



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

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### BIRD HIGHLIGHTS

<b>TOUR</b>	<b>DATES</b>
<b>THE GAMBIA &amp; SENEGAL</b>	<b>NOV 16th to 30th</b>

**Party:** John Packer, David Broadley, Peter Leutchford, Tony Diebel, Dave & Kath Beeken, J Rewse Davis, Jenny Shalom, Jane Rowse, Sue & Richrad Rose, Terry & Sue Cox, Chris Cook

**Tour Leader :** Josele J Saiz, Abdou Lo

**Total Number of Species : 323**

### Weather & Sites:

<b>Day 1 – 16.11.12</b>	Warm and humid 30C The Gambia – Abuko N.P. // Gambia River Rice fields
<b>Day 2 – 17.11.12</b>	Warm and humid 32°C Banjul ferry to Barra – Toubacouta - Kaloak
<b>Day 3 – 18.11.12</b>	Warm 30°C Kaloak – Sant Louis – Djoud National Park
<b>Day 4 – 19.11.12</b>	Warm 32°C D´Joudj N.P
<b>Day 5 – 20.11.12</b>	Warm hot 36°C Djoud – Richard Toll – Rancho de Banjo
<b>Day 6 – 21.11.12</b>	Warm 34°C Sant Louis - Marigots
<b>Day 7 – 22.11.12</b>	Warm 34°C Sant Louis to Mbake
<b>Day 8 – 23.11.12</b>	Warm humid 39°C Mbake – Tambacounda - Wassadou
<b>Day 9 – 24.11.12</b>	Warm and humid 32°C Wassadou
<b>Day 10 – 25.11.12</b>	Warm and humid 30°C Wassadou
<b>Day 11 – 26.11.12</b>	Warm and humid 35°C Wassadpu – Kaloak - Toubacouta
<b>Day 12 27.11.12</b>	Warm 30°C Toubacouta Village – Saloum Delta
<b>DAY 13 28.11.12</b>	Warm but cloudy 28°C Toubacouta – Ferry to Barra – Banjul – Tanji Nature reserve
<b>Day 14 29.11.12</b>	Warm but cloudy 30°C Brufut National Park - Tugereng
<b>Day 15 30.11.12</b>	Warm but cloudy 30°C Abuko National Park





