendropicos griseocephalus</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 123 | Rock Kestrel | <i>Falco rupicolus</i> | 5 | 5 |
| 124 | Cape Batis | <i>Batis capensis</i> | 4 | 2 |
| 125 | Olive Bushshrike | <i>Chlorophoneus olivaceus</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 126 | Bokmakierie | <i>Telophorus zeylonus</i> | 3 | 4 |
| 127 | Southern Tchagra | <i>Tchagra tchagra</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 128 | Black-backed Puffback | <i>Dryoscopus cubla</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 129 | Southern Boubou | <i>Laniarius ferrugineus</i> | 4 | 2 |
| 130 | Grey Cuckooshrike | <i>Cebilepyris caesius</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 131 | Southern Fiscal | <i>Lanius collaris</i> | 6 | 12 |
| 132 | Black-headed Oriole | <i>Oriolus larvatus</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 133 | Fork-tailed Drongo | <i>Dicrurus adsimilis apivorus</i> | 6 | 4 |
| 134 | Blue-mantled Crested Flycatcher | <i>Trochocercus cyanomelas cyanomelas</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 135 | African Paradise Flycatcher | <i>Terpsiphone viridis granti</i> | 2 | 3 |
| 136 | Cape Crow | <i>Corvus capensis</i> | 5 | 6+ |
| 137 | Pied Crow | <i>Corvus albus</i> | 7 | N/C |
| 138 | White-necked Raven | <i>Corvus albicollis</i> | 8 | 4 |
| 139 | Cape Rockjumper | <i>Chaetops frenatus</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 140 | Cape (Agulhas) Long-billed Lark | <i>Certhilauda curvirostris brevirostris</i> | 1 | 3 |
| 141 | Cape Clapper Lark | <i>Corypha apiata</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 142 | Large-billed Lark | <i>Galerida magnirostris</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 143 | Red-capped Lark | <i>Calandrella cinerea</i> | 4 | 4 |
| 144 | Cape Bulbul | <i>Pycnonotus capensis</i> | 5 | 6 |
| 145 | Sombre Greenbul | <i>Andropadus importunus</i> | 6 | 4 |
| 146 | Terrestrial Brownbul | <i>Phyllastrephus terrestris</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 147 | Black Saw-wing | <i>Psalidoprocne pristoptera</i> | 5 | 4 |
| 148 | Brown-throated Martin | <i>Riparia paludicola</i> | 1 | 6 |
| 149 | Banded Martin | <i>Riparia cincta</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 150 | Barn Swallow | <i>Hirundo rustica</i> | 7 | 10 |
| 151 | White-throated Swallow | <i>Hirundo albigularis</i> | 5 | 4 |
| 152 | Pearl-breasted Swallow | <i>Hirundo dimidiata</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 153 | Large Rock Martin | <i>Ptyonoprogne fuligula</i> | 5 | 10 |
| 154 | Greater Striped Swallow | <i>Cecropis cucullata</i> | 5 | 10 |

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| 155 | Cape Grassbird | <i>Sphenoeacus afer</i> | 2 | 1 |
| 156 | Kynsna Warbler | <i>Bradypterus sylvaticus</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 157 | Yellow-throated Woodland Warbler | <i>Phylloscopus ruficapilla</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 158 | Lesser Swamp Warbler | <i>Acrocephalus gracilirostris</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 159 | Grey-backed Cisticola | <i>Cisticola subruficapilla</i> | 5 | 6 |
| 160 | Levaillant's Cisticola | <i>Cisticola tinniens</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 161 | Zitting Cisticola | <i>Cisticola juncidis</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 162 | Cloud Cisticola | <i>Cisticola textrix</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 163 | Karoo Prinia | <i>Prinia maculosa</i> | 6 | 6 |
| 164 | Bar-throated Apalis | <i>Apalis thoracica</i> | 4 | 2 |
| 165 | Green-backed Camaroptera | <i>Camaroptera brachyura</i> | 1 | H |
| 166 | Chestnut-vented Tit-Babbler | <i>Sylvia subcoerulea</i> | 1 | 3 |
| 167 | Cape White-eye | <i>Zosterops virens</i> | 7 | 12 |
| 168 | Cape Sugarbird | <i>Promerops cafer</i> | 3 | 6 |
| 169 | Common Starling | <i>Sturnus vulgaris</i> | 8 | N/C |
| 170 | Pied Starling | <i>Lamprotornis bicolor</i> | 2 | 20 |
| 171 | Red-winged Starling | <i>Onychognathus morio</i> | 7 | 20 |
| 172 | Black-bellied Starling | <i>Notopholia corusca</i> | 1 | 3 |
| 173 | Olive Thrush | <i>Turdus olivaceus</i> | 5 | 4 |
| 174 | Karoo Scrub Robin | <i>Cercotrichas coryphoeus</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 175 | Fiscal Flycatcher | <i>Melaenornis silens</i> | 5 | 2 |
| 176 | African Dusky Flycatcher | <i>Muscicapa adusta</i> | 4 | 2 |
| 177 | Cape Robin-Chat | <i>Cossypha caffra</i> | 7 | 5 |
| 178 | Chorister Robin-Chat | <i>Cossypha dichroa</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 179 | Cape Rock Thrush | <i>Monticola rupestris</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 180 | African Stonechat | <i>Saxicola torquatus</i> | 5 | 4 |
| 181 | Capped Wheatear | <i>Oenanthe pileata</i> | 3 | 4 |
| 182 | Familiar Chat | <i>Oenanthe familiaris</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 183 | Collared Sunbird | <i>Hedydipna collaris</i> | 2 | 4 |
| 184 | Amethyst Sunbird | <i>Chalcomitra amethystina</i> | 2 | 8 |
| 185 | Malachite Sunbird | <i>Nectarinia famosa</i> | 4 | 3 |
| 186 | Southern Double-collared Sunbird | <i>Cinnyris chalybeus</i> | 6 | 20 |
| 187 | Greater Double-collared Sunbird | <i>Cinnyris afer</i> | 2 | 8 |
| 188 | Grey Sunbird | <i>Cyanomitra veroxii</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 189 | House Sparrow | <i>Passer domesticus</i> | 7 | 12 |
| 190 | Cape Sparrow | <i>Passer melanurus</i> | 5 | 12 |
| 191 | Southern Grey-headed Sparrow | <i>Passer diffusus</i> | 5 | 6 |
| 192 | Cape Weaver | <i>Ploceus capensis</i> | 7 | 50 |
| 193 | Southern Masked Weaver | <i>Ploceus velatus</i> | 3 | 4 |
| 194 | Southern Red Bishop | <i>Euplectes orix</i> | 4 | 100 |
| 195 | Yellow Bishop | <i>Euplectes capensis</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 196 | Swee Waxbill | <i>Coccyzygia melanotis</i> | 3 | 6 |
| 197 | Common Waxbill | <i>Estrilda astrild</i> | 4 | 6 |
| 198 | Bronze Mannikin | <i>Lonchura cucullata</i> | 1 | 10 |
| 199 | Pin-tailed Whydah | <i>Vidua macroura</i> | 4 | 2 |
| 200 | Cape Wagtail | <i>Motacilla capensis</i> | 8 | 3 |
| 201 | Cape Longclaw | <i>Macronyx capensis</i> | 1 | 3 |
| 202 | African Pipit | <i>Anthus cinnamomeus</i> | 1 | 4 |
| 203 | Common Chaffinch | <i>Fringilla coelebs</i> | 1 | H |
| 204 | Forest Canary | <i>Crithagra scotops</i> | 2 | 2 |

