

Sri Lanka - Blue Whales & Leopards, with Sinharaja Extension

Naturetrek Tour Report

1st – 13th February 2020



Sloth Bear



Leopard



Asian Elephant



Golden Jackal

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Highlights

During this tour we saw 23 species of mammals, 154 bird species, and 11 species of reptiles. We had good sightings of Blue Whales on all three occasions that we were out in the sea. We were able to enjoy watching several Spinner and Bottlenose Dolphin pods that swam alongside our boat.

At Yala we encountered the elusive Leopards, along with many other mammals, including Asian Elephant, Sloth Bear, Golden Jackal, Purple-faced Leaf Monkey, Sambar, Spotted Deer, Wild Boar, Water Buffalo, Ruddy Mongoose, Grey Langurs, Grizzled Giant Squirrel, Layard's Striped Squirrel, Dusky Striped Squirrel, Indian Hare, Black-naped Hare, Indian Flying Fox, Lesser False Vampire Bat, Indian Gerbil and Toque Macaque.

We also witnessed the behaviour of a Blue Whale feeding on krill on the surface of the water which was particularly welcome to see.

Apart from the luscious wildlife, we enjoyed the scenic beauty of the various places we visited including the wonderful Galle Fort where we were able to see distinctive architecture of the surrounding buildings.

Day 1

Saturday 1st February

The tour started with an overnight flight from the UK to Sri Lanka.

Day 2

Sunday 2nd February

Arrive Colombo; travel to Koggala

The flight arrived at Bandaranaike International Airport at 12.40pm where the group met the leaders and getting on the road by 1.30pm. We came across the following birds on our way to the hotel; Grey Heron, Spot-billed Pelican, Little Cormorant, Brahminy Kite, Eastern Cattle Egret, Black-winged Stilt, Common Pigeon, White-throated Kingfisher, House Crow and Common Myna,. Apart from the birds, we also saw Indian Palm Squirrel, Lesser False Vampire Bat and also a Common House Gecko.

We reached Koggala Beach Hotel in Koggala at 5.00pm and met for dinner at 7.15pm. After dinner we got together and went through the checklist and briefing for the next day and called it a night.

Day 3

Monday 3rd February

Koggala to Weligama

Our day started early, picking up our breakfast packs at 6.00am and were at Mirissa Harbour by 6.30am for our first whale-watching trip. From the boat we saw Striated Heron, Greater Crested Tern and Common Tern. Once we were out at sea, we saw a pod of Bottlenose Dolphins with some bow riding. We were able to see our first Blue Whale after two hours in to the ocean where we stayed for a while until it was time to head back to the shore. Upon returning to the hotel at 12.00pm, we had lunch and relaxed until 3.30pm.

In the afternoon we visited the Kirala Kele Sanctuary. Bird sightings included: Lesser Whistling Duck, Garganey, White-bellied Drongo, Indian Peafowl, Red-vented Bulbul, Painted Stork, Asian Openbill, Black-headed Ibis, Eurasian Spoonbill, Yellow Bittern, Indian Pond Heron, Purple Heron, Great Egret, Oriental Darter, Crested Hawk Eagle, White-bellied Sea Eagle, Purple Swamphen, Red-wattled Lapwing, Marsh Sandpiper, Wood Sandpiper, Asian Palm Swift, House Swift, Pied Kingfisher, Blue-tailed Bee-Eater, Rose-ringed Parakeet, Black-hooded Oriole, Ashy Drongo, Large-billed Crow, Barn Swallow, Sri Lanka Swallow and Purple-rumped Sunbird. We also saw a colony of Indian Flying Fox and an Oriental (Common) Garden Lizard.

We returned to the hotel at 6.30pm and had dinner at 7.15pm, followed by the checklist and a briefing for the next day before we called it a night.

Day 4

Tuesday 4th February

Koggala to Weligama

We left the hotel and were at Mirissa Harbor at 6.30am once more. Our boat left the harbour at 7.00am with sightings of a Green Turtle and a pod of Spinner Dolphins on our way to deep sea, however there was no sightings of whales until we met with three different Blue Whales in close proximity around the corner. One of these whales was feeding and it was quite exciting to see it coming out of the water to feed on Krill. We spent about 90 minutes just gazing at these majestic giants until we decided to head back to the hotel. We added Shikra, Gull-billed Tern and Indian Swiftlet to our list of birds.