	English name	Scientific name	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
118.	Grey Headed Gull	<i>Larus cirrocephalus</i>		x	x	x	x		x					x	x	x	
119.	Slender Billed Gull	<i>Larus genei</i>												x			
120.	Gull Billed Tern	<i>Sterna nilotica</i>		x		x	x								x		
121.	Caspian Tern	<i>Sterna caspia</i>		x	x	x	x						x	x	x	x	
122.	Lesser Crested Tern	<i>Sterna bengalensis</i>		x													x
123.	Sandwich Tern	<i>Sterna sandvicensis</i>		x	x	x								x	x	x	
124.	Royal Tern	<i>Sterna maxima</i>													x	x	
125.	Roseate Tern	<i>Sterna dougalli</i>		x													
126.	Common Tern	<i>Sterna hirundo</i>				x											
127.	Little Tern	<i>Sterna albifrons</i>			x	x											
128.	Whiskered Tern	<i>Chidonias hybrida</i>		x	x		x								x		
129.	Chestnut Bellied Sandgrouse	<i>Pterocles exustus</i>						x									
130.	Four Banded Sandgrouse	<i>Pterocle quadricinctus</i>													x		
131.	Rock Dove	<i>Columba livia</i>	x	x	x					x							
132.	Speckled Pigeon	<i>Columba guinea</i>	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
133.	European Turtle Dove	<i>Streptopelia turtur</i>									x						
134.	African Collared Dove	<i>Streptopelia roseogrisea</i>						x		x	x						
135.	African Mourning Dove	<i>Streptopelia decipiens</i>	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
136.	Red Eyed Dove	<i>Streptopelia semitorquata</i>	x							x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
137.	Vinaceous Dove	<i>Streptopelia vinacea</i>	x								x	x	x				x
138.	Laughing Dove	<i>Streptopelia senegalensis</i>	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x	
139.	Black Billed Wood Dove	<i>Turtur abyssinicus</i>	h		x					x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
140.	Blue Spotted Wood Dove	<i>Turtur afer</i>		x	x	x						x	x	x	x		x
141.	Namaqua Dove	<i>Oena capensis</i>			x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x		x	
142.	Bruce's Green Pigeon	<i>Treron waalia</i>												x			
143.	African Green Pigeon	<i>Treron calvus</i>														x	
144.	Rose Ringed Parakeet	<i>Psittacula krameri</i>							x	x		x		x		x	
145.	Senegal Parrot	<i>Poicephalus senegalus</i>	x								x	x	x	x	x	x	
146.	Green Turaco	<i>Tauraco persa</i>	x													x	x
147.	Violet Turaco	<i>Musophaga violacea</i>	x												x	x	
148.	Western Grey Plantain Eater	<i>Crinifer piscator</i>	x							x		x	x	x	x	x	x
149.	Levaillant's Cuckoo	<i>Oxylophus levaillantii</i>								x	x	x					x
150.	Klaas's Cuckoo	<i>Chrysococcyx klass</i>															x
151.	Senegal Coucal	<i>Centropus senegalensis</i>	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
152.	Verreaux's Eagle Owl	<i>Bubo lacteus</i>															x
153.	Pearl Spotted Oulet	<i>Glaucidium perlatum</i>										x	x				
154.	European Nightjar	<i>Caprimulgus europaeus</i>							x								
155.	Long tailed Nightjar	<i>Caprimulgus climacurus</i>															x
156.	African Palm Swift	<i>Cypsiurus parvus</i>		x			x				x	x	x				x
157.	Little Swift	<i>Apus affinis</i>		x	x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x
158.	Blue Naped Mousebird	<i>Urocolius macrourus</i>			x		x		x	x							
159.	Grey Headed Kingfisher	<i>Halcyon leucocephala</i>							x	x	x	x		x			
160.	Striped Kingfisher	<i>Halcyon chelicuti</i>						x	x		x						x
161.	Blue Breasted Kingfisher	<i>Halcyon malimbica</i>								x	x	x					
162.	Woodland Kingfisher	<i>Halcyon senegalensis</i>	x				x		x		x	x					
163.	African Pygmy Kingfisher	<i>Ceyx pictus</i>	x														x
164.	Malachite Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo cristata</i>	x			x	x							x			
165.	Giant Kingfisher	<i>Megaceryle maxima</i>	x	x							x	x			x		x
166.	Pied Kingfisher	<i>Ceryle rudis</i>	x		x	x	x			x	x	x	x	x			
167.	Swallow Tailed Bee-eater	<i>Merops hirundineus</i>	x												x		
168.	Little Bee eater	<i>Merops pusillus</i>	x			x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x	x	
169.	Red Throated Bee eater	<i>Merops bulocki</i>									x	x	x				
170.	Green Bee eater	<i>Merops orientalis</i>						x		x							
171.	Blue Cheeked Bee eater	<i>Merops persicus</i>				x	x	x	x				x				
172.	Carmine Bee eater	<i>Merops nubicus</i>								x	x	x					
173.	Rufous Crowned Roller	<i>Coracias naevius</i>			x					x			x	x			
174.	Abyssinian Roller	<i>Coracias abyssinicus</i>	x	x	x		x	x	x	x			x	x	x		x
175.	European Roller	<i>Coracias garrulus</i>			x			x					x				
176.	Blue Bellied Roller	<i>Coracias cyanogaster</i>	x								x	x	x				x

