

Djaul (Dyaul, Sandwich) Island Bird Checklist

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#	Common Name	Scientific Name	Ecol. Status	Abundance	References
1.	Tropical (Audubon's) Shearwater	<i>Puffinus bailloni (lherminieri (ssp?))</i>	Win mig	2 offshore Jul 1997.	3,8,13,
2.	Heinroth's Shearwater	<i>Puffinus heinrothi</i>	Res	Rare, NI side 1997.	16,
3.	White-tailed Tropicbird	<i>Phaethon lepturus fulvus or dorotheae</i>	Res	Early August	4,13,
4.	Great Frigatebird	<i>Fregata minor (ssp?)</i>	Res	P 1997, Coll 1962 Cop Mus, 50 obs 57km to S Jun & Oct 1953,	8,9,13,15,
5.	Lesser Frigatebird	<i>Fregata a. ariel</i>	Res	200 roosting & some offshore Jul 1997,	8,13,
6.	Eastern Reef Egret	<i>Egretta s. sacra</i>	Res	P, Obs 1997, Col 1962 Cop Mus,	1,8,9,13,
7.	Rufous Night Heron	<i>Nycticorax caledonicus mandibularis</i>	Res	P, 1 obs Jul 1997,	1,8,
8.	Black Bittern	<i>Ixobrychus flavicollis australis</i>	Res Bre	P, Obs 1997, Col 1962 Cop Mus,	1,8,9,
9.	Eastern Osprey	<i>Pandion cristatus melvillensis</i>	Res	P, Obs 1997, Coll 1962 Cop Mus,	1,8,9,
10.	Pacific Baza (Crested Hawk)	<i>Aviceda subcristata bismarckii</i>	Res Bre	P, 2 obs Jul 1997,	1,8,
11.	Brahminy Kite	<i>Haliaster indus girrenera</i>	Res	7 obs Jul 1997,	1,8,13,
12.	Variable (Grey) Goshawk	<i>Accipiter hiogaster lavongai</i>	Res	P, 2 seen 2 heard Jul 1997,	1,8,
13.	Melanesian Scrub Fowl	<i>Megapodius eremita</i>	Res	P, Obs 1997, Coll 1962 Cop Mus,	1,2,7,8,9,
14.	Whimbrel	<i>Numenius phaeopus variegatus</i>	Sum Mig	6 roosting on small inshore islet,	8,13,
15.	Wandering Tattler	<i>Tringa incana (no ssp)</i>	Sum Mig	1 seen & heard Jul 1997,	8,13,
16.	Black-naped Tern	<i>Sterna s. sumatrana</i>	Res	Obs Jul 1997, Col 1962 Cop Mus,	8,9,13,
17.	Bridled Tern	<i>Onychoprion a. anaethetus?</i>	Res	2 roosting on inshore islet Jul 1997,	8,13,
18.	Crested Tern	<i>Thalasseus bergii cristatus</i>	Res	several offshore Jul 1997,	8,13,
19.	Black Noddy	<i>Anous m. minutus</i>	Res	800 roosting on islet c 1 old nest Jul 1997,	8,13,
20.	Brown Noddy	<i>Anous stolidus pileatus</i>	Res	Coll 1962 Cop Mus,	9,13,
[Red-necked Crake	<i>Rallina tricolor</i>	?	1 possibly heard Jul 1997,	8.]
21.	Slender-billed Cuckoo-Dove	<i>Macropygia amboinensis carteretia</i>	Res bre	Obs Jul 1997, Coll 1962 Cop Mus,	1,8,9,
22.	Pied Cuckoo-Dove	<i>Reinwardtoena b. browni</i>	Res bre	Obs Jul 1997, Coll 1962 Cop Mus,	1,8,9,
23.	Stephan's Dove	<i>Chalcophaps s. stephani</i>	Res bre	Obs Jul 1997, Coll 1962 Cop Mus,	1,8,9,
24.	Nicobar Pigeon	<i>Caloenas n. nicobarica</i>	Res?	4 Jul 1997,	1,8,
25.	White-bibbed Fruit-Dove	<i>Ptilinopus r. rivoli</i>	Res bre	Obs Jul 1997, Coll 1962 Cop Mus,	1,8,9,
26.	Red-knobbed Fruit-Dove	<i>Ptilinopus i. insolitus</i>	Res bre	MC, Obs Jul 1997, Coll 1962 Cop Mus,	1,2,8,9,
27.	Island Imperial Pigeon	<i>Ducula pistrinaria vanwyckii</i>	Res bre	5 obs on inshore islets Jul 1997,	1,8,
28.	Red-knobbed Imperial Pigeon	<i>Ducula r. rubricera</i>	Res bre	Obs Jul 1997, Coll 1962 Cop Mus,	1,8,9,
29.	Finch's Imperial Pigeon	<i>Ducula finchii (no ssp)</i>	Res bre	Coll 1962, Cop Mus,	1,9,
30.	Coconut Lorikeet	<i>Trichoglossus haematodus massena</i>	Res bre	Obs Jul 1997, Coll 1962 Cop Mus,	1,8,9,
31.	Eastern Black-capped Lory	<i>Lorius hypoinochrous devittatus</i>	Res bre	MC, Obs Jul 1997, Coll 1962 Cop Mus,	1,2,8,9,
32.	Red-flanked Lorikeet	<i>Charmosyna placentis pallidior</i>	Res bre	Common, Obs Jul 1997, Coll 1962 Cop Mus,	1,2,8,9,
33.	Finsch's Pygmy Parrot	<i>Micropsitta finschii viridifrons</i>	Res bre	Obs Jul 1997, Coll 1962 Cop Mus,	1,8,9,
34.	Song (Singing) Parrot	<i>Geoffroyus h. heteroclitus</i>	Res bre	Obs Jul 1997, Coll 1962 Cop Mus,	1,8,9,
35.	Eclectus Parrot	<i>Eclectus roratus solomonensis</i>	Res bre	Obs Jul 1997, Coll 1962 Cop Mus,	1,8,9,

