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Cover photo: *This male Eurasian Golden Oriole Oriolus oriolus was one of several feeding in a Mulberry tree at Kathikas and photographed by Andy Waller 9th May 2021.*

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COMPILATION OF MONTHLY CHECKLIST

The Monthly Checklist and Society News is compiled by Dave Walker.

We would love to hear from members and friends who would like to provide bird and bird watching related articles in future editions of the Monthly Checklist. Get in touch and let us know your ideas. Suggestions for topics could include ID pointers, great locations to visit, birding walks or drives or interesting personal birding experiences that you feel fellow readers would enjoy. Please contact Dave Walker 99915907 davidwalker@cytanet.com.cy

If you are sending photographs for inclusion in the Systematic List please send them by 18th of the month to Jane Stylianou. Every effort is made to ensure that the work of as many contributors as possible is used but inclusion cannot be guaranteed. Please send photographs in JPEG format where possible. Please send to janesty@yaho.co.uk. Telephone: 99558953

Join the [BirdLife Cyprus Google](#) group to exchange and receive emails updating local and visiting birders about recent sightings <https://groups.google.com/forum/#!forum/birdlifecyprusbirds>

KEEP UP TO DATE AND SHARE RECENT SIGHTINGS WITH THE BIRDLIFE CYPRUS GOOGLE GROUP

Continuing BirdLife Cyprus' attempts to ensure both resident and visiting birders receive up to date information on the birds being spotted on the island, we have set up a Google Group through which group members can email in their recent sightings and bird news and receive and read those of other members.

If you would like to join please [click here](#).

Email: BirdLifeCyprusBirds@googlegroups.com

Once you are a member you can choose whether to receive all emails or check the news via the web at a time convenient to you. Visit the settings option to ensure that you get emails if you want to. It is an informal group for birders to share what is around. It cannot be checked for accuracy or be held responsible for misinformation. The group is open to both BirdLife Cyprus members and non-members alike. If you know a non-member or friend who may be interested please let them know.

Any news will also be shared with the BirdLife Cyprus BirdLine 25 934076 and the BirdLife Cyprus [Recent sightings page](#) of the website. You can also use these two resources to find out what is around if you don't want to join the Google group.

YOUR BIRDING SIGHTINGS ARE IMPORTANT. PLEASE DON'T FORGET TO SEND THEM TO THE RECORDER

Jane Stylianou

Whether you go out bird watching regularly or just enjoy noting what you see when out on a walk, any record of what you see is important to help us keep an up to date database of the birds of Cyprus.

Most people submit their records on a monthly basis. To be included in the Systematic List that appears in the Monthly Checklist please make sure that Jane receives your records by the 10th of the following month or are added to BirdTrack by that date. But don't worry if you miss the deadline, your sightings will still be added to the database and be used in compiling the annual Cyprus Bird Report. On occasions, you may be asked to provide extra details of rarer birds or of those seen out of season or away from their usual locations. This is something that happens to all observers and is not a reflection on anyone's bird watching skills! A list of the species for which a Rare Bird Report is required can be obtained from Jane.

There are several ways to make sure that your records count by submitting them to the BirdLife Cyprus Recorder, Jane Stylianou who will add them to the country database:

Use the Cyprus portal of BirdTrack <http://blc.birdtrack.net> or download our [reporting excel](#). The recorder is happy to receive your sightings by email but where possible please try to use either BirdTrack or the Excel form. Please contact her if you have any questions janesytcy@yahoo.co.uk mobile telephone 99558953.

Οι καταγραφές σας είναι σημαντικές για μας για να μπορέσουμε να κρατήσουμε τη βάση δεδομένων για τα πουλιά της Κύπρου ενημερωμένη. Για να συμπεριληφθούν οι καταγραφές σας στον Μηνιαίο Συστηματικό Κατάλογο παρακαλούμε συμπληρώστε [το έντυπο αυτό](#) και στείλτε το στην Jane την Υπεύθυνη Καταγραφών, μέχρι τις 10 του επόμενου μήνα ή ανεβάστε τις καταγραφές σας στο [BirdTrack](#) μέχρι εκείνη την ημερομηνία. Μην ανησυχείτε όμως εάν χάσετε την προθεσμία. Οι καταγραφές σας θα προστεθούν στη βάση δεδομένων και θα χρησιμοποιηθούν στην Ετήσια Ορνιθολογική Αναφορά.

Για οποιαδήποτε διευκρίνιση επικοινωνήστε με την Jane στο janesytcy@yahoo.co.uk ή στο 99558953.

RECENT DECISIONS OF THE CYPRUS RARE BIRDS COMMITTEE

The Cyprus Rare Bird Committee has recently accepted the following records:

Rook *Corvus frugilegus* One Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 12 May 2020 (M Trimikliniotis)
9th Cyprus record since 1993

Oriental Skylark *Alauda gulgula* One Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 29 October 2020 (A Waller) 1st Cyprus record

Yellow-browed Warbler *Phylloscopus inornatus* One Troodos (Livadi tou Pashia) 25 September 2020 (A Kirschel, BCRS)

Collared Flycatcher *Ficedula albicollis* One Potamia 15 September 2020 (F Georgiades)

Collared Flycatcher *Ficedula albicollis* One Troodos 25 September 2020 (J East)

Northern Caspian Stonechat *Saxicola torquatus hemprichii* One Mandria (Paphos) 19 March 2020 (I Bloomer, K Bloomer)

Northern Caspian Stonechat *Saxicola torquatus hemprichii* One Chlorakas 22 March 2020 (I Bloomer, K Bloomer)

Mourning Wheatear *Oenanthe lugens* One Softades beach 23 March 2020 (P Parker) 6th Cyprus record

Firecrest *Regulus ignicapilla* One near Kapouti 6 December 2020 (Per B Gokeri) 3rd Cyprus record

'Siberian' Buff-bellied Pipit *Anthus rubescens (japonicus)* One Mandria (Paphos) 1 December 2020 (C Richardson) 6th Cyprus record

The Committee did not accept the following reports:

Greater Hoopoe-Lark *Alaemon alaudipes* Two Paphos Headland 15 September 2020

Cyprus Rare Birds Committee: Jane Stylianos (Chair), Melis Charalambides, Stavros Christodoulides, Chris Stavrou, Martin Hellicar, Johannes Honold, Filippos Georgiades. A full list of Cyprus birds requiring rarity descriptions and rare bird report forms are available from Jane Stylianos janestycy@yahoo.co.uk to whom claims should be sent.

SCHEDULE OF BIRDLIFE CYPRUS FIELD MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES

Autumn/Winter 2021 Schedule

*For field trips, please don't forget your flask of coffee and sandwiches. Although their higher clearance is an advantage, 4x4s are not necessary for any of the field trips unless **stated otherwise** below. The schedule of field trips is drawn up well in advance of the actual dates. The schedule will only change due to an extraordinary event. However, it is sometimes necessary to assign a different leader. **Please note certain field trips require pre booking with the leader to ensure there are suitable conditions at the site for the time of year and sufficient participation (These will be marked Pre Book). Participants in field trips are always advised therefore to check with the BirdLife Cyprus website in case of any late changes or cancellations.** Whilst BirdLife Cyprus does not charge for attending field trips, any voluntary donation to its conservation work would be very welcome. Please present your gift to the leader on the day.*

*To assist new members and visiting birders, who have access to a GPS or Google Earth, to locate our 'meeting points more easily', **we have introduced coordinates into the following schedule.** Simply copy and paste the coordinates into the "Search bar" in "Google Earth" and click on it. For most instruments it is unnecessary to type in the degree and minute symbols (° & ') or the N and E letters.*

Important Announcement: Participation in BirdLife Cyprus field meetings is at one's own risk. BirdLife Cyprus accepts no liability or responsibility for accidents, illness, injury or loss or damage to property that might occur. Field trips require light to moderate exercise. Please contact the field trip leader for more information on difficulty, distances and terrain of a particular field trip.

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PLEASE NOTE DUE TO THE CURRENT COVID 19 OUTBREAK ALL FIELD MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES WILL BE OPEN TO BIRDLIFE CYPRUS MEMBERS ONLY AND PRE BOOKING WITH THE APPROPRIATE LEADER IS ESSENTIAL.

THOSE MEMBERS ATTENDING MUST HAVE THEIR OWN OPTICAL EQUIPEMENT (there will be no sharing of binoculars or spotting scopes).

Please check the BirdLife Cyprus Website for any late changes or cancellations due to Government Covid restrictions applying at the time.

<https://birdlifecyprus.org/events-listing>

August 2021

Saturday 28th August: Akrotiri Salt Lake
PLEASE PRE BOOK WITH LEADER

Leader: Anders Gray. Mobile: 96434577

Demoiselle Cranes and early autumn migrants.

Meet at 8.30 am, Sylvana Restaurant. **Please note earlier start time.**

Google Maps link: <https://goo.gl/maps/H1nZijmFyVt>

September 2021

Saturday 11th September: Mandria, Asprokremmos Dam & Anarita Park

PLEASE PRE BOOK WITH LEADER

Leader: Dave and Jan Walker. Mobile: 99915907

Late autumn migrants and winter visitors.

Meet at 9.00 am Mandria, 'Lark Corner', on coastal track opposite rocky islands.

