

Butterflies of South Africa

Naturetrek Tour Report

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Gaudy Commodore *Precis octavia sesamus*



Blue Pansy *Junonia oenone oenone*

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Day 1

Saturday 10th March

Wakkerstroom

Weather: Partly cloudy, strong wind

We made our way straight to Wakkerstroom with several stops on the way. As the wind was very strong, there were not many butterflies to be seen. We spotted several Amur Falcons as we neared Wakkerstroom, as well as a pair of Grey Crowned Cranes. In the afternoon we went to Tafelkop to look for Natal Rocksitters, but we couldn't find any as they are more active during spring, however, we did see several Gaudy Commadores and some Blues, as well as a herd of Blesbok.

Butterfly of the day: Gaudy Commadore

Birds of the day: Grey Crowned Crane

Day 2

Sunday 11th March

Mkhuze Game Reserve

Weather: Cloud and mist in the morning, clear skies in the afternoon

An early morning drive along the Amersfoort Road proved very fruitful. In a field about 10km along, we saw 38 Grey Crowned Cranes, four Blue Cranes, a Denham's Bustard, and a pair of Blue Korhaan with chicks.

After a hearty breakfast back in Wakkerstroom, we started our journey on the back roads toward Mkhuze. We stopped on a mountain pass to get a closer look at a Long Crested Eagle. We made several stops en route to observe butterflies, arriving at Mkhuze in the late afternoon. On entering the reserve, we came across a White Rhino that was too close to photograph with our big camera lenses! A lovely dinner was enjoyed by all...

Butterfly of the day: Yellow Pansy

Birds of the day: Blue Korhaan and Buff Streaked Chat

Day 3

Monday 12th March

Mkhuze Game Reserve

Weather: Clear sky in the morning with rain in the afternoon

We were up at dawn to meet our guide for the Fig Forest Walk.

We travelled to the start of the walk in an open vehicle, en route we saw several Giraffe, Zebra, Wildebeest, Impala, Nyala, Kudu, a Suni, and a variety of birds. Karen was very pleased with the Giraffe sighting, as this was one animal she really wanted to see. It was an excellent day for John and Richard as far as Butterfly photography is concerned. Butterflies seen included: Mother of Pearl, Golden Piper, all 3 Pansy varieties, Purple-Brown Hair Streak, Red Tip, and Forest White. Linda spotted our first Green Banded Swallow Tail!

Back at camp, the trap was set up, and we found a Club Tailed Emperor there. We spent a lot time in the forest than was allocated, and breakfast became brunch, after which we set off for some more game-viewing. We took a break in the late afternoon to catch our breath!

Butterfly of the day: African Wood White and Club Tailed Emperor

Birds of the day: Orange Breasted Bush Shrike and African Cuckoo Hawk

Day 4

Tuesday 13th March

St Lucia

Weather: Partly cloudy and hot

After rains the previous evening, our pre-breakfast drive turned out to be very exciting! The birds were very active, drying themselves off in the early morning sun. We had excellent sightings of African Cuckoo Hawk and Martial Eagle. Whilst driving along a slippery, muddy road we came across a White Rhino and her calf that had no intention of moving out of our way for the next 20 minutes.

We bade Don and Mavourneen farewell after a hearty breakfast and headed off to Muzi Pan. By the time we arrived the butterflies were very active. We stopped off at one of the hides en route, and managed to take good photographs of Spotted Joker, Common Diadem, Blue Pansy, Longtailed Blue, Gaika Blue, Zebra White, Red Tip and Citrus Swallowtail. We saw many water birds at Muzi Pan, and then headed to Ilala Weavers for lunch. Many souvenirs were bought!