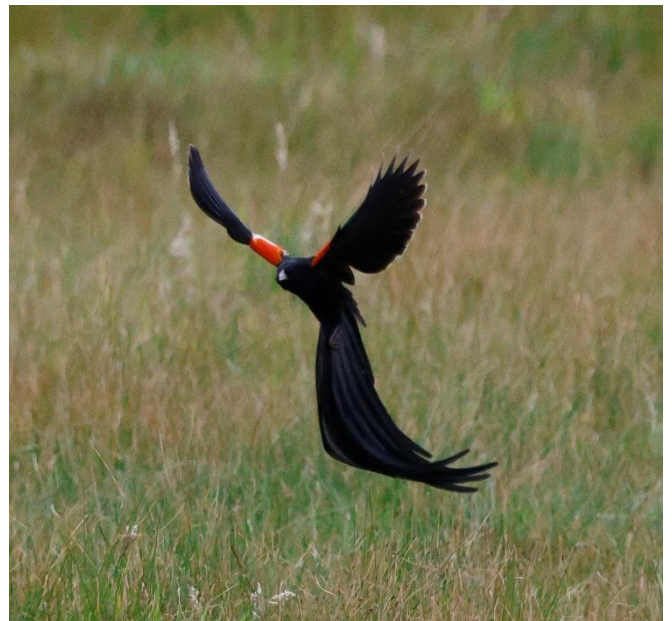
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| 205 | Yellow Canary | <i>Crithagra flaviventris</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 206 | Brimstone Canary | <i>Crithagra sulphurata</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 207 | Streaky-headed Seedeater | <i>Crithagra gularis</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 208 | White-throated Canary | <i>Crithagra albogularis</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 209 | Cape Canary | <i>Serinus canicollis</i> | 4 | 8 |
| 210 | Cape Bunting | <i>Emberiza capensis</i> | 3 | 2 |

| A | OTHER SPECIES | SCIENTIFIC NAME | B | C |
|----|---|---------------------------------|---|----|
| 1 | Bontebok | <i>Damaliscus pygargus</i> | 5 | 20 |
| 2 | Cape Grey mongoose | <i>Galerella pulverulenta</i> | 1 | 3 |
| 3 | Cape Grysbok | <i>Raphicerus melanotis</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 4 | Cape Mountain Zebra | <i>Equus zebra zebra</i> | 4 | 12 |
| 5 | Chacma Baboon | <i>Papio ursinus</i> | 5 | 8 |
| 6 | Eland | <i>Taurotragus oryx</i> | 4 | 20 |
| 7 | Grey Rhebok | <i>Pelea capreolus</i> | 4 | 10 |
| 8 | Klipspringer | <i>Oreotragus oreotragus</i> | 1 | 3 |
| 9 | Red Hartebeest | <i>Alcelaphus buselaphus</i> | 1 | 10 |
| 10 | Rock Hyrax | <i>Procavia capensis</i> | 4 | 12 |
| 11 | Steenbok | <i>Raphicerus campestris</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 12 | Springbok | <i>Antidorcas marsupialis</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 13 | Yellow Mongoose | <i>Cynictis penicillata</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 14 | Grey Squirrel | <i>Sciurus carolinensis</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 15 | Cape Hare | <i>Lepus capensis</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 16 | Common Fat Mouse | <i>Steatomys pratensis</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 17 | Cape Four-striped Grass Mouse | <i>Rhabdomys pumilio</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 18 | Southern Right Whale | <i>Eubalaena australis</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 19 | Brown Armoured Corncricket | <i>Acanthopplus discoidalis</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 20 | Cape Skink | <i>Trachylepis capensis</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 21 | Southern Rock Agama | <i>Agama atra</i> | 3 | 10 |
| 22 | Cape Girdled Lizard | <i>Cordylus cordylus</i> | 2 | 10 |
| 23 | Angulate Tortoise | <i>Chersina angulata</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 24 | Leopard Tortoise | <i>Stigmochelys pardalis</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 25 | Cape River Frog | <i>Amietia fuscigula</i> | 1 | 6 |
| 26 | Western Cape River Crab | <i>Potamonautes perlatus</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 27 | Painted Lady | <i>Vanessa cardui</i> | 1 | 40 |
| 28 | Large White (Cabbage White) | <i>Pieris brassicae</i> | 4 | 10 |
| 29 | Bush Bronze (Common Bush Blue) | <i>Cacyreus lingeus</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 30 | Water Bronze | <i>Cacyreus fracta fracta</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 31 | Water Opal | <i>Chrysoritis palmus</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 32 | Red Copper | <i>Aloeides thyra</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 33 | (Blue) Emperor Dragonfly | <i>Anax imperator</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 34 | Friendly Hawker | <i>Zostereschna minuscula</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 35 | Red-veined Dropwing | <i>Trithemis arteriosa</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 36 | (Cape) Julia Skimmer | <i>Orthetrum julia capicola</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 37 | Powder-faced Sprite | <i>Pseudagrion kersteni</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 38 | Palm-tree Nightfighter | <i>Zophopetes dysmephila</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 39 | Plum Slug (Moth) | <i>Latoia latistriga</i> | 2 | 1 |
| 40 | Other moths as yet unidentified | | | |
| 41 | Striped Toktokie (Beetle) | <i>Mariazofia gibba</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 42 | Longstalk (Butterfly) Storksbill | <i>Pelargonium longicaule</i> | 1 | 10 |

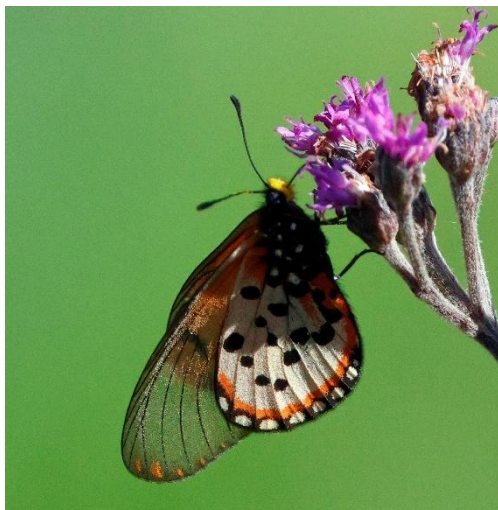
Part 2. After our arrival in Johannesburg, we were soon heading towards our first destination of Dullstroom. Situated on the Highveld plateau its rolling grassy hills were host to a whole new range of birds



Because of the many grassy fields and meadows there would be numerous small mammals and as such raptors were evident. We saw several Cape Vultures and a close Black-chested Snake Eagle.



