

BIRDING CHECKLIST FOR DIAMOND COAST



(compiled from data recorded by resident birders and visitors to the area)

Roberts 7	Endemism Status	Threat Status	English	Afrikaans	Scientific	Check-list	Orange River Estuary
465			Acacia Pied Barbet	Bonthoutkapper	<i>Tricholaema leucomelas</i>		
105			African Black Duck	Swarteend	<i>Anas sparsa</i>		
244	E	N	African Black Oystercatcher	Swarttobie	<i>Haematopus moquini</i>		
60			African Darter	Slanghalsvoël	<i>Anhinga rufa</i>		
451			African Hoopoe	Hoepoep	<i>Upupa africana</i>		
240			African Jacana	Grootlangtoon	<i>Actophilornis africanus</i>		
710			African Paradise Flycatcher	Paradysvlieëvanger	<i>Terpsiphone viridis</i>		
711			African Pied Wagtail	Bontkwikkie	<i>Motacilla aguimp</i>		
716			African Pipit	Gewone Koester	<i>Anthus cinnamomeus</i>		
223			African Purple Swamphen	Grootkoningriethaan	<i>Porphyrio madagascariensis</i>		
567			African Red-eyed Bulbul	Rooioogtiptol	<i>Pycnonotus nigricans</i>		
631			African Reed-Warbler	Kleinrietsanger	<i>Acrocephalus baeticatus</i>		
91			African Sacred Ibis	Skoorsteenveër	<i>Threskiornis aethiopicus</i>		
95			African Spoonbill	Lepelaar	<i>Platalea alba</i>		
596			African Stonechat	Bontrokkie	<i>Saxicola torquatus</i>		
418			Alpine Swift	Witpenswindswael	<i>Tachymarpis melba</i>		
595	E		Ant-eating Chat	Swartpiek	<i>Myrmecocichla formicivora</i>		
57	E	E	Bank Cormorant	Bankduiker	<i>Phalacrocorax neglectus</i>		
502.1	E		Barlow's Lark	Barlowse Lewerik	<i>Calendulada barlowi</i>		
392			Barn Owl	Nonnetjiesuil	<i>Tyto alba</i>		
518			Barn Swallow	Europese swael	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>		
168	E	N	Black Harrier	Witkruisvleivalk	<i>Circus maurus</i>		
143			Black-chested Snake Eagle	Swartborsslangarend	<i>Cicaetus pectoralis</i>		
76			Black-crowned Night-Heron	Gewone nagreier	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>		
876	E		Black-headed Canary	Swartkopkanarie	<i>Serinus alario</i>		
63			Black-headed Heron	Swartkopreier	<i>Ardea melanocephala</i>		
7			Black-necked Grebe	Swartnekdoobertjie	<i>Podiceps nigricollis</i>		
127			Black-shouldered Kite	Blouvalk	<i>Elanus caeruleus</i>		
258			Blacksmith Lapwing	Bontkiewiet	<i>Vanellus armatus</i>		
295			Black-winged Stilt	Rooipoetelsie	<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>		
746	E		Bokmakierie	Bokmakierie	<i>Telophorus zeylonus</i>		
136			Booted Eagle	Dwergarend	<i>Aquila pennatus</i>		
533			Brown-throated Martin	Afrikaanse oewerswael	<i>Riparia paludicola</i>		
566			Cape Bulbul	Kaapse tiptol	<i>Pycnonotus capensis</i>		
885			Cape Bunting	Rooivlerkstreepkoppie	<i>Emberiza capensis</i>		
495	E		Cape Clapper Lark	Kaapse klappertjie	<i>Mirafrapa apiata</i>		
56	BE	N	Cape Cormorant	Trekduiker	<i>Phalacrocorax capensis</i>		
547			Cape Crow	Swartkraai	<i>Corvus capensis</i>		
400			Cape Eagle Owl	Kaapse Ooruil	<i>Bubo capensis</i>		
764			Cape Glossy Starling	Kleinglansspreeu	<i>Lamprotornis nitens</i>		
312			Cape Gull	Swartrugmeeu	<i>Larus vetula C96</i>		
500	E		Cape Long-billed Lark	Weskuslangbeklewerik	<i>Certhilauda curvirostris</i>		
557			Cape Penduline-Tit	Kaapse kapokvoël	<i>Anthoscopus minutus</i>		
601			Cape Robin-Chat	Gewone Janfrederik	<i>Cossypha caffra</i>		
112	E		Cape Shoveler	Kaapse Slopeend	<i>Anas smithii</i>		
803	NE		Cape Sparrow	Gewone mossie	<i>Passer melanurus</i>		
106			Cape Teal	Teeleend	<i>Anas capensis</i>		
354			Cape Turtle-Dove	Gewone Tortelduif	<i>Streptopelia capicola</i>		
713			Cape Wagtail	Gewone kwikkie	<i>Motacilla capensis</i>		
813	E		Cape Weaver	Kaapse wewer	<i>Ploceus capensis</i>		
796	E		Cape White-eye	Kaapse glasogie	<i>Zosterops senegalensis</i>		
587			Capped Wheatear	Hoëveldskaapwagter	<i>Oenanthe pileata</i>		
322			Caspian Tern	Reuse sterretjie	<i>Sterna caspia</i>		
71			Cattle Egret	Veereier	<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>		
697	NE		Chat Flycatcher	Grootvlieëvanger	<i>Bradornis infuscatus</i>		
732			Common Fiscal	Fiskaallaksmen	<i>Lanius collaris</i>		
270			Common Greenshank	Groenpootruiter	<i>Tringa nebularia</i>		
226			Common Moorhen	Groot waterhoender	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>		
1			Common Ostrich	Volstruis	<i>Struthio camelus</i>		
200			Common Quail	Afrikaanse kwartel	<i>Coturnix coturnix</i>		
245			Common Ringed Plover	Ringnekstrandkiewiet	<i>Charadrius hiaticula</i>		
264			Common Sandpiper	Gewone ruiter	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>		
757			Common Starling	Europese Spreeu	<i>Sturnus vulgaris</i>		
327			Common Tern	Gewone sterretjie	<i>Sterna hirundo</i>		
846			Common Waxbill	Rooibeksysie	<i>Estrilda astrild</i>		
59	E	N	Crowned Cormorant	Kuifkopduiker	<i>Phalacrocorax coronatus</i>		
255			Crowned Lapwing	Kroonkiewiet	<i>Vanellus coronatus</i>		
272			Curllew Sandpiper	Krombekstrandloper	<i>Calidris ferruginea</i>		
788	NE		Dusky Sunbird	Namakwasuikerbekkie	<i>Cinnyris fuscus</i>		
102			Egyptian Goose	Kolgans	<i>Alopochen aegyptiaca</i>		
438			European Bee-eater	Europese byvreter	<i>Merops apiaster</i>		
067162011E			Fairy Flycatcher	Feevlieëvanger	<i>Stenostira scita</i>		