Butterfly of the day: Striped Policeman and Zebra White

Birds of the day: Malachite Kingfisher

Day 5

Wednesday 14th March

St Lucia

Weather: Partly cloudy and warm

We set off at 6am to walk the Igwalagwala Trail, with excellent birding ahead. We saw Purple Crested and Livingstones Turacos, Lemon Dove, Trumpeter Hornbill, White-eared Barbet, Yellow-rumped Tinkerbird, Yellow-bellied Greenbul, Eastern Nicator, Rudd's Apalis, Ashy Flycatcher and Orange-breasted Bush Shrike.

We met up with Amon, a local guide who was trained by Steve Woodhall and has spent a lot of time with an Australian butterfly expert. Some of the butterflies seen and photographed include: Friar, Common Bush Brown, Squinting Bush Brown, Natal Acraea, Pearl Emperor, White Barred Emperor, Spotted Sailor, Golden Piper, Ella's Bar, Spillers Sulphur Yellow and three Swallow Tails. Overall an excellent day!

Butterfly of the day: Mocker Swallowtail and Common Hottentot Skipper

Birds of the day: Livingstone's Turaco

Day 6

Thursday 15th March

Eshowe

Weather: Clear skies and hot (20 – 34 degrees C)

After an early breakfast we set off to the Imfolozi Game Reserve to try our luck on finding Elephant, but alas, there were none found. However, we did see Rhino, Warthogs wallowing in the mud, as well as a spotted Hyena cooling off in a muddy pool alongside the road. We also saw Giraffe, Zebra, Blue Wildebeest and Impala. Some of the butterflies seen at the various stops made at picnic sites include: Spotted Joker, Yellow Pansy, Blue Pansy, Purple Brown Hairstreak, Rayed Blue Scarlet Tip and Small Orange Tip.

Some of the birds seen include: Goliath Heron, Hamerkop, Woolly-necked Stork, Tawny, Bateleur, Pied Kingfisher and White Fronted Bee Eater, to name just a few. We left the park at around 3pm, arriving at our guest house at about 5.30pm, where we were welcomed with open arms by Anette, our hostess for the next couple of days.

Butterfly of the day: Purple Brown Hairstreak

Birds of the day: Bateleur Eagle

Day 7

Friday 16th March

Eshowe

Weather: Partly cloudy in the morning, clear skies in the afternoon (18 - 28 C)

“The early bird catches the worm!” This saying proved true for us today. Armed with our coffee basket, we made sure we were at the Dlinza Forest boardwalk tower at sunrise. We were rewarded immediately with an Eastern Bronze Naped Pigeon landing on a dead branch very close to us. Soon Grey Cuckooshrike, Black Headed Oriole and Olive Woodpecker arrived.

Just before we left for breakfast, we put out some of our rotten banana bait to attract butterflies. Upon our return an hour later, we found that it had worked very well, it had attracted a Green Veined Emperor. We spent the afternoon at Mandla Cross, where the butterflies were very active and some good photographs were taken. We also saw White-necked Ravens and a Lanner Falcon. A good day was had by all!

Butterfly of the day: Green Veined Emperor

Birds of the day: Grey Cuckooshrike

Day 8

Saturday 17th March

Departure Day: Weather: Partly cloudy with early morning mist, then clear skies

It rained a little during the night, clearing the sky somewhat. The Eastern Bronze Naped Pigeon was back on its perch.

Across the valley in some dead trees, there was a juvenile Crowned Eagle drying itself. It was there for at least an hour. African Olive Pigeon, Blackbellied Starling, Black Headed Oriole, Olive Woodpecker, Trumpeter Hornbill, Grey Cuckooshrike and ever present Square-tailed Drongo were all seen sunning themselves.

We then took a walk along the forest floor - the mist was rising at the same time as the sun was filtering through the forest canopy, giving it an eerie atmosphere. A Blue Duiker came within a meter of us, and another ran in circles around us. An added bonus was the excellent views of a Spotted Ground Thrush.

After a hearty breakfast we still had time to go butterfly spotting. Some of the species found include African Monarch, Natal Acraea, Green Veined Emperor, Spotted Joker, Common Mother of Pearl, Gaudy Commodore, Mocker Swallowtail, Citrus Swallowtail and Green Banded Swallowtail. After bidding farewell to Annette, we departed for the airport...