Watching the display of these Long-tailed Widowbirds was such a big highlight.



There were several Garden Acraea butterflies and incredibly we saw 3 Yellow-breasted Pipits – photo (Abby)

One of the very special birds we were searching for was eventually found, the Gurney's Sugarbird



We then moved on towards our next destination beside Bryde River, finding 3 Broad-billed Rollers along the way and then a nice Bearded Scrub-Robin when we got to the lodge.



An early morning walk around the lodge grounds produced great views of Purple-crested Turaco and a couple of Trumpeter Hornbills.



Down beside the river we saw a very smart Mountain Wagtail and in the grasses were several Redhead Flies.



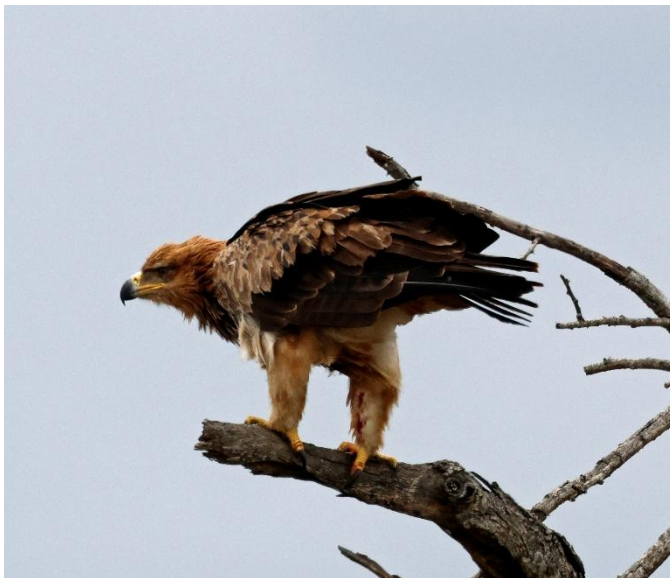
We had a few moths attracted to our light including these two .
Faint Owl Moth (*Cometaster pyrrula*) and Striped Hawkmoth (*Hyles livornica*)



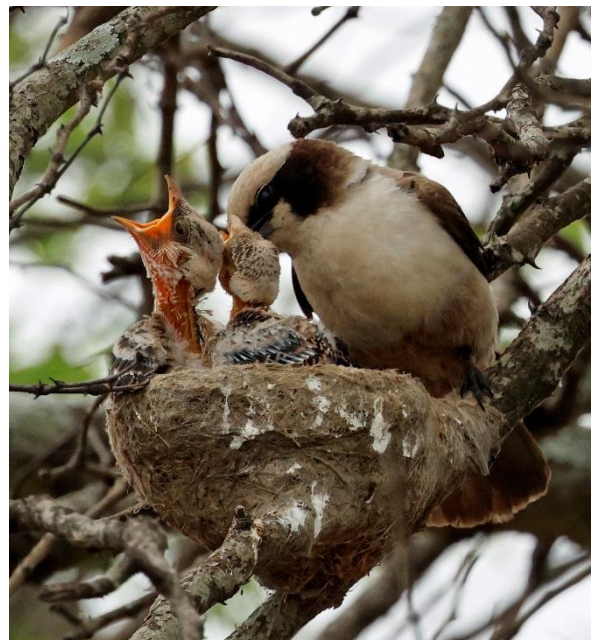
And now it was time to head for the Kruger National Park. We entered via the Orpen Gate, met our two great local guides and their brand-new cruisers!



Two of the very first birds we saw were a Tawny Eagle perched in a dead tree and then the first of many Grey Go-away-birds



We then had a couple of Crested Francolins walk along the side of the road, followed by a pair of Southern White-crowned Shrikes feeding their full nest of chicks.



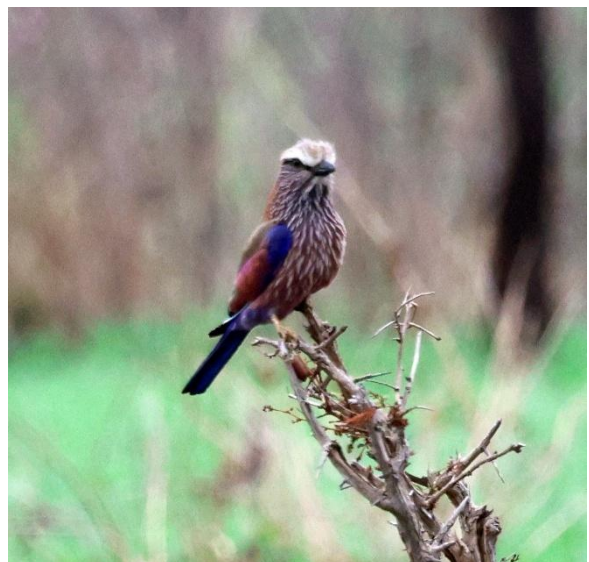
A little further on and we came across our first African Elephant, one of the iconic Big 5



More birds appeared at every stop with lots of Southern Yellow-billed Hornbills and then a smart looking Golden-breasted Bunting.



Next up was a family of Dwarf Mongoose, with the parents moving the young babies.
Then our first Purple Roller



A red-crested Korhaan put on an unbelievable show for us right beside the road



It was bird after bird as we slowly made our way through the park. We had 3 Black-bellied Bustards displaying, and some skulky Burchell's Coucals sat out in the open before disappearing from view.



Mammals were high on our list as we continued our safari. An adult Hyena with a cub was a delight to see and then a whole family of Elephants including a tiny baby. Wonderful!