36.	Brush Cuckoo	<i>Cacomantis variolosus macrocercus</i>	Res bre	Obs Jul 1997, Coll 1962 Cop Mus,	1,8,9,
37.	Channel-billed Cuckoo	<i>Scythrops novaehollandiae</i> (no ssp)	Win mig	Coll 1962 Cop Mus,	1,9,
38.	Pied (White-necked) Coucal	<i>Centropus ateralbus</i> (no ssp)	Res bre	Obs Jul 1997, Coll 1962 Cop Mus,	1,8,9,
39.	Moustached Tree-Swift	<i>Hemiprocne mystacea aeroplanes</i>	Res bre	5 obs Jul 1997,	1,8,
40.	Uniform Swiftlet	<i>Aerodramus vanikorensis pallens</i>	Res bre	Obs Jul 1997, 1M4F1? Coll 1962 Cop Mus,	1,8,9,14,
41.	Glossy Swiftlet	<i>Collocalia esculenta kalili</i>	Res bre	Obs Jul 1997, Coll 1962 Cop Mus, 2M2F skins in ND,	1,8,9,14,
42.	Collared Kingfisher	<i>Todirhamphus chloris novaehiberniae</i>	Res bre	Obs Jul 1997, Coll 1962 Cop Mus,	1,8,9,
43.	Beach Kingfisher	<i>Todirhamphus saurophaga anachoretiae</i>	Res bre	Obs Jul 1997, Coll 1962 Cop Mus,	1,8,9,
44.	Variable Dwarf Kingfisher	<i>Ceyx lepidus mulcatus</i>	Res bre	Obs Jul 1997, Coll 1962 Cop Mus,	1,8,9,
45.	Little (Mangrove) Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo pusilla masalji</i>	Res bre	Obs Jul 1997, Coll 1962 Cop Mus,	1,8,9,
46.	Common (River) Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo atthis hispidoides</i>	Res bre	Coll 1962 Cop Mus,	1,9,
47.	Rainbow Bee-eater	<i>Merops ornatus</i> (no ssp)	Win mig	2 heard Jul 1997,	1,8,13,
48.	Red-bellied Pitta	<i>Pitta erythrogaster</i> (ssp?)	Res bre	P, MC in Forests and remnant forest, Obs Jul 1997,	1,5,8,10,
49.	Varied Triller	<i>Lalage leucomela sumunae</i>	Res bre	P, MC in rainforests, Obs Jul 1997,	1,5,8,10,
50.	Grey-capped Cicadabird	<i>Coracina remota</i>	Res/Mig	P, UC in forest, forest edges, gardens, savanna & mangroves	1,5,10,
51.	Northern Fantail	<i>Rhipidura rufiventris setosa</i>	Res bre	MC. Inhabits all forest types and their edges, Obs Jul 1997,	1,2,5,8,10,11,
52.	Willie Wagtail	<i>Rhipidura leucophrys melaleuca</i>	Res bre	C-VC in man-made or naturally open country < 850m Obs Jul 1997,	5,8,10,11,
53.	Island Monarch	<i>Monarcha cinerascens perpallidus</i>	Res bre	MC-VC In littoral forest, scrub and gardens, Obs Jul 1997,	1,5,8,10,12,
54.	Djaul Pied Monarch	<i>Monarcha verticalis ateralba</i>	Endemic	4 Obs. Presumably MC and in forests.	1,2,5,8,10,