Butterfly of the day: Gaudy Commodore

Birds of the day: Eastern Bronze Naped Pigeon and African Crowned Eagle

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Species List

Butterflies (✓ = recorded but not counted)

	Common name	Scientific name	March							
			10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
1	African Monarch	<i>Danaus chrysippus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
2	Friar	<i>Amauris niavius</i>					✓			
3	Common Bush Brown	<i>Bicyclus safitza</i>					✓		✓	
4	Squinting Bush Brown	<i>Bicyclus anynana</i>					✓			
5	Zulu Shade-fly	<i>Coenyrta hebe</i>							✓	
6	Wichgraf's Brown	<i>Stygionympha wichgrafi</i>	✓?							
7	Wandering Donkey Acraea	<i>Acraea neobule</i>					✓			
8	Rainforest Acraea	<i>Acraea boopis</i>							✓	
9	Natal Acraea	<i>Acraea natalica</i>					✓			✓
10	Dusky Acraea	<i>Hyalites esebria</i>					✓		✓	
11	Forest Leopard	<i>Phalanta eurytis</i>							✓?	
12	Pearl Emperor	<i>Charaxes varanes</i>					✓			
13	Green-veined Emperor	<i>Charaxes candiope</i>							✓	✓
14	White-barred Emperor	<i>Charaxes brutus</i>					✓			
15	Club-tailed Emperor	<i>Charaxes zoolina</i>			✓	✓				
16	Blonde Glider	<i>Cymothoe coranus</i>							✓	
17	Gold-banded Forester	<i>Euphaedra neophron</i>							✓	
18	Boisduval's False Acraea	<i>Pseudacraea boisduvalii</i>		✓			✓			
19	False Wanderer	<i>Pseudacraea eurytus</i>							✓	
20	False Chief	<i>Pseudacraea lucretia</i>							✓	
21	Spotted Sailor	<i>Neptis saclava</i>					✓			
22	Common Sailor	<i>Neptis laeta</i>					✓			
23	Natal tree-Nymph	<i>Sevenia natalensis</i>					✓			
24	Spotted Joker	<i>Byblia iliithyia</i>			✓	✓	✓	✓		✓
25	Golden Piper	<i>Eurytela dryope</i>			✓		✓		✓	
26	Common Diadem	<i>Hypolimnas misippus</i>	✓		✓	✓	✓			
27	Common Mother-of-Pearl	<i>Salamis parhassus</i>			✓		✓			✓
28	Pirate	<i>Catacroptera cloanthe</i>							✓	
29	Gaudy Commodore	<i>Precis octavia</i>	✓							✓
30	Soldier Pansy	<i>Junonia terea</i>							✓	
31	Brown Pansy	<i>Junonia natalica</i>			✓					
32	Yellow Pansy	<i>Junonia hierta</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓
33	Blue Pansy	<i>Junonia oenone</i>			✓	✓		✓		
34	Painted Lady	<i>Vanessa cardui</i>	✓							
35	Spotted Buff	<i>Pentila tropicalis</i>			✓					
36	Common Buff	<i>Baliochila aslanga</i>							✓	
37	Natal Bar	<i>Cigaritis natalensis</i>							✓	
38	Ella's Bar	<i>Cigaritis ella</i>					✓			
39	Common Scarlet	<i>Axiocerses tjoane</i>							✓	
40	Red-line Sapphire	<i>Iolais sidus</i>							✓	
41	Purple-brown Hairstreak	<i>Hypolycaena philippus</i>			✓		✓	✓		
42	Tailed Black-eye	<i>Leptomyrina hirundo</i>							✓	
43	Brown Playboy	<i>Deudorix antalus</i>							✓	
44	Black-striped Hairtail	<i>Anthene amarah</i>				✓			✓	
45	Longtailed Blue	<i>Lampides boeticus</i>				✓				
46	Dotted Blue	<i>Tarucus sybaris</i>	✓							
47	Gaika Blue	<i>Zizula hylax</i>				✓	✓			