At our lodge we found Black-collared Barbet and a nice White-browed Scrub Robin



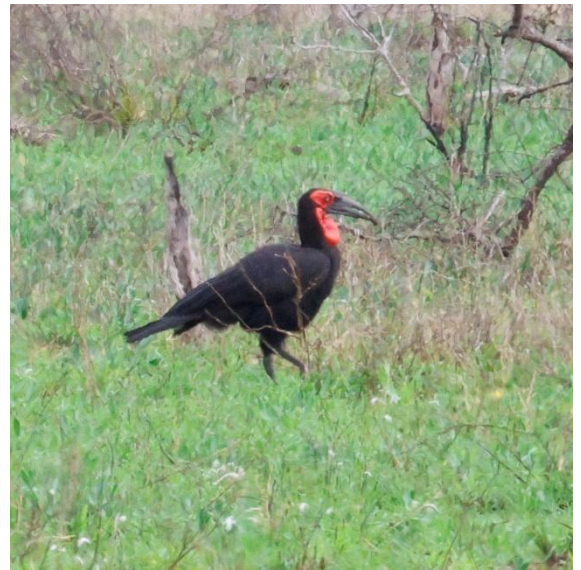
And of course more Elephants !!!!



The next day was simply overwhelming with endless birds and mammals! White-backed Vultures perched up and flew around, and a huge Kori Bustard had us searching for miles before Gina eventually this one slowly walking through the tall grasses.



This Elephant with huge tusks was a delight and we watched it for ages as it slowly made its way out of the scrub and across the road in front of us. Further along we spotted a family of Southern Ground Hornbills



While watched a nesting Red-headed Weaver we saw this huge Common Giant Plated Lizard

The biggest of the vultures – the Lappet-faced Vulture put in a few nice appearances



And then it was 'Cat' time! With a fabulous Leopard resting under a tree with its kill. As we watched in awe, it got up and carried the small antelope up into the tree – Wow!



If seeing the Leopard was not highlight enough, then our next stop was for two sleek looking Chetah's sat under a tree. What a day and it was still morning.



Back to the birds and we found an African Cuckoo and also got our closest views of Brown-hooded Kingfisher



And then of course the Hippos. We watched these two walk over and dive into a deep pool.



Our search for Monotonous Lark proved successful while White-fronted Bee-eaters never seemed to be far away with small groups being seen in many parts of the park



Another special moment was when a mixed party of Retz's and White-crested Helmetshrikes danced around the trees beside us



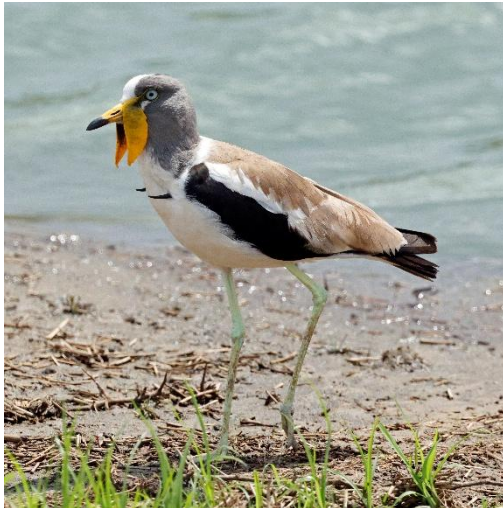
A nice Southern Tree Agama was seen at one of our lunch stops



Around the lodge gardens we found a singing White-throated Robin Chat and a very smart looking pair of Orange-winged Pytilia



Beside a water hole we enjoyed numerous birds including a couple of close White-crowned Lapwings



This Nile Crocodile seemed more interested in us than the Yellow-billed Stork



Lots of the birds liked to sit in dead tree tops. Here is an African Green Pigeon and an African Harrier-Hawk



Many of the birds sat out and posed like this Chinspot Batis and Diederik Cuckoo



Another couple of Diederik Cuckoos looked fantastic as the light shone on them while we watched from a river bridge



Our next search was for another big cat. This was one of females of a pride of Lions sat on a rock.



And then later in the day we saw these two Lions sat in a dried up river bed



Any patch of water or river was always worth a look and we often saw Black Crakes walking around, although the huge Goliath Heron was only really seen at distance



Southern Giraffes were regularly seen but these ones crossing the river looked especially nice!



It was not just the big things that interested us, small things were just as fascinating and wonderful ! Even if Steve missed the snake !!!!



Wahlberg's Epauleted Fruit Bat hanging around a restaurant



And outside another restaurant was this beautiful Stripe-bellied Sand Snake – Photo by Abby

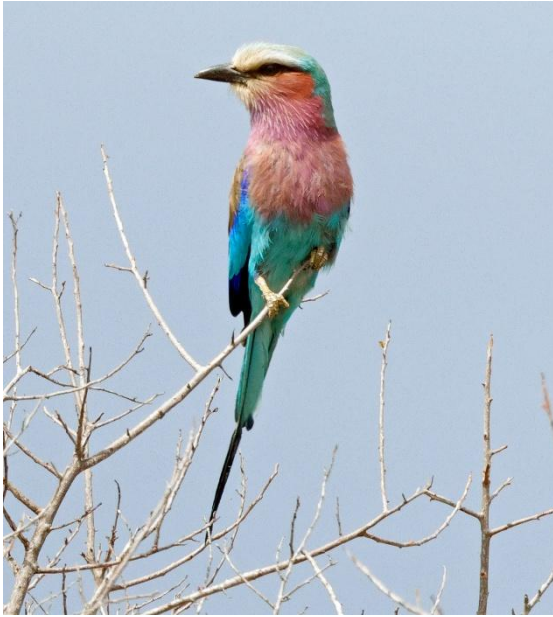
This huge moth found in the ladies' rest room was called a Mopane Worm, and the gorgeous butterfly was a Painted Emperor



A one day we saw this stunning little Flap-necked Chameleon just after it had crossed the road



There was plenty of colour to dazzle our minds including rollers like this Lilac-breasted Roller and the incredible male of the Violet-backed Starling



We eventually found a couple of large Mosque Swallows, and a very showy Yellow-bellied Eremomela



Oh no ! said the Hyenas, you're leaving. And yes, after our wonderful tour it was time to go!



