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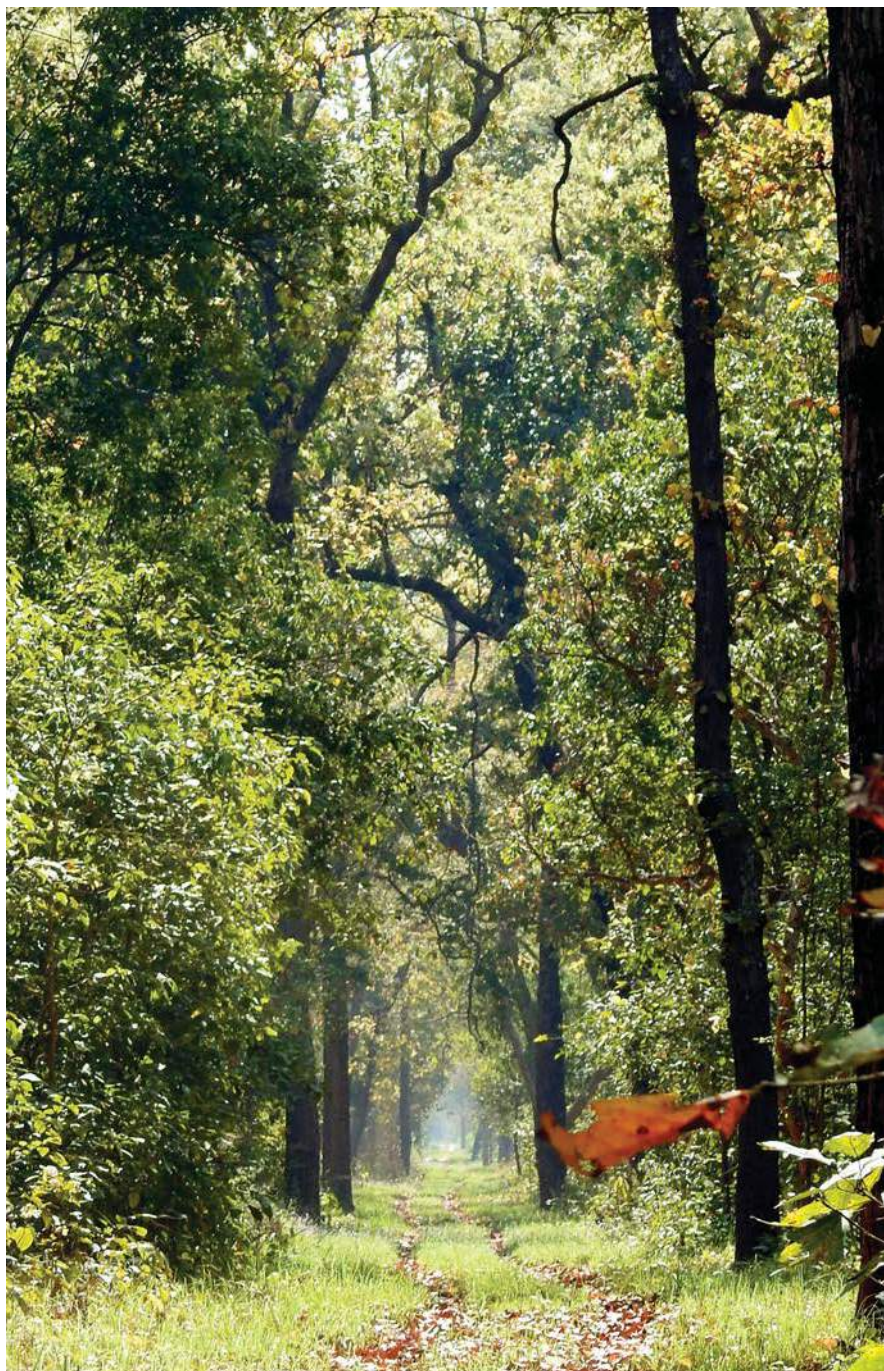
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Wetland-forest mosaic habitat by Laxman Prasad Poudyal



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FOREWORD

Department of National Parks and Wildlife Conservation (DNPWC) currently works with a network of twelve National Parks, one Wildlife Reserve, one Hunting Reserve and six Conservation Areas and thirteen Buffer Zones in Nepal. This network of Protected Areas covers an area of 34419.75 km², which corresponds to 23.39% of the country's total land. Among Twelve National Parks, Shuklaphanta National Park is the youngest one which lastly upgraded to the status of National Park from Wildlife Reserve in 2017.

Shuklaphanta National Park lies in the extreme southwest of the Tarai in Kanchanpur District. It is one of Nepal's smaller protected areas covering 305 km² and ranges in altitude from 175m to 1300m. It was established in 1976 covering an area of 155 km² as a wildlife reserve for the conservation of ecosystem, biodiversity and wildlife habitat and extended to the present size in 1994 to create more habitats and a corridor from the Tarai into the Churia hills for the seasonal migration of wildlife. The park is also recognized as an important bird and biodiversity area by Birdlife International. The ShNP is the home for many endangered species of wild animals. The park is equally rich in avifaunal diversity which also possess suitable habitat for habitat specialist birds like Bengal Florican and many other wetland dependent avifauna. However, the park needs to update the recorded information with respect to birds resides in the ShNP.

On this backdrop, the ShNP attempts to update the booklet with a checklist of 450 bird species of the park along with outstanding photographs. Among the total recorded species, 23 are globally threatened and 74 are nationally threatened species which proves ShNP as site of international significance for bird conservation.

The DNPWC also promotes to keep on updating status of birds of protected areas network. In this context, Shuklaphanta National Park has published this updated checklist with the technical support from Nepalese Ornithological Union (NOU). I would like to congratulate Mr Laxman Prasad Poudyal (Chief Conservation Officer of ShNP) and Hathan Chaudhary (Ornithologist of NOU) for their untiring efforts. I would like to thank both ShNP and NOU for the publication.

I believe that this book will generate big interests in people towards bird conservation and supports in enhancing wildlife tourism in ShNP. In addition, there is no doubt that it will be helpful for the national park authority to formulate and execute the program on avifauna conservation.

Gopal Prakash Bhattarai
Director General

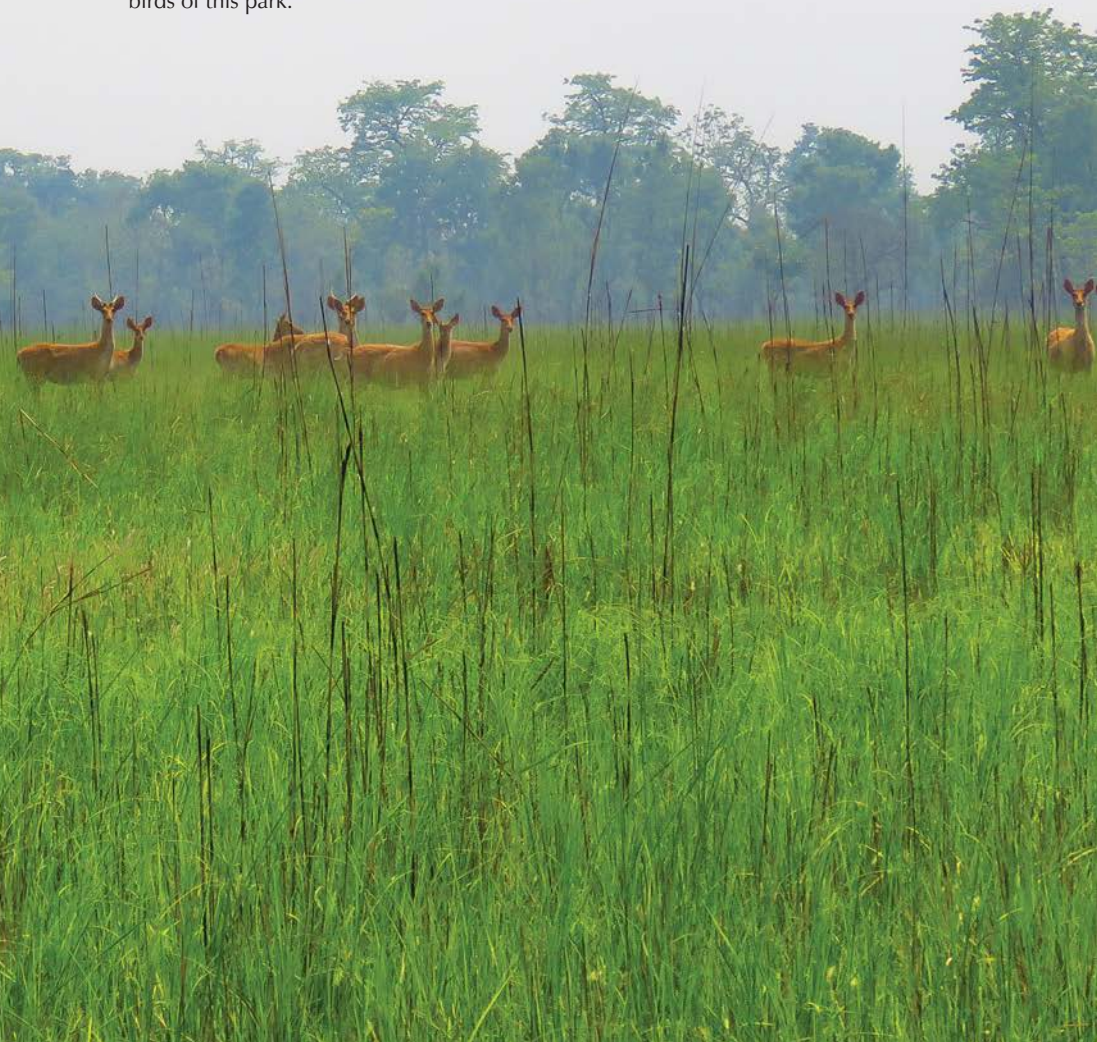


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PREFACE

Shuklaphanta is the smallest national park of the tarai region of Nepal currently situated in the Far West State. Being located in southwest corner of Nepal, some specific scientific expeditions on birds have been conducted in the park since its establishment in 1976. The first ever known systematic ornithological study was started here in during 1977-1980 (Schaaf et al. 1980). The first Bengal Florican survey was conducted in 1982 (Inskipp and Inskipp 1983) and this was followed by Weaver in 1990 (Weaver 1991), Tamang and Baral in 2000 (Baral and Tamang 2003) and the first author in 2007 (Poudyal et al 2007, 2008). Hem Sagar Baral did an enormous study on grassland avifauna in Nepal including Shuklaphanta during 1990s through his PhD project (Baral 2001) and further explored the grassland associated birds of this park.



A list of 423 species of birds of the park recorded until 2008 were recognized by Baral and Inskipp (2009); later, a checklist of 424 was documented in Regmi and Acharya (2012). During 2012-2018, the birders added 17 species to the list. The recent systematic bird survey was conducted in the park was in January 2019 (Poudyal et al 2019) and explored nine additional species. Now we conclude an updated checklist of 450 species of birds in Shuklaphanta National Park in 2019 generated by compiling papers, research articles and bird watching reports. We salute all scholars and birders since 1980 to 2019 for their contribution to the birds of Shuklaphanta.

Here we have put good quality photographs representing all order and families. The photographs don't mean those were exclusively taken inside the park, but were taken mostly in Nepal. We are very much grateful to all the photographers for providing such excellent snapshots. We would like to thank prominent ornithologists Dr Hem Sagar Baral and Carol Inskipp for encouraging the publication and providing valuable comments. The DNPWC has always encouraged publicizing the biological value of national park. We would like to thank Director General Gopal Prakash Bhattarai and Deputy Director General Dr Ram Chandra Kandel. We are also grateful to Dr Bhagawan Raj Dahal and NOU team; and Sudip Raj Niroula and NTNC/SCP team for their support.

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We have put our best efforts in giving this book a pleasant look and as much as informative. We hope that this will generate bigger interests in people towards Shuklaphanta National Park and be helpful for students, birdwatchers, tourists and any general people who have interests on birds.

We look forward to your constructive suggestions for the next edition.

Laxman Prasad Poudyal
Hathan Chaudhary

ABBREVIATIONS

CITES	Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora
DNPWC	Department of National Parks and Wildlife Conservation
IUCN	International Union for Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources
Km ²	Square Kilometer
NA	Not Available
NOU	Nepalese Ornithological Union
Ref.	Reference
ShNP	Shuklaphanta National Park

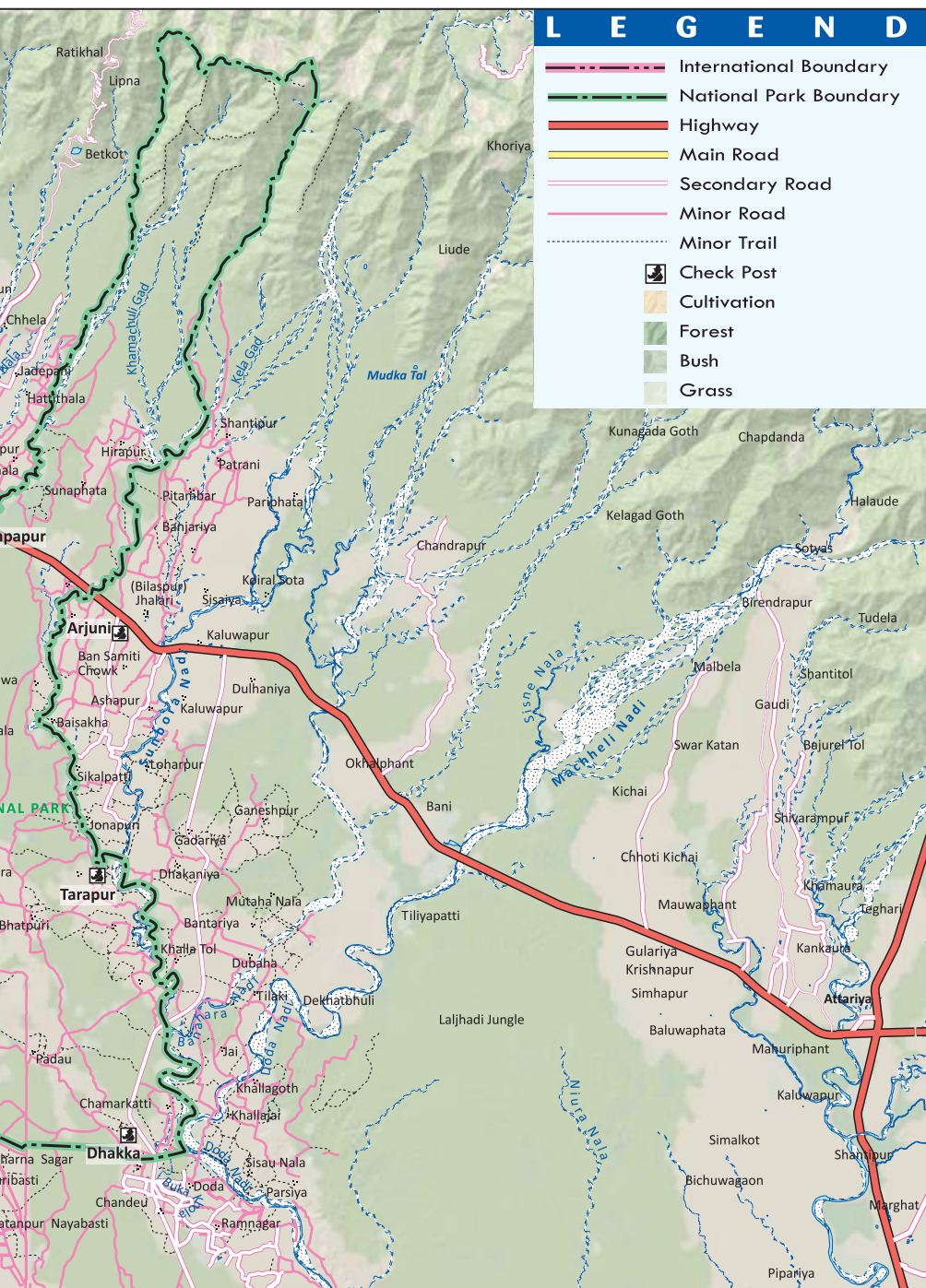


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SHUKLAPHANTA NATIONAL PARK



Map prepared by Himalayan Map House



BACKGROUND

Shuklaphanta National Park and Buffer Zone: A Fact Sheet

Location	District: Kanchanpur; State: Far West	
Establishment	1969 – Royal Hunting Forest, Area: 131 km ² 1976 – Royal Shuklaphanta Wildlife Reserve, Area: 155 km ² (19 July 1976) 1994 – 150 km ² extended east from Chaudhar River (23 May 1994) 2004 – Buffer Zone declared, Area: 243.5 km ² (22 May 2004) 2017 – Status Changed to National Park (20 February 2017)	
IUCN Category	National Park II and Buffer Zone VI	
Area	National Park 305 km ² and Buffer Zone 243.5 km ²	
Physiographic Zone	Terai & Siwaliks	
Altitude range	175 - 1300 m	
Latitude	28° 45' 47" - 29° 02' 52"	
Longitude	80° 05' 45" - 80° 21' 43"	
Floral Diversity	118 Family 665 Species	
Faunal Diversity	Mammals Birds Reptiles Amphibians Fish	56 450 12 20 24
Buffer zone	Buffer Zone User Committees: 9 Community Forests: 42	

INTRODUCTION

Shuklaphanta National Park

Shuklaphanta National Park is situated at the southwest corner of Nepal in Kanchanpur district of Far West State. It lies between 28° 45' 47" - 29° 02' 52" latitudes and 80° 05' 45" - 80° 21' 43" longitudes. The altitude ranges from 175 - 1300m above sea level.