	Common name	Scientific name	March							
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48	Rayed Blue	<i>Actizera lucida</i>						✓		
49	Zebra White	<i>Pinacopteryx eriphia</i>				✓				
50	Buquet's Vagrant	<i>Nepheronia buquetii</i>							✓	
51	Vine-leaf Vagrant	<i>Eronia cleodora</i>							✓	
52	Red-Tip	<i>Colotis antevippe</i>			✓	✓				
53	Scarlet-Tip	<i>Colotis danae</i>						✓		
54	Small Orange-Tip	<i>Colotis evagore</i>						✓		
55	Smoky Orange-Tip	<i>Colotis euipe</i>			✓			✓		
56	Bushveld Purple Tip	<i>Colotis ione</i>				✓				
57	Bushveld Orange-Tip	<i>Colotis pallene</i>			✓					
58	Forest White	<i>Belenois zochalia</i>								
59	Brownveined White	<i>Belenois aurota</i>				✓				
60	African Common White	<i>Belenois creona</i>		✓	✓		✓			
61	African Veined White	<i>Belenois gidica</i>				✓				
62	Meadow White	<i>Pontia helice</i>	✓							
63	Spiller's Sulphur Yellow	<i>Dixeia spilleri</i>					✓			
64	African Wood White	<i>Leptosia alcesta</i>			✓				✓	✓
65	Broad-bordered Grass-Yellow	<i>Eurema brigitta</i>			✓					
66	Common Grass-Yellow	<i>Eurema hecabe</i>				✓				
67	Mocker Swallowtail	<i>Papilio dardanus</i>					✓		✓	✓
68	Citrus Swallowtail	<i>Papilio demodocus</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
69	Green-banded Swallowtail	<i>Papilio nireus</i>			✓		✓		✓	✓
70	Striped Policeman	<i>Coeliades forestan</i>				✓				
71	Two-pip Policeman	<i>Coliades pisistratus</i>							✓	
72	Clouded Flat	<i>Tagiades flesus</i>					✓		✓	
73	Paradise Skipper	<i>Abantis paradisea</i>							✓	
74	Gold-spotted Sylph	<i>Metisella metis</i>					✓			
75	Rusty Swift	<i>Borbo detecta</i>					✓			
76	Common Hottentot Skipper	<i>Gegenes niso</i>					✓			

Birds

Common Name	Scientific Name	Common Name	Scientific Name
1 Little Grebe (Dabchick)	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>	108 White-eared Barbet	<i>Stactolaema leucotis</i>
2 Pink-backed Pelican	<i>Pelecanus rufescens</i>	109 Red-fronted Tinkerbird	<i>Pogoniulus pusillus</i>
3 White-breasted Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax lucidus</i>	110 Yellow-rumped Tinkerbird	<i>Pogoniulus bilineatus</i>
4 Reed Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax africanus</i>	111 Crested Barbet	<i>Trachyphonus vaillantii</i>
5 African Darter	<i>Anhinga rufa</i>	112 Golden-tailed Woodpecker	<i>Campethera abingoni</i>
6 Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>	113 Cardinal Woodpecker	<i>Dendropicus fuscescens</i>
7 Black-headed Heron	<i>Ardea melanocephala</i>	114 Olive Woodpecker	<i>Dendropicus griseacephalus</i>
8 Goliath Heron	<i>Ardea goliath</i>	115 Red-throated Wryneck	<i>Jynx ruficollis</i>
9 Purple Heron	<i>Ardea purpurea</i>	116 Rufous-naped Lark	<i>Mirafr africana</i>
10 Great (White) Egret	<i>Casmerodiusa albus</i>	117 Sabota Lark	<i>Mirafr sabota</i>
11 Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>	118 Barn (European) Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>
12 Yellow-billed Egret	<i>Egretta intermedia</i>	119 White-throated Swallow	<i>Hirundo albigularis</i>
13 Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>	120 Greater Striped Swallow	<i>Hirundo cucullata</i>
14 Hamerkop	<i>Scopus umbretta</i>	121 Lesser Striped Swallow	<i>Hirundo abyssinica</i>
15 White Stork	<i>Ciconia ciconia</i>	122 South African Cliff-Swallow	<i>Hirundo spilodera</i>
16 Woolly-necked Stork	<i>Ciconia episcopus</i>	123 Banded Martin	<i>Riparia cincta</i>