PART 2. The Kruger National Park – 5th – 10th Nov 2025 - 6 Days

| A | BIRD SPECIES | SCIENTIFIC NAME | B | C |
|----|----------------------------|----------------------------------|---|---------|
| 1 | Common Ostrich | <i>Struthio camelus</i> | 3 | 6 |
| 2 | Helmeted Guineafowl | <i>Numida meleagris</i> | 5 | 4 |
| 3 | Crested Francolin | <i>Dendroperdix sephaena</i> | 3 | 4 |
| 4 | Natal Spurfowl | <i>Pternistis natalensis</i> | 3 | 6 |
| 5 | Swainson's Spurfowl | <i>Pternistis swainsonii</i> | 4 | 40 |
| 6 | White-faced Whistling Duck | <i>Dendrocygna viduata</i> | 1 | 8 |
| 7 | Spur-winged Goose | <i>Plectropterus gambensis</i> | 2 | 30+ |
| 8 | Egyptian Goose | <i>Alopochen aegyptiaca</i> | 6 | N/C |
| 9 | African Palm Swift | <i>Cypsiurus parvus</i> | 2 | 4 |
| 10 | Alpine Swift | <i>Tachymarptis melba</i> | 2 | 1 |
| 11 | Little Swift | <i>Apus affinis</i> | 6 | 30 |
| 12 | White-rumped Swift | <i>Apus caffer</i> | 5 | 6 |
| 13 | Purple-crested Turaco | <i>Tauraco porphyreolophus</i> | 2 | 4 |
| 14 | Grey Go-away-bird | <i>Corythaixoides concolor</i> | 4 | 12 |
| 15 | Kori Bustard | <i>Ardeotis kori</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 16 | Red-crested Korhaan | <i>Lophotis ruficresta</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 17 | Black-bellied Bustard | <i>Lissotis melanogaster</i> | 1 | 3 |
| 18 | Burchell's Coucal | <i>Centropus burchellii</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 19 | Levaillant's Cuckoo | <i>Clamator levaillantii</i> | 2 | 4 |
| 20 | Jacobin Cuckoo | <i>Clamator jacobinus</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 21 | Thick-billed Cuckoo | <i>Pachycoccyx cupreus</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 22 | Diederik Cuckoo | <i>Chrysococcyx caprius</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 23 | Klaas's Cuckoo | <i>Chrysococcyx klaas</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 24 | Black Cuckoo | <i>Cuculus clamosus</i> | 2 | 1 +1H |
| 25 | Red-chested Cuckoo | <i>Cuculus solitarius</i> | 3 | 1 + 2 H |
| 26 | African Cuckoo | <i>Cuculus gularis</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 27 | Rock Dove / Feral Pigeon | <i>Columba livia</i> | 3 | N/C |
| 28 | Speckled Pigeon | <i>Columba guinea</i> | 3 | 6 |
| 29 | African Mourning Dove | <i>Streptopelia decipiens</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 30 | Red-eyed Dove | <i>Streptopelia semitorquata</i> | 3 | 8 |
| 31 | Ring-necked Dove | <i>Streptopelia capicola</i> | 4 | N/C |
| 32 | Laughing Dove | <i>Spilopelia senegalensis</i> | 6 | 10 |
| 33 | Emerald-spotted Wood Dove | <i>Turtur chalcospilos</i> | 3 | 4 |
| 34 | Namaqua Dove | <i>Oena capensis</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 35 | African Green Pigeon | <i>Treron calvus</i> | 3 | 3 |
| 36 | Black Crake | <i>Zapornia flavirostra</i> | 4 | 4 |
| 37 | Common Moorhen | <i>Gallinula chloropus</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 38 | Red-knobbed Coot | <i>Fulica cristata</i> | 1 | N/C |
| 39 | Little Grebe | <i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 40 | Greater Flamingo | <i>Phoenicopterus roseus</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 41 | Water Thick-knee | <i>Burhinus vermiculatus</i> | 2 | 6 |
| 42 | Spotted Thick-knee | <i>Burhinus capensis</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 43 | Black-winged Stilt | <i>Himantopus himantopus</i> | 1 | 4 |
| 44 | Blacksmith Lapwing | <i>Vanellus armatus</i> | 5 | 20 |
| 45 | White-crowned Lapwing | <i>Vanellus albiceps</i> | 2 | 4 |
| 46 | Senegal Lapwing | <i>Vanellus lugubris</i> | 1 | 4 |
| 47 | Crowned Lapwing | <i>Vanellus coronatus</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 48 | African Wattled Lapwing | <i>Vanellus senegallus</i> | 1 | 1 |

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|----|---|--|---|-----|
| 49 | Three-banded Plover | <i>Charadrius tricollaris</i> | 2 | 3 |
| 50 | White-fronted Plover | <i>Charadrius marginatus</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 51 | African Jacana | <i>Actophilornis africanus</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 52 | Common Sandpiper | <i>Actitis hypoleucos</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 53 | Marsh Sandpiper | <i>Tringa stagnatilis</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 54 | Wood Sandpiper | <i>Tringa glareola</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 55 | Common Greenshank | <i>Tringa nebularia</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 56 | Temminck's Courser | <i>Cursorius temminckii</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 57 | Collared Pratincole | <i>Glareola pratincola</i> | 2 | 4 |
| 58 | Grey-headed Gull | <i>Chroicocephalus poiocephalus poiocephalus</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 59 | Hartlaub's Gull | <i>Chroicocephalus hartlaubii</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 60 | Whiskered Tern | <i>Chlidonias hybrida</i> | 1 | N/C |
| 61 | Yellow-billed Stork | <i>Mycteria ibis</i> | 2 | 10 |
| 62 | African Openbill | <i>Anastomus lamelligerus</i> | 2 | 6 |
| 63 | African Woolly-necked Stork | <i>Ciconia microscelis</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 64 | Black Stork | <i>Ciconia nigra</i> | 2 | 1 |
| 65 | Saddle-billed Stork | <i>Ephippiorhynchus senegalensis</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 66 | Marabou Stork | <i>Leptoptilos crumenifer</i> | 3 | 4 |
| 67 | Reed Cormorant | <i>Microcarbo africanus</i> | 6 | N/C |
| 68 | Great (White-breasted) Cormorant | <i>Phalacrocorax carbo lucidus</i> | 1 | 4 |
| 69 | African Sacred Ibis | <i>Threskiornis aethiopicus</i> | 2 | 10 |
| 70 | Hadada Ibis | <i>Bostrychia hagedash</i> | 6 | 15 |
| 71 | Glossy Ibis | <i>Plegadis falcinellus</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 72 | African Spoonbill | <i>Platalea alba</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 73 | Black-crowned Night Heron | <i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i> | 3 | 1 |
| 74 | Little Heron | <i>Butorides atricapilla stagnatilis</i> | 4 | 3 |
| 75 | Western Cattle Egret | <i>Ardea ibis</i> | 3 | N/C |
| 76 | Grey Heron | <i>Ardea cinerea</i> | 4 | 1 |
| 77 | Black-headed Heron | <i>Ardea melanocephala</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 78 | Goliath Heron | <i>Ardea goliath</i> | 3 | 1 |
| 79 | Great Egret | <i>Ardea alba melanorhynchos</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 80 | Little Egret | <i>Egretta garzetta</i> | 2 | 5 |
| 81 | Hammerkop | <i>Scopus umbretta</i> | 4 | 2 |
| 82 | Secretarybird | <i>Sagittarius serpentarius</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 83 | Black-winged Kite | <i>Elanus caeruleus</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 84 | African Harrier-Hawk | <i>Polyboroides typus</i> | 1 | 3 |
| 85 | Hooded Vulture | <i>Necrosyrtes monachus</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 86 | White-backed Vulture | <i>Gyps africanus</i> | 3 | 30 |
| 87 | Cape Vulture | <i>Gyps coprotheres</i> | 4 | 3 |
| 88 | White-headed Vulture | <i>Trigonoceps occipitalis</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 89 | Lappet-faced Vulture | <i>Torgos tracheliotes</i> | 3 | 6 |
| 90 | Black-chested Snake Eagle | <i>Circaetus pectoralis</i> | 2 | 1 |
| 91 | Brown Snake Eagle | <i>Circaetus cinereus</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 92 | Bateleur | <i>Terathopius ecaudatus</i> | 4 | 8 |
| 93 | Martial Eagle | <i>Polemaetus bellicosus</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 94 | Long-crested Eagle | <i>Lophaetus occipitalis</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 95 | Wahlberg's Eagle | <i>Hieraaetus wahlbergi</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 96 | Booted Eagle | <i>Hieraaetus pennatus</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 97 | Tawny Eagle | <i>Aquila rapax</i> | 4 | 4 |
| 98 | African Hawk-Eagle | <i>Aquila spilogaster</i> | 1 | 1 |