The park was a famous hunting area for royalties of Nepal and their distinguished guests for a long time. It was declared as Royal Hunting Forest with an area of 131 km² in 1969. Later it was promulgated as the Royal Shuklaphanta Wildlife Reserve in 1976 covering an area of 155 km² and extended to the present size of 305 km² in 1994. The area of 243.5 km² surrounding the reserve was declared as buffer zone in 2004 to join the hands with local people for conservation and development. The reserve was renamed as Shuklaphanta Wildlife Reserve in 2006 and its status was changed to a National Park in 2017. The name Shuklaphanta is taken from the largest grassland of Nepal **Shuklaphanta** which is a home to the largest herds of Swamp Deer in the world.

Shuklaphanta Grassland by Sagar Giri



Boundary	Major landmarks
North	Settlements, forests and Dadeldhura District boundary in the Siwalik Hills. The park adjoins with two municipals of Kanchanpur: 1. Bhimdutta 2. Bedkot and one municipal of Dadeldhura: 1. Parashuram
East	Syali River. The park adjoins with two municipals of Kanchanpur: 1. Shuklaphanta 2. Laljhadi
South	Settlements and Nepal India Boarder. The park adjoins with two municipals of Kanchanpur: 1. Beldadi 2. Belauri. Lagga Bagga forests and grasslands of Pilibhit Tiger Reserve lie in the Indian side.
West	Mahakali River. The park adjoins with one municipal of Kanchanpur: 1. Mahakali

The park is connected to Dudhuwa National Park, India towards East via Laljhadi Forest corridor and Nandoor Wildlife Sanctuary, India towards Northwest via Boom-Bhramadev forest corridor and Mahakali (known as Sarada in India) River. Majority of the park lies on the Gangetic flood plains and the common soil types are sandy loam, silty loam and clay loam.

Climate

The area has a tropical monsoon climate with three different seasons: winter (October-February), summer (March-June) and monsoon (June-September). The months of December and January are fairly cold and misty with occasional frost. The mean monthly minimum temperature varies from 10 to 12°C in winter, gradually rising to 17°C in the spring and 26°C in the summer. Over 90% (1500-2000mm) of the annual precipitation fall during monsoon between June and September. Mean maximum temperatures are 40-42°C in April-May (Balson 1976).

Forest Habitat by Laxman Prasad Poudyal



HABITATS

Forests

Shuklaphanta National Park supports a wide range of biodiversity which is nationally and globally important. The forests area supports 60 % of the park area. The climax vegetation type has Sal *Shorea robusta* as the dominant species in association with *Terminalia alata*, *Terminalia belerica*, *Largestromia parviflora* and *Pterocarpus marsupium*. The middle layer is dominated by *Cleistocalyx operculatus*, *Buchanania latifolia*, *Mallotus philippensis* and *Careya arborea* in the Sal forests. The major bird species in this forest are drongos, minivets, woodpeckers, barbets, hornbills, warblers, flowerpeckers, woodshrikes, owls, Rufous treepie and Red-billed blue magpie.

Other forest habitat types are moist riverine forest (*Trewia nudiflora*, *Syzygium cumini*, *Mallotus philippinensis*), Khair Sissoo Forest (*Dalbergia sisoo*, *Acacia catechu*). In river banks and sandy areas, Khair and Sisso forest forms its canopy dominated by *Dalbergia sisoo* and *Acacia catechu*. The other scattered species are *Aegle marmelos*, *Trewia nudiflora*, *Mallotus philippensis*, *Adina cordifolia*, *Butea monosperma*, *Syzygium cumini* and *Toona ciliata*.

The major bird species of these moist riverine forests are bulbuls, woodpeckers, doves, White-rumped Shama, flycatchers, leaf warblers, babblers, barbets, Great tit and Bar-winged flycatcher-shrike.

Forest and Wetland Habitat by Hari Basnet



S.N.	Grassland Name	Area in Hectare	Major Bird Species
1	Shuklaphanta	3409.89	Bengal Florican, Hodgson's Bushchat, Golden-headed Cisticola, Indian Grassbird, Finn's Weaver, Black Francolin, Blyth's Reed Warbler, Graceful Prinia.
2	Barkaula	347.68	Yellow-bellied Prinia, Grey Bushchat, Yellow-eyed Babbler, Striated Babbler, Grey-sided Bush Warbler, Common Stonechat, White-tailed Stonechat, Graceful Prinia.
3	Karaiya	276.00	Red Avadavat, Ashy Prinia, Striated Babbler, Plain Prinia, Aberrant Bush Warbler, Chestnut-capped Babbler, Pied Bushchat.
4	Radhapur	635.86	Striated Grassbird, Bristled Grassbird, Swamp Francolin, Hen Harrier, Oriental Skylark, Smoky Warbler, Blyth's Reed Warbler, Clamorous Reed Warbler.
5	Kalikich	0.75	Smoky Warbler, Dusky Warbler, Swamp Francolin, Blyth's and Paddyfield Reed Warbler, Chestnut-capped Babbler, Richard's Pipit, Striated and Bristled Grassbird.
6	Singhpur	226.41	Yellow-breasted and Crested Bunting, Baya Weaver, Striated and Jungle Babbler, Greater Coucal, Lesser Coucal, Eastern Marsh Harrier.
7	Haraiya	531.11	Paddyfield, Richards Pipit, Black Francolin, Oriental Skylark, Yellow-legged Button Quail.
8	Suryaphanta	NA	Indian Thick-knee, Red Wattled Lapwing, Paddyfield Pipit, Pied Bushchat, Zitting Cisticola, Eastern Marsh Harrier
9	Andaiya Pattaiya	1018.31	Grey-breasted Prinia, Ashy-crown Sparrow Lark, Blyth's, Tawny, Richard's and Paddyfield Pipit, Indian Thick-knee, Chestnut-capped Babbler, Striated Babbler, Baya Weaver. Grey Francolin.
10	Bhatpuri	701.80	Black Francolin, Ashy Prinia, Siberian Chiffchaff, Grey Bushchat, Oriental Skylark, Barred Button Quail.
11	Dhakka	53.42	Indian Thick-knee, Plain Prinia, Ashy Prinia, Green Bee-eater, Richard's Pipit, Dusky Warbler, Scaly-breasted Munia.
12	Tarapur	546.08	Black Redstart, Richard's Pipit, Oriental Skylark, Plain Prinia, Ashy Prinia, Siberian Chiffchaff, Red Avadavat, Grey Francolin.
13	Hirapur	253.24	Striated Babbler, Common Stonechat, Pied Bushchat, Ashy-crowned Sparrow Lark, Thick-billed Warbler.
14	Arjuni	142.68	Zitting and Golden-headed Cisticola, Oriental Skylark, White-tailed Stonechat, Plain Prinia, Yellow-bellied Prinia, Black Francolin, Richard's and Paddyfield Pipit.

Grasslands

The park is famous for its grassland habitats covering 27% of the park's total area. Shuklaphanta is the largest intact grassland in Nepal which covers an area of 34 km² in south-west of the Bahuni River and south of the forest (ShNP 2017). It is savanna type floodplain grassland consisting both tall and short grasses. Short grasslands are interspersed with tall grassland patches in the central part of the Shuklaphanta.

Besides Shuklaphanta; Barkaula, Karaiya, Radhapur, Kalikich, Singhpur, Haraiya, Suryaphanta, Andaiya Pattaiya, Bhatpuri, Dhakka, Tarapur, Hirapur and Arjuni are the other important grassland habitats in the park. Barkaula grassland possesses waterlogged tall grasses. Karaiya and Singhpur grasslands are characterized by short grasslands small patches surrounded by tall grasses. Kalikich, Radhapur, Arjuni and Hirapur are heavily grazed by the domestic livestock. The habitat is altering in Kalikich area due to irrigation canal outlet. The Chaudhar River floodplain grasslands i.e. Haraiya, Suryaphanta, Andaiya Pattaiya are newly created grassland from cultivated land and human settlements.

Shuklaphanta Grassland with a herd of Swamp Deer by Bharat Bandhu Thapa



Tall Grassland: The primary species of this grassland type are *Narenga*, *Saccharum* and *Themeda* with phragmites in water-logged areas; *Themeda villosa* attain a height of 5 m and occupies large areas of the grassland. Other associates are *Vetivera zizanioides*, *Imperata cylindrica* and *Cynodon dactylon*. Open areas of Sal forest and also in some moist part of the grassland, are dominated by *Saccharum bengalensis* with a height up to 5m.

Short Grassland: The primary species of this grassland type is *Imperata cylindrica* (vernacular name: *siru*) with a height of 1m. Other associates are *Vetivera zizanioides*, *Cynodon dactylon*, and *Setaria* species. In sandy areas where sediments have been deposited by monsoon floods, *Saccharum spontaneum* is dominant. Areas under severe cattle grazing pressure are dominated by short grass like *Paspalum scrobiculatum*. This grass is runner in habit and forms green mat on the ground. Open areas that are subjected to either extensive grazing or recently vacated settlements are dominated by *Chrysopogon aciculatus* in association with *Digitaria adscendens*, *Cynodon dactylon*, *Oplismenus burmanii* and herbs like *Cannabis sativa* seedlings and scattered *Ageratum conyzoides*.

Wetlands

The rivers, streams, lakes and marshlands are the primary sources of drinking water for wildlife in the park. Mahakali, Chaudhar, Radha and Syali are the major river systems whereas Bahuni and Lalpani are other important streams. An irrigation canal between Barnikheda and Beldadi also supports water for wildlife. This 20 kilometer irrigation canal and a road along the canal bisecting the park might also affect the wildlife movement. The small lakes- Ranital, Solghaudital, Kalikichtal, Shikarital, Ghumaunetal, Taratal, Babatal and available marshes in the grasslands and rivers and streams are the major water sources of the park. These wetlands are important for wild animals for wallowing and drinking water services and also supports for winter migratory birds.

Ranital: a Wetland Habitat by ShNP



Major bird species include Large numbers of ducks and waders: Mallard, Gadwall, Gargeny, Northern Shoveler, Tufted Duck, Common and Green Sandpipers, Temmink's and Little Stint, Grey-headed and White-tailed Lapwing and Painted Black Stork.

Migratory bird species include Mallard, Common Pochard, Common Teal, Northern Pintail, Gargeny, Northern Shoveler, Demoiselle Crane, Great Cormorant, Great Crested Grebe, Common Greenshank, White-tailed Lapwing, Coot, Grey Heron, Black Stork, Painted Stork and Grey-headed Lapwing.

Human Habitations and Cultivated Lands

The buffer zone has different land use patterns. About 70% of the area is occupied by the agricultural land followed by Forests 21% water bodies 7% and grasslands 2%. There are 280 settlements comprising about 18000 households. Local people practice agriculture and animal husbandry in the buffer zone. Livestock include cows, buffaloes, draught animals, goats, sheep and pigs. Major crops include rice, wheat, maize, sugarcane and banana.

The notable bird species in these habitats include Indian Pond Heron, Common Myna, Sarus Crane, Lesser Adjutant, Asian Openbill, Red-Wattled Lapwing, Baya Waever, Rufous Treepie, Coppersmith Barbet, Scaly-breasted Munia, House Sparrow, Pied Bushchat, Asian Pied Starling and House Crow.

Human Habitation by Dev Raj Joshi



PLACES OF INTERESTS

- » Shuklaphanta Grassland
- » Hirapur Grasslands
- » Ranital Wetlands
- » Kalikich Wetlands
- » Mahakali River
- » Singhpal Baba
- » Shilalekh
- » Rana Tharu and Chaudhary Tharu culture and Homestay Village
- » Dodhara Chandani Suspension Bridge in Mahakali River

Suspension Bridge by Sher Bahadur Singh





Chaudhary Tharu Culture by Amrit Bhadgaunle

Rana Tharu Culture by Sher Bahadur Singh



RECOMMENDED ROUTES FOR BIRD WATCHING SITES

S.N .	Routes and Sites
1	Beldandi area, Kalkich Taal, Ghumauna Taal, Lalpani, Chaudhar River.
2	Dhakka, Jonapur, Tarapur, Bhatpuri phanta, Tara Taal.
3	Arjuni grassland, Champapur, Garjabani, Jonapur, Radha Nadi.
4	Hattithala, Bodepani, Kalapani, Hirapur, Khairigad.
5	Lalpani, Barnikhera phanta, Pataiya, Dhaderi Taal.
6	Majhgaon, Malumela, Chaudhar bank and Solgaudi Tal, Dudhiya Camp, Rani Tal .
7	Majhgaon, Paliya, Pipariya, Barkaula route.
8	Pipariya, Mothe tal, Mahakali, Dhakanaghat, Shilalekh area.
9	Jhilmila wetland, Singpur Phanta, Radhapur Phanta, Shikari Taal, Damal Taal.
10	Singhpur, Silent Safari, Sundariphanta, Bamni khola, Riverine forest at labor ghat.
11	Nepal India boarder Pillar No 28 to Barkaula post.
12	Shuklaphanta grassland.

IMPORTANT BIRD SPECIES

A total of 450 species of birds have been recorded so far in Shuklaphanta National Park representing 19 Orders and 78 Families. Paserine birds represent 213 species of 40 families whereas Non passerine birds represent 237 Species of 38 families. The ornithological value of this park is high as it holds many birds with national and international significance 23 species are globally threatened, 74 species are nationally threatened (Inskipp et al. 2017), 88 species are Biome restricted assemblage species (Inskipp et al. 2016), 7 species are nationally data deficient, 6 species are protected by the National Parks and Wildlife Conservation Act 1973 as Schedule I species and 69 species are listed in CITES Appendices (3 in Appendix I, 64 in Appendix II and 2 in Appendix III).



Key to the codes:

CR	Critically Endangered.
EN	Endangered.
VU	Vulnerable.
NT	Near Threatened.
DD	Data Deficient.
LC	Least Concern.
BIOME 05:	Eurasian High Montane (Alpine and Tibetan Zone).
BIOME 07:	Sino - Himalayan Temperate Forest.
BIOME 08:	Sino - Himalayan Subtropical Forest.
BIOME 09:	Indo - Chinese Tropical Moist Forest.
BIOME 11:	Indo - Malayan Tropical Dry Zone.
BIOME 12:	Indo - Gangetic Plains.

