



Furneaux Islands

Bird checklist

This checklist is designed to be used in conjunction with a field guide.

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| T | = | Tasmanian Endemic |
| M | = | Migratory |
| U | = | Uncommon |

Seabirds

| | |
|--------------------------|----|
| Little penguin | |
| Wandering albatross | U |
| Blacked-browed albatross | |
| Shy albatross | |
| Fairy prion | |
| Short-tailed shearwater | |
| White-faced storm-petrel | |
| Common diving-petrel | |
| Australian pelican | |
| Australasian gannet | |
| Arctic jaeger | MU |

Shore, estuary and lagoon birds

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|------------------------|---|
| Hoary-headed grebe | U |
| Australasian grebe | U |
| Great cormorant | |
| Little-black cormorant | |
| Little-pied cormorant | |
| Black-faced cormorant | |
| White-faced heron | |
| Great egret | U |
| Cattle egret | M |
| Little egret | U |
| Australasian bittern | |
| Black swan | |
| Cape Barren goose | |
| Australian shelduck | |
| Pacific black duck | |
| Grey teal | |
| Chestnut teal | |
| Australasian shoveler | U |
| Hardhead | U |
| Blue-billed duck | U |
| Musk duck | |
| Maned duck | U |
| Lewin's rail | U |

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|------------------------|----|
| Dusky moorhen | U |
| Purple swamphen | |
| Eurasian coot | |
| Australian crake | |
| Pied oystercatcher | |
| Sooty oystercatcher | |
| Double-banded plover | M |
| Red-capped (dotterel) | |
| Hooded plover | |
| Lesser golden plover | MU |
| Masked lapwing | |
| Banded lapwing | |
| Ruddy turnstone | M |
| Eastern curlew | M |
| Whimbrel | M |
| Greenshank | M |
| Sanderling | MU |
| Sharp-tailed sandpiper | M |
| Pectoral sandpiper | M |
| Curlew-sandpiper | M |
| Grey-tailed tattler | MU |
| Red knot | M |
| Bar-tailed godwit | MU |
| Latham's snipe | MU |
| Red-necked stint | M |
| Silver gull | |
| Pacific gull | |
| Kelp gull | U |
| Caspian tern | |
| White-fronted tern | |
| Crested tern | |
| Little tern | U |
| Fairy tern | |

Land birds

| | |
|------------------------------|----|
| Stubble quail | U |
| Swamp quail | |
| Painted button-quail | U |
| Common bronzewing | |
| Brush bronzewing | |
| Green rosella | T |
| Swift parrot | MU |
| Yellow-tailed black-cockatoo | |
| Pallid cuckoo | M |
| Fan-tailed cuckoo | M |

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|----------------------------|----|
| Horsfield's bronze-cuckoo | M |
| Shining bronze-cuckoo | M |
| White-throated needletail | |
| Welcome swallow | M |
| Tree martin | M |
| Black-faced cuckoo-shrike | M |
| Richard's pipit | |
| White's thrush | U |
| Pink robin | U |
| Flame robin | |
| Scarlet robin | |
| Dusky robin | T |
| Olive whistler | |
| Golden whistler | U |
| Grey shrike-thrush | |
| Satin flycatcher | |
| Grey fantail | |
| Little grassbird | U |
| Superb fairy-wren | |
| Tasmanian scrubwren | T |
| Scrubtit | U |
| Tasmanian thornbill | T |
| Eastern spinebill | |
| Yellow-throated honeyeater | T |
| Strong-billed honeyeater | T |
| Black-headed honeyeater | T |
| Crescent honeyeater | U |
| New Holland honeyeater | |
| Tawny-crowned honeyeater | |
| Spotted pardalote | |
| Striated pardalote | |
| Forty-spotted pardalote | U |
| Silvereye | |
| Beautiful firetail | U |
| Dusky woodswallow | M |
| Black currawong | T |
| Clinking currawong | U |
| Little raven | |
| Forest raven | |
| Australian reed warbler | MU |
| White-fronted chat | |
| Tawny frogmouth | U |
| Australian owllet-nightjar | U |

Birds of prey

| | |
|--------------------------|---|
| Brown goshawk | |
| Grey goshawk | U |
| Collared sparrowhawk | |
| Swamp harrier | |
| White-breasted sea-eagle | |
| Wedge-tailed eagle | |
| Brown falcon | |
| Little falcon | U |
| Nankeen kestrel | |

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|------------------|---|
| Peregrine falcon | U |
| Barn owl | U |
| Southern boobook | |

Introduced species

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| Laughing kookaburra (Australian native) | |
| Australian magpie (Australian native) | |
| Sulphur-crested cockatoo (Australian native) | U |
| Skylark | |
| European goldfinch | |
| European greenfinch | U |
| House sparrow | |
| Common starling | |
| Mallard | U |
| Common pheasant | U |
| Common blackbird | |
| Wild turkey | |
| Indian peafowl | U |

Supplementary list

(birds that are rare, visiting, found washed up on beaches or found off the continental shelf)

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| Royal albatross |
| Yellow-nosed albatross |
| Grey-headed albatross |
| Sooty albatross |
| Light-mantled sooty albatross |
| Southern fulmar |
| Northern giant petrel |
| Southern giant petrel |
| Great-winged petrel |
| Cape petrel |
| Kerguelen petrel |
| White-headed petrel |
| Blue petrel |
| Lesser broad-billed prion |
| Antarctic prion |
| Antarctic slender-billed prion |
| Sooty shearwater |
| Fluttering shearwater |
| Huttons shearwater |
| Great skua |
| Great crested grebe |
| Pied cormorant |

Further reading

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