In the afternoon at 4pm we visited Galle Fort, a UNESCO World Heritage City. While walking inside the fort and taking in the architectural wonder and enjoying the surrounding environment, we were awed by the atmosphere in the Dutch inspired small town inside the fort itself. We were back at our hotel by 6.30pm. We met for dinner at 7.15pm. We then went through the checklist and, once the briefing for the next day was over, it was time for bed.

Day 5

Wednesday 5th February

Koggala to Weligama

Once again with packed breakfast we visited the Mirissa Fishing Harbor and Fish Market. We left port at 7.00am, and towards the end of the boat ride we encountered a massive Blue Whale which made the first part of the tour very successful with sightings on each of our trips.

We reached the hotel at 12.30pm and had lunch and relaxed. Later in the day we visited a turtle hatchery where we learnt about the different species that occur in Sri Lanka's oceans. Throughout the day we were able to see many birds and mammals species that we have already seen.

We came back to the hotel at 5.30pm and met up for dinner at 7.15pm and did our usual routine before bed.

Day 6

Thursday 6th February

Koggala to Yala

We had our breakfast at 7am and checked out of the hotel at 8.30am. En route to Yala, we encountered many birds. We reached Cinnamon Wild Hotel in Yala at 3.00pm and at 5.00pm we did a bird walk around the hotel premises. Throughout the day, we saw many birds including Black Bittern, Intermediate Egret, Little Egret, White-breasted Waterhen, Great Thick Knee, Lesser Sand Plover, Common Sandpiper, Little Tern, Eurasian Collared Dove, Oriental Skylark, Orange-breasted Green Pigeon, Asian Koel, Common Kingfisher, Green Bee-eater, Indian Pitta, Common Iora, Brown Shrike, Ashy-crowned Sparrow-Lark, Clamorous Reed Warbler, Ashy Prinia, Indian Robin, Loten's Sunbird and House Sparrow. We also saw Toque Macaque, Grey Langur, Wild Boar, Black-naped Hare, Water Buffalo, Common Rat Snake, Spotted Tree Frog and Mugger Crocodile.

We did the checklist at 7.15pm, followed by the next day briefing and enjoyed another fine dinner.

Day 7

Friday 7th February

Yala

We left the hotel at 5.30am after tea/coffee for our safari. We saw our first sighting of the Leopard in the first half of our safari on top of a tree resting and we observed this cat for a while.

Throughout the day we were able to see many birds such as Sri Lanka Junglefowl, Indian Cormorant, Little Grebe, Pacific Golden Plover, Yellow-wattled Lapwing, Blue-faced Malkoha, Grey-bellied Cuckoo, Pheasant-tailed Jacana, Common Hoopoe, Sri Lanka Woodshrike, Oriental Magpie-Robin, Rosy Starling, Indian Silverbill, Jerdon's Bush Lark, Coppersmith Barbet, Little Stint, Little Ringed Plover, Pale-billed Flowerpecker, Sirkeer Malkoha, Small Minivet, Crested Treeswift, Peregrine Falcon, Yellow-billed Babbler, Chestnut-headed Bee-Eater, White-browed Bulbul, Jungle Prinia, Black-tailed Godwit, Pin-tailed Snipe, Purple Sunbird, Baya Weaver, Common Tailorbird, Scaly-breasted Munia, White-browed Fantail, Paddyfield Pipit and many other birds we had already seen before. As for mammals, we saw Golden Jackal, Ruddy Mongoose, Asian Elephant, Sambar, Spotted Deer, Indian Gerbil and Grizzled Giant Squirrel.

We returned to the hotel, had dinner followed by our daily routine of going through our checklist and the briefing for the next day and called it a night.

Day 8

Saturday 8th February

Yala

Our second day of safari at Yala National Park started at 5.30am after having tea/coffee. We were able to see many new birds such as Woolly-necked Stork, Crested Honey Buzzard, Crested Serpent Eagle, Common Moorhen, Green Imperial Pigeon, Greater Coucal, Jacobin Cuckoo, Indian Roller, Malabar Pied Hornbill, Brown-headed Barbet, Asian Paradise Flycatcher, Yellow-billed Babbler, Jerdon's Leafbird, Streaked Weaver, White-rumped and Black-throated Munia.