Google Maps link: <https://goo.gl/maps/HgekCfCUzp82>

Friday, Saturday & Sunday 24th 25th 26th September: Karpasia Peninsula

Leader: Melis Charalambides. Mobile: 99653205, Home Tel: 22632155

Autumn migrants, raptors and passerines.

Details will follow. **Please book in advance with Melis Charalambides..**

October 2021

Sunday 3rd October: EuroBirdwatch Weekend

Athalassa Park, Nicosia 09:30 - 12:00 Leader: Martin Hellicar, Mobile: 99907893

PLEASE PRE BOOK WITH LEADER

Akrotiri Peninsula, Limassol. 09:00 - 12:00, Leader: Anders Gray. Mobile: 96434577

PLEASE PRE BOOK WITH LEADER

Paphos Plain, Paphos. 09:00 - 12:00 Leader: Dave and Jan Walker. Mobile: 99915907

Saturday 9th October: Larnaca Sewage Works

PLEASE PRE BOOK WITH LEADER

Leader: Stavros Christodoulides. Mobile: 99425050

Early wintering gulls and waterfowl.

Meet at 9.00 am, Larnaca Sewage Pool hide.

Google Maps link: <https://goo.gl/maps/xW5dk5txAN62>

Saturday 16th October: Paphos Lighthouse

PLEASE PRE BOOK WITH LEADER

Leader: Dave and Jan Walker. Mobile: 99915907

Winter visiting passerines and shore birds.

Meet at 8.30 am, near beach cafe at CTO beach, west end of Paphos Lighthouse archaeological site.

Google Maps link: <https://goo.gl/maps/zHspq3rptv22>

Saturday 30st October: Akrotiri Peninsula

PLEASE PRE BOOK WITH LEADER

Leader: Anders Gray. Mobile: 96434577

Waterbirds and winter visitors.

Meet at 9.00 am, car park adjacent to the hide at Zakaki ponds off the road to Lady's Mile.

Google Maps link: <https://goo.gl/maps/nY2GENJHjfx>

November 2021

Saturday 13th November: Agios Sozomenos and Athalassa Park

PLEASE PRE BOOK WITH LEADER

Leader: Martin Hellicar. Mobile: 99907893

Winter residents and visitors such as the regular, but fairly scarce, Finsch's Wheatear.

Take the 'Tseri/Dali Industrial Estate' exit (junction 6) from the Nicosia-Limassol highway.

Meet 9.00 am in parking area in front of the EKO petrol station on the old Nicosia-Limassol road.

Google Maps link: <https://goo.gl/maps/YL1R2U1nSH25>

Saturday 20th November: Troodos

PLEASE PRE BOOK WITH LEADER

Leader: Stavros Christodoulides. Mobile: 99425050

Winter visitors and mountain endemics.

Meet at 9.00 am, Forestry Department Environment Centre next to Dolphin Restaurant.

Google Maps link: <https://goo.gl/maps/2WJkhrpwmq32>

December 2021

Saturday 4th December: Kidasi

PLEASE PRE BOOK WITH LEADER

Leader: Dave and Jan Walker, Mobile: 99915907

Griffon Vultures and winter visitors.

Meet at 9.00 am, Asprokremnos Dam car park.

Google Maps link: <https://goo.gl/maps/F23CnS5iZA42>

Saturday 11th December: Larnaca Sewage Works

PLEASE PRE BOOK WITH LEADER

Leader: Martin Hellicar. Mobile: 99907893

Wintering gulls and waterfowl.

Meet at 9.00 am, Larnaca Sewage Pool hide.

Google Maps link: <https://goo.gl/maps/TZ1v4RHqSxQ2>

BIRD PHOTO QUIZ

By Stavros Christodoulides

PHOTO # 95



Thin bill, darker round head with paler throat and medium length orange legs suggest that our mystery bird is another species of Sylvania Warbler, a family well represented on the island, especially during the two migration periods.

Any Sylvania warbler seen in the summer is almost certainly going to be one of our breeding species. Three species are known to breed; Cyprus Warbler, Spectacled Warbler and Sardinian Warbler. Of the three, Spectacled Warbler is the smallest and usually the easiest to identify by having contrasting chestnut-coloured wings in all plumages. It also prefers more arid habitat with low vegetation, appears longer-tailed, and has a more obvious and distinctive white eye-ring. The other two species are quite similar in size and shape and can often be found together. In most plumages and with good views identification is straight-forward with the endemic Cyprus Warbler showing throat speckling in most plumages. While this is much more obvious in adult males, female birds when seen well show this, as does our mystery bird, which is female **Cyprus Warbler**. Juvenile birds, especially young juveniles, can be harder to identify and special care must be taken when young, unaccompanied birds are seen.

SYSTEMATIC LIST FOR MAY 2021

Jane Stylianou

4423 bird records received

185 species and forms recorded May 2021, compared to 168 in May 2020.

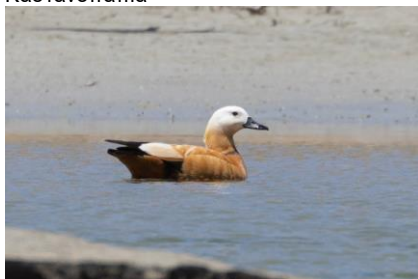
[Please note, the list has been edited for the purposes of this newsletter and contains records that have not been corrected or corroborated.]

The following species were also recorded in May 2021: Chukar, Black Francolin, Mallard, Little Grebe, Common Woodpigeon, Eurasian Collared Dove, Common Swift, Common Moorhen, Common Coot, Cattle Egret, Little Egret, Grey Heron, Great Cormorant, European Shag, Kentish Plover, Spur-winged Lapwing, Common Sandpiper, Yellow-legged Gull, Little Owl, Western Marsh Harrier, Common Kestrel (110 reports), Eurasian Magpie, Eurasian Jackdaw, Hooded Crow (101 reports), Great Tit, Crested Lark, Zitting Cisticola, Northern House Martin, Barn Swallow (189 reports), Cetti's Warbler, Sardinian Warbler, Spectacled Warbler, House Sparrow (101 reports), Spanish Sparrow, Common Chaffinch, European Greenfinch (106 reports), Common Linnet, European Goldfinch (110 reports), Corn Bunting.

COMMON QUAIL *Coturnix coturnix* Ορνύκι
Petounta Point 1 6-May FGe

COMMON SHELDUCK *Tadorna tadorna*
Αλάουτρος
Akrotiri Gravel Pits 1 16-May KyK
Larnaca Sewage Works 1 1 & 2-May
JS/MH

RUDDY SHELDUCK *Tadorna ferruginea*
Καστανόπαπια



Ruddy Shelduck, Evretou Dam, 14th May.
Photograph by Dave Walker.

Evretou Dam 1 14-May DJW

RED-CRESTED POCHARD *Netta rufina*
Κοτσιηνοτζιέφαλη
Oroklini Marsh 6+ 3m, 1m and 1 f together
and 1f with five ducklings 1-May JS
Oroklini Marsh 2 Males 4-May JS
Oroklini Marsh 2 m+f 7-May ABW
Oroklini Marsh 1 One female with six large
ducklings 10-May JS
Oroklini Marsh 4 2 pairs m+f 12-May
ABW

Oroklini Marsh 3 2m+f 14 & 19-May
ABW/JS
Oroklini Marsh 9 3 males, 1 female, 5
ducklings 16-May MH
Oroklini Marsh 5 Large ducklings 28-May
JS
Paralimni Lake 5 2-May AG

FERRUGINOUS DUCK *Aythya nyroca*

Βαλόπαπια
Max count per location:
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 4 4 &
6-May TRe
Bishops pool area 3 7-May AG
Oroklini Marsh 6 1-May MH
Paralimni Lake 20+ 2-May AG

GARGANEY *Spatula querquedula*

Μασσουρατζιής
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 2 6-
May TRe
Larnaca Sewage Works 2 1m and 1f 15-
May JS
Oroklini Marsh 2 pair 16-May MH
Paralimni Lake 3 2-May AG
Paralimni Lake 2 1m and 1f 4-May JS

NORTHERN SHOVELER *Spatula clypeata*

Σαξάνα
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 4 5-
May AL

NORTHERN PINTAIL *Anas acuta*

Σουβλονούρα
Akrotiri Salt Lake 7 Males 25-May JS
Bishops pool area 1 7-May AG
Delikipos Dam 2 2-May DK

Mavrokolymbos Dam 1 16-May DJW
Oroklini Marsh 1 Male 10 & 12-May
JS/ABW
Paralimni Lake 20+ 2-May AG
Paralimni Lake 3 4-May JS

GREAT CRESTED GREBE *Podiceps cristatus* Σκουφοβούτιης



Great Crested Grebe, Achna Dam, 28th May.
Photograph by Jane Stylianou

Achna Dam 2 8-May FGe/SC/MC/CC/MH
Achna Dam 1 14-May PBr
Achna Dam 2 two ads and two chicks 21
& 28-May JS
Asprokremmos Dam 1 28-May DJW

GREATER FLAMINGO *Phoenicopterus*

roseus Φλαμίνγκο

Max count per location:

Akrotiri Salt Lake 2000 rough count 15-
May CR

Lady's Mile c60 Two flocks - one c40 and
other c20 heading along coast 22-May JS
Larnaca Sewage Works 20 2-May JS
Oroklini Marsh c90 1-May MH
Paralimni Lake c55 4-May JS