Globally and Nationally Threatened and Near-threatened Birds

Common Name	Scientific Name	Global Status	National Status
Bengal Florican	<i>Houbaropsis bengalensis</i>	CR	CR
Red-headed Vulture	<i>Sarcogyps calvus</i>	CR	EN
White-rumped Vulture	<i>Gyps bengalensis</i>	CR	CR
Slender-billed Vulture	<i>Gyps tenuirostris</i>	CR	CR
Yellow-breasted Bunting	<i>Emberiza aureola</i>	CR	CR
Lesser Florican	<i>Sypheotides indicus</i>	EN	CR
Black-bellied Tern	<i>Sterna acuticauda</i>	EN	CR
Egyptian Vulture	<i>Neophron percnopterus</i>	EN	VU
Steppe Eagle	<i>Aquila nipalensis</i>	EN	VU
Swamp Francolin	<i>Francolinus gularis</i>	VU	EN
Common Pochard	<i>Aythya ferina</i>	VU	NT
Sarus Crane	<i>Antigone antigone</i>	VU	VU
Lesser Adjutant	<i>Leptoptilos javanicus</i>	VU	VU
Asian Woollyneck	<i>Ciconia episcopus</i>	VU	NT
Indian Spotted Eagle	<i>Clanga hastata</i>	VU	VU
Greater Spotted Eagle	<i>Clanga clanga</i>	VU	VU
Pallas's Fish-eagle	<i>Haliaeetus leucoryphus</i>	VU	CR
Great Hornbill	<i>Buceros bicornis</i>	VU	EN
Great Slaty Woodpecker	<i>Mulleripicus pulverulentus</i>	VU	EN
Bristled Grassbird	<i>Chaetornis striata</i>	VU	VU
Jerdon's Babbler	<i>Chrysomma altirostre</i>	VU	CR
White-throated Bushchat	<i>Saxicola insignis</i>	VU	EN
Finn's Weaver	<i>Ploceus megarhynchus</i>	VU	CR
Ferruginous Duck	<i>Aythya nyroca</i>	NT	VU
Falcated Duck	<i>Mareca falcata</i>	NT	CR
Painted Stork	<i>Mycteria leucocephala</i>	NT	EN
Black-necked Stork	<i>Ephippiorhynchus asiaticus</i>	NT	CR
Black-headed Ibis	<i>Threskiornis melanocephalus</i>	NT	NT
Oriental Darter	<i>Anhinga melanogaster</i>	NT	NT
Northern Lapwing	<i>Vanellus vanellus</i>	NT	NT
River Lapwing	<i>Vanellus duvaucelii</i>	NT	NT
Eurasian Curlew	<i>Numenius arquata</i>	NT	CR
River Tern	<i>Sterna aurantia</i>	NT	CR

Common Name	Scientific Name	Global Status	National Status
Himalayan Griffon	<i>Cyps himalayensis</i>	NT	VU
Cinereous Vulture	<i>Aegypius monachus</i>	NT	EN
Lesser Fish-eagle	<i>Ichthyophaga humilis</i>	NT	CR
Grey-headed Fish-eagle	<i>Ichthyophaga ichhyaetus</i>	NT	CR
Red-breasted Parakeet	<i>Psittacula alexandri</i>	NT	VU
Alexandrine Parakeet	<i>Psittacula eupatria</i>	NT	NT
Indian Grass-babbler	<i>Graminicola bengalensis</i>	NT	EN
Asian Blue Quail	<i>Synois chinensis</i>	LC	CR
Eurasian Spoonbill	<i>Platalea leucorodia</i>	LC	CR
Great Thick-knee	<i>Esacus recurvirostris</i>	LC	CR
Eastern Grass-owl	<i>Tyto longimembris</i>	LC	CR
Dusky Eagle-owl	<i>Bubo coromandus</i>	LC	CR
Rufous-bellied Eagle	<i>Lophotriorchis kienerii</i>	LC	CR
Montagu's Harrier	<i>Circus pygargus</i>	LC	CR
Brahminy Kite	<i>Haliastur indus</i>	LC	CR
Striated Grassbird	<i>Megalurus palustris</i>	LC	CR
Jerdon's Bushchat	<i>Saxicola jerdoni</i>	LC	CR
Streaked Weaver	<i>Ploceus manyar</i>	LC	CR
African Comb Duck	<i>Sarkidiornis melanotos</i>	LC	EN
Northern Pintail	<i>Anas acuta</i>	LC	EN
Indian Nightjar	<i>Caprimulgus asiaticus</i>	LC	EN
Eurasian Bittern	<i>Botaurus stellaris</i>	LC	EN
Black Bittern	<i>Ixobrychus flavicollis</i>	LC	EN
Indian Courser	<i>Cursorius coromandelicus</i>	LC	EN
Spot-bellied Eagle-owl	<i>Bubo nipalensis</i>	LC	EN
Blue-eared Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo meninting</i>	LC	EN
Red-headed Falcon	<i>Falco chicquera</i>	LC	EN
Tawny-bellied Babbler	<i>Dumetia hyperythra</i>	LC	EN
Grey Francolin	<i>Francolinus pondicerianus</i>	LC	VU
Cotton Pygmy-goose	<i>Nettapus coromandelianus</i>	LC	VU
Garganey	<i>Spatula querquedula</i>	LC	VU
Demoiselle Crane	<i>Anthropoides virgo</i>	LC	VU
Asian Openbill	<i>Anastomus oscitans</i>	LC	VU
Black Stork	<i>Ciconia nigra</i>	LC	VU

Common Name	Scientific Name	Global Status	National Status
Yellow-wattled Lapwing	<i>Vanellus malabaricus</i>	LC	VU
Pheasant-tailed Jacana	<i>Hydrophasianus chirurgus</i>	LC	VU
Brown-headed Gull	<i>Larus brunnicephalus</i>	LC	VU
Little Tern	<i>Sternula albirostris</i>	LC	VU
Rock Eagle-owl	<i>Bubo bengalensis</i>	LC	VU
Brown Fish-owl	<i>Ketupa zeylonensis</i>	LC	VU
Western Marsh-harrier	<i>Circus aeruginosus</i>	LC	VU
Hen Harrier	<i>Circus cyaneus</i>	LC	VU
Pallid Harrier	<i>Circus macrourus</i>	LC	VU
Pied Harrier	<i>Circus melanoleucos</i>	LC	VU
Pale-footed Bush-warbler	<i>Hemitesia pallidipes</i>	LC	VU
Common Babbler	<i>Argya caudata</i>	LC	VU
Dark-sided Thrush	<i>Zoothera marginata</i>	LC	VU
Black-breasted Weaver	<i>Ploceus benghalensis</i>	LC	VU
Indian Peafowl	<i>Pavo cristatus</i>	LC	NT
Bar-headed Goose	<i>Anser indicus</i>	LC	NT
Ruddy Shelduck	<i>Tadorna ferruginea</i>	LC	NT
Indian Spot-billed Duck	<i>Anas poecilorhyncha</i>	LC	NT
Ashy-headed Green-pigeon	<i>Treron phayrei</i>	LC	NT
Large-tailed Nightjar	<i>Caprimulgus macrurus</i>	LC	NT
Savanna Nightjar	<i>Caprimulgus affinis</i>	LC	NT
White-rumped Spinetail	<i>Zoonavena sylvatica</i>	LC	NT
Chestnut-winged Cuckoo	<i>Clamator coromandus</i>	LC	NT
Watercock	<i>Gallicrex cinerea</i>	LC	NT
Great Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>	LC	NT
Lesser Sand Plover	<i>Charadrius mongolus</i>	LC	NT
Common Buttonquail	<i>Turnix sylvaticus</i>	LC	NT
Yellow-legged Buttonquail	<i>Turnix tanki</i>	LC	NT
Oriental Pratincole	<i>Glareola maldivarum</i>	LC	NT
Little Pratincole	<i>Glareola lactea</i>	LC	NT
Oriental Pied Hornbill	<i>Anthracoceros albirostris</i>	LC	NT
Bay Woodpecker	<i>Blythipicus pyrrhotis</i>	LC	NT
Collared Falconet	<i>Microhierax caerulescens</i>	LC	NT
Lesser Kestrel	<i>Falco naumanni</i>	LC	NT

Common Name	Scientific Name	Global Status	National Status
Crested Lark	<i>Galerida cristata</i>	LC	NT
Golden-headed Cisticola	<i>Cisticola exilis</i>	LC	NT
Yellow-bellied Prinia	<i>Prinia flaviventris</i>	LC	NT
Clamorous Reed-warbler	<i>Acrocephalus stentoreus</i>	LC	NT
Asian Plain Martin	<i>Riparia chinensis</i>	LC	NT
Yellow-eyed Babbler	<i>Chrysomma sinense</i>	LC	NT
Chestnut-capped Babbler	<i>Timalia pileata</i>	LC	NT
White-tailed Stonechat	<i>Saxicola leucurus</i>	LC	NT
Baya Weaver	<i>Ploceus philippinus</i>	LC	NT
Red Avadavat	<i>Amandava amandava</i>	LC	NT

Indian Peafowl by Sagar Giri



Biome Restricted Assemblage Birds

Common Name	Scientific Name	Biome Assemblage
Brown-headed Gull	<i>Larus brunnicephalus</i>	B05
Himalayan Griffon	<i>Gyps himalayensis</i>	B05
Grey-backed Shrike	<i>Lanius tephronotus</i>	B05
Smoky Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus fulgiventor</i>	B05
Sulphur-bellied Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus griseolus</i>	B05
Tickell's Leaf-warbler	<i>Phylloscopus affinis</i>	B05
White-throated Bushchat	<i>Saxicola insignis</i>	B05
Rosy Pipit	<i>Anthus roseatus</i>	B05
Fire-capped Tit	<i>Cephalopyrus flammiceps</i>	B07
Nepal House Martin	<i>Delichon nipalense</i>	B07
Large-billed Leaf-warbler	<i>Phylloscopus magnirostris</i>	B07
Western Crowned Leaf-warbler	<i>Phylloscopus occipitalis</i>	B07
Grey-bellied Tesia	<i>Tesia cyaniventor</i>	B07
Chestnut-crowned Bush-warbler	<i>Cettia major</i>	B07
Grey-sided Bush-warbler	<i>Cettia brunnifrons</i>	B07
Aberrant Bush-warbler	<i>Horornis flavolivaceus</i>	B07
Siberian Rubythroat	<i>Calliope calliope</i>	B07
Himalayan Rubythroat	<i>Calliope pectoralis</i>	B07
Slaty-blue Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula tricolor</i>	B07
Rufous-gorgeted Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula strophciata</i>	B07
Ultramarine Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula superciliaris</i>	B07
Rusty-tailed Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula ruficauda</i>	B07
Yellow-breasted Greenfinch	<i>Chloris spinoides</i>	B07
Bay Woodpecker	<i>Blythipicus pyrrhotis</i>	B08
Slaty-headed Parakeet	<i>Psittacula himalayana</i>	B08
Rosy Minivet	<i>Pericrocotus roseus</i>	B08
Black-winged Cuckooshrike	<i>Lalage melaschistos</i>	B08
Black Bulbul	<i>Hypsipetes leucocephalus</i>	B08
Himalayan Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus leucogenys</i>	B08
Grey-hooded Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus xanthoschistos</i>	B08
Pale-footed Bush-warbler	<i>Hemitesia pallidipes</i>	B08
Spot-winged Starling	<i>Saroglossa spilopterus</i>	B08

Common Name	Scientific Name	Biome Assemblage
Tickell's Thrush	<i>Turdus unicolor</i>	B08
Blue-capped Rock-thrush	<i>Monticola cinclorhyncha</i>	B08
Streaked Spiderhunter	<i>Arachnothera magna</i>	B08
Himalayan Flameback	<i>Dinopium shorii</i>	B09
Crow-billed Drongo	<i>Dicrurus annectens</i>	B09
Pale-chinned Flycatcher	<i>Cyornis poliogenys</i>	B09
Black-backed Forktail	<i>Enicurus immaculatus</i>	B09
Indian Peafowl	<i>Pavo cristatus</i>	B11
Yellow-footed Green-pigeon	<i>Treron phoenicopterus</i>	B11
Indian Nightjar	<i>Caprimulgus asiaticus</i>	B11
Sirkeer Malkoha	<i>Taccocua leschenaultii</i>	B11
Lesser Florican	<i>Sypheotides indicus</i>	B11
Red-naped Ibis	<i>Pseudibis papillosa</i>	B11
Yellow-wattled Lapwing	<i>Vanellus malabaricus</i>	B11
Indian Courser	<i>Cursorius coromandelicus</i>	B11
Dusky Eagle-owl	<i>Bubo coromandus</i>	B11
Red-headed Vulture	<i>Sarcogyps calvus</i>	B11
White-rumped Vulture	<i>Gyps bengalensis</i>	B11
Slender-billed Vulture	<i>Gyps tenuirostris</i>	B11
White-eyed Buzzard	<i>Butastur teesa</i>	B11
Indian Grey Hornbill	<i>Ocyeros birostris</i>	B11
Lineated Barbet	<i>Psilopogon lineatus</i>	B11
Brown-headed Barbet	<i>Psilopogon zeylanicus</i>	B11
White-naped Woodpecker	<i>Chrysocolaptes festivus</i>	B11
Black-rumped Flameback	<i>Dinopium benghalense</i>	B11
Yellow-crowned Woodpecker	<i>Leiopicus mahrattensis</i>	B11
Red-headed Falcon	<i>Falco chicquera</i>	B11
Plum-headed Parakeet	<i>Psittacula cyanocephala</i>	B11
Small Minivet	<i>Pericrocotus cinnamomeus</i>	B11
Black-headed Cuckooshrike	<i>Lalage melanoptera</i>	B11
Ashy Woodswallow	<i>Artamus fuscus</i>	B11
Common Woodshrike	<i>Tephrodornis pondicerianus</i>	B11
White-browed Fantail	<i>Rhipidura aureola</i>	B11
White-bellied Drongo	<i>Dicrurus caerulescens</i>	B11

Common Name	Scientific Name	Biome Assemblage
Ashy-crowned Sparrow-lark	<i>Eremopterix griseus</i>	B11
Bengal Bushlark	<i>Mirafra assamica</i>	B11
Sand Lark	<i>Alaudala raytal</i>	B11
Jungle Prinia	<i>Prinia sylvatica</i>	B11
Ashy Prinia	<i>Prinia socialis</i>	B11
Tawny-bellied Babbler	<i>Dumetia hyperythra</i>	B11
Jungle Babbler	<i>Turdoides striata</i>	B11
Brahminy Starling	<i>Sturnia pagodarum</i>	B11
Chestnut-tailed Starling	<i>Sturnia malabarica</i>	B11
Bank Myna	<i>Acridotheres ginginianus</i>	B11
Indian Robin	<i>Saxicoloides fulicatus</i>	B11
Brown Rockchat	<i>Cercomela fusca</i>	B11
Swamp Francolin	<i>Francolinus gularis</i>	B12
Bengal Florican	<i>Houbaropsis bengalensis</i>	B12
Bristled Grassbird	<i>Chaetornis striata</i>	B12
Jerdon's Babbler	<i>Chrysomma altirostre</i>	B12
Indian Grass-babbler	<i>Graminicola bengalensis</i>	B12
Striated Babbler	<i>Argya earlei</i>	B12
Jerdon's Bushchat	<i>Saxicola jerdoni</i>	B12
White-tailed Stonechat	<i>Saxicola leucurus</i>	B12
Black-breasted Weaver	<i>Ploceus benghalensis</i>	B12
Finn's Weaver	<i>Ploceus megarhynchus</i>	B12

Nationally Data Deficient Birds

Common Name	Scientific Name
Oriental Scops-owl	<i>Otus sunia</i>
Griffon Vulture	<i>Gyps fulvus</i>
Tawny Eagle	<i>Aquila rapax</i>
Horsfield's Bushlark	<i>Mirafra javanica</i>
Collared Sand Martin	<i>Riparia riparia</i>
Pale Sand Martin	<i>Riparia diluta</i>
Red-breasted Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula parva</i>

NPWC Act Protected Birds

Common Name	Scientific Name
Black Stork	<i>Ciconia nigra</i>
White Stork	<i>Ciconia ciconia</i>
Sarus Crane	<i>Grus Antigone</i>
Bengal Florican	<i>Houbaropsis bengalensis</i>
Lesser Florican	<i>Eupodotis indica</i>
Giant Hornbill	<i>Buceros bicornis</i>

Shuklaphanta Grassland by



CITES Listed Birds

Common Name	Scientific Name	Appendix
Bengal Florican	<i>Houbaropsis bengalensis</i>	I
Great Hornbill	<i>Buceros bicornis</i>	I
Peregrine Falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>	I
African Comb Duck	<i>Sarkidiornis melanotos</i>	II
Sarus Crane	<i>Antigone antigone</i>	II
Demoiselle Crane	<i>Anthropoides virgo</i>	II
Lesser Florican	<i>Sypheotides indicus</i>	II
Black Stork	<i>Ciconia nigra</i>	II
Eurasian Spoonbill	<i>Platalea leucorodia</i>	II
Eastern Grass-owl	<i>Tyto longimembris</i>	II
Brown Boobook	<i>Ninox scutulata</i>	II
Asian Barred Owlet	<i>Glaucidium cuculoides</i>	II
Jungle Owlet	<i>Glaucidium radiatum</i>	II
Spotted Owlet	<i>Athene brama</i>	II
Indian Scops-owl	<i>Otus bakkamoena</i>	II
Oriental Scops-owl	<i>Otus sunia</i>	II
Spot-bellied Eagle-owl	<i>Bubo nipalensis</i>	II
Dusky Eagle-owl	<i>Bubo coromandus</i>	II
Brown Fish-owl	<i>Ketupa zeylonensis</i>	II
Osprey	<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>	II
Black-winged Kite	<i>Elanus caeruleus</i>	II
Oriental Honey-buzzard	<i>Pernis ptilorhynchus</i>	II
Crested Serpent-eagle	<i>Spilornis cheela</i>	II
Short-toed Snake-eagle	<i>Circaetus gallicus</i>	II
Egyptian Vulture	<i>Neophron percnopterus</i>	II
Red-headed Vulture	<i>Sarcogyps calvus</i>	II
Himalayan Griffon	<i>Gyps himalayensis</i>	II
White-rumped Vulture	<i>Gyps bengalensis</i>	II
Slender-billed Vulture	<i>Gyps tenuirostris</i>	II
Griffon Vulture	<i>Gyps fulvus</i>	II
Cinereous Vulture	<i>Aegypius monachus</i>	II
Mountain Hawk-eagle	<i>Nisaetus nipalensis</i>	II
Changeable Hawk-eagle	<i>Nisaetus cirrhatus</i>	II
Rufous-bellied Eagle	<i>Lophotriorchis kienerii</i>	II

