



## Birdwatching Holidays in Spain, Morocco & more...

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### BIRD HIGHLIGHTS

TOUR	DATES
<b>Gibraltar Strait Spain &amp; Morocco</b>	<b>September 18th to 25th</b>

**Party:** David Broadley, Peter Kemmis-Betty ,Jane Rowse ,Jenny Shalom ,Roger Theobald  
Imogen Theobald ,Ruth Bloom ,Gay Carr ,Bill Kilby ,Kathy Buosi , Susie Storm-Turner ,Mike Wheeler  
Bruce McLaren ,Brian Lythgoe

**Tour Leader :** Josele J. Saiz , Jesús Porras

### Total Number of Species :

### Weather & Sites:

<b>Day 1 – 18.09.11</b>	Hot and Windy Malaga – Algeciras – Tarifa – Moulain Bouselham,
<b>Day 2 – 19.09.11</b>	Nice & Sunny Merga Zerja
<b>Day 3 – 20.09.11</b>	Nice & sunny Lukos River
<b>Day 4 – 21.09.11</b>	Nice , sunny Moulain Bouselham – Tanger Med- Tarifa – Zahara de los Atunes
<b>Day 5 – 22.09.11</b>	Nice & Sunny Cazalla – Huerta Grande – Puerto de Ojén – La Janda
<b>Day 6 – 23.09.11</b>	Cloudy some rain in the afternoon Cazalla – Algeciras – Faro Camarinal –
<b>Day 7 – 24.09.11</b>	Nice and Sunny La Janda – Celemín Reservoir – Trafalgar
<b>Day 8 – 25.09.11</b>	Nice and Sunny Zahara - Malaga

Money for conservation has gone to : Mega Zerja conservation group

### RECOMMENDED SIGNS:

Vista/Seen ( X ) Oida/Heard (H )Abundant (XXX) Common (XX) Rare (+) Juvenile (Juv) Immature (Inm)  
Adult (ad) Female Male