ROCK DOVE *Columba livia* Αρκοπέζουνο

Cape Pyla c50 6-May FGe

Xeros Potamos 2 25-May MH

EUROPEAN TURTLE DOVE *Streptopelia*

turtur Τρυγόνι

Largest counts:

Agia Napa Sewage Works 8 6-May FGe
Akrotiri Marsh 12 3-May AG
Bishops pool area 8 7-May AG
Mandria 14 1 flock in flight 5-May CR

LAUGHING DOVE *Spilopelia senegalensis*

Φοινικοτρυγόνιο

Largest counts:

Achna Dam 10+ 14-May PBr
Paralimni Lake 8 15-May FGe
Xylophagou 10 1-May FGe

EUROPEAN NIGHTJAR *Caprimulgus*

europaeus Νυκτοπούλλι

Kalo Horio Orinis 3 23-May MC

Mavrokolymbos Dam 3 27-May DJW

Minthis Hills 13 on successive lampposts,
after dark 21.00-21.30h 23-May CR

Souni 1 heard near our home 1951-2000
11-May JN

Strakka, Nicosia 1 8-May MH

ALPINE SWIFT *Tachymarptis melba*

Ασπροπετροχειλίδο

Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 1 4,
19 & 22-May TRe/JS

Asprokremmos Dam 15 28-May DJW

Dora c30 25-May DJW

Ezousas River: lower 4 25-May DJW

Kensington Cliffs c30 25-May JS

Marathounta 2 5-May CR

Prastio Avdimou 4 15-May AL

PALLID SWIFT *Apus pallidus*

Στακτοπετροχειλίδο

Agia Varvara 1 prob, very pale seen briefly
23-May CR

Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 1 19-
May TRe

Troodos 9 15-May AG

Troodos weather station c6 At least. May
have been others in large flock 26-May JS

GREAT SPOTTED CUCKOO *Clamator*

glandarius Καλοχρονιά



Great Spotted Cuckoo, Akrotiri Gravel Pits,
14th May. Photograph by Anna & Brian Lewis.

Singles recorded from suitable habitat all
month. Reports of two or more:

Akrotiri Gravel Pits 4 14-May AL

Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 3 24-
May AL

Marathounta 2 6-May CR

Souni 3 19-May JN

Vougies 2 13-May FGe

COMMON CUCKOO *Cuculus canorus*

Κούκος

Agia Napa Sewage Works 1 4-May JS
Akrotiri Gravel Pits 2 14-May AL
Fikardou 1 1-May TK
Kathikas 1 9-May ABW
Souni 1 heard singing 1 male 27-May JN
Xeros Potamos, Paphos 1 25-May MH

CORNCRAKE *Crex crex* Ορτυκομάνα



Corncrake, Meneou, 2nd May. Photograph by Jane Stylianou

Meneou Beach 1 Sitting by side of road
but flew off on approach 2-May JS

SPOTTED CRAKE *Porzana porzana*

Σηκτοπουλάδα



Spotted Crake, Agia Varvara, 11th May.
Photograph by Trevor Fordham.

Achna Dam 1 8-May FGe
Agia Varvara 1 11-May TF
Zakaki Marsh 1 9 & 14-May AL

LITTLE CRAKE *Zapornia parva*

Μικροπουλάδα

Agia Varvara 1 fem 1-May CR
Zakaki hide 1 1-May AG

WHITE STORK *Ciconia ciconia* Λευκός

Πελαργός

Kantou, Limassol 1 flying over hillsides
from E to W at 0932-35 28-May JN

EURASIAN SPOONBILL *Platalea*

leucorodia Κουταλάς

Akrotiri Salt Lake 1 11-May CR
Akrotiri Salt Lake 2 19-May TRE

GLOSSY IBIS *Plegadis falcinellus*

Χαλκόκοτα

Largest counts:

Achna Dam 83 64 at roost site 8-May
MC/CC/MH
Akrotiri Marsh 139+ 4-May AG
Oroklini Marsh 38 7-May ABW
Paralimni Lake 36 18 feeding on ground
and a flock of 18 heading N 4-May JS
Softades 35 Flying E along coast 10:35 1-
May JS

EURASIAN BITTERN *Botaurus stellaris*

Βουρωδιός

Achna Dam 1 8-May GS

COMMON LITTLE BITTERN *Ixobrychus*

minutus Νανορωδιός



Common Little Bittern, Achna Dam, 14th May.
Photograph by Jane Stylianou

Max count per location:

Achna Dam 5 3m and 2f 10-May JS
Agia Varvara 5 23-May CR
Akrotiri Marsh 3 Two males calling and 1
female seen in flight. 23-May AG
Athalassa Dam 1 21-May MH
Delikiapos Village Reservoir 1 Male 7-May
JS
Oroklini Marsh 1 7, 12, 13, 19 & 21-May
ABW/MH/JS
Paralimni Lake 1 19-May AG
Polis camp site 2 15-May AG
Zakaki hide 1 1, 2 & 11-May AG/AL/CR

BLACK-CROWNED NIGHT HERON

Nycticorax nycticorax Νυχτοκόρακας

Largest counts:

Achna Dam 8 8-May MC/CC/MH
Akrotiri Marsh 10 7-May AG
Oroklini Marsh 16 7-May ABW

SQUACCO HERON *Ardeola ralloides*

Βορτακοφάς



Squacco Heron, Evretou Dam, 14th May.
Photograph by Dave Walker.

Largest counts:

Akrotiri Marsh 26 23-May AG

Kensington Cliffs 10 20-May AL

Meneou Pool 10 Resting 2-May JS

PURPLE HERON *Ardea purpurea*

Πορφυροπαροφάς

Largest counts:

Akrotiri fish farm 22 in off 4-May AG

Akrotiri Marsh 12 3-May AG

Paralimni Lake 23 2-May AG

GREAT WHITE EGRET *Ardea alba*

Χανούμισσα

Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 4 11-May CR

Akrotiri Salt Lake 3 15-May CR

Evretou Dam 1 14-May DJW

Larnaca Sewage Works 1 7-May JS

Paralimni Salt Lake 1 15-May FGe

EURASIAN THICK-KNEE *Burhinus*

oediconemus Τρουλλουριά

Achna Dam 3 heard 8-May MC/CC/MH

Agia Varvara 2 14-May CR

Agia Varvara 3 pair + 1 chick in olive grove near bridge 19-May CR

Dekeleia 5 14-May ABW

Deryneia 4 4 birds calling from distantly different areas of 2 fields. 27-May PBr

Kiti to Petounta Road 2 Same location as yesterday. ?nest site 1-May JS

Larnaca Salt lake 2 1-May MH

Larnaca Salt lake 3 6-May AG

Lower Ezousas River 1 16-May ABW

Petounta Point 2 6-May FGe

PIED AVOCET *Recurvirostra avosetta*

Αβοκέτα

Akrotiri Salt Lake 2 15 & 22-May CR/JS

Akrotiri Salt Lake 3 27-May AL

BLACK-WINGED STILT *Himantopus*

himantopus Καλαμοκαννάς



Black-winged Stilt, Evretou Dam, 14th May.
Photograph by Dave Walker

Largest counts:

Akrotiri Marsh 18 23-May AG

Akrotiri Salt Lake 67 15-May CR

Larnaca sewage works 29 6-May AG

Oroklini Marsh 19 2 active nests seen 16-May MH

Paralimni Lake c70 4-May JS

GREY PLOVER *Pluvialis squatarola*

Στακτοπλουμίδι

Akrotiri Salt Lake 1 11 & 22-May CR/MH

Akrotiri Salt Lake 2 28-May AL

Lady's Mile 1 21-May AL

COMMON RINGED PLOVER *Charadrius*

hiaticula Αμμοπλουμίδι



Common Ringed Plover, Paphos Headland, 13th May.
Photograph by Dave Walker

Largest counts:

Akrotiri Salt Lake 28 11-May CR

Lady's Mile 20+ 21-May AL

LITTLE RINGED PLOVER *Charadrius dubius* Λιμνοπλουμίδι



Little Ringed Plover, Nata, 15th May.
Photograph by Jan Walker

Akrotiri Gravel Pits 1 13-May AL
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 1 17,
23 & 24-May AL/AG
Lady's Mile 5 2-May AL
Nata Xeros Crossing 1 15-May DJW
Paralimni Lake 2 2-May AG
Paralimni Lake 6 15-May FGe
Paralimni Lake 1 19-May AG

WHITE-TAILED LAPWING* *Vanellus leucurus* Λευκόουρος Γιαννής



White-tailed Lapwing, Achna Dam, 8th May.
Photograph by Jane Stylianou

Achna Dam 2 Found by Pieri Nouris 7th
May and photos on BC FB group 8-May
FGe/JS/VV (10th record since 2000)

BLACK-TAILED GODWIT *Limosa limosa* Λιμόζα



Black-tailed Godwit, Evretou Dam, 14th May.
Photograph by Dave Walker

Achna Dam 1 8-May FGe/SC
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 1 4-
May TRE
Evretou Dam 1 14-May DJW

RUDDY TURNSTONE *Arenaria interpres* Χαλικονεραλλίδι



Ruddy Turnstone, Akrotiri Salt Lake, 28th May.
Photograph by Anna & Brian Lewis.