589			Familiar Chat	Gewone spekvreter	<i>Cercomela familiaris</i>		
429			Giant Kingfisher	Reusevisvanger	<i>Megaceryle maxima</i>		
49			Great White Pelican	Witpelikaan	<i>Pelicanus onocrotalus</i>		
96		N	Greater Flamingo	Groot flamink	<i>Phoenicopterus ruber</i>		
182			Greater Kestrel	Groot rooivalk	<i>Falco rupicoloides</i>		
526	BE		Greater-striped Swallow	Grootstreepswael	<i>Hirundo cucullata</i>		
62			Grey Heron	Bloureier	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>		
551			Grey Tit	Piet-tjou-tjou grysmees	<i>Parus afer</i>		
669	NE		Grey-backed Cisticola	Gysrugtinkinkie	<i>Cisticola subruficapilla</i>		
315			Grey-headed Gull	Gryskopmeeu	<i>Larus cirrocephalus</i>		
94			Hadeda Ibis	Hadeda	<i>Bostrychia hagedash</i>		
316	E		Hartlaub's Gull	Hartlaubse Meeu	<i>Larus hartlaubii</i>		
203			Helmeted Guineafowl	Gewone tarentaal	<i>Numida meleagris</i>		
801			House Sparrow	Huismossie	<i>Passer domesticus</i>		
152	E		Jackal Buzzard	Jakkasvoël	<i>Buteo rufufuscus</i>		
502	E		Karoo Lark	Karoolewerik	<i>Calendulauda albescens</i>		
686	E		Karoo Prinia	Karoolangstertjie	<i>Prinia maculosa</i>		
614	E		Karoo Scrub-Robin	Slangverklipper	<i>Cercotrichas coryphoeus</i>		
577.1	E		Karoo Thrush	Geelbeklyster	<i>Turdus smithi</i>		
230			Kori Bustard	Gompou	<i>Ardeotis kori</i>		
172			Lanner Falcon	Edelvalk	<i>Falco biarmicus</i>		
512	E		Large-billed Lark	Dikbeklewerik	<i>Galerida magnirostris</i>		
887	E		Lark-like Bunting	Vaalstreekoppie	<i>Emberiza impetuani</i>		
355			Laughing Dove	Rooiborsduifie	<i>Streptopelia senegalensis</i>		
622	E		Layard's Tit-Babbler	Grystjeriktik	<i>Parisoma layardi</i>		
97		N	Lesser Flamingo	Klein flamink	<i>Phoenicopterus minor</i>		
635			Lesser Swamp-Warbler	Kaapse rietsanger	<i>Acrocephalus gracilirostris</i>		
677			Levaillant's Cisticola	Vleitinkinkie	<i>Cisticola tinniens</i>		
78			Little Bittern	Klein rietreier	<i>Ixobrychus minutus</i>		
67			Little Egret	Kleinwitreier	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>		
8			Little Grebe	Klein dobbertjie	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>		
638			Little Rush-Warbler	Kaapse vleisanger	<i>Bradypterus baboecala</i>		
274			Little Stint	Kleinstrandloper	<i>Calidris minuta</i>		
417			Little Swift	Kleinwindswael	<i>Apus affinis</i>		
651			Long-billed Crombec	Bosveldstompstert	<i>Sylvietta rufescens</i>		
717			Long-billed Pipit	Nicholsonse Koester	<i>Anthus similis</i>		
232	NE		Ludwig's Bustard	Ludwigse pou	<i>Neotis ludwigii</i>		
117			Maccoa Duck	Bloubekeend	<i>Oxyura maccoa</i>		
775			Malachite Sunbird	Jangroentjie	<i>Nectarinia famosa</i>		