Common Name	Scientific Name	Appendix
Indian Spotted Eagle	<i>Clanga hastate</i>	II
Greater Spotted Eagle	<i>Clanga clanga</i>	II
Tawny Eagle	<i>Aquila rapax</i>	II
Steppe Eagle	<i>Aquila nipalensis</i>	II
Bonelli's Eagle	<i>Aquila fasciata</i>	II
Booted Eagle	<i>Hieraetus pennatus</i>	II
Western Marsh-harrier	<i>Circus aeruginosus</i>	II
Hen Harrier	<i>Circus cyaneus</i>	II
Pallid Harrier	<i>Circus macrourus</i>	II
Pied Harrier	<i>Circus melanoleucos</i>	II
Montagu's Harrier	<i>Circus pygargus</i>	II
Shikra	<i>Accipiter badius</i>	II
Besra	<i>Accipiter virgatus</i>	II
Eurasian Sparrowhawk	<i>Accipiter nisus</i>	II
Pallas's Fish-eagle	<i>Haliaeetus leucoryphus</i>	II
Lesser Fish-eagle	<i>Ichthyophaga humilis</i>	II
Grey-headed Fish-eagle	<i>Ichthyophaga ichthyaeus</i>	II
Brahminy Kite	<i>Haliastur indus</i>	II
Black Kite	<i>Milvus migrans</i>	II
White-eyed Buzzard	<i>Butastur teesa</i>	II
Himalayan Buzzard	<i>Buteo refectus</i>	II
Long-legged Buzzard	<i>Buteo rufinus</i>	II
Oriental Pied Hornbill	<i>Anthraceroceros albirostris</i>	II
Collared Falconet	<i>Microhierax caerulescens</i>	II
Lesser Kestrel	<i>Falco naumanni</i>	II
Common Kestrel	<i>Falco tinnunculus</i>	II
Red-headed Falcon	<i>Falco chicquera</i>	II
Eurasian Hobby	<i>Falco subbuteo</i>	II
Slaty-headed Parakeet	<i>Psittacula himalayana</i>	II
Plum-headed Parakeet	<i>Psittacula cyanocephala</i>	II
Red-breasted Parakeet	<i>Psittacula alexandri</i>	II
Alexandrine Parakeet	<i>Psittacula eupatria</i>	II
Common Hill Myna	<i>Gracula religiosa</i>	II
Indian Peafowl	<i>Pavo cristatus</i>	III
Kalij Pheasant	<i>Lophura leucomelanos</i>	III



CHECKLIST

Codes	Explanations
br	Breeding Confirm
r	Resident
s	Summer Migrant
w	Winter Migrant
M	Passage Migrant
v	Vagrant
1	Common
2	Fairly Common
3	Occasional
4	Rare
5	Very Rare

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GALLIFORMES



Black Francolin by Vikram Tiwari

Phasianidae



Indian Peafowl by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri

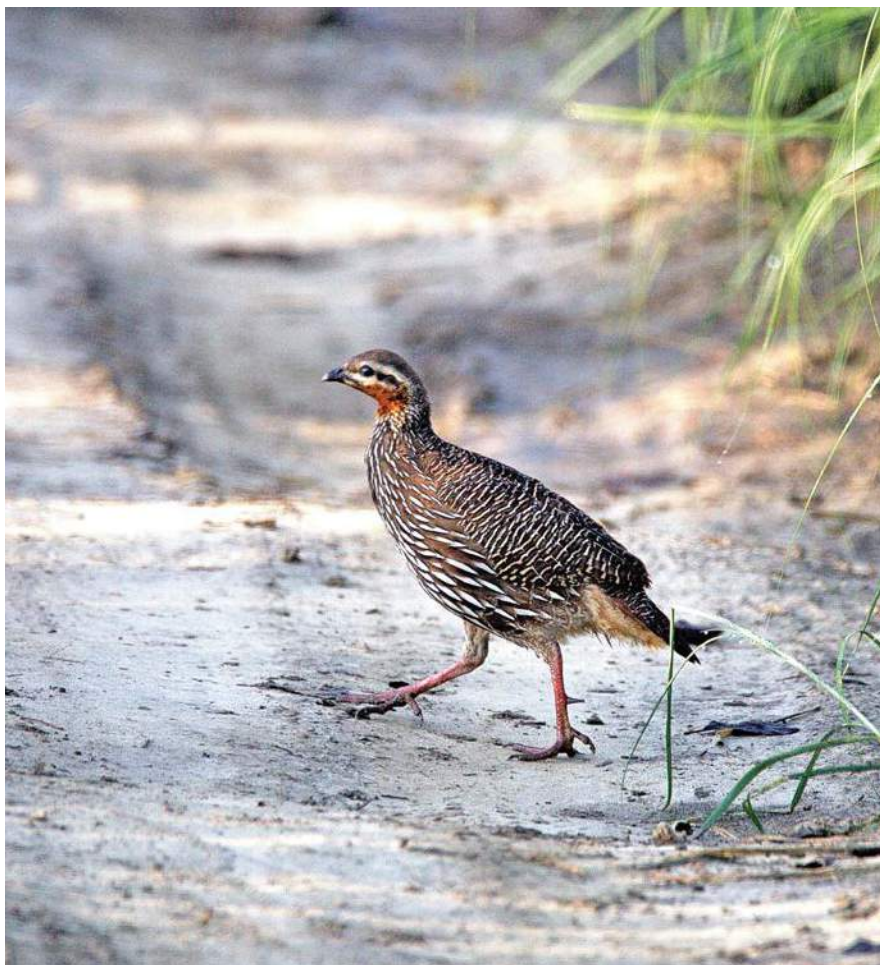


Common Quail by Ustab Jung Thapa



Asian Blue Quail by Mohit

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
1	Indian Peafowl	<i>Pavo cristatus</i>	मुजुर	br,r,1	1
2	Common Quail	<i>Coturnix coturnix</i>	बट्टाई	r, 3	1
3	Asian Blue Quail	<i>Synoicus chinensis</i>	खरबट्टाई	r, 5	1
4	Black Francolin	<i>Francolinus francolinus</i>	कालो तित्रा	br, r, 1	1



Swamp Francolin by Vikram Tiwari

5	Grey Francolin	<i>Francolinus pondicerianus</i>	कपिञ्जल तिन्ना	br, r,2	1
6	Swamp Francolin	<i>Francolinus gularis</i>	सिमतिन्ना	br,r,2	1



Red Junglefowl by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri



Kalij Pheasant by Hathan Chaudhary

7	Red Junglefowl	<i>Gallus gallus</i>	लुईचे	br,r,2	1
8	Kalij Pheasant	<i>Lophura leucomelanos</i>	कालिज	r, 3	1

ANSERIFORMES



Goosander by Chudamani Chaudhary

Anatidae



Lesser Whistling-duck by Manshanta Ghimire



Bar-headed Goose by Manshanta Ghimire



Ruddy Shelduck by Chudamani Chaudhary



African Comb Duck by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
9	Lesser Whistling-duck	<i>Dendrocygna javanica</i>	सिलसिले	r, 2	1
10	Bar-headed Goose	<i>Anser indicus</i>	खोयाहाँस	w, 3	1
11	Goosander	<i>Mergus merganser</i>	मणितुण्डक	w, 2	1
12	Ruddy Shelduck	<i>Tadorna ferruginea</i>	चखेवाचखेवी	w, 2	1
13	African Comb Duck	<i>Sarkidiornis melanotos</i>	नकटा	r, 3	1



Cotton Pygmy Goose by Hathan Chaudhary



Red-crested Pochard by Manshanta Ghimire



Common Pochard by Manshanta Ghimire



Ferruginous Duck by Hathan Chaudhary

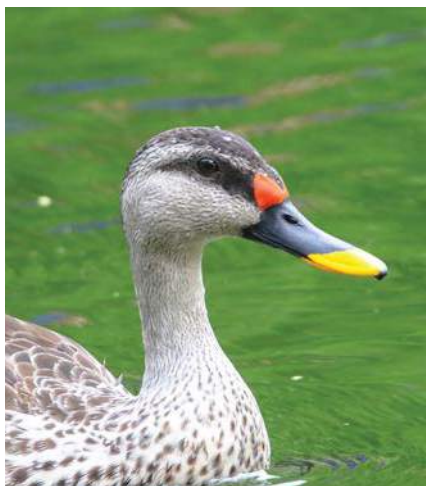
14	Cotton Pygmy-geese	<i>Nettapus coromandelianus</i>	हरिहाँस	r, 3	1
15	Red-crested Pochard	<i>Netta rufina</i>	सुनजुरे हाँस	w, 3	1
16	Common Pochard	<i>Aythya ferina</i>	कैलोटाउके हाँस	w, 2	1
17	Ferruginous Duck	<i>Aythya nyroca</i>	मालक हाँस	w, 2	1
18	Tufted Duck	<i>Aythya fuligula</i>	कालीजुरे हाँस	w, 2	1
19	Garganey	<i>Spatula querquedula</i>	श्वेताँखीभाँ	w, 3	1



Northern Shoveler by Manshanta Ghimire



Eurasian Wigeon by Manshanta Ghimire



Indian Spot-billed Duck by Manshanta Ghimire



Common Teal by Manshanta Ghimire

20	Northern Shoveler	<i>Spatula clypeata</i>	बेल्लाचूडे हाँस	w, 3	1
21	Falcated Duck	<i>Mareca falcata</i>	फुर्के हाँस	w, 4	1
22	Gadwall	<i>Mareca strepera</i>	खडखडे हाँस	w, 2	1
23	Eurasian Wigeon	<i>Mareca penelope</i>	सिन्दुरे हाँस	w, 2	1
24	Indian Spot-billed Duck	<i>Anas poecilorhyncha</i>	नादुन हाँस	w, 3	1
25	Mallard	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>	हरियोटाउके	w, 2	1
26	Northern Pintail	<i>Anas acuta</i>	सुइरोपुच्छे	w, 2	1
27	Common Teal	<i>Anas crecca</i>	बिजुलागैरौ	w, 2	1

PODICIPEDIFORMES



Little Grebe by Manshanta Ghimire

Podicipedidae



Great-crested Grebe by Manshanta Chimire

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
28	Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>	डुबुल्कीचरा	br, r, 2	1
29	Great Crested Grebe	<i>Podiceps cristatus</i>	सिउरे डुबुल्कीचरा	w, 3	1

COLUMBIFORMES



Orange-breasted Green Pigeon by Chudamani Chaudhary

Columbidae



Spotted Dove by Chudamani Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
30	Rock Dove	<i>Columba livia</i>	मलेवा	r, 1	1
31	Oriental Turtle-dove	<i>Streptopelia orientalis</i>	तामे ढुकुर	r, 2	1
32	Eurasian Collared-dove	<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>	कण्ठे ढुकुर	br,r, 1	1
33	Red Turtle-dove	<i>Streptopelia tranquebarica</i>	सानोतामे ढुकुर	br,r, 1	1
34	Western Spotted Dove	<i>Spilopelia suratensis</i>	कुल्ले ढुकुर	br,r, 1	1
35	Laughing Dove	<i>Spilopelia senegalensis</i>	धुसर ढुकुर	r, 4	7
36	Grey-capped Emerald Dove	<i>Chalcophaps indica</i>	हारील ढुकुर	r, 2	1
37	Orange-breasted Green-pigeon	<i>Treron bicinctus</i>	सुन्तलेछाती हलेसो	r, 3	1
38	Ashy-headed Green-pigeon	<i>Treron phayrei</i>	फुस्रोटाउके हलेसो	r, 2	1
39	Yellow-footed Green-pigeon	<i>Treron phoenicopterus</i>	हलेसो	r, 1	1

CAPRIMULGIFORMES



Savanna Nightjar by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri

Caprimulgidae

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
40	Large-tailed Nightjar	<i>Caprimulgus macrurus</i>	लामपुच्छे चैतेचरा	br,r,2	1
41	Indian Nightjar	<i>Caprimulgus asiaticus</i>	चुकुचुके चैतेचरा	r, 4	1
42	Savanna Nightjar	<i>Caprimulgus affinis</i>	चुइयाँ चैतेचरा	br, r,2	1

Hemiprocidae

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
43	Crested Treeswift	<i>Hemiprocne coronata</i>	जुरे गौथली	r, 2	1

Apodidae



Himalayan Swiftlet by Jyotendra Jy Thakuri

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
44	White-rumped Spinetail	<i>Zoonavena sylvatica</i>	सानो वन गौथली	M	1
45	Silver-backed Needletail	<i>Hirundapus cochinchinensis</i>	चाँदीढाडे गौथली	M	1
46	Himalayan Swiftlet	<i>Aerodramus brevirostris</i>	चीचिका गौथली	w, 3	1
47	Asian Palm-swift	<i>Cypsiurus balasensis</i>	थाकल गौथली	r, 3	1
48	Alpine Swift	<i>Tachymarpis melba</i>	बतासी गौथली	w, 3	1
49	House Swift	<i>Apus nipalensis</i>	फिरफिरे घरगौथली	r, 2	1

CUCULIFORMES



Common Hawk Cuckoo by Chudamani Chaudhary

Cuculidae



Sirkeer Malkoha by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
50	Greater Coucal	<i>Centropus sinensis</i>	ढोडे गोकुल	br, r,1	1
51	Lesser Coucal	<i>Centropus bengalensis</i>	सानो गोकुल	br, r,2	1
52	Sirkeer Malkoha	<i>Taccocua leschenaultii</i>	न्याउरी मालकौवा	br, r,3	1
53	Green-billed Malkoha	<i>Phaenicophaeus tristis</i>	हरित मालकौवा	r, 3	1
54	Jacobin Cuckoo	<i>Clamator jacobinus</i>	जुरे कोइली	s,2	1
55	Chestnut-winged Cuckoo	<i>Clamator coromandus</i>	ढूलो जुरे कोइली	s, 3	1
56	Western Koel	<i>Eudynamys scolopaceus</i>	कोइली	r, 1	1
57	Banded Bay Cuckoo	<i>Cacomantis sonneratii</i>	धर्के खैरो कोइली	r, 3	1
58	Fork-tailed Drongo-cuckoo	<i>Surniculus dicruroides</i>	चिबे कोइली	s, 3	1
59	Common Hawk-cuckoo	<i>Hierococcyx varius</i>	बीउ कुहियो	r, 1	1
60	Indian Cuckoo	<i>Cuculus micropterus</i>	काफल पाक्यो	s, 1	1
61	Common Cuckoo	<i>Cuculus canorus</i>	कुक्कु कोइली	s, 2	1

GRUIFORMES



White-breasted Waterhen by Chudamani Chaudhary

Rallidae



Brown Crake by Ram Shahi

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
62	Ruddy-breasted Crake	<i>Zapornia fusca</i>	घोल कन्दरी	w, 2	1
63	Baillon's Crake	<i>Zapornia pusilla</i>	झिली	w, 3	1
64	Brown Crake	<i>Zapornia akool</i>	ध्वाँसे सिमकुखुरा	r, 2	1
65	White-breasted Waterhen	<i>Amaurornis phoenicurus</i>	सिमकुखुरा	br, r, 1	1



Common Moorhen by Ram shahi



Purple Swampphen by Chudamani Chaudhary

66	Watercock	<i>Gallicrex cinerea</i>	जलकुखुरा	br,s,2	1
67	Purple Swampphen	<i>Porphyrio porphyrio</i>	कुर्मा	w,3	1
68	Common Moorhen	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>	बगाले सिमकुखुरा	w, 1	1
69	Common Coot	<i>Fulica atra</i>	मरुल	w, 2	1



Sarus Crane by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
70	Sarus Crane	<i>Antigone antigone</i>	सारस	br, r, 4	1
71	Demoiselle Crane	<i>Anthropoides virgo</i>	कन्याड-कुरुड सारस	w, 5	1