Just after lunch we were able to see a Leopard not more than 20 meters away from us resting up on a tree where we spent some time taking many wonderful photographs of this wonderful beast. Apart from the Leopard we were able to see a delightful Sloth Bear as well.

We met for dinner at 7.15pm did our checklist and the briefing for tomorrow and called it a night.

Main Tour Day 9 / Extension Day 1

Sunday 9th February

Katunayake (Main tour); Sinharaja (Extension)

We had breakfast at 7.00am and checked out of the hotel at 8.30am. On the way we did birding at Debarawewa and encountered Jungle Owlet, Brown Fish Owl and Collared Scops Owl. We were also amazed to see a large colony of Giant Fruit Bats roosting in massive rain trees. We stopped for lunch at a restaurant and had a traditional Sri Lankan meal. After lunch we split up, as three members of the group departed for Sinharaja for the birdwatching extension, while the rest set off to Katunayake for their final night's stay.

The main group reached the Airport Garden Hotel at 6.30pm and enjoyed a leisurely dinner. Meanwhile, the Extension party reached the Blue Magpie Lodge at 6.00pm. We had a briefing about the next day's programme before dinner before retiring for the night.

Main Tour Day 10 / Extension Day 2

Monday 10th February

Sinharaja

The main group proceeded to the airport in time for their flight after enjoying their breakfast at the hotel.

The extension group left the hotel at 6.00am after having breakfast. We reached the Sinharaja Rainforest with our picnic lunch. During the walk we encountered Sri Lanka Spurfowl, Jerdon's Baza, Emerald Dove, Sri Lanka Green Pigeon, Common Hawk-Cuckoo, Sri Lanka Frogmouth, Malabar Trogon, Sri Lanka Grey Hornbill, Yellow-fronted Barbet, Crimson-fronted Barbet, Layard's Parakeet, Sri Lanka Hanging Parrot, Sri Lanka Drongo, Black-naped Monarch, Sri Lanka Blue Magpie, Yellow-browed Bulbul, Square-tailed Bulbul, Ashy-headed Laughingthrush, Oriental White-Eye, Sri Lanka Hill Myna, White-faced Starling, Brown-breasted Flycatcher and Legge's Flowerpecker.

We also saw Purple-faced Leaf Monkey, Green Garden Lizard and Sri Lanka Kangaroo Lizard.

We returned to the hotel at 3.00pm and rested while enjoying the treasure trove of wildlife right outside our hotel room. At 5.00pm, we did a bird walk in Sinharaja Village area and in the evening we did the checklist and then had our dinner, followed by the briefing for the next day.

Extension Day 3

Tuesday 11th February

Sinharaja

We had breakfast at 6.00am and left to Sinharaja rainforest for another excursion. We encountered Serendib Scops Owl, Orange-billed Babbler, Spot-winged Thrush, Sri Lanka Scimitar Babbler, Indian Blue Robin and

many other species we had seen before. We were also lucky to see Layard's Striped Squirrel, Dusky Striped Squirrel and Sri Lanka Green Pit Viper. We returned to the hotel at 12.00pm for our lunch and relaxed for a few hours listening to the various calls from different types of creatures.

We did a bird walk from 3.30pm to 5.00pm around the Sinharaja village and were able to see many birds that we had seen before. We returned to the hotel and did the checklist at 7.00pm, followed by the briefing and dinner.

Extension Day 4

Wednesday 12th February

Sinharaja to Katunayake

We did a pre-breakfast birding session where we saw Lesser Yellownape, Black-headed Cuckooshrike, Orange Minivet, Black-capped Bulbul, Golden-fronted Leafbird and an Asian Water Monitor. We returned to the hotel for breakfast at 9.30am and we were at leisure till 12.30pm. We then checked out of our hotel with our packed lunch and drove on to Katunayake. We reached the Airport Garden Hotel and met for dinner at 7.30pm followed by the checklist and called it a night.

Extension Day 5

Thursday 13th February

Katunayake

We left the hotel at 9.30am and travelled to the airport in time for our flight back to UK, where another Naturetrek adventure came to an end.