17	Yellow-billed Stork	<i>Mycteria ibis</i>	124	Black Saw-wing (Swallow)	<i>Psalidoprocne holomelas</i>
18	African Sacred Ibis	<i>Threskiornis aethiopicus</i>	125	Grey Cuckooshrike	<i>Coracina caesia</i>
19	Southern Bald Ibis	<i>Geronticus calvus</i>	126	Fork-tailed Drongo	<i>Dicrurus adsimilis</i>
20	Glossy Ibis	<i>Plegadis falcinellus</i>	127	Square-tailed Drongo	<i>Dicrurus ludwigii</i>
21	Hadedda Ibis	<i>Bostrychia hagedash</i>	128	(Eastern) Black-headed Oriole	<i>Oriolus larvatus</i>
22	African Spoonbill	<i>Platalea alba</i>	129	Cape (Black) Crow	<i>Corvus capensis</i>
23	Greater Flamingo	<i>Phoenicopterus ruber</i>	130	Pied Crow	<i>Corvus albus</i>
24	White-faced Duck	<i>Dendrocygna viduata</i>	131	White-necked Raven	<i>Corvus albicollis</i>
25	Egyptian Goose	<i>Alopochen aegyptiacus</i>	132	Southern Black Tit	<i>Parus niger</i>
26	South African Shelduck	<i>Tadorna cana</i>	133	Dark-capped Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus barbatus</i>
27	Yellow-billed Duck	<i>Anas undulata</i>	134	Sombre Greenbul (Bulbul)	<i>Andropadus importunus</i>
28	Hottentot Teal	<i>Anas hottentota</i>	135	Yellow-bellied Greenbul	<i>Chlorocichla flaviventris</i>
29	Red-billed Teal	<i>Anas erythrorhyncha</i>	136	Eastern (Yellowspotted) Nicator	<i>Nicator gularis</i>
30	Cape Shoveler	<i>Anas smithii</i>	137	Kurrichane Thrush	<i>Turdus libonyana</i>
31	Southern Pochard	<i>Netta erythrophthalma</i>	138	Olive Thrush	<i>Turdus olivaceus</i>
32	Spur-winged Goose	<i>Plectropterus gambensis</i>	139	Spotted Ground-Thrush	<i>Zootera guttata</i>
33	Secretarybird	<i>Sagittarius serpentarius</i>	140	Cape Rock-Thrush	<i>Monticola rupestris</i>
34	(African) White-backed Vulture	<i>Gyps africanus</i>	141	Buff-streaked Chat	<i>Oenanthe bifasciata</i>
35	Black-shouldered Kite	<i>Elanus caeruleus</i>	142	Familiar Chat	<i>Cercomela familiaris</i>
36	African Cuckoo Hawk	<i>Aviceda cuculoides</i>	143	(Southern) Ant-eating Chat	<i>Myrmecocichla formicivora</i>
37	Tawny Eagle	<i>Aquila rapax</i>	144	African (Common) Stonechat	<i>Saxicola torquata</i>
38	Long-crested Eagle	<i>Lophaetus occipitalis</i>	145	Chorister Robin-Chat (Robin)	<i>Cossypha dichroa</i>
39	Martial Eagle	<i>Polemaetus bellicosus</i>	146	Red-capped Robin-Chat	<i>Cossypha natalensis</i>
40	African Crowned Eagle	<i>Stephanoaetus coronatus</i>	147	Barratt's Warbler	<i>Bradypterus barratti</i>