Akrotiri Salt Lake 1 ad 11 & 15-May CR
Akrotiri Salt Lake 2 28 & 31-May AL/TRE

RUFF *Calidris pugnax* Μαχητής

Largest counts:
Akrotiri Salt Lake 22 flock of 15 flying in
distance 11-May CR
Larnaca Sewage Works c50 2-May JS
Paralimni Lake 1000+ 4-May JS

BROAD-BILLED SANDPIPER *Calidris falcinellus* Ραβδονεραλλίδι
Akrotiri Salt Lake 3 12 & 13-May AG/KyK

CURLEW SANDPIPER *Calidris ferruginea* Δρεπανονεραλλίδι

Max count per location:
Achna Dam 4 8-May JS
Akrotiri fish farm 4 in off 4-May AG

Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 1 2-May AL
 Akrotiri Salt Lake 42 Zakaki run off 3-May JS
 Lady's Mile 2 21-May AL
 Paralimni Lake 36 4-May JS
 Polis (Chrysochou River mouth) 1 6-May TK

TEMMINCK'S STINT *Calidris temminckii*
 Σταχτονεραλλιδι



Temminck's Stint, Akrotiri Marsh, 4th May.
Photograph by Tony Reeves

Max count per location:

Achna Dam 7 10-May JS
 Akrotiri Gravel Pits 2 13-May AL
 Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 3 7-May AL/AG
 Akrotiri Salt Lake 5 Zakaki Run off 12-May AG
 Lady's Mile 2 2-May AL
 Mandria 1 in ditch 5-May CR
 Paralimni Lake 2 15 & 19-May FGe/AG

SANDERLING *Calidris alba*
 Λευκονεραλλιδι

Akrotiri Salt Lake 4 Zakaki run off 3- & 12-May JS/AG
 Larnaca sewage works 3 6-May AG

DUNLIN *Calidris alpina* Λασπονεραλλιδι
 Akrotiri Salt Lake 7+ Zakaki run off 3-May JS

Akrotiri Salt Lake 2 ads 11-May CR
 Akrotiri Salt Lake 1 Zakaki run off 12-May AG
 Paralimni Lake 8+ 4-May JS

LITTLE STINT *Calidris minuta*
 Νανονεραλλιδι

Largest counts:
 Akrotiri Salt Lake 229 3 flocks 11-May CR
 Lady's Mile 50+ 2-May AL
 Paralimni Lake 100+ 2-May AG

GREAT SNIPE *Gallinago media*

Διπλοπικικότσονο



Great Snipe, Akrotiri Marsh, 4th May.
Photograph by Tony Reeves

Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 1 4-May TRe/AG

COMMON SNIPE *Gallinago gallinago*
 Πικατσόνι



Common Snipe, Akrotiri Marsh, 6th May.
Photograph by Anna & Brian Lewis

Achna Dam 1 8-May GS/FGe
 Achna Dam 2 10-May JS
 Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 1 6 & 7-May AL
 Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 2 9 & 11-May AL/CR
 Evretou Dam 1 14-May DJW
 Mavrokolymbos Dam 1 16-May DJW
 Polis camp site 1 14-May AG

GREEN SANDPIPER *Tringa ochropus*
 Δασονεραλλιδι

Achna Dam 2 10-May JS
 Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 2 4 & 5-May TRe/AL
 Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 1 6 & 16-May AL
 Paralimni Lake 1 15-May FGe
 Vathia Gonia treated water new pool 3 3-May FGe

SPOTTED REDSHANK *Tringa erythropus*
Μαυρονεραλλίδι
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 2 2 &
5-May AL
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 1 3-
May JS/AG
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 3 4-
May TRe
Larnaca Sewage Works 1 12-May JS
Paralimni Lake 1 Breeding plumage 4-
May JS

COMMON GREENSHANK *Tringa
nebularia* Πρασινονεραλλίδι
Achna Dam 1 Heard 10 & 28-May JS
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 1 5-
May TRe/AL
Akrotiri Salt Lake 3 15-May CR
Lady's Mile 4 16-May KyK
Larnaca sewage works 3 1 & 6-May
MH/AG
Larnaca Sewage Works 2 7-May JS
Larnaca Sewage Works 1 Heard 15-May
JS
Paralimni Lake 8 4-May JS
Vathia Gonia treated water new pool 1 3-
May FGe

COMMON REDSHANK *Tringa totanus*
Κοκκινονεραλλίδι
Paralimni Lake Present 4-May PBr No
count recorded

WOOD SANDPIPER *Tringa glareola*
Λάσπονεραλλίδι



*Wood Sandpiper, Mavrokolymbos Dam, 16th
May. Photograph by Dave Walker*

Largest counts:

Achna Dam c50 many together! 8-May
SC
Akrotiri fish farm 16 in off 4-May AG
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 30+
2-May AL

Oroklini Marsh c40 Flock flew over 17:30
looking for somewhere to land 1-May JS
Paralimni Lake 240+ 4-May JS

MARSH SANDPIPER *Tringa stagnatilis*
Βαλτονεραλλίδι
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 2 2 &
13-May AL
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 1 3,
7, 17, 19, 22, 24 & 25-May JS/AL

COLLARED PRATINCOLE *Glareola
pratinctola* Νεροχελίδονο
Achna Dam 5 8-May MC/CC/MH
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 21 2-
May AL
Akrotiri Marsh 60+ 4-May AG
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 17+
Flew overhead twice within half an hour, so
not sure if same group or 2 different groups
5-May AL
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 36+
7-May AL
Akrotiri Salt Lake 3 Zakaki run off 3-May
JS
Akrotiri Salt Lake 1 11-May CR
Akrotiri Salt Lake 6 Zakaki run off 12-May
AG
Akrotiri Salt Lake 2 19-May TRe
Larnaca Sewage Works 46 Flock flying
over area 2-May JS

SLENDER-BILLED GULL *Larus genei*
Λεπτόραμφος Γλάρος
Akrotiri Salt Lake 22 11-May CR
Akrotiri Salt Lake 7 15-May CR
Larnaca Sewage Works 3 15-May JS

AUDOUIN'S GULL *Larus audouinii*
Νησόγλαρος
Cape Greco Park 1 adult 5-May SC
Dhekelia, Larnaca 2 6-May FGe

Baltic Gull *Larus fuscus fuscus*
Μελανόγλαρος Βαλπικής
Akrotiri fish farm 4 7-May AG
Larnaca Sewage Works 1 Adult 2-May
JS

LITTLE TERN *Sternula albifrons* Γλαρόνι



Little Tern, Achna Dam, 10th May. Photograph by Jane Stylianou

Max count per location:

Achna Dam 3 10-May JS
Akrotiri Salt Lake 62 Zakaki run off 3-May JS
Lady's Mile 18 14-May AL
Larnaca Airport Coast 2 Fishing offshore 29-May JS
Larnaca Sewage Works 2 20-May JS
Oroklini Marsh 6 28-May JS
Paralimni Lake 8 4-May JS

COMMON GULL-BILLED TERN

Gelochelidon nilotica Γελογάρνο
Akrotiri Salt Lake 19 Zakaki run off 3-May JS
Akrotiri Salt Lake 2 Zakaki run off 12-May AG
Larnaca Salt lake 2 6-May AG

CASPIAN TERN *Hydroprogne caspia*
Γιγαντογάρνο



Caspian Tern, Larnaca Sewage Works, 23rd May. Photograph by Jane Stylianou

Larnaca Sewage Works 1 Flew in and stayed over area for ten mins 09:25 - 09:35. Photographed 23-May JS

WHISKERED TERN *Chlidonias hybrida*

Λιμνογάρνο
Largest counts:
Akrotiri Salt Lake 26 Zakaki run off 3-May JS
Oroklini Marsh 62 1-May MH
Spiros pool track 13 6-May AG

WHITE-WINGED TERN *Chlidonias leucopterus* Αργυρογάρνο



White-winged Tern, Agia Varvara, 13th May. Photograph by Andy Waller

Largest counts:

Achna Dam 12 14-May JS
Akrotiri Salt Lake 68 near Pluto masts, west end and hawking over whole lake 15-May CR
Larnaca Sewage Works 13 14-May JS
Oroklini Marsh 10 11-May ABW

BLACK TERN *Chlidonias niger*

Μαυρογάρνο
Akrotiri Salt Lake 1 Zakaki run off 13-May KyK
Akrotiri Salt Lake 2 breeding plum, feeding with WWTs 15-May CR

COMMON TERN *Sterna hirundo*
Θαλασσογάρνο



Common Tern, Larnaca Sewage Works, 15th May. Photograph by Jane Stylianou

Akrotiri Salt Lake 2 Zakaki run off 3-May JS
Akrotiri Salt Lake 1 11-May CR
Akrotiri Salt Lake 4 15-May CR
Larnaca Sewage Works 2 10, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, 23 & 29-May JS
Larnaca Sewage Works 1 28-May JS

SANDWICH TERN *Thalasseus sandvicensis* Χειμωνογάρδο
Argaka 1 14-May DJW

COMMON BARN OWL *Tyto alba* Αθρωποπούλλι
Agios Sozomenos 1 nest seen on cliff side 19-May RC
Akrotiri Marsh 1 23-May AG
Politiko 1 22 & 29-May FGe/SC
Xeros Potamos (Lower) 2 15-May DJW