54	<b>Black-bellied Plover</b>	<i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>		x					
55	<b>Common Ringed Plover</b>	<i>Charadrius hiaticula</i>		x	x			x	x
56	<b>Little Ringed Plover</b>	<i>Charadrius dubius</i>			x				
57	<b>Kentish Plover</b>	<i>Charadrius alexandrinus</i>		x				x	x
58	<b>Common Snipe</b>	<i>Gallinago gallinago</i>			x				
59	<b>Black-tailed Godwit</b>	<i>Limosa limosa</i>		x					
60	<b>Bar-tailed Godwit</b>	<i>Limosa lapponica</i>		x					
61	<b>Whimbrel</b>	<i>Numenius phaeopus</i>		x					
62	<b>Eurasian Curlew</b>	<i>Numenius arquata</i>		x					
63	<b>Common Redshank</b>	<i>Tringa totanus</i>		x	x	x			x
64	<b>Common Greenshank</b>	<i>Tringa nebularia</i>		x	x				x
65	<b>Green Sandpiper</b>	<i>Tringa ochropus</i>		x					x
66	<b>Wood Sandpiper</b>	<i>Tringa glareola</i>		x					
67	<b>Common Sandpiper</b>	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>		x				x	
68	<b>Ruddy Turnstone</b>	<i>Arenaria interpres</i>		x		x		x	x
69	<b>Red Knot</b>	<i>Calidris canutus</i>		x				x	
70	<b>Sanderling</b>	<i>Calidris alba</i>		x			x	x	x
71	<b>Little Stint</b>	<i>Calidris minuta</i>		x	x			x	
72	<b>Curlew Sandpiper</b>	<i>Calidris ferruginea</i>			x				
73	<b>Dunlin</b>	<i>Calidris alpina</i>		x	x			x	
74	<b>Ruff</b>	<i>Philomachus pugnax</i>			x				
75	<b>Pomarine Skua</b>	<i>Stercorarius pomarinus</i>				x			
76	<b>Audouin's Gull</b>	<i>Larus audouinii</i>	x	x		x	x	x	x
77	<b>Western Yellow-legged Gull</b>	<i>Larus cachinnans michahellis</i>	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
78	<b>Lesser Black-backed Gull</b>	<i>Larus fuscus graellsii</i>		x	x	x		x	
79	<b>Black-headed Gull</b>	<i>Larus ridibundus</i>	x	x	x	x		x	
80	<b>Slender-billed Gull</b>	<i>Larus genei</i>	x	x	x				
81	<b>Mediterranean Gull</b>	<i>Larus melanocephalus</i>	x	x					
82	<b>Gull-billed Tern</b>	<i>Sterna nilotica</i>			x				
83	<b>Caspian Tern</b>	<i>Sterna caspia</i>		x	x				
84	<b>Sandwich Tern</b>	<i>Sterna sandvicensis</i>	x	x	x	x		x	
85	<b>Little Tern</b>	<i>Sterna albifrons</i>		x	x				
86	<b>Whiskered Tern</b>	<i>Chlidonias hybridus</i>		x					
87	<b>Black tern</b>	<i>Chlidonias niger</i>		x					
88	<b>Rock Dove / Feral Pigeon</b>	<i>Columba livia</i>	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
89	<b>Common Woodpigeon</b>	<i>Columba palumbus</i>	x	x	x	x	xx	xx	x
90	<b>Eurasian Turtle Dove</b>	<i>Streptopelia turtur</i>		x	x	x		x	x
91	<b>Eurasian Collared Dove</b>	<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>	x	x	x		x		
92	<b>Little Owl</b>	<i>Athene noctua</i>		x	h				
93	<b>Marsh Owl</b>	<i>Asio capensis tingitanus</i>		x	x				
94	<b>Alpine Swift</b>	<i>Tachymarptis melba</i>					x	x	
95	<b>Common Swift</b>	<i>Apus apus</i>	x		x		x	x	
96	<b>Pallid Swift</b>	<i>Apus pallidus</i>				x	x		
97	<b>Little Swift</b>	<i>Apus affinis</i>					x	x	
98	<b>Common Kingfisher</b>	<i>Alcedo atthis</i>		x	x			x	
99	<b>European Bee-eater</b>	<i>Merops apiaster</i>				x		x	
100	<b>Eurasian Hoopoe</b>	<i>Upupa epops</i>		x	x				x
101	<b>Great Spotted Woodpecker</b>	<i>Dendrocopos major</i>					x		
102	<b>Crested Lark</b>	<i>Galerida cristata</i>			x		x	x	x
103	<b>Bank Swallow</b>	<i>Riparia riparia</i>					x	x	
104	<b>Eurasian Crag Martin</b>	<i>Hirundo rupestris</i>				x		x	x
105	<b>Barn Swallow</b>	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
106	<b>Red-rumped Swallow</b>	<i>Hirundo daurica</i>	x				x	x	x
107	<b>House Martin</b>	<i>Delichon urbica</i>	x				x	x	x
108	<b>White Wagtail</b>	<i>Motacilla alba supersonata</i>			x				
	<b>White Wagtail</b>	<i>Motacilla alba</i>	x	x	X				