OTIDIFORMES



Lesser Adjutant by Chudamani Chaudhary

Otididae



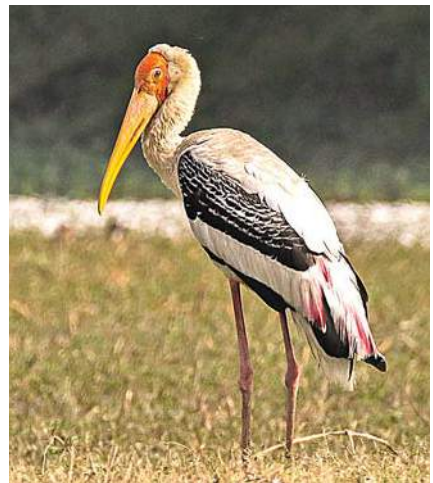
Bengal Florican by Hathan Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
72	Bengal Florican	<i>Houbaropsis bengalensis</i>	खरमुजुर	r, 4	1
73	Lesser Florican	<i>Sypheotides indicus</i>	सानो खरमुजुर	r, 5	1

Ciconiidae



Lesser Adjutant (pair) by Chudamani Chaudhary



Painted Stork by Manshanta Ghimre

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
74	Lesser Adjutant	<i>Leptoptilos javanicus</i>	भुँडीफोर गरुड	br, r, 2	1
75	Painted Stork	<i>Mycteria leucocephala</i>	लालटाउके गरुड	s, 4	1



Asian Openbill by Hathan Chaudhary



Black Stork by Vikram Tiwari



Asian Woollyneck by Manshanta Ghimire



Black-necked Stork by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri

76	Asian Openbill	<i>Anastomus oscitans</i>	धुँगीफोर गरुड	br, r, 2	1
77	Black Stork	<i>Ciconia nigra</i>	कालो गरुड	w, 2	1
78	Asian Woollyneck	<i>Ciconia episcopus</i>	लोभीपापी गरुड	r, 3	1
79	White Stork	<i>Ciconia ciconia</i>	सेतो गरुड	v	1
80	Black-necked Stork	<i>Ephippiorhynchus asiaticus</i>	कृष्णकण्ठ गरुड	r, 3	1

Threskiornithidae



Black-headed Ibis by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri



Red-naped Ibis by Chudamani Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
81	Eurasian Spoonbill	<i>Platalea leucorodia</i>	चम्बाढुङ्गे साँवरी	w, 5	1
82	Black-headed Ibis	<i>Threskiornis melanocephalus</i>	सेतो साँवरी	w, 2	1
83	Red-naped Ibis	<i>Pseudibis papillosa</i>	कर्ना साँवरी	br, r, 1	1
84	Glossy Ibis	<i>Plegadis falcinellus</i>	सानो साँवरी	v	9

PELECANIFORMES



Black-crowned Night-heron by Chudamani Chaudhary

Ardeidae



Great Bittern by Manshanta Chimire



Black Bittern by Hathan Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
85	Great Bittern	<i>Botaurus stellaris</i>	ठूलो जूनबकुल्ला	w, 5	4
86	Yellow Bittern	<i>Ixobrychus sinensis</i>	पहेलो जूनबकुल्ला	br, r, 2	1
87	Cinnamon Bittern	<i>Ixobrychus cinnamomeus</i>	रातो जूनबकुल्ला	br, r, 2	1
88	Black Bittern	<i>Ixobrychus flavicollis</i>	कालो जूनबकुल्ला	r, 4	1
89	Black-crowned Night-heron	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>	बाँके बकुल्ला	br, r, 1	1



Little Heron by Hathan Chaudhary



Indian Pond-heron by Chudamani Chaudhary

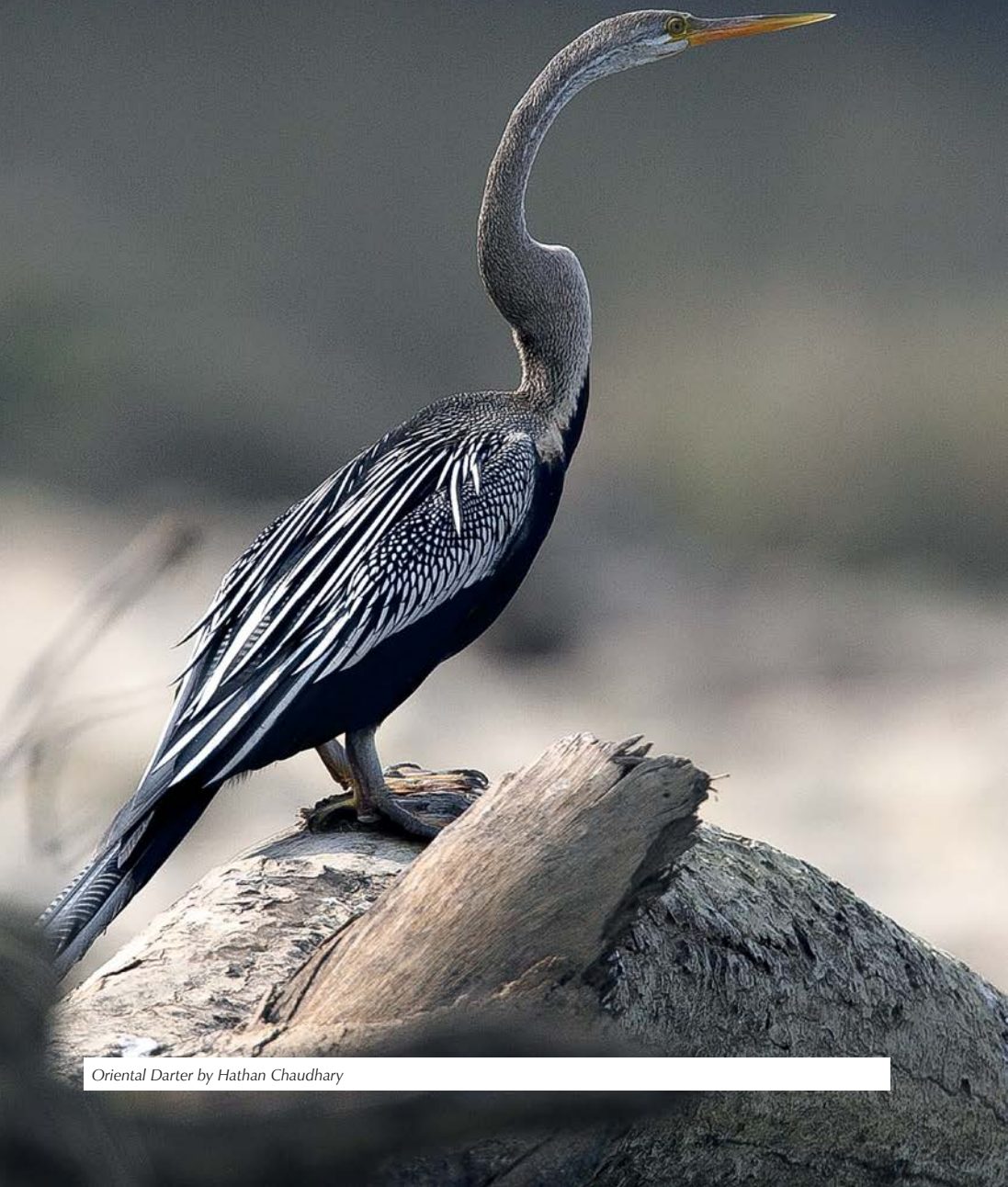
90	Little Heron	<i>Butorides striata</i>	छोटाखुट्टे बकुल्ला	br, r, 2	1
91	Indian Pond-heron	<i>Ardeola grayii</i>	आसकोटे बकुल्ला	br, r, 1	1
92	Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>	वस्तु बकुल्ला	br, r, 1	1
93	Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>	फुस्रो बकुल्ला	w, 1	1



Great White Egret by Chudamani Chaudhary

94	Purple Heron	<i>Ardea purpurea</i>	ध्यानी बकुल्ला	br, r, 2	1
95	Great White Egret	<i>Ardea alba</i>	ढूलो सेतोबकुल्ला	br, r, 2	1
96	Intermediate Egret	<i>Ardea intermedia</i>	मझीला सेतोबकुल्ला	br, r, 2	1
97	Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>	सानो सेतोबकुल्ला	br, r, 1	1

SULIFORMES



Oriental Darter by Hathan Chaudhary

Phalacrocoracidae



Little Cormorant by Hathan Chaudhary



Great Cormorant by Chudamani Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
98	Little Cormorant	<i>Microcarbo niger</i>	सानो जलेवा	br, r, 1	1
99	Great Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>	मझौला जलेवा	w, 1	1

Anhingidae



Oriental Darter by Chudamani Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
100	Oriental Darter	<i>Anhinga melanogaster</i>	सुइरोटुँडे	br, r, 2	1

CHARADRIIFORMES



Great Thick-knee by Sanjeev Acharya

Burhinidae



Indian Thick-knee by Vikram Tiwary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
101	Indian Thick-knee	<i>Burhinus indicus</i>	बगरबट्टाई	r, 3	1
102	Great Thick-knee	<i>Esacus recurvirostris</i>	टूलो बगरबट्टाई	r, 4	1

Recurvirostridae



Black-winged Stilt by Kumar Mahato

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
103	Black-winged Stilt	<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>	प्रवालपाद	w, 4	1

Charadriidae



River Lapwing by Manshanta Chimire



Yellow-wattled Lapwing by Manshanta Chimire



Red-wattled Lapwing by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri



White-tailed Lapwing by Tek Gurung

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
104	Little Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius dubius</i>	लघु राजपुत्रिका	w, 1	1
105	Kentish Plover	<i>Charadrius alexandrinus</i>	अलकचन्द्र र जपुत्रिका	w, 2	1
106	Lesser Sandplover	<i>Charadrius mongolus</i>	मंगोल राजपुत्रिका	M	1
107	Northern Lapwing	<i>Vanellus vanellus</i>	जुरे हुट्टियाउ	w, 3	1
108	River Lapwing	<i>Vanellus duvaucelii</i>	खोले हुट्टियाउ	r, 3	1
109	Yellow-wattled Lapwing	<i>Vanellus malabaricus</i>	दोयम हुट्टियाउ	r, 4	1
110	Red-wattled Lapwing	<i>Vanellus indicus</i>	हुट्टियाउँ	br, r, 1	1
111	White-tailed Lapwing	<i>Vanellus leucurus</i>	सेतोपुच्छे हुट्टियाउँ	w, 5	6
112	Grey-headed Lapwing	<i>Vanellus cinereus</i>	राजहुट्टियाउ	w, 3	3

Rostratulidae



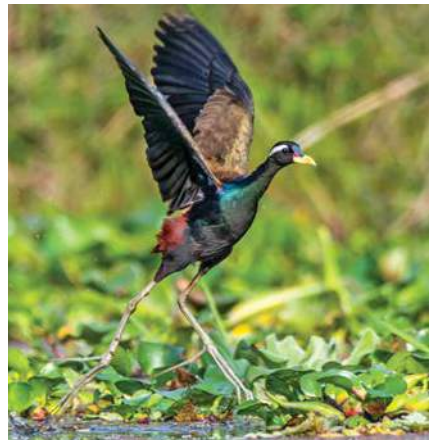
Great Painted Snipe by Hathan Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
113	Greater Painted-snipe	<i>Rostratula benghalensis</i>	चित्राङ्गड	br, r, 3	1

Jacanidae



Pheasant-tailed Jacana by Hathan Chaudhary



Bronze-winged Jacana by Chudamani Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
114	Pheasant-tailed Jacana	<i>Hydrophasianus chirurgus</i>	जलअप्सरा	br, r, 2	1
115	Bronze-winged Jacana	<i>Metopidius indicus</i>	लामाऔले	br, r, 1	1

Scolopacidae



Eurasian Curlew by Shukaram Mahato



Wood Sandpiper by Manshanta Ghimire

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
116	Eurasian Curlew	<i>Numenius arquata</i>	आँसीढुँडे	w, 4	1
117	Black-tailed Godwit	<i>Limosa limosa</i>	मलगुञ्जा	w, 4	8
118	Ruff	<i>Calidris pugnax</i>	राजसुङ्सुडिया	M	1
119	Temminck's Stint	<i>Calidris temminckii</i>	जलरङ्ग	w, 1	1
120	Long-toed Stint	<i>Calidris subminuta</i>	लामाऔले जलरङ्ग	w, 5	1
121	Little Stint	<i>Calidris minuta</i>	कालीखुट्टे जलरङ्ग	w, 3	1
122	Pintail Snipe	<i>Gallinago stenura</i>	भारक चाहा	w, 2	1
123	Common Snipe	<i>Gallinago gallinago</i>	पानी चाहा	w, 2	1
124	Jack Snipe	<i>Lymnocyrtus minimus</i>	गोभण्डीर चाहा	w, 4	6
125	Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>	चञ्चले सुङ्सुडिया	w, 1	1
126	Green Sandpiper	<i>Tringa ochropus</i>	रुख सुङ्सुडिया	w, 1	1
127	Spotted Redshank	<i>Tringa erythropus</i>	थोप्ते टिमटिमा	w, 4	1
128	Common Greenshank	<i>Tringa nebularia</i>	टिमटिमा	w, 1	1
129	Common Redshank	<i>Tringa totanus</i>	लालखुट्टे टिमटिमा	w, 2	1
130	Wood Sandpiper	<i>Tringa glareola</i>	वन सुङ्सुडिया	w, 3	1
131	Marsh Sandpiper	<i>Tringa stagnatilis</i>	मसिनोढुँडे टिमटिमा	w, 4	1

Turnicidae



Barred Buttonquail by Vikram Tiwari



Small Buttonquail by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
132	Common Buttonquail	<i>Turnix sylvaticus</i>	सानो गट्टेबट्टाई	r, 4	1
133	Yellow-legged Buttonquail	<i>Turnix tanki</i>	पहेलोखुट्टे गट्टेबट्टाई	r, 2	1
134	Barred Buttonquail	<i>Turnix suscitator</i>	धर्के गट्टेबट्टाई	r, 2	1

Glareolidae



Little Pratincole by Chudamani Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
135	Indian Courser	<i>Cursorius coromandelicus</i>	गाजले धावक	r, 5	1
136	Oriental Pratincole	<i>Glareola maldivarum</i>	ठूलो पानीगौथली	s, 5	1
137	Little Pratincole	<i>Glareola lactea</i>	पानीगौथली	r, 2	1

Laridae



Pallas's Gull by Manshanta Ghimire

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
138	Brown-headed Gull	<i>Larus brunnicephalus</i>	खैरोटाउके गङ्गाचील	w, 3	1
139	Pallas's Gull	<i>Larus ichthyaetus</i>	राजा गङ्गाचील	w, 3	1
140	Little Tern	<i>Sternula albifrons</i>	लघु फ्यालफ्याले	s, 3	1
141	River Tern	<i>Sterna aurantia</i>	कुरारी फ्यालफ्याले	r, 4	1
142	Black-bellied Tern	<i>Sterna acuticauda</i>	उत्क्रोशी फ्यालफ्याले	r, 4	1

STRIGIFORMES



Eastern Grass Owl by Ma Carrie



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SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
143	Eastern Grass-owl	<i>Tyto longimembris</i>	घाँसे लाटोकोसेरो	r, 5	1

Strigidae



Brown Hawk-owl by Hathan Chaudhary



Jungle Owlet by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri



Indian Scops-owl by Vikram Tiwari

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
144	Brown Hawk-owl	<i>Ninox scutulata</i>	कालपेचक	br, r, 2	1
145	Asian Barred Owlet	<i>Glaucidium cuculoides</i>	ठूलो डुन्डुल	r, 4	1
146	Jungle Owlet	<i>Glaucidium radiatum</i>	डुन्डुल	br, r, 1	1
147	Spotted Owlet	<i>Athene brama</i>	कोचलगाँडे लाटोकोसेरो	br, r, 1	1
148	Indian Scops-owl	<i>Otus bakkamoena</i>	उलूक	br, r, 3	1



Brown Fish-owl by Chudamani Chaudhary



Spot-bellied Eagle-owl by Amrit Poudel



Dusky Eagle-owl by Vikram Tiwari

149	Oriental Scops-owl	<i>Otus sunia</i>	लोखर्के उलूक	br, r, 2	1
150	Rock Eagle-owl	<i>Bubo bengalensis</i>	हाप्सिलो	r, 4	1
151	Spot-bellied Eagle-owl	<i>Bubo nipalensis</i>	महाकौशिक	r, 4	1
152	Dusky Eagle-owl	<i>Bubo coromandus</i>	भासोलूक	r, 4	1
153	Brown Fish-owl	<i>Ketupa zeylonensis</i>	मलाहा हुचील	br, r, 3	1

ACCIPITRIFORMES



Slender-billed Vulture by Hathan Chaudhary

Pandionidae



Osprey by Hathan Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
154	Osprey	<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>	मलाहा चील	w, 2	1