55.	Golden Monarch	<i>Monarcha chrysomela pulcherrimus</i>	Res bre	Present MC-C in most forests < 700m	1,2,5,10,12,
56.	Shining Flycatcher	<i>Myiagra alecto chalybeocephalus</i>	Res bre	P. UC-C in Lowland Swamp forest, littoral & riparian scrub Obs Jul 1997,	1,2,5,8,10,12,
57.	Dull Flycatcher	<i>Myiagra hebetior cervinicolor</i>	Res bre	P. LMC<1300m in forests & regrowth, Obs Jul 1997,	2,5,8,10,
58.	Mangrove Golden Whistler	<i>Pachycephala melanura dahlia</i>	Res bre	P,	2,
59.	Bismarck Whistler	<i>Pachycephala citreogaster</i>	Res bre	In forest & regrowth, Obs Jul 1997,	1,5,8,10,
60.	Red-banded Flowerpecker	<i>Dicaeum eximium phaeopygium</i>	Res bre	C, Obs Jul 1997,	1,5,8,10,
61.	Black Sunbird	<i>Nectarinia aspasia corrina</i>	Res bre	MC-C in forests and forest edges, Obs Jul 1997,	1,5,8,10,
62.	Yellow-bellied Sunbird	<i>Nectarinia jugularis flavigaster</i>	Res bre	MC-C outside forests, Obs Jul 1997,	1,5,8,10,
63.	Red Myzomela	<i>Myzomela cruentata vinacea</i>	Res bre	UC, UC-LMC following Flw trees, Obs Jul 1997,	1,2,5,8,10,
64.	Metallic Starling	<i>Aplornis metallica nitida</i>	Res bre	MC-VC Obs Jul 1997,	1,5,8,10,
65.	Singing Starling	<i>Aplornis c. cantoroides</i>	Res bre	LC, Obs Jul 1997,	1,5,8,10,
66.	Bismarck Crow	<i>Corvus insularis</i>	Res	P,	5,

KEY

Ecological status

End = Endemic to Island unless otherwise stated, **Res bre** = Resident breeder, **Res** = resident ie breeding not proven or not likely. For seabirds it means they have or should be found in that area: note other refs. **Vag** = Vagrant, **Res/mig** = Part of population migratory, **Sum mig** = Summer migrant, **Win mig** = Winter migrant, **Spr/Aut mig** = Passage migrant in Spring and Autumn, **Intro** = Introduced.

Abundance

R = rare, **S** = scarce, **UC** = uncommon, **MC** = moderately common, **LC** = locally common, **C** = common, **VC** = very common, **A** = abundant, **P** = present.

Colour coding applies only to one species on a particular list. eg. An abundance comment in red for the Brown Booby refers to the Ref # in Red for that species only.

Alternate Island Names & alternate common Bird Names are recorded in two separate spreadsheet files.

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