140			Martial Eagle	Breëkoparend	<i>Polemaetus bellicosus</i>		
586	NE		Mountain Wheatear	Bergwagter	<i>Oenanthe monticola</i>		
356			Namaqua Dove	Namakwaduijie	<i>Oena capensis</i>		
344	NE		Namaqua Sandgrouse	Kelkiewyn	<i>Pterocles namaqua</i>		
687			Namaqua Warbler	Namakwalangstertjie	<i>Phragmacia substriata</i>		
796.1	E		Orange River White-eye	Gariep glasogie	<i>Zosterops pallidus</i>		
770	NE		Pale-winged Starling	Bleekvlerspreeu	<i>Onychognathus nabouroup</i>		
523			Pearl-breasted Swallow	Pêrelborsswael	<i>Hirundo dimidiata</i>		
171			Peregrine Falcon	Swerfvalk	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>		
294			Pied Avocet	Bontelsie	<i>Recurvirostra avosetta</i>		
548			Pied Crow	Witborskraai	<i>Corvus albus</i>		
428			Pied Kingfisher	Bontvisvanger	<i>Ceryle rudis</i>		
759	E		Pied Starling	Witgatspreeu	<i>Spreo bicolor</i>		
860			Pin-tailed Whydah	Koningrooibekkie	<i>Vidua macroura</i>		
703	E		Pirrit Batis	Pirritbosbontrokkie	<i>Batis pririt</i>		
108			Red-billed Teal	Rooibekeend	<i>Anas erythrorhyncha</i>		
507			Red-capped Lark	Rooikoplewerik	<i>Calandrella cinerea</i>		
352			Red-eyed Dove	Grootringduif	<i>Streptopelia semitorquata</i>		
228			Red-knobbed Coot	Bleshoender	<i>Fulica cristata</i>		
58			Reed Cormorant	Rietduiker	<i>Phalacrocorax africanus</i>		
348			Rock Dove	Tuinduif	<i>Columba livia</i>		
181			Rock Kestrel	Kransrooivalk	<i>Falco rupicolus</i>		
529			Rock Martin	Kransswael	<i>Hirundo fuligula</i>		
367	NE		Rosy-faced Lovebird	Rooiwangparkiet	<i>Agapornis roseicollis</i>		
262			Ruddy Turnstone	Steenloper	<i>Arenaria interpres</i>		
284			Ruff	Kemphaan	<i>Philomachus pugnax</i>		
406			Rufous-cheeked Nightjar	Rooiwangnaguil	<i>Caprimulgus rufigena</i>		
688			Rufous-eared Warbler	Rooioorlangstertjie	<i>Malcorus pectoralis</i>		
281			Sanderling	Drietoonstrandloper	<i>Calidris alba</i>		
326			Sandwich Tern	Grootsterretjie	<i>Sterna sandvicensis</i>		
118			Secretary Bird	Sekretarisvoël	<i>Sagittarius serpentarius</i>		
103	E		South African Shelduck	Kopereend	<i>Tadorna cana</i>		
239	E		Southern Black Korhaan	Swartvlrkkorhaan	<i>Afrotis afra</i>		
783	E		Southern Double-collared Sunbird	Klein rooibandsuikerbekkie	<i>Cinnyris chalybeus</i>		
814			Southern Masked-Weaver	Swartkeelgeelvink	<i>Ploceus velatus</i>		
162	NE		Southern Pale Chanting Goshawk	Bleeksingvalk	<i>Melierax canorus</i>		
824			Southern Red Bishop	Rooivink	<i>Euplectes orix</i>		
349			Speckled Pigeon	Kransduif	<i>Columba guinea</i>		
506			Spike-heeled Lark	Vlaktelewerik	<i>Chersomanes albofasciata</i>		
401			Spotted Eagle Owl	Gevlekte Ooruil	<i>Bubo africanus</i>		