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177.	Broad Billed Roller	<i>Eurystomus glaucurus</i>								X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
178.	Common Hoopoe	<i>Upupa epops</i>			X		X		X	X							
179.	Green Wood Hoopoe	<i>Phoeniculus purpureus</i>	X							X	X	X				X	X
180.	Black Wood Hoopoe	<i>Rhinopomastus aterrimus</i>			X		X										
181.	African Pied Hornbill	<i>Tockus fasciatus</i>	X												X	X	
182.	African Grey Hornbill	<i>Tockus nasutus</i>	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X	X
183.	Red Billed Hornbill	<i>Tockus erythrorhynchus</i>	X	X	X			X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
184.	Yellow Fronted Tinkerbird	<i>Pogoniulus Chrysoconus</i>													X	X	
185.	Vieillot's Barbet	<i>Lybius vieilloti</i>					X	X					X	X		X	
186.	Bearded Barbet	<i>Lybius dubius</i>	X							X		X	X	X		X	
187.	Lesser Honeyguide	<i>Indicator minor</i>															X
188.	Greater Honeyguide	<i>Indicator indicator</i>														X	
189.	Fine spotted Woodpecker	<i>Campethera punctuligera</i>								X						X	
190.	Little green Woodpecker	<i>Campethera maculosa</i>					X										
191.	Buff spotted Woodpecker	<i>Campethera nivos</i>															X
192.	Little grey Woodpecker	<i>Dendropicos elachus</i>					X										
193.	Cardinal Woodpecker	<i>Dendropicos fuscescens</i>													X	X	
194.	Grey Woodpecker	<i>Dendropicos goertae</i>	X				X			X	X	X	X	X			
195.	Flappet Lark	<i>Mirafa rufocinnamomea</i>				X											
196.	Chestnut Back Sparrow Lark	<i>Eremopterix leucotis</i>				X											
197.	Black Crowned Sparrow Lark	<i>Eremopterix nigriceps</i>				X											
198.	Crested Lark	<i>Galerida cristata</i>			X	X	X	X	X				X				
199.	Fanti Saw Wing	<i>Psalidoprocne obscura</i>	X													X	
200.	Common Sand Martin	<i>Riparia riparia</i>			X	X	X	X			X	X					
201.	Barn Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>			X											X	
202.	Red Chested Swallow	<i>Hirundo lucida</i>			X											X	
203.	Wire Tailed Swallow	<i>Hirundo smithii</i>													X	X	
204.	Pied Winged Swallow	<i>Hirundo leucosoma</i>													X	X	
205.	Northern House Martin	<i>Delichon urbicum</i>													X		
206.	Rufous Chested Swallow	<i>Hirundo semirufa</i>													X		
207.	Mosque Swallow	<i>Hirundo senegalensis</i>							X						X		
208.	Red Rumped Swallow	<i>Hirundo daurica</i>									X	X					
209.	Tree Pipit	<i>Anthus trivalis</i>					X										
210.	White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>		X	X	X	X	X							X		
211.	African Pied Wagtail	<i>Motacilla aguimp</i>		X	X	X			X	X	X						
212.	Red Shouldered Cuckoo Shrike	<i>Campephaga phoenicea</i>										X					
213.	Common Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus barbatus</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
214.	Little Greenbul	<i>Andropadus virens</i>		X													X
215.	Yellow Throated Leaflove	<i>Chlorocichla flavicollis</i>														X	X
216.	White Throated Greenbul	<i>Phyllastrephus albigularis</i>	X														
217.	African Thrush	<i>Turdus pelios</i>	X	X											X	X	X
218.	Northern Anteater Chat	<i>Myrmecocichla aethiops</i>							X						X		
219.	White Fronted Black Chat	<i>Myrmecocichla albifrons</i>														X	
220.	Snowy Crowned Robin Chat	<i>Cossypha niveicapilla</i>	X														X
221.	White Crowned Robin Chat	<i>Cossypha albicapilla</i>							X	X							
222.	Common Nightingale	<i>Luscinia megarhynchos</i>													H		
223.	Black Scrub Robin	<i>Cercotrichas podobe</i>							X								
224.	Common Redstart	<i>Phoenicurus phoenicurus</i>			X		X		X		X						
225.	Whinchat	<i>Saxicola rubetra</i>														X	
226.	Northern Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe oenanthe</i>			X	X	X	X									
227.	Isabelline Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe isabellina</i>					X										
228.	Pale Flycatcher	<i>Melaenornis pallidus</i>					X										
229.	Northern Black Flycatcher	<i>Melaenornis edolioides</i>								X	X					X	
230.	Spotted Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa striata</i>								X	X						
231.	Senegal Batis	<i>Batis senegalensis</i>						X									
232.	Common Wattle Eye	<i>Platysteria cyanea</i>	X							X	X	X					X
233.	Red Bellied Paradise Flycatcher	<i>Terpsiphone rufiventer</i>	X												X	X	X
234.	African Paradise Flycatcher	<i>Terpsiphone viridis</i>	X							X	X	X				X	X
235.	African Blue Flycatcher	<i>Elminia longicauda</i>								X		X					

