

LIST OF BIRD SPECIES RECORDED AT ARIDE ISLAND NATURE RESERVE

KEY TO STATUS	
BREEDS AT ARIDE	
ANNUAL VISITOR TO SEYCHELLES	
VAGRANT TO SEYCHELLES	
BREEDS ELSEWHERE IN SEYCHELLES	
INVASIVE SPECIES NO LONGER PRESENT AT ARIDE	
Common Quail	<i>Coturnix coturnix</i>
Garganey	<i>Anas querquedula</i>
Northern Shoveler	<i>Anas clypeata</i>
Northern Pintail	<i>Anas acuta</i>
Red-billed Tropicbird	<i>Phaethon aethereus</i>
Red-tailed Tropicbird	<i>Phaethon rubricauda</i>
White-tailed Tropicbird	<i>Phaethon lepturus</i>
European Turtle Dove	<i>Streptopelia turtur</i>
Madagascar Turtle Dove	<i>Streptopelia picturata</i>
Zebra Dove	<i>Geopelia striata</i>
Namaqua Dove	<i>Oena capensis</i>
Seychelles Blue Pigeon	<i>Alectroenas pulcherrimus</i>
Eurasian Nightjar	<i>Caprimulgus europaeus</i>
White-throated Needletail	<i>Hirundapus caudacutus</i>
Seychelles Swiftlet	<i>Aerodramus elaphrus</i>

Little Swift	<i>Apus affinis</i>
Jacobin Cuckoo	<i>Clamator jacobinus</i>
Common Cuckoo	<i>Cuculus canorus</i>
Lesser Cuckoo	<i>Cuculus poliocephalus</i>
Corncrake	<i>Crex crex</i>
Common Moorhen	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>
Wedge-tailed Shearwater	<i>Ardenna pacificus</i>
Tropical Shearwater	<i>Puffinus bailloni</i>
Eurasian Spoonbill	<i>Platalea leucorodia</i>
Glossy Ibis	<i>Plegadis falcinellus</i>
Eurasian Bittern	<i>Botaurus stellaris</i>
Yellow Bittern	<i>Ixobrychus sinensis</i>
Cinnamon Bittern	<i>Ixobrychus cinnamomeus</i>
Black-crowned Night Heron	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>
Striated Heron	<i>Butorides striata</i>
Indian Pond Heron	<i>Ardeola grayii</i>
Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>
Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>
Purple Heron	<i>Ardea purpurea</i>
Lesser Frigatebird	<i>Fregata ariel</i>
Greater Frigatebird	<i>Fregata minor</i>
Red-footed Booby	<i>Sula sula</i>
Brown Booby	<i>Sula leucogaster</i>
Masked Booby	<i>Sula dactylatra</i>
Eurasian Oystercatcher	<i>Haematopus ostralegus</i>

Grey Plover	<i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>
Pacific Golden Plover	<i>Pluvialis fulva</i>
Common Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius hiaticula</i>
Little Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius dubius</i>
Lesser Sand Plover	<i>Charadrius mongolus</i>
Greater Sand Plover	<i>Charadrius leschenaultii</i>
Whimbrel	<i>Numenius phaeopus</i>
Eurasian Curlew	<i>Numenius arquata</i>
Bar-tailed Godwit	<i>Limosa lapponica</i>
Black-tailed Godwit	<i>Limosa limosa</i>
Ruddy Turnstone	<i>Arenaria interpres</i>
Ruff	<i>Philomachus pugnax</i>
Curlew Sandpiper	<i>Calidris ferruginea</i>
Sanderling	<i>Calidris alba</i>
Little Stint	<i>Calidris minuta</i>
Common Snipe	<i>Gallinago gallinago</i>
Terek Sandpiper	<i>Xenus cinereus</i>
Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>
Common Greenshank	<i>Tringa nebularia</i>
Wood Sandpiper	<i>Tringa glareola</i>
Crab-plover	<i>Dromas ardeola</i>
Brown Noddy	<i>Anous stolidus</i>
Lesser Noddy	<i>Anous tenuirostris</i>
Fairy Tern	<i>Gygis alba</i>
Sooty Gull	<i>Ichthyaetus hemprichii</i>

Lesser Black-backed Gull	<i>Larus fuscus</i>
Sooty Tern	<i>Onychoprion fuscatus</i>
Bridled Tern	<i>Onychoprion anaethetus</i>
Saunders's Tern	<i>Sternula saundersi</i>
Gull-billed Tern	<i>Gelochelidon nilotica</i>
White-winged Black Tern	<i>Chlidonias leucopterus</i>
Roseate Tern	<i>Sterna dougallii</i>
Black-naped Tern	<i>Sterna sumatrana</i>
Common Tern	<i>Sterna hirundo</i>
White-cheeked Tern	<i>Sterna repressa</i>
Lesser Crested Tern	<i>Thalasseus bengalensis</i>
Greater Crested Tern	<i>Thalasseus bergii</i>
Arctic Skua	<i>Stercorarius parasiticus</i>
South Polar Skua	<i>Stercorarius maccormicki</i>
Subantarctic Skua	<i>Stercorarius antarctica</i>
Barn Owl	<i>Tyto alba</i>
Eurasian Scops Owl	<i>Otus scops</i>
Blue-cheeked Bee-eater	<i>Merops persicus</i>
European Roller	<i>Coracias garrulus</i>
Red-footed Falcon	<i>Falco vespertinus</i>
Amur Falcon	<i>Falco amurensis</i>
Eleonora's Falcon	<i>Falco eleonora</i>
Sooty Falcon	<i>Falco concolor</i>
Eurasian Hobby	<i>Falco subbuteo</i>
Saker Falcon	<i>Falco cherrug</i>

Eurasian Golden Oriole	<i>Oriolus oriolus</i>
Woodchat Shrike	<i>Lanius senator</i>
House Crow	<i>Corvus splendens</i>
Icterine Warbler	<i>Hippolais icterina</i>
Seychelles Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus sechellensis</i>
Barn Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>
Sand Martin	<i>Riparia riparia</i>
Blackcap	<i>Sylvia atricapilla</i>
Common Myna	<i>Acridotheres tristis</i>
Seychelles Magpie-robin	<i>Copsychus sechellarum</i>
Spotted Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa striata</i>
Common Redstart	<i>Phoenicurus phoenicurus</i>
Northern Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe oenanthe</i>
Seychelles Sunbird	<i>Nectarinia dussumieri</i>
Madagascar Fody	<i>Foudia madagascariensis</i>
Seychelles Fody	<i>Foudia sechellarum</i>
House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>
Tree Pipit	<i>Anthus trivialis</i>
Western Yellow Wagtail	<i>Motacilla flava</i>
White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>
Common Rosefinch	<i>Carpodacus erythrinus</i>
Ortolan Bunting	<i>Emberiza hortulana</i>