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|-----|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|--------|
| 99 | Little Sparrowhawk | <i>Accipiter minullus</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 100 | Black Harrier | <i>Circus maurus</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 101 | Black (Yellow-billed) Kite | <i>Milvus migrans parasitus</i> | 5 | 6 |
| 102 | African Fish Eagle | <i>Haliaeetus vocifer</i> | 4 | 4 |
| 103 | Common Buzzard | <i>Buteo buteo vulpinus</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 104 | Jackal Buzzard | <i>Buteo rufofuscus</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 105 | African Scops Owl | <i>Otus senegalensis</i> | 2 | H |
| 106 | Verreaux's Eagle-Owl | <i>Bubo lacteus</i> | 2 | 1 + 1H |
| 107 | Pearl-spotted Owlet | <i>Glaucidium perlatum</i> | 2 | 1 |
| 108 | Speckled Mousebird | <i>Colius striatus</i> | 5 | 6 |
| 109 | Red-faced Mousebird | <i>Urocolius indicus</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 110 | African Hoopoe | <i>Upupa epops africana</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 111 | Green Wood Hoopoe | <i>Phoeniculus purpureus</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 112 | Common Scimitarbill | <i>Rhinopomastus cyanomelas</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 113 | Southern Ground Hornbill | <i>Bucorvus leadbeateri</i> | 2 | 3 |
| 114 | Southern Red-billed Hornbill | <i>Tockus rufirostris</i> | 4 | 2 |
| 115 | Southern Yellow-billed Hornbill | <i>Tockus leucomelas</i> | 4 | 10 |
| 116 | Crowned Hornbill | <i>Lophoceros alboterminatus</i> | 1 | H |
| 117 | African Grey Hornbill | <i>Lophoceros nasutus</i> | 4 | 8 |
| 118 | Trumpeter Hornbill | <i>Bycanistes bucinator</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 119 | Purple Roller | <i>Coracias naevius</i> | 2 | 4 |
| 120 | Lilac-breasted Roller | <i>Coracias caudatus</i> | 4 | 6 |
| 121 | Broad-billed Roller | <i>Eurystomus glaucurus</i> | 1 | 3 |
| 122 | Brown-hooded Kingfisher | <i>Halcyon albiventris</i> | 4 | 2 |
| 123 | Malachite Kingfisher | <i>Corythornis cristatus</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 124 | Giant Kingfisher | <i>Megaceryle maxima</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 125 | Pied Kingfisher | <i>Ceryle rudis</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 126 | Little Bee-eater | <i>Merops pusillus</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 127 | White-fronted Bee-eater | <i>Merops bullockoides</i> | 3 | 8 |
| 128 | European Bee-eater | <i>Merops apiaster</i> | 4 | 2 |
| 129 | Black-collared Barbet | <i>Lybius torquatus</i> | 5 | 2 |
| 130 | Crested Barbet | <i>Trachyphonus vaillantii</i> | 4 | 6 |
| 131 | Golden-tailed Woodpecker | <i>Campethera abingoni</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 132 | Cardinal Woodpecker | <i>Dendropicos fuscescens</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 133 | Brown-headed Parrot | <i>Poicephalus cryptoxanthus</i> | 4 | 20 |
| 134 | Chinspot Batis | <i>Batis molitor</i> | 4 | 4 |
| 135 | Grey-headed Bushshrike | <i>Malaconotus blanchoti</i> | 3 | 1 + 2H |
| 136 | Orange-breasted Bushshrike | <i>Chlorophoneus sulfureopectus</i> | 3 | 2 + 1H |
| 137 | Gorgeous Bushshrike | <i>Telophorus viridis</i> | 1 | H |
| 138 | Bokmakierie | <i>Telophorus zeylonus</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 139 | Brown-crowned Tchagra | <i>Tchagra australis</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 140 | Black-crowned Tchagra | <i>Tchagra senegalus</i> | 4 | 2 |
| 141 | Black-backed Puffback | <i>Dryoscopus cubla</i> | 4 | 2 |
| 142 | Southern Boubou | <i>Laniarius ferrugineus</i> | 3 | 1 |
| 143 | Brubru | <i>Nilaus afer</i> | 2 | 2 + 2H |
| 144 | White-crested Helmetshrike | <i>Prionops plumatus</i> | 1 | 10 |
| 145 | Retz's Helmetshrike | <i>Prionops retzii</i> | 1 | 6 |
| 146 | Magpie Shrike | <i>Urolestes melanoleucus</i> | 4 | 20 |
| 147 | Southern White-crowned Shrike | <i>Eurocephalus anguitimens</i> | 2 | 6 |
| 148 | Southern Fiscal | <i>Lanius collaris</i> | 1 | 1 |