41	Brown Snake-Eagle	<i>Circaetus cinereus</i>	148	Broad-tailed Warbler	<i>Schoenicola brevirostris</i>
42	Bateleur	<i>Terathopius ecaudatus</i>	149	Bar-throated Apalis	<i>Apalis thoracica</i>
43	African Fish Eagle	<i>Haliaeetus vocifer</i>	150	Rudd's Apalis	<i>Apalis ruddi</i>
44	Steppe Buzzard	<i>Buteo buteo</i>	151	Long-billed Crombec	<i>Sylvietta rufescens</i>
45	Jackal Buzzard	<i>Buteo rufofuscus</i>	152	Burnt-necked Eremomela	<i>Eremomela usticollis</i>
46	African Goshawk	<i>Accipiter tachiro</i>	153	Cape Grassbird	<i>Sphenoeacus afer</i>
47	African Marsh-Harrier	<i>Circus ranivorus</i>	154	Zitting (Fan-tailed) Cisticola	<i>Cisticola juncidis</i>
48	African Harrier-Hawk	<i>Polyboroides typus</i>	155	Rattling Cisticola	<i>Cisticola chiniana</i>
49	Osprey	<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>	156	Levaillant's Cisticola	<i>Cisticola tinniens</i>
50	Lanner Falcon	<i>Falco biarmicus</i>	157	Spotted Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa striata</i>
51	Amur Falcon	<i>Falco amurensis</i>	158	Ashy (Bluegrey) Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa caerulescens</i>
52	Red-winged Francolin	<i>Scleroptila levaillantii</i>	159	Southern Black Flycatcher	<i>Melaenornis pammelaina</i>
53	Helmeted Guineafowl	<i>Numida meleagris</i>	160	Cape Batis	<i>Batis capensis</i>
54	Crested Guineafowl	<i>Guttera pucherani</i>	161	Chinspot Batis	<i>Batis molitor</i>
55	Blue Crane	<i>Anthropoides paradiseus</i>	162	African Paradise Flycatcher	<i>Terpsiphone viridis</i>
56	Grey (Southern) Crowned Crane	<i>Balearica regulorum</i>	163	African Pied Wagtail	<i>Motacilla aguimp</i>
57	African Purple Swamphen	<i>Porphyrio madagascariensis</i>	164	Cape Wagtail	<i>Motacilla capensis</i>
58	Common Moorhen	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>	165	Cape Longclaw	<i>Macronyx capensis</i>
59	Red-knobbed Coot	<i>Fulica cristata</i>	166	Yellow-throated Longclaw	<i>Macronyx croceus</i>
60	Denham's (Stanley's) Bustard	<i>Neotis denhami</i>	167	Common Fiscal (Fiscal Shrike)	<i>Lanius collaris</i>
61	Blue Korhaan	<i>Eupodotis caerulescens</i>	168	Red-backed Shrike	<i>Lanius collurio</i>
62	African Jacana	<i>Actophilornis africanus</i>	169	Southern Boubou	<i>Laniarius ferrugineus</i>
63	Three-banded Plover	<i>Charadrius tricollaris</i>	170	Black-backed Puffback	<i>Dryocopus cubla</i>