CYPRUS SCOPS OWL *Otus cypria* Θουπί
Androlίκου 1 7 & 15-May DJW/AG
Kalo Horio Orinis 2 Pair hatched at least one chick from four eggs incubating in nest 23-May MC
Kamares (Tala) 1 5, 17, 18, 27, 28 & 29-May DJW
Mandra tou Kampiou East 1 22-May FGe
Mavrolymbos Dam 4 27-May DJW
Minthis Hills 3 heard, 9pm 23-May CR
Nicosia, Pedagogical Park 2 probably a pair 16-May SC
Polis camp site 2 14-May AG
Prastio Avdimou 2 15-May AL
Prastio Avdimou 1 Heard early morning, evening and in the night 31-May AL
Souni 1 1 & 10-May JN
Tala 1 2, 3, 4, 6 & 8-May ABW

OSPREY *Pandion haliaetus* Ψαραετός
Akrotiri Salt Lake 1 Zakaki run off 12-May AG

EUROPEAN HONEY BUZZARD *Pernis apivorus* Μελισσοσίχλινο



European Honey Buzzard, Akrotiri Marsh, 19th May. Photograph by Tony Reeves

Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 1 19-May TR
Kannaviou Dam 1 14-May DJW

SHORT-TOED SNAKE EAGLE *Circaetus gallicus* Φιδαιτός
Vougies 1 same bird as in April 13-May FGe

GRIFFON VULTURE *Gyps fulvus* Γύπας



Griffon Vulture, Diarizos Valley, 20th May. Photograph by Dave Walker.

Dora 2 25-May DJW
Kensington Cliffs 4 23 & 25-May AL/JS
Kensington Cliffs 2 30-May AL
Roudias Bridge, Xeros Potamos, Paphos 10 20-May DJW
Sotira goat farm 1 juv 26-May ADT
Troodos 6+ Maximum seen together was 6 birds, possibly 1 or 2 more in the area 15-May AG
Xeros Potamos, Paphos 5 25-May MH

BONELLI'S EAGLE *Aquila fasciata*

Σπιζαετός – Περιοσιάχινο



Bonelli's Eagle, Androlikou, 7th May.
Photograph by Dave Walker

Androlikou 2 7 & 15-May DJW/AG

MONTAGU'S HARRIER *Circus pygargus*

Καμποσιάχινο

Kivisili 2 One fem and one imm on ground

1-May JS

Orounda – Meniko 2 ring tails 7-May GS

EURASIAN SPARROWHAWK *Accipiter*

nisus Ξεφτέρι

Agia Varvara 1 flew slowly over flapping & gliding 7-May CR

NORTHERN GOSHAWK *Accipiter gentilis*

Διπλοσιάχινο

Argaka Dam 1 14-May DJW

Akamas 1 12-May DJW

Filani 1 male under nest 22-May FGe

Neo Chorio – Androlikou 1 male, attacking a group of Magpies in a pine tree, probable magpie nest site 12-May CR

LONG-LEGGED BUZZARD *Buteo rufinus*

Διπλογέρακο

Largest counts:

Agios Sozomenos, Nicosia 4 two chicks 19-May RC

Vougies 5 three adults and 2 large chicks 13-May FGe

COMMON HOOPOE *Upupa epops*

Πουπουζιός

Largest counts:

Achna Dam 4 10 & 15-May JS/FGe

Filani 5 22-May FGe

Panagia Stazousa 5 Four seen and one heard only 19-May JS

Secret Valley Golf Club 5 Birds calling at 5 different locations and multiple fly pasts by adults 26-May PBr

Souni 8 13-May JN

BLUE-CHEEKED BEE-EATER *Merops*

persicus Πράσινος Μελισσοφάγος



Blue-cheeked Bee-eater, Akrotiri Gravel Pits, 14th May. Photograph by Anna & Brian Lewis

Agia Varvara 4 1 at upper pools, 3 on

wires near village 18-May CR

Akrotiri Gravel Pits 7 flew towards

Phasouri and seen again 30 mins later from tower hide 13-May MSS

Akrotiri Gravel Pits 6 14-May AL

Akrotiri Gravel Pits 4 + 15-May SC

Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 12

they came in from Akrotiri direction and circled from very high up initially, then gradually circled lower so we were able to

positively ID them before flying off over the

marsh and inland 16-May AL

Spiros Pool 1 On wire with a European

Bee-eater. Feeding 12-May JS

EUROPEAN BEE-EATER *Merops apiaster*

Μελισσοφάγος

126 reports of this species during April.

Largest counts:

Akrotiri fish farm 113+ in off 3-May AG

Androlikou 100+ 15-May AG

Polis camp site 186+ 186 flew out to sea in flocks of 12, 32, 102, 40 by 8am. Many more heard 15-May AG

Souni 255 250 seen together from S to N 0555 and 2 flocks heard 0655 also

migrating N then 3 flocks heard E of our home heading N 0950-1010 7-May JN

Tala c130 mostly flocks passing early morning and late afternoon 5-May ABW

EUROPEAN ROLLER *Coracias garrulus*

Κράγκα



*European Roller, Androlikou, 7th May.
Photograph by Jan Walker*

Largest counts:

Agia Varvara 7 4 on wires together 26-
May CR

Androlikou 21 5 pairs visiting nest sites, 2
in tree 3 in building 7-May DJW

Arodes 9 2 pairs 7-May DJW

Kathikas 10 including a line of 8 birds on
wires 21-May CR

Neo Horio – Androlikou 7 27-May CR

PIED KINGFISHER *Ceryle rudis* Κήρυκος

Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 1 2 &
3-May AL/AG

Achna Dam 1 8-May FGe

LESSER KESTREL *Falco naumanni*

Κιρκινέζι

Kivisili 4 Two males and two females 1-
May JS

Kivisili 2 11-May JS

Road to Lara 4+ 4, perhaps as many as
7 15-May AG

RED-FOOTED FALCON *Falco vespertinus*

Μαυροφάλκονο

Road to Lara 2 Males 15-May AG

ELEONORA'S FALCON *Falco eleonorae*

Μαυρομμάτης



*Eleonora's Falcon, Akrotiri Salt Lake, 4th May.
Photograph by Tony Reeves*

Largest counts:

Kensington Cliffs 26+ 20-May AL

Troodos 17+ 15-May AG

EURASIAN HOBBY *Falco subbuteo*

Δεντροφάλκονο

Agia Napa Sewage Works 1 Flying over
area 14-May JS

Kamares (Tala) 1 1, 11, 13, 17, 21, 22 &
27-May DJW

Kamares (Tala) 2 3, 5, 6, 7, 9, 19 & 20-
May DJW

Kathikas 1 flew over low 21-May CR

Koili, Paphos 2 showing breeding
behaviour 12-May GS

Marathounta 1 flew past house 7am 19-
May CR

Mavrokolymbos Dam 2 16-May DJW

Paphos Sewage Plant 1 26-May CR

Sotira goat farm, Limassol 1 26-May ADT

PEREGRINE FALCON *Falco peregrinus*

Ζάβογς

Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 2 13-
May AL

Androlikou 2 15-May AG

Cape Greco 1 Flying over Cava viewpoint
calling 14-May JS

Engomi, Nicosia 1 large adult chased by
two Hooded Crows 1-May FGe

Episkopi, Paphos 2 1 adult 1 juvenile near
nest site 15-May DJW

Troodos 1 15-May AG

Xeros Potamos, Paphos 1 25-May MH

EURASIAN GOLDEN ORIOLE *Oriolus oriolus* Κλωρκός



Eurasian Golden Oriole, Androlίκου, 7th May.
Photograph by Dave Walker

Max count per location:

Akamas 1 11-May DJW
Androlίκου 13 7-May DJW
Baths of Aphrodite 1 15-May ABW
Bishop's Pool 2 Males seen near entrance
3-May JS
Dekeleia 1 heard 14-May ABW
Kamareas (Tala) 1 8-May DJW
Kathikas 9 counted as chased out of
mulberry tree by magpie, but they kept
coming and going 9-May ABW
Latchi, Paphos 2 11-May DJW
Lymbia Dam, Nicosia 1 16-May MH
Marathounta 2 h 6-May CR
Pera Orinis, Nicosia 1 2-May MH
Prastio Avdimou 2 15-May AL
Souni 3 14-May JN

RED-BACKED SHRIKE *Lanius collurio*
Κεφαλάς



Red-backed Shrike, Cape Greco, 4th May.
Photograph by Jane Stylianou

Largest counts:

Agia Napa Sewage Works 9 6m and 3f 4-
May JS
Cape Greco 13 10m and 3 f 4-May JS

LESSER GREY SHRIKE *Lanius minor*
Σταχτοκεφαλάς



Lesser Grey Shrike, Akrotiri Marsh, 21st May.
Photograph by Andy Waller

Agia Napa Sewage Works 1 4 & 5-May
JS/SC
Akrotiri Gravel Pits 1 16-May AL
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 1 4,
19 & 21-May GS/TRe/ABW
Akrotiri Salt Lake 1 Zakaki run off 12-May
AG
Cape Greco 2 2-May AG
Cape Greco 1 Male 4 & 14-May JS
Kiti to Petounta Road 1 1, 9 & 11-May JS
Mnengoia 1 9-May JS
Petounta Point 1 11-May JS
Spiros Pool 1 15-May JS