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| 149 | Fork-tailed Drongo | <i>Dicrurus adsimilis adsimilis</i> | 5 | 2 |
| 150 | African Paradise Flycatcher | <i>Terpsiphone viridis</i> | 3 | 1 |
| 151 | House Crow | <i>Corvus splendens</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 152 | Cape Crow | <i>Corvus capensis</i> | 2 | N/C |
| 153 | Pied Crow | <i>Corvus albus</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 154 | White-necked Raven | <i>Corvus albicollis</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 155 | Southern Black Tit | <i>Melaniparus niger</i> | 3 | 4 |
| 156 | Grey Penduline Tit | <i>Anthoscopus caroli</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 157 | Chestnut-backed Sparrow-Lark | <i>Eremopterix leucotis</i> | 1 | 20 |
| 158 | Sabota Lark | <i>Calendulauda sabota</i> | 3 | 12+ |
| 159 | Flappet Lark | <i>Amirafra rufocinnamomea</i> | 2 | 1 |
| 160 | Rufous-naped Lark | <i>Mirafra africana</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 161 | Monotonous Lark | <i>Mirafra passerina</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 162 | Red-capped Lark | <i>Calandrella cinerea</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 163 | (Common) Dark-capped Bulbul | <i>Pycnonotus barbatus tricolor</i> | 5 | 8 |
| 164 | Sombre Greenbul | <i>Andropadus importunus</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 165 | Terrestrial Brownbul | <i>Phyllastrephus terrestris</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 166 | Banded Martin | <i>Riparia cincta</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 167 | Barn Swallow | <i>Hirundo rustica</i> | 5 | 10 |
| 168 | White-throated Swallow | <i>Hirundo albigularis</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 169 | Wire-tailed Swallow | <i>Hirundo smithii</i> | 2 | 1 |
| 170 | Large Rock Martin | <i>Ptyonoprogne fuligula</i> | 2 | 4 |
| 171 | Greater Striped Swallow | <i>Cecropis cucullata</i> | 2 | 4 |
| 172 | Lesser Striped Swallow | <i>Cecropis abyssinica</i> | 4 | 8 |
| 173 | Red-breasted Swallow | <i>Cecropis semirufa</i> | 4 | 3 |
| 174 | Mosque Swallow | <i>Cecropis senegalensis</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 175 | South African Cliff Swallow | <i>Petrochelidon spilodera</i> | 1 | 10 |
| 176 | Long-billed Crombec | <i>Sylvietta rufescens</i> | 4 | 3 |
| 177 | Red-faced Cisticola | <i>Cisticola erythrops</i> | 1 | H |
| 178 | Rattling Cisticola | <i>Cisticola chiniana</i> | 3 | C |
| 179 | Grey-backed Cisticola | <i>Cisticola subruficapilla</i> | 1 | 15 |
| 180 | Levaillant's Cisticola | <i>Cisticola tinniens</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 181 | Zitting Cisticola | <i>Cisticola juncidis</i> | 2 | 1 +1H |
| 182 | Desert Cisticola | <i>Cisticola aridulus</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 183 | Wing-snapping Cisticola | <i>Cisticola ayresii</i> | 1 | H |
| 184 | Tawny-flanked Prinia | <i>Prinia subflava</i> | 5 | 4 |
| 185 | Bar-throated Apalis | <i>Apalis thoracica</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 186 | Yellow-breasted Apalis | <i>Apalis flavida</i> | 2 | 3 |
| 187 | Green-backed Camaroptera | <i>Camaroptera brachyura</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 188 | Stierling's Wren-Warbler | <i>Calamonastes stierlingi</i> | 1 | H |
| 189 | Burnt-necked Eremomela | <i>Eremomela usticollis</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 190 | Arrow-marked Babbler | <i>Turdoides jardineii</i> | 3 | 8 |
| 191 | Cape White-eye | <i>Zosterops virens</i> | 2 | 4 |
| 192 | Gurney's Sugarbird | <i>Promerops gurneyi</i> | 1 | 3 |
| 193 | Common Myna | <i>Acridotheres tristis</i> | 5 | 20 |
| 194 | Common Starling | <i>Sturnus vulgaris</i> | 2 | 6 |
| 195 | Wattled Starling | <i>Creatophora cinerea</i> | 4 | 50 |
| 196 | Cape Starling | <i>Lamprotornis nitens</i> | 4 | 10+ |
| 197 | Greater Blue-eared Starling | <i>Lamprotornis chalybaeus</i> | 3 | 10 |
| 198 | Burchell's Starling | <i>Lamprotornis australis</i> | 4 | 20 |

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| 199 | Pied Starling | <i>Lamprotornis bicolor</i> | 3 | 4 |
| 200 | Violet-backed Starling | <i>Cinnyricinclus leucogaster</i> | 4 | 6 |
| 201 | Red-winged Starling | <i>Onychognathus morio</i> | 4 | 8 |
| 202 | Yellow-billed Oxpecker | <i>Buphagus africanus</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 203 | Red-billed Oxpecker | <i>Buphagus erythrorhynchus</i> | 4 | 8 |
| 204 | Kurrichane Thrush | <i>Turdus libonyana</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 205 | Bearded Scrub Robin | <i>Cercotrichas quadrivirgata</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 206 | White-browed Scrub Robin | <i>Cercotrichas leucophrys</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 207 | Southern Black Flycatcher | <i>Melaenornis pammelaina</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 208 | Spotted Flycatcher | <i>Muscicapa striata</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 209 | Ashy Flycatcher | <i>Muscicapa caerulescens</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 210 | White-throated Robin-Chat | <i>Cossypha humeralis</i> | 2 | 1 |
| 211 | White-browed Robin-Chat | <i>Cossypha heuglini</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 212 | African Stonechat | <i>Saxicola torquatus</i> | 2 | 5 |
| 213 | Buff-streaked Chat | <i>Campicoloides bifasciatus</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 214 | Mocking Cliff Chat | <i>Thamnolaea cinnamomeiventris</i> | 2 | 1 |
| 215 | Mountain Wheatear | <i>Myrmecocichla monticola</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 216 | Capped Wheatear | <i>Oenanthe pileata</i> | 1 | 3 |
| 217 | Scarlet-chested Sunbird | <i>Chalcomitra senegalensis</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 218 | Malachite Sunbird | <i>Nectarinia famosa</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 219 | Greater Double-collared Sunbird | <i>Cinnyris afer</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 220 | Marico Sunbird | <i>Cinnyris mariquensis</i> | 2 | 6 |
| 221 | White-bellied Sunbird | <i>Cinnyris talatala</i> | 3 | 4 |
| 222 | House Sparrow | <i>Passer domesticus</i> | 6 | N/C |
| 223 | Cape Sparrow | <i>Passer melanurus</i> | 3 | 4 |
| 224 | Southern Grey-headed Sparrow | <i>Passer diffusus</i> | 3 | 20 |
| 225 | Red-billed Buffalo Weaver | <i>Bubalornis niger</i> | 3 | 6 |
| 226 | White-browed Sparrow-Weaver | <i>Plocepasser mahali</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 227 | Spectacled Weaver | <i>Ploceus ocularis</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 228 | Cape Weaver | <i>Ploceus capensis</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 229 | Lesser Masked Weaver | <i>Ploceus intermedius</i> | 4 | 20 |
| 230 | Southern Masked Weaver | <i>Ploceus velatus</i> | 3 | 4 |
| 231 | Village Weaver | <i>Ploceus cucullatus</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 232 | Red-headed Weaver | <i>Anaplectes rubriceps</i> | 2 | 6 |
| 233 | Southern Red Bishop | <i>Euplectes orix</i> | 2 | 20 |
| 234 | Yellow Bishop | <i>Euplectes capensis</i> | 1 | 6 |
| 235 | Long-tailed Widowbird | <i>Euplectes progne</i> | 2 | 20 |
| 236 | Green-winged Pytilia | <i>Pytilia melba</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 237 | African Firefinch | <i>Lagonosticta rubricata</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 238 | Jameson's Firefinch | <i>Lagonosticta rhodopareia</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 239 | Blue Waxbill | <i>Uraeginthus angolensis</i> | 4 | 3 |
| 240 | Common Waxbill | <i>Estrilda astrild</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 241 | Orange-breasted Waxbill | <i>Amandava subflava</i> | 1 | 20 |
| 242 | Bronze Mannikin | <i>Lonchura cucullata</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 243 | Village Indigobird | <i>Vidua chalybeata</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 244 | Long-tailed Paradise Whydah | <i>Vidua paradisaea</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 245 | Mountain Wagtail | <i>Motacilla clara</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 246 | African Pied Wagtail | <i>Motacilla aguimp</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 247 | Cape Longclaw | <i>Macronyx capensis</i> | 1 | 8 |
| 248 | Yellow-throated Longclaw | <i>Macronyx croceus</i> | 2 | 4 |