Accipitridae



Oriental Honey-buzzard by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri



Crested Serpent Eagle by Hemant Darai



White-rumped Vulture by Vikram Tiwari

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
155	Black-winged Kite	<i>Elanus caeruleus</i>	मुसे चील	r, 1	1
156	Oriental Honey-buzzard	<i>Pernis ptilorhynchus</i>	मधुहा	r, 1	1
157	Crested Serpent-eagle	<i>Spilornis cheela</i>	काकाकुल	r, 1	1
158	Short-toed Snake-eagle	<i>Circaetus gallicus</i>	सर्पहारी चील	w, 3	1
159	Egyptian Vulture	<i>Neophron percnopterus</i>	सेतो गिद्ध	r, 3	1
160	Red-headed Vulture	<i>Sarcogyps calvus</i>	सुन गिद्ध	r, 3	1
161	Himalayan Griffon	<i>Gyps himalayensis</i>	हिमाली गिद्ध	w, 1	1
162	White-rumped Vulture	<i>Gyps bengalensis</i>	डङ्गर गिद्ध	br, r, 2	1



Cinereous Vulture by Chudamani Chaudhary



Slender-billed Vulture by Ram Shahi



Changeable Hawk-eagle by Chudamani Chaudhary

163	Slender-billed Vulture	<i>Gyps tenuirostris</i>	सानो खैरो गिद्ध	br, r, 3	1
164	Griffon Vulture	<i>Gyps fulvus</i>	खैरो गिद्ध	M	1
165	Cinereous Vulture	<i>Aegypius monachus</i>	राजगिद्ध	w, 3	1
166	Mountain Hawk-eagle	<i>Nisaetus nipalensis</i>	पहाडी शदलचील	r, 4	1
167	Changeable Hawk-eagle	<i>Nisaetus cirrhatus</i>	शदलचील	r, 2	1
168	Rufous-bellied Eagle	<i>Lophotriorchis kienerii</i>	सेतोक्रण्टे चील	r, 5	1



Indian Spotted Eagle by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri



Steppe Eagle by Chudamani Chaudhary

169	Indian Spotted Eagle	<i>Clanga hastata</i>	लघु महाचील	r, 3	1
170	Greater Spotted Eagle	<i>Clanga clanga</i>	जीवाहार महाचील	w, 4	1
171	Tawny Eagle	<i>Aquila rapax</i>	राग महाचील	w, 4	1
172	Steppe Eagle	<i>Aquila nipalensis</i>	गोमायु महाचील	w, 3	1
173	Bonelli's Eagle	<i>Aquila fasciata</i>	मोरङ्गी चील	w, 4	1
174	Booted Eagle	<i>Hieraetus pennatus</i>	काँधचन्द्र चील	w, 3	1
175	Western Marsh-harrier	<i>Circus aeruginosus</i>	सिम भुइँचील	w, 3	1
176	Hen Harrier	<i>Circus cyaneus</i>	चल्लाचोर भुइँचील	w, 2	1
177	Pallid Harrier	<i>Circus macrourus</i>	श्वेत भुइँचील	w, 3	1
178	Pied Harrier	<i>Circus melanoleucos</i>	आब्लाक पेटाहा भुइँचील	w, 3	1
179	Montagu's Harrier	<i>Circus pygargus</i>	मोन्टागु भुइँचील	w, 4	1



Pallas's fish-eagle by Hemant Darai



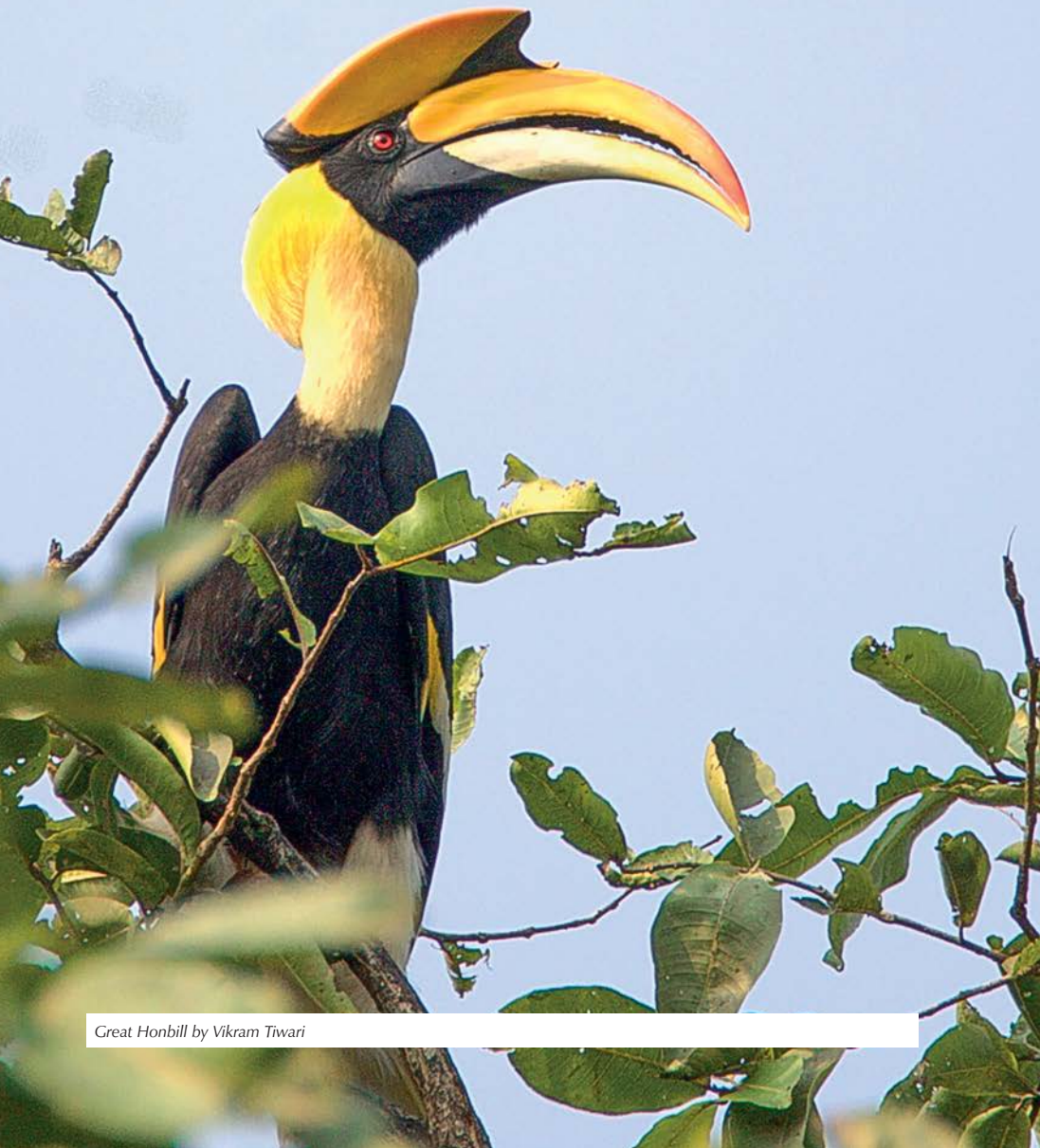
Grey-headed Fish-eagle by Chudamani Chaudhary



White-eyed Buzzard by Rajendra Gurung

180	Shikra	<i>Accipiter badius</i>	शिक्रा	r, 1	1
181	Besra	<i>Accipiter virgatus</i>	बेसरा	r, 3	1
182	Eurasian Sparrowhawk	<i>Accipiter nisus</i>	वनबाज	r, 2	1
183	Pallas's Fish-eagle	<i>Haliaeetus leucoryphus</i>	बोक्सी चील	w, 5	1
184	Lesser Fish-eagle	<i>Ichthyophaga humilis</i>	सानो माछाकुल	r, 5	1
185	Grey-headed Fish-eagle	<i>Ichthyophaga ichthyaetus</i>	माछाकुल	br, r, 2	1
186	Brahminy Kite	<i>Haliastur indus</i>	सेतोटाउके चील	r, 4	1
187	Black Kite	<i>Milvus migrans</i>	कालो चील	r, 1	1
188	White-eyed Buzzard	<i>Butastur teesa</i>	जमल श्येनबाज	br, r, 2	1
189	Himalayan Buzzard	<i>Buteo refectus</i>	श्येनबाज	r, 2	1
190	Long-legged Buzzard	<i>Buteo rufinus</i>	लामखुट्टे श्येनबाज	w, 3	1

BUCEROTIFORMES



Great Hornbill by Vikram Tiwari

Bucerotidae



Indian Grey Hornbill by Tek Gurung



Oriental Pied Hornbill by Chudamani Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
191	Great Hornbill	<i>Buceros bicornis</i>	राजधनेश	r, 4	1
192	Indian Grey Hornbill	<i>Ocyrceros birostris</i>	सानो धनेश	r, 1	1
193	Oriental Pied Hornbill	<i>Anthracoceros albirostris</i>	कालो धनेश	r, 2	1

Upupidae



Common Hoopoe by Chudamani Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
194	Common Hoopoe	<i>Upupa epops</i>	फाप्पे चरा	w, 2	1

CORACIIFORMES



Chestnut-headed bee-eater by Chudamani Chaudhary

Meropidae



Asian Green Bee-eater by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri



Blue-bearded bee-eater by Chudamani Chaudhary



Blue-tailed Bee-eater by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
195	Blue-bearded Bee-eater	<i>Nyctyornis athertoni</i>	मधुमक्षी भक्षका	r, 3	1
196	Asian Green Bee-eater	<i>Merops orientalis</i>	मुरलीचरा	br, r, 1	1
197	Chestnut-headed Bee-eater	<i>Merops leschenaulti</i>	कटुसटाउके मुरलीचरा	br, s, 2	1
198	Blue-tailed Bee-eater	<i>Merops philippinus</i>	नीलपुच्छे मुरलीचरा	br, s, 2	1

Coraciidae



Indian Roller by Iyotendra Jyu Thakuri

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
199	Indian Roller	<i>Coracias benghalensis</i>	ठेउवा	br, r, 1	1
200	Oriental Dollarbird	<i>Eurystomus orientalis</i>	लालचुच्चे ठेउवा	s, 3	1

Alcedinidae



Common Kingfisher by Hemant Darai



Stork-billed Kingfisher by Hathan Chaudhary



White-breasted Kingfisher by Chudamani Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
201	Blue-eared Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo meninting</i>	नीलटाउके माटीकोरे	r, 4	1
202	Common Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo atthis</i>	सानो माटीकोरे	br, r, 1	1
203	Pied Kingfisher	<i>Ceryle rudis</i>	छिरबिरे माटीकोरे	br, r, 2	1
204	Crested Kingfisher	<i>Megaceryle lugubris</i>	ढूलो छिरबिरे माटीकोरे	w, 3	10
205	Stork-billed Kingfisher	<i>Pelargopsis capensis</i>	ढूलो माटीकोरे	br, r, 2	1
206	White-breasted Kingfisher	<i>Halcyon smyrnensis</i>	सेतोकाण्डे माटीकोरे	br, r, 1	1

PICIFORMES



Brown-headed Barbet by Manshanta Chimire

Megalaimidae



Coppersmith Barbet by Hathan Chaudhary



Blue-throated Barbet by Hathan Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
207	Coppersmith Barbet	<i>Psilopogon haemacephalus</i>	मिलचरा	br, r, 2	1
208	Lineated Barbet	<i>Psilopogon lineatus</i>	छिके कुथुके	r, 4	1
209	Brown-headed Barbet	<i>Psilopogon zeylanicus</i>	कुमछिके कुथुके	br, r, 1	1
210	Blue-throated Barbet	<i>Psilopogon asiaticus</i>	कुथुके	r, 3	1

Picidae



Eurasian Wryneck by Hathan Chaudhary



Black-rumped Flameback by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri



Rufous Woodpecker by Ram Shahi



Greater Yellownap by Hathan Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
211	Eurasian Wryneck	<i>Jynx torquilla</i>	खरलाहँचे	w, 2	1
212	Bay Woodpecker	<i>Blythipicus pyrrhotis</i>	तामे लाहँचे	w,	1
213	Greater Flameback	<i>Chrysocolaptes guttacristatus</i>	गर्दनथोप्ले लाहँचे	br, r, 1	1
214	White-naped Woodpecker	<i>Chrysocolaptes festivus</i>	सेतोगर्दने लाहँचे	r, 3	1
215	Himalayan Flameback	<i>Dinopium shorii</i>	तीनऔले लाहँचे	br, r, 2	1
216	Black-rumped Flameback	<i>Dinopium benghalense</i>	कालोढाडे लाहँचे	br, r, 2	1
217	Rufous Woodpecker	<i>Micropternus brachyurus</i>	सानो तामे लाहँचे	br, r, 3	1
218	Greater Yellownap	<i>Chrysophlegma flavinucha</i>	ठूलो सुनजुरे काठफोर	r, 2	1
219	Lesser Yellownap	<i>Picus chlorolophus</i>	सुनजुरे काठफोर	r, 2	1



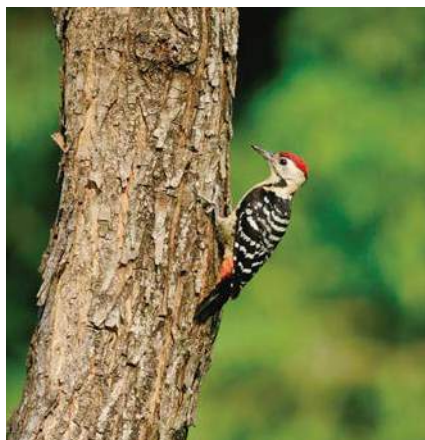
Streak-throated Woodpecker by Ram Shahi



Great Slaty Woodpecker by Hathan Chaudhary



Yellow-crowned Woodpecker by Hathan Chaudhary



Fulvous-breasted Woodpecker by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri

220	Streak-throated Woodpecker	<i>Picus xanthopygaeus</i>	कत्ले काठफोर	r, 2	1
221	Black-naped Woodpecker	<i>Picus guerini</i>	कालोगर्दने काठफोर	br, r, 1	1
222	Great Slaty Woodpecker	<i>Mulleripicus pulverulentus</i>	राजलाहॉचे	br, r, 3	1
223	Grey-capped Woodpecker	<i>Picoides canicapillus</i>	फुसोटाउके काष्ठकूट	r, 3	1
224	Indian Pygmy Woodpecker	<i>Picoides nanus</i>	पुन्दे काष्ठकूट	r, 1	1
225	Yellow-crowned Woodpecker	<i>Leiopicus mahrattensis</i>	पहेंलोटाउके काष्ठकूट	r, 3	1
226	Fulvous-breasted Woodpecker	<i>Dendrocopos macei</i>	काष्ठकूट	br, r, 2	1

CARIAMIFORMES



Red-necked Falcon by Hathan Chaudhary

Falconidae



Red-necked Falcon by Hathan Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
227	Collared Falconet	<i>Microhierax caerulescens</i>	पौरी बाज	r, 2	1
228	Lesser Kestrel	<i>Falco naumanni</i>	सानो बौडाइ	M	1
229	Common Kestrel	<i>Falco tinnunculus</i>	बौडाइ	r, 2	1
230	Red-necked Falcon	<i>Falco chicquera</i>	रातोटाउके बौडाइ	w, 3	1
231	Eurasian Hobby	<i>Falco subbuteo</i>	जुँगे चिरान्तक बाज	w, 3	1
232	Peregrine Falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>	शाही बाज	r, 2	1

PSITTACIFORMES



Alexandrine Parakeet by Ram Shahi

Psittacidae



Plum-headed Parakeet by Chudamani Chaudhary



Red-breasted Parakeet by Hathan Chaudhary



Rose-ringed Parakeet by Chudamani Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
233	Slaty-headed Parakeet	<i>Psittacula himalayana</i>	मदना सुगा	r, 3	1
234	Plum-headed Parakeet	<i>Psittacula cyanocephala</i>	टुईसी सुगा	br, r, 1	1
235	Red-breasted Parakeet	<i>Psittacula alexandri</i>	कागभेला सुगा	br, r, 2	1
236	Alexandrine Parakeet	<i>Psittacula eupatria</i>	करा सुगा	br, r, 1	1
237	Rose-ringed Parakeet	<i>Psittacula krameri</i>	कण्ठे सुगा	br, r, 1	1

PASSERIFORMES



Oriental White-eye by Chudamani Chaudhary

Pittidae



Indian Pitta by Manshanta Ghimire



Western Hooded Pitta by Manshanta Ghimire

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
238	Indian Pitta	<i>Pitta brachyura</i>	गाजले पिट्टा	s, 2	1
239	Western Hooded Pitta	<i>Pitta sordida</i>	चित्रक पिट्टा	s, 3	3

