

Aore Island Bird Checklist

Vanuatu

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#	Common Name	Scientific Name	Ecol. Status	Abundance	References
1.	Eastern Reef Egret	<i>Egretta sacra</i>	Res bre	P,	3,
2.	Swamp Harrier	<i>Circus approximans approximans</i>	Res bre	Obs. June 2007,	10,
3.	Hardhead	<i>Aythya australis</i>	Res bre	Common	1,
4.	Grey Teal	<i>Anas gracilis</i>	Res bre	Obs. between 2000 & 2006,	9,
5.	Purple Swampphen	<i>Porphyrio porphyrio samoensis</i>	Res bre	Obs. between 2000 & 2006,	9,
6.	Red Jungle Fowl	<i>Gallus gallus</i>	Intro	Obs. between 2000 & 2006,	9,
	Crested Tern	<i>Thalasseus bergii</i>	Res	20 birds obs from submarine in Second Channel, 21 Jul 1962,	14,
7.	Mackinlay's Cuckoo-Dove	<i>Macropygia mackinlayi</i>	Res bre	LC June 2007,	10,
8.	Emerald Dove	<i>Chalcophaps indica</i>	Res bre	VC in forest end forest edges June 2007,	10,
9.	Red-bellied Fruit-Dove	<i>Ptilinopus greyii</i>	Res bre	P, C all over island 2001,	1,7,8,
10.	Tanna Fruit-Dove	<i>Ptilinopus tannensis</i>	Res bre	P, C all over island 2001,	1,7,8,
11.	Pacific Imperial Pigeon	<i>Ducula pacifica</i>	Res bre	C in W & SW of island 2001, MC in forest Jun 2007,	1,7,10,
12.	Rainbow Lorikeet	<i>Trichoglossus haematodus massena</i>	Res bre	Obs. between 2000 & 2006,	9,
13.	Palm Lorikeet	<i>Charmosyna palmarum</i>	Res bre	Periodic flocks arrive.	6,
14.	Glossy Swiftlet	<i>Collocalia esculenta uropygialis</i>	Res bre	VC June 2007,	10,
15.	Uniform Swiftlet	<i>Aerodramus vanikorensis</i>	Res	VC June 2007,	10,
16.	Chestnut-bellied Kingfisher	<i>Todirhamphus farquhari</i>	Res bre	MC. Mar 2005, Imm in forest behind Aore Adventist Academy Jun 2007,	11,10,
17.	Collared Kingfisher	<i>Todirhamphus chloris</i>	Res bre	MC June 2007,	10,
18.	Pacific Swallow	<i>Hirundo tahitica subfusca</i>	Res bre	MC June 2007,	10,
19.	Melanesian Cuckoo-Shrike	<i>Coracina caledonica</i>	Res bre	Obs. between 2000 & 2006,	9,
20.	Long-tailed Triller	<i>Lalage leucopyga</i>	Res bre	Obs. between 2000 & 2006,	9,
21.	Fan-tailed Gerygone	<i>Gerygone flavolateralis</i>	Res bre	Obs. between 2000 & 2006,	9,
22.	Grey Fantail	<i>Rhipidura fuliginosa albiscapa/brenchleyi</i>	Res bre	MC June 2007,	10,12,
23.	Streaked Fantail	<i>Rhipidura verreauxi spilodera</i>	Res bre	1 in forest behind Aore Adventist Academy Jun 2007,	10,12,15,
24.	Buff-bellied Monarch	<i>Neolalage banksiana</i>	Res bre	Obs between 2002 & 2006,	9,
25.	Melanesian Flycatcher	<i>Myiagra caledonica marinae</i>	Res bre	C in forest & around settlements June 2007,	10,13,
26.	Common Golden Whistler	<i>Pachycephala pectoralis</i>	Res bre	In forest behind Aore Adventist Academy June 2007,	10,
27.	Silvereye	<i>Zosterops lateralis</i>	Res bre	Common, LC in forest June 2007,	1,10,
28.	Yellow-fronted White-eye	<i>Zosterops flavifrons</i>	Res bre	VC June 2007,	10,
29.	Cardinal Myzomela	<i>Myzomela cardinalis</i>	Res bre	C in forest & in gardens June 2007,	10,
30.	Black-headed Mannikin	<i>Lonchura malacca</i>	Intro	Common P, VC June 2007,	1,2,10,
31.	Common (Indian) Myna	<i>Acridotheres tristis</i>	Intro	Common, C. June 2007,	1,10,
32.	White-breasted Woodswallow	<i>Artamus leucorhynchus</i>	Res bre	Obs. between 2000 & 2006,	9,

KEY

Ecological status

End = Endemic to Island unless otherwise stated, **Res bre** = Resident breeder, **Res** = resident ie breeding not proven or not likely. For seabirds it means they have or should be found in that area: note other refs. **Vag** = Vagrant, **Res/mig** = Part of population migratory, **Sum mig** = Summer migrant, **Win mig** = Winter migrant, **Spr/Aut mig** = Passage migrant in Spring and Autumn, **Intro** = Introduced.

Abundance

R = rare, **S** = scarce, **UC** = uncommon, **MC** = moderately common, **LC** = locally common, **C** = common, **VC** = very common, **A** = abundant, **P** = present.

Colour coding applies only to one species on a particular list. eg. An abundance comment in **red** for the Brown Booby refers to the Ref # in **Red** for that species only.

Alternate Island Names & alternate common Bird Names are recorded in two separate spreadsheet files.

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