WOODCHAT SHRIKE *Lanius senator*
Κοκκινοκεφαλάς

Agia Varvara 1 14-May CR
Akamas 1 12-May DJW
Akrotiri Gravel Pits 3 19-May AL
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 2 2
male 6-May AL
Androlίκου 2 7 & 15-May DJW/AG
Androlίκου 1 18-May DJW
Arodes 2 7-May DJW
Avdimou Bay 1 4-May AL
Cape Greco Park 2 1 male, 1 female 5-
May SC
Mavrokolymbos Dam 1 15-May SM
Neo Horio – Androlίκου 1 m 12-May CR
Saramas Valley 1 14-May DJW

MASKED SHRIKE *Lanius nubicus*
Δακκαννούρα

Largest counts:
Almyrolivado 5 Incl three chasing 26-May
JS
Filani 18 22-May FGE
Mandra tou Kampiou East 17 including 3
juveniles 22-May FGE

Roudias Bridge, Xeros Potamos 4 20-May DJW

EURASIAN JAY *Garrulus glandarius* Κίσαα
Almyrolivado 7 26-May JS

Amiantos Botanical Gardens 2 26-May JS
Caledonia Trail 2 Troodos end of trail 26-May JS

Kannaviou Dam 1 14-May DJW

Livadi tou Pashia 1 26-May JS

Mandra tou Kampiou East 2 22-May FGe

Roudias Bridge, Xeros Potamos 2 20-May DJW

COMMON RAVEN *Corvus corax*

Κλόκκαρος



Common Raven, Akamas, 12th May.
Photograph by Dave Walker

Akamas 4 2 adults feeding 2 juveniles in nest on cliff ledge. First seen 2 adults Baths of Aphrodite area and again along the coast road towards Fontana Amorosa, until nest location found 11-May DJW

Akamas 4 Observed from above, 2 adult Ravens feeding 2 large Juveniles, one still occupying nest one a little further away 12-May DJW

Androlikou 2 17-May GS

Baths of Aphrodite 1 15-May AG

Baths of Aphrodite to Fontana Amarosa

track 4 two ads and two juvs. Seen several days earlier by Dave and Jan Walker. Juvs out of nest and seen first in small tree on cliff. Ads flew in separately to join them and one juv seen begging 18-May JS/DJW

Ineia 2 flying around being chased by Jackdaws 15-May AC

Ineia 1 17-May GS

Pittokopos 2 Observed 2 adult Raven flying from Ineia-Pittokopos-Smigies ID same as adult pair breeding Akamas 18-May DJW

COAL TIT *Periparus ater* *Cypristes*

Πέμπτεσος

Almyrolivado 3 26-May JS

Kannaviou Dam 4 14-May DJW

Lagoudera 8 2-May TK

Livadi tou Pashia, Troodos 3 26-May JS

Mandra tou Kampiou East 1 22-May FGe

CALANDRA LARK *Melanocorypha*

calandra Μαυροτράσηλος

Pervolia fields 3+ 1-May JS

Pervolia fields 1 On ground singing 11-May JS

Pervolia fields 2 Heard 12-May JS

Pervolia fields 4+ 15-May JS

Pervolia fields 5 All on ground 17-May JS

Pervolia fields 9+ Six seen and at least another three heard 20-May JS

Pervolia fields 4 one seen and three others heard 23-May JS

GREATER SHORT-TOED LARK

Calandrella brachydactyla Τρασηλιούδα

Cape Greco 6 1-May FGe

Larnaca Desalination Plant fields 1 7-May JS

Paralimni Lake 1 19-May AG

Pervolia fields 1 Feeding in field 11-May JS

WOODLARK *Lullula arborea*

Πευκοτρασιήλα

Troodos 4+ 15-May AG

(EASTERN) OLIVACEOUS WARBLER

Iduna pallida Τρυβητούρα

Largest counts:

Agios Minas (Neo Chorio) 5 23-May ABW

Baths of Aphrodite 9 15-May ABW

Kiti Dam 5 6-May FGe

Panagia Stazousa 5 Heard singing 19-May JS

Roudias Bridge, Xeros Potamos 7 20-May DJW

OLIVE-TREE WARBLER* *Hippolais*

olivetorum Ελιοτρυβητούρα

Baths of Aphrodite 1 15-May AG/RC

(Rare Bird report required)

Cape Greco 1 1-May VV First seen 30th April by SC

SEDGE WARBLER *Acrocephalus*

schoenobaenus Σχοινομουσιανούδι

Agia Varvara 1 5, 7 & 23-May CR

Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 2 2-May AL
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 1 5-May AL
Zakaki Marsh 2 9-May AL
Zakaki Marsh 1 14-May AL

EURASIAN REED WARBLER

Acrocephalus scirpaceus

Καλαμομουγιανούδι



Eurasian Reed Warbler, Akrotiri Marsh, 10th May. Photograph by Trevor Fordham

Largest counts:

Achna Dam 6+ 10-May JS
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 6 11-May CR
Larnaca Salt Lake 6 Four heard only 17-May JS
Polis Campsite, Chrysochou river 6 singing 12-May CR
Zakaki Marsh 6 15-May CR

GREAT REED WARBLER *Acrocephalus*

arundinaceus Τζικλομουγιανούδι

Achna Dam 1 Heard singing and then seen 10-May JS
Agia Varvara 1 1 & 7-May CR
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 1 3 & 24-May JS/AL
Oroklini Marsh 1 7-May ABW
Zakaki Marsh 1 22-May MH

RED-RUMPED SWALLOW *Cecropis*

daurica Μιλτοχελίδο

Largest counts:

Anarita Park 4 Pair visiting road culvert 1-May ABW
Androlίκου 5 entering building probable nest site 7-May DJW

EURASIAN CRAG MARTIN *Ptyonoprogne*

rupestrīs Βραχοχελίδο

Kannaviou Dam 2 one adult on nest 14-May DJW

Sarandi 2 3-May TK

(COLLARED) SAND MARTIN *Riparia*

riparia Οχθοχελίδο

Largest counts:

Agia Varvara pools c30 13 & 14-May ABW
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 35 11-May CR
Larnaca Sewage Works c20 10-May JS
Polis Campsite, Chrysochou river 20 12-May CR

WOOD WARBLER *Phylloscopus sibilatrix*

Δασογιαννούδι

Avdimou Bay 1 4-May AL

WILLOW WARBLER *Phylloscopus*

trochilus Θαμνογιαννούδι

Agia Napa Sewage Works 3 14-May JS
Cape Greco 3 4-May JS
Cape Greco Park 1 5-May SC
Phasouri 1 heard 11-May JN
Spiros pool track 2 6-May AG

COMMON CHIFFCHAFF *Phylloscopus*

collybita Μουγιαννούδι

Caledonia Trail 1 Heard first and then seen in high tree over road bridge. Sound recorded. Troodos end of trail 26-May JS

EURASIAN BLACKCAP *Sylvia atricapilla*

Αμπελοπούλλι



Eurasian Blackcap, Kathikas, 9th May.

Photograph by Andy Waller

Cape Greco 2 2-May AG
Pediaios river, Yiorkio area, Nicosia 1 4-May FGE
Kathikas 5 9-May ABW
Kathikas 1 fem 23-May ABW

GARDEN WARBLER *Sylvia borin*

Κηπισουκαλλιδι



Garden Warbler, Baths of Aphrodite, 15th May.
Photograph by Andy Waller

Baths of Aphrodite 1 15-May ABW
Spiros Pool 1 11-May JS
Meneou Beach 1 Heard singing 2, 3 & 4-
May JS
Agios Dimitrios Park, Nicosia 2 26-May
TK

EASTERN ORPHEAN WARBLER *Sylvia*

crassirostris Θαμνογιαλλούρα

Cape Greco 1 4-May JS

LESSER WHITETHROAT *Sylvia curruca*

Συκαλλιδι

Cape Greco 2 4-May JS

Cape Greco Park 1 male 5-May SC

CYPRUS WARBLER *Sylvia melanothorax*

Τρυπομάζης

Largest counts:

Agia Napa Sewage Works c5 Four singing
males - all seen plus contact calls

elsewhere 14-May JS

Cape Greco 7 one ad with one juv and two
ads with two juvs elsewhere and a singing
male 21-May JS

Souni 8 1 singing male heard; 1 heard
calling and 1 unseen male singing nearby;
1 male eventually seen singing with 1
calling bird nearby; probable family group of
1 calling bird, 1 male flying down to nest
and another calling bird that appeared a bit
further away in same large bush- a female
29-May JN

Vougies 5 family party 13-May FGe

GREATER (COMMON) WHITETHROAT

Sylvia communis Ασπρόλαιμο Συκαλλιδι

Cape Greco 1 4-May JS

Meneou Beach 1 Feeding in lemon tree
19-May JS

SHORT-TOED TREECREEPER *Certhia*

brachydactyla Δενδροβάτης

Lagoudera 1 2-May TK

NORTHERN WREN *Troglodytes*

troglodytes Τρυποκάρυδο



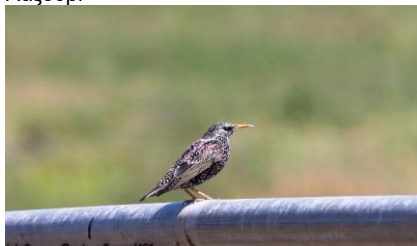
Northern Wren, Caledonia Trail 26th May.