Oriolidae



Black-hooded Oriole by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri



Indian Golden Oriole by Hathan Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
240	Black-hooded Oriole	<i>Oriolus xanthornus</i>	कालोटाउके सुनचरी	br, 4, 1	1
241	Indian Golden Oriole	<i>Oriolus kundoo</i>	गाजले सुनचरी	br, s, 2	1
242	Maroon Oriole	<i>Prunella immaculata</i>	घनरक्त सुनचरी	w, 4	10



White-bellied Erpornis by Jyoti Rani Ahlawat

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
243	White-bellied Erpornis	<i>Erpornis zantholeuca</i>	सेतोपेटे जुरेचरा	r, 3	1

Campephagidae



Large Cuckooshrike by Tejab Pun



Scarlet Minivet by Hathan Chaudhary



Black-winged Cuckooshrike by Amrit Poudel

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
244	Small Minivet	<i>Pericrocotus cinnamomeus</i>	सानो रानीचरी	r, 1	1
245	Long-tailed Minivet	<i>Pericrocotus ethologus</i>	लामपुछे रानीचरी	r, 3	1
246	Scarlet Minivet	<i>Pericrocotus flammeus</i>	रानीचरी	r, 1	1
247	Rosy Minivet	<i>Pericrocotus roseus</i>	गुलाफी रानीचरी	r, 3	1
248	Large Cuckooshrike	<i>Coracina macei</i>	लटुशक विरहीचरी	r, 1	1
249	Black-winged Cuckooshrike	<i>Lalage melaschistos</i>	कालो विरहीचरी	r, 2	1
250	Black-headed Cuckooshrike	<i>Lalage melanoptera</i>	कालोटाउके विरहीचरी	r, 3	1

Artamidae



Ashy Woodswallow by Chudamani Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
251	Ashy Woodswallow	<i>Artamus fuscus</i>	भिथुन	r, 2	1

Vangidae



Common Woodshrike by Chudamani Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
252	Bar-winged Flycatcher-shrike	<i>Hemipus picatus</i>	आसकोटे चरी	r, 1	1
253	Large Woodshrike	<i>Tephrodornis virgatus</i>	ठूलो टेस्था	r, 2	1
254	Common Woodshrike	<i>Tephrodornis pondicerianus</i>	टेस्था	r, 1	1

Aegithinidae



Common Iora by Shukaram Mahato

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
255	Common Iora	<i>Aegithina tiphia</i>	सुसेलीचरी	r, 1	1

Rhipiduridae



White-browed Fantail by Aditya Pal



White-throated Fantail by Manshanta Chimire

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
256	White-browed Fantail	<i>Rhipidura aureola</i>	कुमथोप्ले मारुनीचरी	r, 2	1
257	White-throated Fantail	<i>Rhipidura albicollis</i>	नक्कले मारुनीचरी	br, r, 2	1

Dicruridae



Black Drongo by Ram Tharu



Ashy Drongo by Chudamani Chaudhary



Lesser Racket-tailed Drongo by Hari Basnet



Greater Racket-tailed Drongo by Tejab Pun

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
258	Black Drongo	<i>Dicrurus macrocercus</i>	कालो चिबे	br, r, 1	1
259	Ashy Drongo	<i>Dicrurus leucophaeus</i>	ध्वाँसे चिबे	r, 2	1
260	White-bellied Drongo	<i>Dicrurus caerulescens</i>	सेतोपेटे चिबे	r, 2	1
261	Bronzed Drongo	<i>Dicrurus aeneus</i>	सानो चिबे	r, 3	10
262	Crow-billed Drongo	<i>Dicrurus annectens</i>	कामठूँडे चिबे	s, 3	1
263	Lesser Racket-tailed Drongo	<i>Dicrurus remifer</i>	भुङ्गराज चिबे	r, 4	1
264	Hair-crested Drongo	<i>Dicrurus hottentottus</i>	केशराज चिबे	r, 1	1
265	Greater Racket-tailed Drongo	<i>Dicrurus paradiseus</i>	भीमराज चिबे	r, 1	1

Monarchidae



Black-naped Monarch by Vikram Tiwari



Indian Paradise-flycatcher by Vikram Tiwari

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
266	Black-naped Monarch	<i>Hypothymis azurea</i>	राजचरी	r, 2	1
267	Indian Paradise-flycatcher	<i>Terpsiphone paradisi</i>	स्वर्गचरी	br, s, 2	1

Laniidae



Brown Shrike by Hathan Chaudhary



Long-tailed Shrike by Hathan Chaudhary



Grey-backed Shrike by Hathan Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
268	Brown Shrike	<i>Lanius cristatus</i>	खैरो भद्राई	w, 2	1
269	Bay-backed Shrike	<i>Lanius vittatus</i>	चित्रक भद्राई	w, 4	1
270	Long-tailed Shrike	<i>Lanius schach</i>	भद्राई	r, 1	1
271	Grey-backed Shrike	<i>Lanius tephronotus</i>	हिमाली भद्राई	w, 2	1

Corvidae



House Crow by Tejab Pun



Rufous Treepie by Chudamani Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
272	Rufous Treepie	<i>Dendrocitta vagabunda</i>	कोकले	br, r, 1	1
273	Red-billed Blue Magpie	<i>Urocissa erythroryncha</i>	स्यालपोथरी लामपुच्छे	r, 2	1
274	House Crow	<i>Corvus splendens</i>	घर काग	r, 1	1
275	Large-billed Crow	<i>Corvus macrorhynchos</i>	कालो काग	r, 1	1

Stenostiridae



Yellow-bellied Fairy-fantail by Sudeep KC

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
276	Yellow-bellied Fairy-fantail	<i>Chelidorhynch hypoxanthus</i>	पहेँलो मारुनीचरी	w, 4	1
277	Grey-headed Canary-flycatcher	<i>Culicicapa ceylonensis</i>	चञ्चले अर्जुनक	w, 1	1

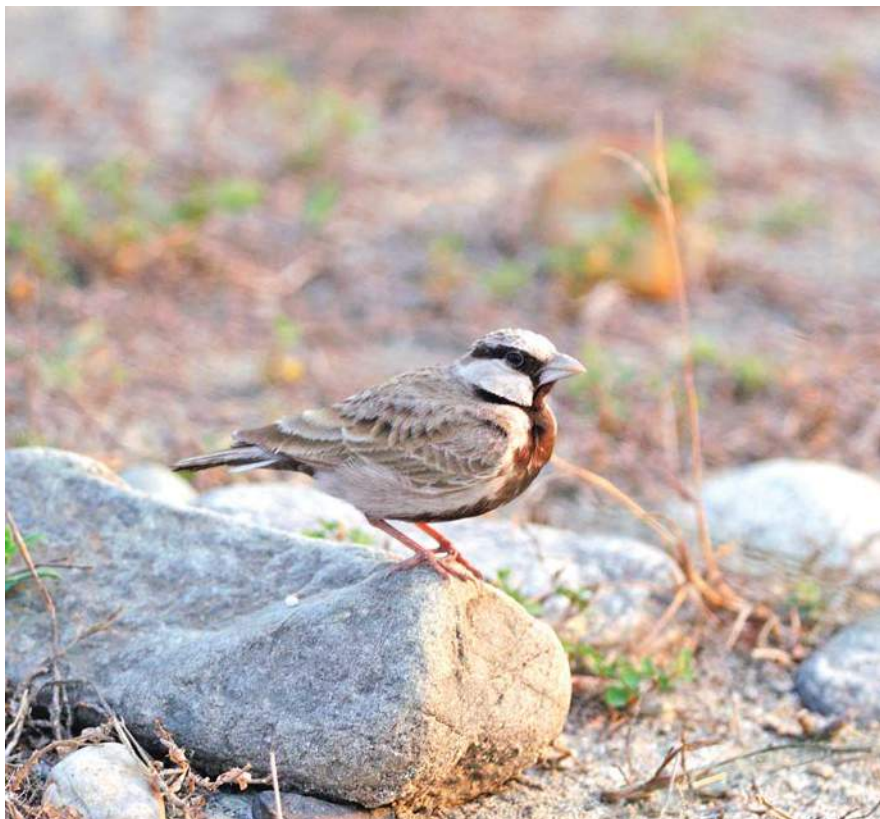
Paridae



Cinereous Tit by Chudamani Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
278	Fire-capped Tit	<i>Cephalopyrus flammiceps</i>	रक्तशिर चिचिल्कोटे	V	2
279	Cinereous Tit	<i>Parus cinereos</i>	चिचिल्कोटे	br, r, 1	1

Alaudidae



Ashy-crowned Sparrow-lark by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
280	Rufous-tailed Lark	<i>Ammomanes phoenicura</i>	अग्नि भारद्वाज	r, 5	1
281	Ashy-crowned Sparrow-lark	<i>Eremopterix griseus</i>	चश्मे भारद्वाज	r, 2	1
282	Horsfield's Bushlark	<i>Mirafra javanica</i>	गाइने भारद्वाज	s, 3	1
283	Bengal Bushlark	<i>Mirafra assamica</i>	भारद्वाज	r, 2	1
284	Sand Lark	<i>Alaudala raytal</i>	बगर भारद्वाज	r, 1	1
285	Eastern Short-toed Lark	<i>Calandrella dukhunensis</i>	वर्तिका भारद्वाज	w, 4	10
286	Oriental Skylark	<i>Alauda gulgula</i>	ब्राह्मीचटी	r, 2	1
287	Crested Lark	<i>Galerida cristata</i>	जुरे भारद्वाज	r, 3	1

Cisticolidae



Zitting Cisticola by Chudamani Chaudhary



Golden-headed Cisticola by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
288	Zitting Cisticola	<i>Cisticola juncidis</i>	फिर्फिरे	br, r, 1	1
289	Golden-headed Cisticola	<i>Cisticola exilis</i>	सुनटाउके फिर्फिरे	br, r, 1	1
290	Grey-breasted Prinia	<i>Prinia hodgsonii</i>	फुस्रोछाती घाँसेफिस्टो	br, r, 1	1



Graceful Prinia by Hathan Chaudhary



Yellow-bellied Prinia by Hathan Chaudhary



Ashy Prinia by Manshanta Chimire



Plain Prinia by Manshanta Chimire

291	Graceful Prinia	<i>Prinia gracilis</i>	काँसे घाँसेफिस्टो	r, 3	1
292	Jungle Prinia	<i>Prinia sylvatica</i>	जङ्गल घाँसेफिस्टो	r, 3	1
293	Yellow-bellied Prinia	<i>Prinia flaviventris</i>	पीतोदर घाँसेफिस्टो	r, 2	1
294	Ashy Prinia	<i>Prinia socialis</i>	टुणुक घाँसेफिस्टो	r, 2	1
295	Plain Prinia	<i>Prinia inornata</i>	झाँत्री घाँसेफिस्टो	r, 1	1
296	Common Tailorbird	<i>Orthotomus sutorius</i>	पातसिउने फिस्टो	br, r, 1	1

Acrocephalidae



Thick-billed Warbler by Kumar Mahato



Blyth's Reed-warbler by Hathan Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
297	Thick-billed Warbler	<i>Arundinax aedon</i>	मोटोहूँडे ट्याकट्याके	w, 2	1
298	Booted Warbler	<i>Iduna caligata</i>	मोटोखुट्टे फिस्टो	w, 4	1
299	Blyth's Reed-warbler	<i>Acrocephalus dumetorum</i>	ट्याकट्याके	w, 2	1
300	Paddyfield Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus agricola</i>	सानो ट्याकट्याके	w, 3	1
301	Clamorous Reed-warbler	<i>Acrocephalus stentoreus</i>	लामोहूँडे ट्याकट्याके	r, 2	1
302	Moustached Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus melanopogon</i>	जुँगै ट्याकट्याके	v	1

Locustellidae



Spotted Grasshopper-warbler by Chudamani Chaudhary



Striated Grassbird by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri



Bristled Grassbird by Hathan Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
303	Lanceolated Warbler	<i>Locustella lanceolata</i>	धर्के मुसेफिस्टो	V	1
304	Spotted Grasshopper-warbler	<i>Locustella thoracica</i>	थोप्ले झाडीफिस्टो	w, 3	1
305	Common Grasshopper-warbler	<i>Locustella naevia</i>	सादाकण्ठे मुसेफिस्टो	w, 4	1
306	Striated Grassbird	<i>Megalurus palustris</i>	नर्कट घाँसेचरी	r, 1	1
307	Bristled Grassbird	<i>Chaetornis striata</i>	काँसे घाँसेचरी	s, 2	1

Hirundinidae



Asian Plain Martin by Manshanta Ghimire

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
308	Asian House Martin	<i>Delichon dasypus</i>	एसियाली भीरगौँथली	w, 4	1
309	Nepal House Martin	<i>Delichon nipalense</i>	नेपाल भीरगौँथली	w, 3	1
310	Northern House Martin	<i>Delichon urbicum</i>	भीरगौँथली	w, 4	1
311	Streak-throated Swallow	<i>Petrochelidon fluvicola</i>	छिकेँ गौँथली	w, 5	1
312	Barn Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>	घर गौँथली	r, 1	1
313	Red-rumped Swallow	<i>Cecropis daurica</i>	गेरुकटी गौँथली	r, 1	1
314	Asian Plain Martin	<i>Riparia chinensis</i>	भित्तेगौँथली	br, r, 1	1
315	Collared Sand Martin	<i>Riparia riparia</i>	गलाहारी भित्तेगौँथली	r, 4	1
316	Pale Sand Martin	<i>Riparia diluta</i>	सेतोकुण्डे भित्तेगौँथली	w, 5	1

Pycnonotidae



Red-whiskered Bulbul by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri



Black-crested Bulbul by Vikram Tiwari



Red-vented Bulbul by Chudamani Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
317	Black Bulbul	<i>Hypsipetes leucocephalus</i>	बाख्रे जुरेली	r, 2	1
318	Black-crested Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus flaviventris</i>	कालो कल्की पहेलो जुरेली	r, 3	1
319	Red-whiskered Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus jocosus</i>	श्वेतवक्ष जुरेली	br, r, 1	1
320	Himalayan Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus leucogenys</i>	जुल्फे जुरेली	r, 3	1
321	Red-vented Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus cafer</i>	जुरेली	br, r, 1	1

Phylloscopidae



Dusky Warbler by Hathan Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
322	Yellow-browed Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus inornatus</i>	हरित फिस्टो	w, 3	1
323	Hume's Leaf-warbler	<i>Phylloscopus humei</i>	चञ्चले फिस्टो	w, 1	1
324	Lemon-rumped Leaf-warbler	<i>Phylloscopus chloronotus</i>	पीतकटी फिस्टो	w, 3	1
325	Dusky Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus fuscatus</i>	गोधूलि फिस्टो	w, 2	1



Smoky Warbler by Hathan Chaudhary



Whistler's Warbler by Hathan Chaudhary

326	Smoky Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus fuligiventer</i>	ध्वाँसे फिस्टो	w, 2	1
327	Siberian Chiffchaff	<i>Phylloscopus tristis</i>	चिपूचिपे फिस्टो	w, 2	1
328	Sulphur-bellied Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus griseolus</i>	पीतोदर डुङ्गोफिस्टो	w, 4	1
329	Tickell's Leaf-warbler	<i>Phylloscopus affinis</i>	पीतोदर फिस्टो	w, 2	1
330	Green-crowned Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus burkii</i>	सुनचश्मे फिस्टो	w, 3	1
331	Chestnut-crowned Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus castaniceps</i>	रातोटाउके फिस्टो	w, 3	10
332	Whistler's Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus whistleri</i>	सुसेली फिस्टो	w, 3	1
333	Greenish Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus trochiloides</i>	जीवल फिस्टो	w, 1	1



Blyth's Leaf-warbler by Kumar Mahato



Grey-hooded Warbler by Hathan Chaudhary

334	Large-billed Leaf-warbler	<i>Phylloscopus magnirostris</i>	ढूलोटूडे फिस्टो	M	1
335	Blyth's Leaf-warbler	<i>Phylloscopus reguloides</i>	तालुधर्के फिस्टो	w, 1	1
336	Western Crowned Leaf-warbler	<i>Phylloscopus occipitalis</i>	ढूलो तालुधर्के फिस्टो	w, 3	1
337	Grey-hooded Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus xanthoschistos</i>	तुमुलकारी फिस्टो	w, 3	1
338	Grey-bellied Tesia	<i>Tesia cyaniventer</i>	फुस्रोपेट विसिया	w, 3	1
339	Chestnut-crowned Bush-warbler	<i>Cettia major</i>	ढूलो रातोटाउके झाडीफिस्टो	w, 2	1