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Species Lists

Mammals

Common name	Scientific name
1 Toque Macaque	<i>Macaca sinica</i>
2 Grey Langur	<i>Semnopithecus (Presbytis) entellus</i>
3 Purple-faced Leaf Monkey	<i>Trachypithecus (Presbytis) vetulus</i>
4 Golden Jackal	<i>Canis aureus</i>
5 Sloth Bear	<i>Melursus ursinus</i>
6 Ruddy Mongoose	<i>Herpestes smithii</i>
7 Leopard	<i>Panthera pardus kotiya</i>
8 Asian Elephant	<i>Elephas maximus</i>
9 Wild Boar	<i>Sus scrofa</i>
10 Spotted Deer	<i>Cervus axis</i>
11 Sambar	<i>Cervus unicolor</i>
12 Water Buffalo	<i>Bubalus Bubalis</i>
13 Indian Gerbil	<i>Tatera indica</i>
14 Indian Palm Squirrel	<i>Funambulus palmarum</i>
15 Grizzled Giant Squirrel	<i>Ratufa macroura</i>
16 Layard's Striped Squirrel	<i>Funambulus layardi</i>
17 Dusky Striped Squirrel	<i>Funambulus sublineatus</i>
18 Indian Hare - Black-naped Hare	<i>Lepus nigricollis</i>
19 Indian Flying Fox	<i>Pteropus gigantea</i>
20 Lesser False Vampire Bat	<i>Megaderma spasma</i>
21 Blue Whale	<i>Balaenoptera musculus</i>
22 Bottlenose Dolphin	<i>Tursiops truncates</i>
23 Spinner Dolphin	<i>Stenella mulla</i>

Reptiles

Common name	Scientific name
1 Sri Lanka Green Pit Viper	<i>Trimeresurus trigonocephalus</i>
2 Common Rat Snake	<i>Ptyas mucosus maximus</i>
3 Bengal (Land) Monitor	<i>Varanus bengalensis</i>
4 Asian Water Monitor	<i>Varanus salvator</i>
5 Oriental (Common) Garden Lizard	<i>Calotes versicolor</i>
6 Green Garden Lizard	<i>Calotes calotes</i>
7 Sri Lanka Kangaroo Lizard	<i>Otocryptis wiegmanni</i>

8	Mugger Crocodile	<i>Crocodylus palustris</i>
9	Green Turtle	<i>Chelonia mydas</i>
10	Common House Gecko	<i>Hemidactylus frenatus</i>
11	Spotted Tree Frog	<i>Polypedates maculatus</i>

Birds

	Common name	Scientific name
1	Lesser Whistling Duck	<i>Dendrocygna javanica</i>
2	Garganey	<i>Spatula querquedula</i>
3	Sri Lanka Spurfowl	<i>Galloperdix bicalcarata</i>
4	Sri Lanka Junglefowl	<i>Gallus lafayettii</i>
5	Indian Peafowl	<i>Pavo cristatus</i>
6	Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>
7	Painted Stork	<i>Mycteria leucocephala</i>
8	Asian Openbill	<i>Anastomus oscitans</i>
9	Woolly-necked Stork	<i>Ciconia episcopus</i>
10	Black-headed Ibis	<i>Threskiornis melanocephalus</i>
11	Eurasian Spoonbill	<i>Platalea leucorodia</i>
12	Yellow Bittern	<i>Ixobrychus sinensis</i>
13	Black Bittern	<i>Dupetor flavicollis</i>
14	Striated Heron	<i>Butorides striata</i>
15	Indian Pond Heron	<i>Ardeola grayii</i>
16	Eastern Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus coromandus</i>
17	Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>
18	Purple Heron	<i>Ardea purpurea</i>
19	Great Egret	<i>Ardea alba</i>
20	Intermediate Egret	<i>Ardea intermedia</i>
21	Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>
22	Spot-billed Pelican	<i>Pelecanus philippensis</i>
23	Little Cormorant	<i>Microcarbo niger</i>
24	Indian Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax fuscicollis</i>
25	Darter	<i>Anhinga melanogaster</i>
26	Crested Honey Buzzard (Oriental Honey-buzzard)	<i>Pernis ptilorhynchus</i>
27	Jerdon's Baza	<i>Aviceda jerdoni</i>
28	Crested Serpent Eagle	<i>Spilornis cheela</i>
29	Crested Hawk Eagle	<i>Nisaetus cirrhatus</i>
30	Shikra	<i>Accipiter badius</i>
31	Brahminy Kite	<i>Haliastur indus</i>