64	Crowned Lapwing	<i>Vanellus coronatus</i>	171	Black-crowned Tchagra	<i>Tchagra senegala</i>
65	Senegal Lapwing	<i>Vanellus lugubris</i>	172	Bokmakierie	<i>Telophorus zeylonus</i>
66	Blacksmith Lapwing	<i>Vanellus armatus</i>	173	Gorgeous Bush-Shrike	<i>Telophorus quadricolor</i>
67	Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>	174	Orange-breasted Bush-Shrike	<i>Telophorus sulfureopectus</i>
68	Wood Sandpiper	<i>Tringa glareola</i>	175	Grey-headed Bush-Shrike	<i>Malaconotus blanchoti</i>
69	Ruff	<i>Philomachus pugnax</i>	176	White-crested Helmet-Shrike	<i>Prionops plumatus</i>
70	Black-winged Stilt	<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>	177	Common (European) Starling	<i>Sturnus vulgaris</i>
71	Water Thick-Knee (Dikkop)	<i>Burhinus vermiculatus</i>	178	Common (Indian) Myna	<i>Acridotheres tristis</i>
72	Grey-headed Gull	<i>Larus cirrocephalus</i>	179	(African) Pied Starling	<i>Spreo bicolor</i>
73	Whiskered Tern	<i>Chlidonias hybridus</i>	180	Violet-backed Starling	<i>Cinnyricinclus leucogaster</i>
74	Rock Dove (Feral Pigeon)	<i>Columba livia</i>	181	Cape Glossy Starling	<i>Lamprotornis nitens</i>
75	Speckled (Rock) Pigeon	<i>Columba guinea</i>	182	Black-bellied Starling	<i>Lamprotornis corruscus</i>
76	African Olive-Pigeon	<i>Columba arquatrix</i>	183	Red-winged Starling	<i>Onychognathus morio</i>
77	Eastern Bronze-naped Pigeon	<i>Columba delegorguei</i>	184	Red-billed Oxpecker	<i>Buphagus erythrorhynchus</i>
78	Red-eyed Dove	<i>Streptopelia semitorquata</i>	185	White-bellied Sunbird	<i>Nectarinia talatala</i>
79	Cape Turtle-Dove	<i>Streptopelia capicola</i>	186	Eastern Olive Sunbird	<i>Nectarinia olivacea</i>
80	Laughing Dove	<i>Streptopelia senegalensis</i>	187	Scarlet-chested Sunbird	<i>Nectarinia senegalensis</i>
81	Emerald-spotted Wood-Dove	<i>Turtur chalcospilos</i>	188	Collared Sunbird	<i>Anthreptes collaris</i>
82	Lemon (Cinnamon) Dove	<i>Alopelia larvata</i>	189	Cape White-eye	<i>Zosterops pallidus</i>
83	Brown-headed Parrot	<i>Poicephalus cryptoxanthus</i>	190	House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>
84	Livingstone's Turaco (Lourie)	<i>Tauraco livingstonii</i>	191	Cape Sparrow	<i>Passer melanurus</i>
85	Purple-crested Turaco (Lourie)	<i>Tauraco porphyreolophus</i>	192	Southern Grey-headed Sparrow	<i>Passer diffusus</i>
86	Burchell's Coucal	<i>Centropus burchellii</i>	193	Yellow-throated Petronia	<i>Petronia superciliaris</i>
87	Spotted Eagle-Owl	<i>Bubo africanus</i>	194	Thick-billed Weaver	<i>Amblyospiza albifrons</i>
88	White-rumped Swift	<i>Apus caffer</i>	195	Dark-backed (Forest) Weaver	<i>Ploceus bicolor</i>
89	Little Swift	<i>Apus affinis</i>	196	Village (Spottedbacked) Weaver	<i>Ploceus cucullatus</i>
90	Speckled Mousebird	<i>Colius striatus</i>	197	Southern Masked-Weaver	<i>Ploceus velatus</i>
91	Red-faced Mousebird	<i>Urocolius indicus</i>	198	Southern Brown-throated Weaver	<i>Ploceus xanthopterus</i>
92	Pied Kingfisher	<i>Ceryle rudis</i>	199	Red-billed Quelea	<i>Quelea quelea</i>
93	Giant Kingfisher	<i>Ceryle maxima</i>	200	Southern Red Bishop	<i>Euplectes orix</i>
94	Malachite Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo cristata</i>	201	Red-collared Widowbird	<i>Euplectes ardens</i>
95	Brown-hooded Kingfisher	<i>Halcyon albiventris</i>	202	Long-tailed Widowbird	<i>Euplectes progne</i>
96	European Bee-eater	<i>Merops apiaster</i>	203	Green-winged Pytilia	<i>Pytilia melba</i>
97	Blue-cheeked Bee-eater	<i>Merops persicus</i>	204	Blue Waxbill	<i>Uraeginthus angolensis</i>
98	White-fronted Bee-eater	<i>Merops bullockoides</i>	205	Common Waxbill	<i>Estrilda astrild</i>
99	Little Bee-eater	<i>Merops pusillus</i>	206	Bronze Mannikin	<i>Spermestes cucullatus</i>
100	African Hoopoe	<i>Upupa africana</i>	207	Pin-tailed Whydah	<i>Vidua macroura</i>
101	Green (Redbilled) Wood-Hoopoe	<i>Phoeniculus purpureus</i>	208	Long-tailed Paradise-Whydah	<i>Vidua paradisaea</i>
102	Common (Greater) Scimitarbill	<i>Rhinopomastus cyanomelas</i>	209	Village Indigobird	<i>Vidua chalybeata</i>
103	Trumpeter Hornbill	<i>Bycanistes bucinator</i>	210	Yellow-fronted Canary	<i>Serinus mozambicus</i>
104	Southern Yellow-billed Hornbill	<i>Tockus leucomelas</i>	211	Lemon-breasted Canary	<i>Serinus citrinipectus</i>
105	Crowned Hornbill	<i>Tockus albeterminatus</i>	212	Cape Canary	<i>Serinus canicollis</i>
106	Black-collared Barbet	<i>Lybius torquatus</i>	213	Golden-breasted Bunting	<i>Emberiza flaviventris</i>
107	Acacia Pied Barbet	<i>Tricholaema leucomelas</i>	214	Cape Bunting	<i>Emberiza capensis</i>