Photograph by Jane Stylianou

Almyrolivado 1 26-May JS
Avakas Gorge 2 30-May CA
Caledonia Trail 2 Chasing pair near last
year's nest site. Troodos end of trail 26-
May JS
Filani 1 22-May FGe
Kamares (Tala), Paphos 1 1, 7, 8, 9, 11,
13, 17, 18, 19, 22, 25, 26, 27, 28 & 29-May
DJW
Kamares (Tala), Paphos 2 3-May DJW
Livadi tou Pashia 2 26-May JS
Mandra tou Kampiou East 3 22-May FGe
Roudias Bridge, Xeros Potamos 4 20-May
DJW
Sarandi 1 3-May TK

COMMON STARLING *Sturnus vulgaris*

Λαζούρι



Common Starling, Akrotiri Marsh, 28th May.

Photograph by Jane Stylianou

Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 1 4,
6, 25 & 28-May TRe/AL/JS

EURASIAN BLACKBIRD *Turdus merula* ♂

Μαυρόπουλος (♀ Μαυρότζικλα)

Almyrolivado 7 5m and 2f 26-May JS

Caledonia Trail 3+ Troodos end of trail
 26-May JS
 Livadi tou Pashia 3 Incl one singing male
 26-May JS
 Mandra tou Kampiou East 1 22-May FGe
 Roudias Bridge, Xeros Potamos 4 20-May
 DJW
 Sarandi 1 3-May TK

SPOTTED FLYCATCHER *Muscicapa striata* Μουγιοφάς



Spotted Flycatcher, Kamares, Tala, 3rd May.
 Photograph by Dave Walker

Largest counts:

Agia Napa Sewage Works c4 5-May SC
 Cape Greco 5 4-May JS
 Mandra tou Kampiou East 3 22-May FGe

RUFIOUS-TAILED SCRUB-ROBIN

Cercotrichas galactotes Κουφαηδόνι
 Finikaria 1 Probably at far end of Finikaria
 gorge before river runs over weir.
 Disappeared after first sighting 16-May
 ADT

COMMON NIGHTINGALE *Luscinia*

megarhynchos Αηδώνι
 Roudias Bridge, Xeros Potamos 1 20-
 May DJW

COLLARED FLYCATCHER *Ficedula*

albicollis Κρικομουγιοχάφτης
 Cape Greco 1 Male 4-May
 JS

COMMON REDSTART *Phoenicurus*

phoenicurus Κοτσινουόρης
 Agia Napa Sewage Works 1 Female 4 &
 6-May JS/FGe
 Akrotiri Gravel Pits 1 16-May KyK
 Akrotiri Marsh 1 3-May AG
 Cape Greco 4 2-May AG
 Cape Greco 2 Females 4-May JS
 Kiti Dam 1 Female 11-May JS

Spiros pool track 2 6-May AG

WHINCHAT *Saxicola rubetra* Βοσκαρούδι
 Agia Napa Sewage Works 2 male 5-May
 SC

Akamas 1 11-May DJW
 Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 1 19-
 May AL
 Androlikou 1 7 & 12-May DJW
 Kathikas 2 2-May CR
 Marathounta - waste dump 1 14-May CR

NORTHERN WHEATEAR *Oenanthe oenanthe* Σταχτοσκαλιφούρτα

Akrotiri Gravel Pits 1 3-May JS
 Cape Greco 1 1, 4 & 6-May FGe/JS/SC
 Cape Pyla 1 f 6-May FGe
 Kiti to Petounta Road 2 Males 1-May JS
 Pervolia fields 1 Female 20-May JS

ISABELLINE WHEATEAR *Oenanthe*

isabellina Αμμοσκαλιφούρτα
 Cape Greco Park 1 5-May SC

HOODED WHEATEAR *Oenanthe*

monacha Σκουφοσκαλιφούρτα
 Agios Georgios, Cape Drepanum 1 male -
 appeared to fly off out to sea 12-May MSS

BLACK-EARED WHEATEAR *Oenanthe*

hispanica Ισπανική Σκαλιφούρτα
 Agia Napa Sewage Works 2 One dark
 throated male and a female 4-May JS
 Agia Varvara 1 5 & 14-May CR
 Armou Hills 1 fem pale thr 4-May CR
 Kathikas 1 black-thr male 2-May CR
 Mandria 2 fem. pale throated 5-May CR

CYPRUS WHEATEAR *Oenanthe cyprica*
 Σκαλιφούρτα



Cyprus Wheatear, Kamares, Tala, 21st May.
 Photograph by Dave Walker

Largest counts:

Akamas 13 11-May DJW

Androlίκου 8 15-May AG
Cape Greco 9 7m and 2f 4-May JS
Dora 6 25-May DJW
Kannaviου Dam 6 14-May DJW
Tala 6 5-May ABW

FINSCH'S WHEATEAR *Oenanthe finschii*
Βουνοσκαλιφούρτα
Cape Pyla 1 male 6-May FGe

TREE PIPIT *Anthus trivialis* Δενδρογαλούδι
Androlίκου 1 15-May AG

RED-THROATED PIPIT *Anthus cervinus*
Κοτσινογαλούδι



Red-throated Pipit, Pervolia, 11th May.
Photograph by Jane Styliανου

Akrotiri Marsh 1 4 & 13-May AG/AL
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 3 5-May AL
Pervolia fields 1 11 & 15-May JS

MEADOW PIPIT *Anthus pratensis*
Λιβαδογαλούδι
Achna Dam 5 28-May PBr Very late for this species. Confirmation needed.

TAWNY PIPIT *Anthus campestris*
Ωχρογαλούδι
Akrotiri Gravel Pits 1 15-May SC

WESTERN YELLOW WAGTAIL *Motacilla flava* Τζιτρινοζευκαλάτης
Achna Dam 1 8-May SC
Agia Varvara 2 14-May AG
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) c40
Flock in flight over water meadows. Mainly feldegg 3-May JS
Akrotiri Marsh 30+ 4-May AG
Akrotiri Marsh 10+ 7-May AG
Akrotiri Marsh 3 23-May AG
Cape Greco Park 1 heard only heard only 5-May SC

Blue-headed Wagtail *Motacilla flava flava*
Γαλαζοκέφαλος Ζευκαλάτης
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 15+ 5-May AL
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 10+ 6, 9 & 13-May AL
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 6+ 7-May AL
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 6 11-May CR
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 5 18-May AL
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 1 21-May AL
Cape Greco 2 1-May FGe
Paphos Sewage Plant 2 m,f 26-May CR
Pervolia fields 1 Male 11-May JS

Grey-headed Wagtail *Motacilla flava thunbergi* Γκριζοκέφαλος Ζευκαλάτης
Achna Dam 1 8-May FGe
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 3 5-May AL
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 2 6-May AL
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 2 7-May AL
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 3 9-May AL
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 5+ 13-May AL Unusual counts for this race for this time of year. Need confirmation.

Black-headed Wagtail *Motacilla flava feldegg* Μαυροκέφαλος Ζευκαλάτης
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 2 5-May AL
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 3 6 & 11-May AL/CR
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 1 15, 16, 22 & 24-May CR/AL/JS
Akrotiri Marsh 6 21-May ABW
Larnaca Sewage Works 1 12-May JS
Paphos Sewage Plant 1 fem 7-May CR
Pervolia fields 3 1m and 2f 11-May JS

GREY WAGTAIL *Motacilla cinerea*
Σταχτοζευκαλάτης
Amiandos Botanical Gardens 1 26-May JS
Caledonia Trail 2 Pair. Troodos end of trail 26-May JS
Roudias Bridge, Xeros Potamas 1 20-May DJW

CITRINE WAGTAIL *Motacilla citreola*
Κίτροζευκαλάτης
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 1
female 7-May TRe/AL

WHITE WAGTAIL *Motacilla alba*
Ασπροζευκαλάτης
Akrotiri Marsh (Phasouri Reed-beds) 1 27-
May AL
Vathia Gonia treated water new pool 1 3-
May FGe

RED CROSSBILL *Loxia curvirostra*
Σταυρομούπτης
Almyrolivado 8+ Two fem types seen on
ground and at least six others seen
overflying area 26-May JS

BLACK-HEADED BUNTING *Emberiza
melanocephala* Τηρίλιγγος



*Black-headed Bunting, May 2021. Photograph
by Andy Waller*

Max count per location:
Agia Napa Sewage Works 3 Singing
males 14-May JS
Androlikou 5 7-May DJW
Arodes 2 7-May DJW
Cape Greco 2 Singing males (one on
wires outside Environmental Centre) 21-
May JS
Kathikas 5 3 & 7-May ABW/DJW
Machairas 1 male 2-May RC/AC
Omodos 4 14-May MH
Pittokopos to Androlikou road 3 Males 18-
May JS
Sarandi 2 3-May TK

CRETZSCHMAR'S BUNTING *Emberiza
caesia* Σιταροπούλλι



*Cretzschmar's Bunting, Vretsia, 20th May.
Photograph by Dave Walker*

Max count per location:
Akamas 2 12-May DJW
Almyrolivado 2 Heard and seen singing at
entrance to area 26-May JS
Argaka Dam 2 14-May DJW
Dora 2 25-May DJW
Filani 8 22-May FGe
Kannaviou Dam 1 14-May DJW
Mandra tou Kampiou 12 22-May FGe
Mandra tou Kampiou East 16 22-May
FGe
Minthis Hills 1 22-May CR
Neo Horio/Agios Minas 4 One seen and
three heard only 18-May JS
Omodos 1 14-May MH
Politiko Forest 2 heard only 29-May SC
with F Georgiades
Prastio Avdimou 2 Male and female -
female collecting nesting material 4-May
AL
Roudias Bridge, Xeros Potamos 3 one
carrying food to nesting site 20-May DJW
Souni 4 singing males heard 13-May JN
Vretsia 1 Singing 20-May DJW

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MONTHLY WATERBIRD COUNT

May 2021

Markos Charalambides

The BirdLife Cyprus waterbirds monitoring programme has been running since 2005 and covers around 70 wetlands and other waterbird sites around the island. All sites are covered at least every January (mid-winter International Waterbird Count) and every May (breeding season count), while the more important sites are also covered in March, September and November. Key Important Bird Area (IBA) wetlands such as the island's two salt lakes, which attract large numbers of birds, are covered on a monthly basis. The monitoring programme is based on the voluntary work of a team of dedicated and experienced recorders and preliminary results are presented in the Monthly Checklist.