Common name	Scientific name
32 White-bellied Sea Eagle	<i>Haliaeetus leucogaster</i>
33 White-breasted Waterhen	<i>Amaurornis phoenicurus</i>
34 Purple Swamphen	<i>Porphyrio porphyrio</i>
35 Common Moorhen	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>
36 Great Thick Knee	<i>Esacus recurvirostris</i>
37 Black-winged Stilt	<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>
38 Yellow-wattled Lapwing	<i>Vanellus malabaricus</i>
39 Red-wattled Lapwing	<i>Vanellus indicus</i>
40 Pacific Golden Plover	<i>Pluvialis fulva</i>
41 Little Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius dubius</i>
42 Lesser Sand Plover (Mongolian Plover)	<i>Charadrius mongolus</i>
43 Pheasant-tailed Jacana	<i>Hydrophasianus chirurgus</i>
44 Pin-tailed Snipe	<i>Gallinago stenura</i>
45 Black-tailed Godwit	<i>Limosa limosa</i>
46 Marsh Sandpiper	<i>Tringa stagnatilis</i>
47 Wood Sandpiper	<i>Tringa glareola</i>
48 Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>
49 Little Stint	<i>Calidris minuta</i>
50 Gull-billed Tern	<i>Gelochelidon nilotica</i>
51 Greater Crested Tern	<i>Thalasseus bergii</i>
52 Little Tern	<i>Sternula albifrons</i>
53 Common Tern	<i>Sterna hirundo</i>
54 Common Pigeon	<i>Columba livia</i>
55 Eurasian Collared Dove	<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>
56 Emerald Dove	<i>Chalcophaps indica</i>
57 Orange-breasted Green Pigeon	<i>Treron bicinctus</i>
58 Sri Lanka Green Pigeon	<i>Treron pompadora</i>
59 Green Imperial Pigeon	<i>Ducula aenea</i>
60 Greater Coucal	<i>Centropus sinensis</i>
61 Sirkeer Malkoha	<i>Taccocua leschenaultii</i>
62 Blue-faced Malkoha	<i>Phaenicophaeus viridirostris</i>
63 Jacobin Cuckoo, Pied Cuckoo	<i>Clamator jacobinus</i>
64 Asian Koel	<i>Eudynamys scolopaceus</i>
65 Grey-bellied Cuckoo, Plaintive Cuckoo	<i>Cacomantis passerinus</i>
66 Common Hawk-Cuckoo	<i>Hierococcyx varius</i>
67 Serendib Scops Owl	<i>Otus thilohoffmanni</i>
68 Collared Scops Owl	<i>Otus bakkamoena</i>

Common name	Scientific name
69 Brown Fish Owl	<i>Ketupa zeylonensis</i>
70 Jungle Owlet	<i>Glaucidium radiatum</i>
71 Sri Lanka Frogmouth	<i>Batrachostomus moniliger</i>
72 Crested Treeswift (Gray-rumped Treeswift)	<i>Hemiprocne coronata</i>
73 Indian Swiftlet	<i>Aerodramus unicolor</i>
74 Asian Palm Swift	<i>Cypsiurus balasiensis</i>
75 House Swift	<i>Apus affinis</i>
76 Malabar Trogon	<i>Harpactes fasciatus</i>
77 Indian Roller	<i>Coracias benghalensis</i>
78 White-throated Kingfisher	<i>Halcyon smyrnensis</i>
79 Common Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo atthis</i>
80 Pied Kingfisher	<i>Ceryle rudis</i>
81 Green Bee-eater	<i>Merops orientalis</i>
82 Blue-tailed Bee-Eater	<i>Merops philippinus</i>
83 Chestnut-headed Bee-Eater	<i>Merops leschenaulti</i>
84 Common Hoopoe	<i>Upupa epops</i>
85 Malabar Pied Hornbill	<i>Anthracoceros coronatus</i>
86 Sri Lanka Grey Hornbill	<i>Ocyrceros gingalensis</i>
87 Brown-headed Barbet	<i>Psilopogon zeylanicus</i>
88 Yellow-fronted Barbet	<i>Psilopogon flavifrons</i>
89 Crimson-fronted Barbet	<i>Psilopogon rubricapillus</i>
90 Coppersmith Barbet	<i>Psilopogon haemacephalus</i>
91 Lesser Yellownap	<i>Picus chlorolophus</i>
92 Peregrine Falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>
93 Layard's Parakeet	<i>Psittacula calthrapae</i>
94 Rose-ringed Parakeet	<i>Psittacula krameri</i>
95 Sri Lanka Hanging Parrot	<i>Loriculus beryllinus</i>
96 Indian Pitta	<i>Pitta brachyura</i>
97 Sri Lanka Woodshrike	<i>Tephrodornis affinis</i>
98 Common Iora	<i>Aegithina tiphia</i>
99 Black-headed Cuckooshrike	<i>Coracina melanoptera</i>
100 Small Minivet	<i>Pericrocotus cinnamomeus</i>
101 Orange Minivet, Scarlet Minivet, Flame Minivet	<i>Pericrocotus flammeus</i>
102 Brown Shrike	<i>Lanius cristatus</i>
103 Black-hooded Oriole	<i>Oriolus xanthornus</i>
104 White-bellied Drongo	<i>Dicrurus caerulescens</i>
105 Sri Lanka Drongo	<i>Dicrurus lophorinus</i>
106 White-browed Fantail	<i>Rhipidura aureola</i>