Mammals

Common Name	Scientific Name	Common Name	Scientific Name
1 Peter's Epauletted Fruit Bat	<i>Epomophorus crypturus</i>	16 Common Reedbuck	<i>Redunca arundinum</i>
2 Banana Bat	<i>Pipistrellus nanus</i>	17 Common Waterbuck	<i>Kobus ellipsiprymnus</i>
3 Bushpig	<i>Potamocheerus porcus</i>	18 Impala	<i>Aepyceros melampus</i>
4 Warthog	<i>Phacochoerus aethiopicus</i>	19 Blesbok	<i>Damaliscus dorcas phillipsi</i>
5 White Rhinoceros	<i>Ceratotherium simum</i>	20 Blue Wildebeest	<i>Connochaetes taurinus</i>
6 Hippopotamus	<i>Hippopotamus amphibius</i>	21 Cape Buffalo	<i>Syncerus caffer</i>
7 Southern Giraffe	<i>Giraffa camelopardalis</i>	22 Burchell's Zebra	<i>Equus burchelli</i>
8 Common Duiker	<i>Sylvicapra grimmia</i>	23 Red Squirrel	<i>Paraxerus palliatus</i>
9 Red Duiker	<i>Cephalophus natalensis</i>	24 Banded Mongoose	<i>Mungos mungo</i>
10 Blue Duiker	<i>Philantomba monticola</i>	25 Slender Mongoose	<i>Galerella Sanguinea</i>
11 Eland	<i>Taurotragus oryx</i>	26 Spotted Hyena	<i>Crocuta crocuta</i>
12 Suni	<i>Neotragus moschatus</i>	27 Chacma Baboon	<i>Papio ursinus</i>
13 Bushbuck	<i>Tragelaphus scriptus</i>	28 Vervet Monkey	<i>Cercopithecus aethiops</i>
14 Greater Kudu	<i>Tragelaphus strepsiceros</i>	29 Black Wildebeest	<i>Connochaetes gnou</i>
15 Nyala	<i>Tragelaphus angasii</i>	30 Red Lechwe	<i>Kobus leche</i>