297		Spotted Thick-knee	Gewone dikkop	<i>Burhinus capensis</i>
116		Spur-winged Goose	Wilde makou	<i>Plectropterus gambensis</i>
324		Swift Tern	Geelbeksterretjie	<i>Sterna bergii</i>
249		Three-banded Plover	Driebandstrandkiewiet	<i>Charadrius tricollaris</i>
590	NE	Tractrac Chat	Woestynspekvreter	<i>Cercomela tractrac</i>
131		Verreaux's Eagle	Witkruisarend	<i>Aquila verreauxii</i>
760		Wattled Starling	Lelspreeu	<i>Creatophora cinerea</i>
425	E	White-backed Mousebird	Witkruismuisvoël	<i>Colius colius</i>
55		White-breasted Cormorant	Witborsduiker	<i>Phalacrocorax lucidus</i>
246		White-fronted Plover	Vaalstrandkiewiet	<i>Charadrius marginatus</i>
879	NE	White-throated Canary	Witkeelkanarie	<i>Crithagra albogularis</i>
520		White-throated Swallow	Witkeelswael	<i>Hirundo albigularis</i>
266		Wood Sandpiper	Bostuiter	<i>Tringa glareola</i>
827		Yellow Bishop	Kaapse flap	<i>Euplectes capensis</i>
878	NE	Yellow Canary	Geelkanarie	<i>Crithagra flaviventris</i>
104		Yellow-billed Duck	Geelbekeend	<i>Anas undulata</i>

KEY TO ENDEMISM STATUS

E	Endemic: Breeding & non-breeding ranges confined to southern Africa
NE	Near-endemic: ranges largely restricted to southern Africa, extending to SW Angola
BE	Breeding-endemic: Breeding only in southern Africa, migrates during non-breeding season

KEY TO THREAT STATUS (BASED ON BIRDLIFE INTERNATIONAL INFO)

C	Critically endangered, facing extremely high risk of extinction in the wild in immediate future
E	Endangered, facing a very high risk of extinction in the wild in the near future
V	Vulnerable, facing high risk of extinction in the wild in the medium-term future
N	Near Threatened, near qualifying for Vulnerable

RECORDING NEW BIRD SPECIES:

Specie:
Date: _____ Observer: _____
Place:
Weather & sighting conditions (incl. distance & lighting):
Equipment used:
Identification features & behaviour:
Additional notes:

In order to keep an updated list of birds of the NAMAQUALAND DIAMOND COAST (Port Nolloth-Kleinsee-Koingnaas-Hondeklipbaai, Komaggas-Springbok, western parts of Namaqua Nature Reserve), please forward information to *Diamond Coast-Forever Namaquala Kleinsee*.
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