	Common name	Scientific name
107	Black-naped Monarch	<i>Hypothymis azurea</i>
108	Asian Paradise Flycatcher	<i>Terpsiphone paradisi</i>
109	Sri Lanka Blue Magpie	<i>Urocissa ornata</i>
110	House Crow	<i>Corvus splendens</i>
111	Large-billed Crow	<i>Corvus macrorhynchos</i>
112	Ashy-crowned Sparrow-Lark	<i>Eremopterix griseus</i>
113	Jerdon's Bush Lark	<i>Mirafra affinis</i>
114	Oriental Skylark	<i>Alauda gulgula</i>
115	Black-capped Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus melanicterus</i>
116	Red-vented Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus cafer</i>
117	White-browed Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus luteolus</i>
118	Yellow-browed Bulbul	<i>Acritillas indica</i>
119	Square-tailed Bulbul	<i>Hypsipetes ganeesa humii</i>
120	Barn Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>
121	Sri Lanka Swallow	<i>Cecropis hyperythra</i>
122	Clamorous Reed Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus stentoreus</i>
123	Jungle Prinia	<i>Prinia sylvatica</i>
124	Ashy Prinia	<i>Prinia socialis</i>
125	Common Tailorbird	<i>Orthotomus sutorius</i>
126	Sri Lanka Scimitar Babbler	<i>Pomatorhinus melanurus</i>
127	Orange-billed Babbler	<i>Turdoides rufescens</i>
128	Yellow-billed Babbler	<i>Turdoides affinis</i>
129	Ashy-headed Laughingthrush	<i>Garrulax cinereifrons</i>
130	Oriental White-Eye	<i>Zosterops palpebrosus</i>
131	Sri Lanka Hill Myna	<i>Gracula ptilogenys</i>
132	Common Myna	<i>Acridotheres tristis</i>
133	White-faced Starling	<i>Sturnornis albofrontatus</i>
134	Rosy Starling	<i>Pastor roseus</i>
135	Spot-winged Thrush	<i>Geokichla spiloptera</i>
136	Indian Robin	<i>Copsychus fulicatus</i>
137	Oriental Magpie-Robin	<i>Copsychus saularis</i>
138	Brown-breasted Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa muttui</i>
139	Indian Blue Robin	<i>Larivora brunnea</i>
140	Jerdon's Leafbird	<i>Chloropsis jerdoni</i>
141	Golden-fronted Leafbird	<i>Chloropsis aurifrons</i>
142	Legge's Flowerpecker (White-throated Flowerpecker)	<i>Dicaeum vincens</i>
143	Pale-billed Flowerpecker	<i>Dicaeum erythrorhynchos</i>

Common name	Scientific name
144 Purple-rumped Sunbird	<i>Leptocoma zeylonica</i>
145 Purple Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris asiaticus</i>
146 Loten's Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris lotenius</i>
147 House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>
148 Streaked Weaver	<i>Ploceus manyar</i>
149 Baya Weaver	<i>Ploceus philippinus</i>
150 Indian Silverbill (White-throated Silverbill)	<i>Euodice malabarica</i>
151 White-rumped Munia	<i>Lonchura striata</i>
152 Scaly-breasted Munia	<i>Lonchura punctulata</i>
153 Black-throated Munia	<i>Lonchura kelaarti</i>
154 Paddyfield Pipit	<i>Anthus rufulus</i>