	109	<b>Yellow Wagtail</b>	<i>Motacilla flava</i>				x	x	x
		<b>Spanish Yellow Wagtail</b>	<i>Motacilla flava iberiae</i>		x				
	110	<b>Grey Wagtail</b>	<i>Motacilla cinerea</i>						x
	111	<b>Common Bulbul</b>	<i>Pycnonotus barbatus</i>	x	x	x			
	112	<b>Eurasian Wren</b>	<i>Troglodytes troglodytes</i>				h		
	113	<b>Rufous tailed Rock Thrush</b>	<i>Monticola saxatilis</i>				x		
	114	<b>Blue Rock Thrush</b>	<i>Monticola solitarius</i>				x		x
	115	<b>Eurasian Blackbird</b>	<i>Turdus merula</i>	x	x	x		x	x
	116	<b>Zitting Cisticola</b>	<i>Cisticola juncidis</i>		x	x		x	x
	117	<b>Cetti's Warbler</b>	<i>Cettia cetti</i>		h		h		h
	118	<b>Eurasian Reed Warbler</b>	<i>Acrocephalus scirpaceus</i>						x
	119	<b>Great Reed Warbler</b>	<i>Acrocephalus arundinaceus</i>		h				
	120	<b>Willow Warbler</b>	<i>Phylloscopus trochilus</i>						x
	121	<b>Common Chiffchaff</b>	<i>Phylloscopus collybita</i>	x				x	x
	122	<b>Blackcap</b>	<i>Sylvia atricapilla</i>				x	x	
	123	<b>Greater Whitethroat</b>	<i>Sylvia communis</i>		x				
	124	<b>Sardinian Warbler</b>	<i>Sylvia melanocephala</i>			x	x	x	x
	125	<b>European Pied Flycatcher</b>	<i>Ficedula hypoleuca</i>	x					
	126	<b>Spotted Flycatcher</b>	<i>Luscinia megarhynchos</i>	x			x	x	x
	127	<b>Common Redstart</b>	<i>Phoenicurus phoenicurus</i>			x			
	128	<b>Whinchat</b>	<i>Saxicola rubetra</i>	x	x				x
	129	<b>Common Stonechat</b>	<i>Saxicola torquata</i>	x	x		x	x	x
	130	<b>Northern Wheatear</b>	<i>Oenanthe oenanthe</i>	x	x	x	x	x	x
	131	<b>Bluethroat</b>	<i>Luscinia svecica</i>						x
	132	<b>Robin</b>	<i>Periparus ater atlas</i>					x	x
	133	<b>Great Tit</b>	<i>Parus major excelsus</i>				x	x	x
	134	<b>Blue Tit</b>	<i>Parus caeruleus</i>					x	x
	135	<b>African Blue Tit</b>	<i>Cyanistes ultramarinus</i>	x					
	136	<b>Long tailed Tit</b>	<i>Aegithalos caudatus</i>						
	137	<b>Short-toed Treecreeper</b>	<i>Certhia brachydactyla mauretanica</i>				h		
	138	<b>Southern Grey Shrike</b>	<i>Lanius meridionalis algeriensis</i>		x			x	
	139	<b>Woodchat Shrike</b>	<i>Lanius senator</i>						x
	140	<b>Eurasian Jackdaw</b>	<i>Corvus monedula</i>	x	x			x	x
	141	<b>Common Raven</b>	<i>Corvus corax tingitanus</i>	x		x	x	x	
	142	<b>Spotless Starling</b>	<i>Sturnus unicolor</i>	x	x	x	x	x	x
	143	<b>House Sparrow</b>	<i>Passer domesticus tingitanus</i>	x	x	x	x	x	x
	144	<b>Spanish Sparrow</b>	<i>Passer hispaniolensis</i>				x		x
	145	<b>Chaffinch</b>	<i>Fringilla coelebs africana</i>	x	x		x	x	x
	146	<b>European Greenfinch</b>	<i>Carduelis chloris</i>		x		x		x
	147	<b>European Goldfinch</b>	<i>Carduelis carduelis</i>		x		x	x	x
	148	<b>Eurasian Linnet</b>	<i>Carduelis cannabina</i>	x					x
	149	<b>Corn Bunting</b>	<i>Emberiza calandra</i>						x
#		<b>Other Sightings</b>							
		<b>Rabbit</b>							
		<b>Brown Hare</b>							
		<b>Crimson Speckled Moth</b>							
		<b>Long-tailed Blue</b>							
		<b>Brimstone</b>							
		<b>Meadow Brown</b>							
		<b>Geranium Bronce</b>							
		<b>Red Admiral</b>							

	<b>Swallowtail</b>							
	<b>Large White</b>							
	<b>Monarch</b>							
	<b>Two-tailed Pasha</b>							
	<b>Wall Brown</b>							
	<b>Green Chameleon</b>							
	<b>Ocellated Lizard</b>							
	<b>Spanish Terrapin</b>							
	<b>Spanish Lizard</b>							

### **Bird of the tour**

David Broadley – Spanish imperial Eagle

Peter Kemmis-Betty – Marsh Owl

ane Rowse – Spansih Imperial Eagle

Jenny Shalom – Bluethroat

Roger Theobald - Moroco specialities

Imogen Theobald – Spansih Imperial Eagle

Ruth Bloom - Flamingo

Gay Carr – Marsh Owl

Bill Kilby – Marsh Owl

Kathy Buosi – Green Chameleon

Susie Storm-Turner – Marsh Owl

Mike Wheeler – Bonelli's Eagle

Bruce McLaren – Ruppel's Vulture

Brian Lythgoe – Montagu's Harrier

Josele Saiz – Bonelli's Eagle

Jesus Porras – Green Chameleon