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236.	Tawny Fanked Prinia	<i>Prinia subflava</i>	x											x		x	
237.	River Prinia	<i>Prinia fluviatilis</i>					x										
238.	Whistling Cisticola	<i>Cisticola lateralis</i>														x	
239.	Winding Cisticola	<i>Cisticola galactotes</i>														x	
240.	Zitting Cisticola	<i>Cisticola juncidis</i>	x				x		x					h		x	
241.	Oriole Warbler	<i>Hypergerus atriceps</i>										x				x	
242.	Yellow Breasted Apalis	<i>Apalis flavida</i>	x														x
243.	Grey Backed Camaroptera	<i>Camaroptera brachyura</i>	x								x		x			x	x
244.	European Reed Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus scirpaceus</i>				h											
245.	Great Reed Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus arundinaceus</i>				h											
246.	Melodious Warbler	<i>Hippolais poyglotta</i>								x		x		x		x	
247.	Olivaceous Warbler	<i>Hippolais pallida</i>					x				x	x	x				
248.	Yellow Bellied Hyliota	<i>Hyliota flavigaster</i>															x
249.	Willow Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus trochilus</i>				x					x	x					x
250.	Common Chiffchaff	<i>Phylloscopus collybita</i>				x											
251.	Western Bonelli's Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus bonelli</i>					x	x									
252.	Wood Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus sibilatrix</i>										x					
253.	Yellow bellied Eremomela	<i>Eremomela icteropygialis</i>					x	x									
254.	Senegal Eremomela	<i>Eremomela pusilla</i>						x			x	x	x	x	x		
255.	Northern Crombec	<i>Sylvietta brachyura</i>							x	x							
256.	Common Whitethroat	<i>Sylvia communis</i>				x			x								
257.	Subalpine Warbler	<i>Sylvia cantillans</i>				x											
258.	Brown Babbler	<i>Turdoides plebejus</i>							x		x	x		x		x	
259.	Blackcap Babbler	<i>Turdoides reinwardtii</i>							x		x	x			x	x	
260.	White shouldered Black Tit	<i>Parus leucomelas</i>														x	
261.	Sennar Penduline Tit	<i>Anthoscopus punctifrons</i>						x									
262.	Brown Sunbird	<i>Anthreptes gabonicus</i>												x			
263.	Western Violet Backed Sunbird	<i>Anthreptes longuemarei</i>														x	
264.	Collared Sunbird	<i>Hedydipna collaris</i>															x
265.	Pygmy Sunbird	<i>Hedydipna platura</i>				x	x						x	x			
266.	Gren Headed Sunbird	<i>Cyanomitra verticalis</i>	x														
267.	Scarlet Chested Sunbird	<i>Chalcomitra senegalensis</i>	x				x	x				x	x	x	x	x	
268.	Beautiful Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris pulchellus</i>	x			x	x			x	x	x	x		x	x	x
269.	Splendid Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris coccinigastrus</i>	x								x					x	
270.	Variable Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris venustus</i>	x												x	x	
271.	Copper Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris cupreus</i>										x				x	
272.	Yellow White Eye	<i>Zosterops senegalensis</i>								x		x					
273.	African Golden Oriole	<i>Oriolus auratus</i>												x		x	
274.	Southern Grey Shrike	<i>Lanius meridionalis</i>				x			x								
275.	Woodchat Shrike	<i>Lanius senator</i>				x	x	x	x	x							
276.	Yellow Billed Shrike	<i>Corvinella corvina</i>									x	x	x	x		x	
277.	Grey headed Bush Shrike	<i>Malaconotus Blanchoti</i>									x	x					
278.	Orange Breasted bush shrike	<i>Chlorophoneus sulfureopectus</i>								x							
279.	Black Crowned Tchagra	<i>Tchagra senegala</i>							h	h		h			x	x	
280.	Northern Puffback	<i>Dryoscopus senegalensis</i>										x		x	x	x	
281.	Yellow Crowned Gonolek	<i>Laniarus barbarus</i>					x		h	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
282.	Brubru	<i>Nilaus afer</i>					x									x	
283.	White Helmet Shrike	<i>Prionops plumatus</i>	x												x		
284.	Square Tailed Drongo	<i>Dicrurus ludvigii</i>										x		x		x	
285.	Fork Tailed Drongo	<i>Dicrurus adsimillis</i>					x	x	x			x	x		x	x	
286.	Piapiac	<i>Ptilostomus afer</i>	x	x	x								x	x		x	
287.	Pied Crow	<i>Corvus albus</i>	x		x		x		x	x	x		x		x	x	x
288.	Yellow Billed Oxpecker	<i>Buphagus africanus</i>				x								x			
289.	Greater Blue Bared Starling	<i>Lamprotornis chalybaeus</i>							x	x	x	x					
290.	Lesser Blue Eared Starling	<i>Lamprotornis chloropterus</i>	x									x	x				
291.	Purple Glossy Starling	<i>Lamprotornis purpureus</i>					x		x	x	x						
292.	Long Tailed Glossy Starling	<i>Lamprotornis caudatus</i>	x	x	x		x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
293.	Chestnut Bellied Glossy Starling	<i>Lamprotornis pulcher</i>			x			x	x	x							
294.	House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x					x		x



## **Bird of the tour**

John Packer – Northern Carmine Bee-eater

David Broadley – Four Banded Sandgrouse

Peter Luetchford – Gabar Goshawk

Tony Diebel – Swallow Tailed Kite

Dave Beeken - Swallow Tailed Kite

Kath Beeken - Swallow Tailed Kite

J. Rewse-Davies – Swallow Tailed Kite

Jenny Shalom – Lavander Waxbill

Jane Rowse – Pelican experience

Sue Rose – Viellot's Barbet

Richard Rose - Green Turako

Terry Cox – Verroux Eagle Owl

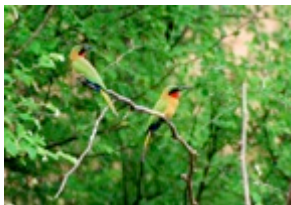
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Josele J Saiz – Ovambo Sparrowhawk





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