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| 249 | Nicholson's Pipit | <i>Anthus nicholsoni</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 250 | Yellow-breasted Pipit | <i>Anthus chloris</i> | 1 | 3 |
| 251 | Yellow-fronted Canary | <i>Crithagra mozambica</i> | 3 | 2 |
| 252 | Streaky-headed Seedeater | <i>Crithagra gularis</i> | 1 | 3 |
| 253 | Cape Canary | <i>Serinus canicollis</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 254 | Cinnamon-breasted Bunting | <i>Emberiza tahapisi</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 255 | Golden-breasted Bunting | <i>Emberiza flaviventris</i> | 2 | 1 |

| A | OTHER SPECIES | SCIENTIFIC NAME | B | C |
|----|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|-----|
| 1 | Cape Buffalo | <i>Syncerus caffer</i> | 3 | 250 |
| 2 | Blue Wildebeest | <i>Connochaetes taurinus</i> | | |
| 3 | African Elephant | <i>Loxodonta africana</i> | 4 | 50 |
| 4 | Southern Giraffe | <i>Giraffa giraffa</i> | 4 | 8 |
| 5 | Burchell's (Plains) Zebra | <i>Equus quagga burchellii</i> | 4 | 20 |
| 6 | Hippopotamus | <i>Hippopotamus amphibius</i> | 3 | 10 |
| 7 | Impala | <i>Aepyceros melampus</i> | 4 | 50 |
| 8 | Bushbuck | <i>Tragelaphus scriptus</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 9 | Greater Kudu | <i>Tragelaphus strepsiceros</i> | 5 | 10 |
| 10 | Waterbuck | <i>Kobus ellipsiprymnus</i> | 3 | 8 |
| 11 | Nyala | <i>Tragelaphus angasii</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 12 | Oribi | <i>Ourebia ourebi</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 13 | Steenbok | <i>Raphicerus campestris</i> | 3 | 12 |
| 14 | Chacma Baboon | <i>Papio ursinus</i> | 5 | 10 |
| 15 | Vervet Monkey | <i>Chlorocebus pygerythrus</i> | 5 | 10 |
| 16 | Spotted Hyena | <i>Crocuta crocuta</i> | 3 | 5 |
| 17 | Lion | <i>Panthera leo</i> | 2 | 8 |
| 18 | Leopard | <i>Panthera pardus</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 19 | Cheetah | <i>Acinonyx jubatus</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 20 | Black-backed Jackal | <i>Canis mesomelas</i> | 1 | H |
| 21 | Common Warthog | <i>Phacochoerus africanus</i> | 3 | 8 |
| 22 | Dwarf Mongoose | <i>Helogale parvula</i> | 3 | 6 |
| 23 | Slender Mongoose | <i>Galerella sanguinea</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 24 | Large Spotted (Cape) Genet | <i>Genetta tigrina</i> | 1 | 3 |
| 25 | Thick-tailed Greater Galago | <i>Otolemur crassicaudatus</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 26 | Smith's Bush Squirrel | <i>Paraxerus cepapi</i> | 2 | 2 |
| 27 | Scrub Hare | <i>Lepus saxatilis</i> | 2 | 3 |
| 28 | Wahlberg's Epauletted Fruit Bat | <i>Epomophorus wahlbergi</i> | 1 | 12 |
| 29 | Leopard Tortoise | <i>Stigmochelys pardalis</i> | 2 | 4 |
| 30 | Helmeted Turtle | <i>Pelomedusa subrufa</i> | 1 | 8 |
| 31 | Common Giant Plated Lizard | <i>Matobosaurus validus</i> | 2 | 1 |
| 32 | Rough-scaled Plated Lizard | <i>Broadleysaurus major</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 33 | Southern Rock Agama | <i>Agama atra</i> | 3 | 4 |
| 34 | Southern Tree Agama | <i>Acanthocercus atricollis</i> | 3 | 3 |
| 35 | Rainbow Skink | <i>Trachylepis margaritifer</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 36 | Flap-necked Chameleon | <i>Chamaeleo dilepis</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 37 | Rock (White-throated) Monitor | <i>Varanus albigularis</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 38 | Stripe-bellied Sand Snake | <i>Psammophis subtaeniatus</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 39 | Nile Crocodile | <i>Crocodylus niloticus</i> | 3 | 3 |
| 40 | Painted Emperor | <i>Charaxes saturnus</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 41 | Painted Lady | <i>Vanessa cardui</i> | 2 | 2 |

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| 42 | Large White (Cabbage White) | <i>Pieris brassicae</i> | 4 | 4 |
| 43 | Silver-striped Hawkmoth | <i>Hippotion celerio</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 44 | Small Verdant Hawkmoth | <i>Basiothia medea</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 45 | Mopane Worm | <i>Gonimbrasia belina</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 46 | Straight-rayed Gothic | <i>Anedhella rectiradiata</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 47 | Orange-winged Dropwing | <i>Trithemis kirbyi</i> | 1 | 2 |
| 48 | Tigertail | <i>Ictinogomphus ferox</i> | 1 | 1 |
| 49 | Redhead Fly | <i>Bromophila caffra</i> | 1 | 10 |
| 50 | Dung Bettle sp? | | | |

TOTAL BIRDS RECORDED - 370



Straight-rayed Gothic



Inclusive Goat Moth



Small Verdant Hawkmoth



Domino



Hyena cub