Aberrant Bush-warbler by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri

340	Grey-sided Bush-warbler	<i>Cettia brunnifrons</i>	रातोटाउके झाडीफिस्टो	w, 2	1
341	Pale-footed Bush-warbler	<i>Hemitesia pallidipes</i>	घेघरी झाडीफिस्टो	r, 5	1
342	Aberrant Bush-warbler	<i>Horornis flavolivaceus</i>	पीतहरित झाडीफिस्टो	w, 2	1

Sylviidae



Yellow-eyed Babbler by Chudamani Chaudhary



Jerdon's Babbler by Narayan Rijal

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
343	Lesser Whitethroat	<i>Sylvia curruca</i>	श्वेतकण्ठ फिस्टो	w, 4	1
344	Eastern Orphean Warbler	<i>Sylvia crassirostris</i>	ठूलो श्वेतकण्ठ फिस्टो	v	1
345	Yellow-eyed Babbler	<i>Chrysomma sinense</i>	तामे घाँसेभ्याकुर	r, 1	1
346	Jerdon's Babbler	<i>Chrysomma altirostre</i>	नर्कट भ्याकुर	r, 4	1

Zosteropidae



Oriental White-eye by Hari Basnet

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
347	Oriental White-eye	<i>Zosterops palpebrosus</i>	काँकीर	r, 1	1

Timaliidae



Tawny-bellied Babbler by Hathan Chaudhary



Chestnut-capped Babbler by Vikram Tiwari

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
348	Tawny-bellied Babbler	<i>Dumetia hypertyra</i>	कैलो घाँसेभ्याकुर	r, 3	1
349	Chestnut-capped Babbler	<i>Timalia pileata</i>	रातोटाउके घाँसेभ्याकुर	br, r, 1	1
350	Pin-striped Tit-babbler	<i>Mixornis gularis</i>	पीतोदर फिस्टेभ्याकुर	br, r, 2	1

Pellorneidae



Puff-throated Babbler by Chudamani Chaudhary



Indian Grass-babbler by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
351	Puff-throated Babbler	<i>Pellorneum ruficeps</i>	थोप्ले ब्याकुर	r, 2	1
352	Indian Grass-babbler	<i>Graminicola bengalensis</i>	घाँसेचरी	br, r, 2	1

Leiotrichidae



Striated Babbler by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri



Jungle Babbler by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
353	Striated Babbler	<i>Argya earlei</i>	खर भ्याकुर	r, 1	1
354	Common Babbler	<i>Argya caudata</i>	कुरुवाहुक भ्याकुर	r, 4	1
355	Jungle Babbler	<i>Turdoides striata</i>	बगाले भ्याकुर	r, 1	1
356	Large Grey Babbler	<i>Argya malcolmi</i>	ठूलो बगाले भ्याकुर	r, 4	9



Bar-tailed Treecreeper by Mohit

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
357	Bar-tailed Treecreeper	<i>Certhia himalayana</i>	पुच्छरपाटे छेपारेचरी	w, 4	9

Sittidae



Chestnut-bellied Nuthatch by Chudamani Chaudhary



Velvet-fronted Nuthatch by Chudamani Chaudhary



Wallcreeper by Vikram Tiwari

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
358	Chestnut-bellied Nuthatch	<i>Sitta cinnamoventris</i>	कटुसे मट्टा	br, r, 1	1
359	Velvet-fronted Nuthatch	<i>Sitta frontalis</i>	मखमली मट्टा	br, r, 2	1
360	Wallcreeper	<i>Tichodroma muraria</i>	मुरारी पुतलीचरा	w, 4	8

Sturnidae



Asian Pied Starling by Hathan Chaudhary



Brahminy Starling by Tek Gurung



Chestnut-tailed Starling by Hathan Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
361	Common Starling	<i>Sturnus vulgaris</i>	कालो सारौँ	w, 3	1
362	Asian Pied Starling	<i>Gracupica contra</i>	डाङ्ग्रे सारौँ	br, r, 1	1
363	Brahminy Starling	<i>Sturnia pagodarum</i>	जुरे सारौँ	r, 3	1
364	Chestnut-tailed Starling	<i>Sturnia malabarica</i>	फुस्रोटाउके सारौँ	r, 1	1



Common Myna by Chudamani Chaudhary



Bank Myna by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri

365	Common Myna	<i>Acridotheres tristis</i>	डाइग्रे रूपी	br, r, 1	1
366	Bank Myna	<i>Acridotheres ginginianus</i>	भीठ रूपी	br, r, 2	1
367	Jungle Myna	<i>Acridotheres fuscus</i>	वन रूपी	r, 1	1
368	Spot-winged Starling	<i>Saroglossa spilopterus</i>	कटुसकण्ठे सारौँ	w, 3	1
369	Common Hill Myna	<i>Gracula religiosa</i>	मदनसारिका मैना	br, r, 2	1

Turdidae



Scaly Thrush by Hathan Chaudhary



Orange-headed Thrush by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri



Black-throated Thrush by Hathan Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
370	Dark-sided Thrush	<i>Zoothera marginata</i>	लामोठूँडे सानो चाँचर	w, 4	8
371	Scaly Thrush	<i>Zoothera dauma</i>	गोब्रे चाँचर	w, 3	1
372	Orange-headed Thrush	<i>Geokichla citrina</i>	सुन्तले चाँचर	s, 2	1
373	Tickell's Thrush	<i>Turdus unicolor</i>	फुस्रे चाँचर	w, 3	1
374	Black-throated Thrush	<i>Turdus atrogularis</i>	कालोकण्ठे चाँचर	w, 2	1

Muscicapidae



Oriental Magpie-robin by Hathan Chaudhary



Indian Robin by Ram Shahi



White-rumped Shama by Chudamani Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
375	Oriental Magpie-robin	<i>Copsychus saularis</i>	धोबिनी चरा	br, r, 1	1
376	Indian Robin	<i>Saxicoloides fulicatus</i>	देवी श्यामा	br, r, 3	1
377	White-rumped Shama	<i>Kittacincla malabarica</i>	श्यामा	r, 2	1
378	Small Niltava	<i>Niltava macgrigorae</i>	सानो नीलतभा	w, 4	10
379	Asian Brown Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa dauurica</i>	धूसर अर्जुनक	s, 4	1



Tickell's Blue-flycatcher by Ram Shahi



Bluethroat by Hathan Chaudhary



Siberian Rubythroat by Hathan Chaudhary



Himalayan Rubythroat by Hathan Chaudhary

380	Dark Sided Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa sibirica</i>	ध्वाँसे अर्जुनक	M, 4	1
381	Verditer Flycatcher	<i>Eumyias thalassinus</i>	नीलतुथो अर्जुनक	w, 2	1
382	Pale-chinned Flycatcher	<i>Cyornis poliogenys</i>	नौनीकण्ठे अर्जुनक	r, 2	1
383	Tickell's Blue-flycatcher	<i>Cyornis tickelliae</i>	नीलो अर्जुनक	r, 4	1
384	Blue-throated Blue-flycatcher	<i>Cyornis rubeculoides</i>	नीलकण्ठे अर्जुनक	M	1
385	Bluethroat	<i>Cyanecula svecica</i>	भूमिचर नीलकण्ठ	w, 2	1
386	Siberian Rubythroat	<i>Calliope calliope</i>	साइबेरियाली र तोकण्ठ	w, 2	1
387	Himalayan Rubythroat	<i>Calliope pectoralis</i>	हिमाली रातोकण्ठ	w, 2	1



Slaty-blue Flycatcher by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri

388	Black-backed Forktail	<i>Enicurus immaculatus</i>	कालोढाडे खोलेधोबिनी	r, 3	1
389	Blue Whistling-thrush	<i>Myophonus caeruleus</i>	कल्चौडे	r, 3	1
390	Slaty-blue Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula tricolor</i>	टिकटिके अर्जुनक	w, 2	1
391	Snowy-browed Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula hyperythra</i>	सेतोआँखीभौ अर्जुनक	w, 3	1
392	Rufous-gorgeted Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula strophia</i>	सेतोटिके अर्जुनक	w, 3	1
393	Ultramarine Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula superciliaris</i>	नीलश्वेत अर्जुनक	w, 4	1
394	Little Pied Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula westermanni</i>	श्यामश्वेत अर्जुनक	w, 3	1
395	Rusty-tailed Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula ruficauda</i>	कैलोपुच्छे अर्जुनक	w, 4	1



Red-throated Flycatcher by Hathan Chaudhary



Red-breasted Flycatcher by Manshanta Chimire

396	Red-throated Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula albicilla</i>	लालकण्ठे अर्जुनक	w, 1	1
397	Red-breasted Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula parva</i>	लालवक्ष अर्जुनक	w, 4	1
398	Blue-capped Redstart	<i>Phoenicurus coeruleocephala</i>	धोबिनी खज्जरी	w, 4	10
399	White-capped Water-redstart	<i>Phoenicurus leucocephalus</i>	सेतोटाउके जलखज्जरी	r, 3	1
400	Black Redstart	<i>Phoenicurus ochruros</i>	ध्याप्ची खज्जरी	w, 3	1



Blue-capped Rock-thrush by Tek Gurung



Blue Rock-thrush by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri

401	Plumbeous Water Redstart	<i>Phoenicurus fuliginosus</i>	नीलाम्बर जलखञ्जरी	r, 3	9
402	Blue-capped Rock-thrush	<i>Monticola cinclorhyncha</i>	सानो हजारो चाँचर	s, 4	1
403	Blue Rock-thrush	<i>Monticola solitarius</i>	उमा चाँचर	w, 3	1



Jerdon's Bushchat by Vikram Tiwari



Grey Bushchat by Chudamani Chaudhary



White-throated Bushchat by Dhiraj Chaudhary

404	Jerdon's Bushchat	<i>Saxicola jerdoni</i>	नर्कट इयाप्सी	br, r, 4	1
405	Grey Bushchat	<i>Saxicola ferreus</i>	हिमाली इयाप्सी	w, 2	1
406	White-throated Bushchat	<i>Saxicola insignis</i>	सेतोक्रण्टे थिप्सी	w, 4	1
407	Pied Bushchat	<i>Saxicola caprata</i>	काले इयाप्सी	br, r, 1	1



Pied Bushchat by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri



White-tailed Stonechat by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri



Common Stonechat by Ram Shahi

408	White-tailed Stonechat	<i>Saxicola leucurus</i>	काँसे इयाप्सी	br, r, 2	1
409	Common Stonechat	<i>Saxicola torquatus</i>	झेकझेक इयाप्सी	br, r, 1	1
410	Variable Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe picata</i>	बहुरूपी भुईँरबिन	w, 4	1
411	Isabelline Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe isabellina</i>	फुस्रो भुईँरबिन	w, 4	9
412	Brown Rockchat	<i>Cercomela fusca</i>	कैलो रबिन	w, 3	7

Chloropseidae



Golden-fronted Leafbird by Narayan Rijal

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
413	Golden-fronted Leafbird	<i>Chloropsis aurifrons</i>	कृष्णकण्ठे हरितचरी	r, 2	1

Dicaeidae



Plain Flowerpecker by Aditya Pal



Pale-billed Flowerpecker by Aditya Pal

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
414	Thick-billed Flowerpecker	<i>Dicaeum agile</i>	मोटोठुँडे पुष्पकोकिल	r, 3	1
415	Plain Flowerpecker	<i>Dicaeum minullum</i>	समरूप पुष्पकोकिल	r, 3	10
416	Pale-billed Flowerpecker	<i>Dicaeum erythrorhynchos</i>	रातोठुँडे पुष्पकोकिल	r, 1	1

Nectariniidae



Streaked Spiderhunter by Sudeep KC



Purple Sunbird by Chudamani Chaudhary



Crimson Sunbird by Chudamani Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
417	Streaked Spiderhunter	<i>Arachnothera magna</i>	ढूलो माकुरीचरी	r, 4	1
418	Purple Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris asiaticus</i>	कालोबुङ्गेचरा	br, r, 1	1
419	Green-tailed Sunbird	<i>Aethopyga nipalensis</i>	नेपाल बुङ्गेचरा	w, 4	1
420	Crimson Sunbird	<i>Aethopyga siparaja</i>	सिपराजा बुङ्गेचरा	r, 2	1

Ploceidae



Black-breasted Weaver by Hathan Chaudhary



Baya Weaver by Chudamani Chaudhary



Finn's Weaver by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
421	Black-breasted Weaver	<i>Ploceus benghalensis</i>	छातीकाले तोपचरा	br, r, 1	1
422	Streaked Weaver	<i>Ploceus manyar</i>	धर्के तोपचरा	w, 4	1
423	Baya Weaver	<i>Ploceus philippinus</i>	बया तोपचरा	br, r, 1	1
424	Finn's Weaver	<i>Ploceus megarhynchus</i>	सुनैलो तोपचरा	br, r, 3	1

Estrildidae



Red Avadavat by Aditya Pal



Scaly-breasted Munia by Hari Basnet

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
425	Red Avadavat	<i>Amandava amandava</i>	रातो मुनियाँ	r, 1	1
426	Scaly-breasted Munia	<i>Lonchura punctulata</i>	कोटेरो मुनियाँ	br, r, 1	1
427	Tricoloured Munia	<i>Lonchura malacca</i>	कालोटाउके मुनियाँ	br, r, 2	1



Chestnut-shouldered Bush-sparrow by Chudamani Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
428	House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>	घर भँगेरा	br, r, 1	1
429	Eurasian Tree Sparrow	<i>Passer montanus</i>	रुख भँगेरा	r, 4	1
430	Chestnut-shouldered Bush-sparrow	<i>Gymnoris xanthocollis</i>	पीतकण्ठे भँगेरा	br, r, 2	1

Motacillidae



Olive-backed Pipit by Hathan Chaudhary



Richard's Pipit by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri



Paddyfield Pipit by Hathan Chaudhary



Blyth's Pipit by Hathan Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
431	Tree Pipit	<i>Anthus trivialis</i>	बगाले चुइयाँ	w, 3	1
432	Olive-backed Pipit	<i>Anthus hodgsoni</i>	रुख चुइयाँ	w, 1	1
433	Red-throated Pipit	<i>Anthus cervinus</i>	लालकण्ठे चुइयाँ	w, 4	1
434	Rosy Pipit	<i>Anthus roseatus</i>	गुलाफीकण्ठे चुइयाँ	w, 2	1
435	Richard's Pipit	<i>Anthus richardi</i>	हिउँदे चुइयाँ	w, 2	1
436	Paddyfield Pipit	<i>Anthus rufulus</i>	आली चुइयाँ	r, 1	1
437	Blyth's Pipit	<i>Anthus godlewskii</i>	छोटोटुँडे चुइयाँ	w, 3	1



Grey Wagtail by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri



Citrine Wagtail by Hathan Chaudhary



White Wagtail by Jyotendra Jyu Thakuri

438	Long-billed Pipit	<i>Anthus similis</i>	लामोदूँडे चुइयाँ	w, 3	1
439	Tawny Pipit	<i>Anthus campestris</i>	धूलिका चुइयाँ	w, 4	1
440	Western Yellow Wagtail	<i>Motacilla flava</i>	पहेलो टिकटिके	M	1
441	Grey Wagtail	<i>Motacilla cinerea</i>	फुस्रो टिकटिके	w, 3	1
442	Citrine Wagtail	<i>Motacilla citreola</i>	बेसारे टिकटिके	w, 2	1
443	White-browed Wagtail	<i>Motacilla maderaspatensis</i>	खोले टिकटिके	r, 2	1
444	White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>	सेतो टिकटिके	w, 1	1

Fringillidae



Common Rosefinch by Tejab Pun



Yellow-breasted Greenfinch by Tejab Pun

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
445	Common Rosefinch	<i>Carpodacus erythrinus</i>	अमोँगा तितु	w, 2	1
446	Yellow-breasted Greenfinch	<i>Chloris spinoides</i>	गाजले पीतचरी	w, 3	1

Emberizidae



Chestnut-eared Bunting by Hathan Chaudhary



Crested Bunting by Aditya Pal



Yellow-breasted Bunting by Hathan Chaudhary

SN	English Name	Scientific Name	नेपाली नाम	Status	Ref.
447	Crested Bunting	<i>Emberiza lathami</i>	जुरे बगेडी	w, 2	1
448	Chestnut-eared Bunting	<i>Emberiza fucata</i>	कानकैले बगेडी	w, 4	1
449	Yellow-breasted Bunting	<i>Emberiza aureola</i>	बगाले बगेडी	w, 2	1
450	Grey-necked Bunting	<i>Emberiza buchanani</i>	फुसेकण्ठे बगेडी	v	5



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Being a government authority, Shuklaphanta National Park aims for the conservation and management of ecosystem, biodiversity and wildlife habitat. It works for wildlife crime control, tourism promotion and development, research and monitoring, and livelihood supports of the local people.

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