For May, 11 recorders covered 35 wetlands and coastal sites across the island, where a total of 4,255 waterbirds, of 48 different species were recorded.

The most abundant species was the Greater Flamingo with 2,260 individuals. The second most abundant species was the Cattle Egret with 462 individuals. The third most abundant species was the Yellow-Legged Gull with 220.

The wetland holding the most birds, was Akrotiri Salt Lake with 2,289 individuals. Athalassa Dam was second in terms of number of individuals recorded with 489 individuals, followed by Oroklini Marsh with 289 individuals.

Paralimni Lake was the most species rich site with 21 different species being recorded there. Oroklini Marsh was the second most species abundant site with 17 different species being recorded there. Evretou Dam was the third most species rich site with 16 different species being recorded there.

Site coverage for the May 2021 International Waterbird Count

Site	Recorder	Date
Akrotiri Marsh	M. Charalambides, Nikos Kassinis	27/5/21
Akrotiri Meras, Salt Lake & Lady's Mile	M. Charalambides, Nikos Kassinis	27/5/21
Bishop's Pool	M. Charalambides, Nikos Kassinis	27/5/21
Zakaki Pond	M. Charalambides, Nikos Kassinis	27/5/21
Larnaka Salt Lake	Jane Stylianou	17/5/21
Larnaka Sewage Works	Jane Stylianou	17/5/21
Strakka Pools	Markos Charalambides	19/5/21
Asprokremmos Dam	Dave and Jan Walker	15/5/21
Paphos Headland	Dave and Jan Walker	13/5/21
Kannaviou Dam	Dave and Jan Walker	14/5/21
Evretou Dam	Dave and Jan Walker	14/5/21
Argaka Dam	Dave and Jan Walker	14/5/21
Acheleia Dam	Dave and Jan Walker	14/5/21
Agia Varvara Soakaways	Dave and Jan Walker	15/5/21
Agia Varvara Village Reservoir	Dave and Jan Walker	15/5/21
Ezousa Motorway Soakaways	Dave and Jan Walker	15/5/21
Lower Ezousas soakaways	Dave and Jan Walker	15/5/21
Paphos sewage works	Dave and Jan Walker	15/5/21
Kouklia Dam	Dave and Jan Walker	15/5/21
Lower Xeros Potamos	Dave and Jan Walker	15/5/21
Asprokremmos/Geroskipou Canal	Dave and Jan Walker	15/5/21
Mavrokolympos Dam	Dave and Jan Walker	16/5/21
Paralimni Lake	Filippos Georgiades	15/5/21
Agia Thekla/Liopetri coast	Filippos Georgiades	15/5/21
Oroklini Marsh	Martin Hellicar	16/5/21
Lymbia Dam	Martin Hellicar	16/5/21
Germasogeia Dam	Alan Turtle	15/5/21
Polemida Dam	Alan Turtle	15/5/21
Kourris Dam	Alan Turtle	15/5/21
Partenitis Dam	Stavros Christodoulides	15/5/21
Aradippou Slurry Pits	Stavros Christodoulides	15/5/21
Achna Dam	Nikolas Papanikolas	15/5/21
Athalassa Dam	Elena Markitani	21/5/21

Number of waterbirds recorded across all sites

Family	Species	Scientific name	Number recorded
Flamingos	Greater Flamingo	<i>Phoenicopterus roseus</i>	2260
Ducks	Mallard	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>	219
Ducks	Ferruginous Duck	<i>Aythya nyroca</i>	17
Ducks	Red-Crested Pochard	<i>Netta rufina</i>	9
Ducks	Garganey	<i>Anas querquedula</i>	2
Ducks	Northern Pintail	<i>Anas acuta</i>	1
Ducks	Ruddy Shelduck	<i>Tadorna ferruginea</i>	1
Rails and Crakes	Common Coot	<i>Fulica atra</i>	196
Rails and Crakes	Moorhen	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>	78
Gulls and Terns	Yellow-legged Gull	<i>Larus michahellis</i>	220
Gulls and Terns	White-winged Black Tern	<i>Chlidonias leucopterus</i>	11
Gulls and Terns	Little Tern	<i>Sternula albifrons</i> <i>Sterna albifrons</i>	4
Gulls and Terns	Common Tern	<i>Sterna hirundo</i>	2
Waders	Black-winged Stilt	<i>Himantopus</i> <i>himantopus</i>	128
Waders	Spur-winged Lapwing	<i>Vanellus spinosus</i>	110
Waders	Little Stint	<i>Calidris minuta</i>	108
Waders	Ruff	<i>Philomachus pugnax</i>	50
Waders	Kentish Plover	<i>Charadrius</i> <i>alexandrinus</i>	32
Waders	Wood Sandpiper	<i>Tringa glareola</i>	29
Waders	Little Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius dubius</i>	20
Waders	Common Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius hiaticula</i>	8
Waders	Pied Avocet	<i>Recurvirostra</i> <i>avosetta</i>	6
Waders	Curlew Sandpiper	<i>Calidris ferruginea</i>	2
Waders	Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>	2
Waders	Common Snipe	<i>Gallinago gallinago</i>	2
Waders	Temminck's Stint	<i>Calidris temminckii</i>	2
Waders	Green Sandpiper	<i>Tringa ochropus</i>	1
Waders	Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius hiaticula</i>	1
Waders	Black-Tailed Godwit	<i>Limosa limosa</i>	1
Waders	Greenshank	<i>Tringa nebularia</i>	1
Waders	Grey Plover	<i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>	1
Hérons, Storks & Ibisses	Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>	462
Hérons, Storks & Ibisses	Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>	92
Hérons, Storks & Ibisses	Squacco Heron	<i>Ardeola ralloides</i>	28
Hérons, Storks & Ibisses	Glossy Ibis	<i>Plegadis falcinellus</i>	24
Hérons, Storks & Ibisses	Black-Crowned Night Heron	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>	22
Hérons, Storks & Ibisses	Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>	13
Hérons, Storks & Ibisses	Purple Heron	<i>Ardea purpurea</i>	6
Hérons, Storks & Ibisses	Great White Egret	<i>Egretta alba</i>	2
Hérons, Storks & Ibisses	Little Bittern	<i>Ixobrychus minutus</i>	2

Family	Species	Scientific name	Number recorded
Grebes	Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>	55
Grebes	Great-Crested Grebe	<i>Podiceps cristatus</i>	1
Birds of prey	Eleonora's Falcon	<i>Falco Eleonarae</i>	6
Birds of prey	Hobby	<i>Falco subbuteo</i>	3
Birds of prey	Honey Buzzard	<i>Pernis apivorus</i>	1
Birds of prey	Goshawk	<i>Accipiter gentilis</i>	1
Cormorants	Great Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>	5
Warblers	Reed Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus scirpaceus</i>	8

Total numbers of waterbirds and species recorded at each site

Site	Number of individuals recorded	Number of species recorded
Akrotiri Salt Lake	2289	12
Athalassa Dam	489	10
Oroklini Marsh	289	17
Paralimni Lake	259	21
Asprokremmos Dam	235	13
Larnaka Sewage Works	141	13
Akrotiri Marsh	105	12
Aradippou Slurry Pits	86	6
Evretou Dam	66	16
Larnaka Salt Lake	46	7
Bishop's Pool	40	8
Partenitis Dam	27	11
Lymbia Dam	27	2
Agia Varvara Soakaways	25	7
Akrotiri Lady's Mile	22	3
Achna Dam	19	7
Strakka Pools	12	5
Germasogeia Dam	12	5
Mavrokolympos Dam	11	7
Polemida Dam	10	5
Kourris Dam	9	5
Paphos Headland	7	2
Pafos Sewage Works	6	1
Agia Thekla/Liopetri River	5	1
Kannaviou Dam	3	3
Akrotiri Meras	3	2
Zakaki Pond	2	1
Kouklia Dam	2	1
Acheleia Dam	1	1
Agia Varvara Village Reservoir	1	1
Argaka Dam	1	1
Asprokremmos/Geroskipou Canal	NO ACCESS	NO ACCESS
Ezousa Motorway Soakaways	NO WATERBIRDS	NO WATERBIRDS
Lower Ezousas Soakaways	NO WATERBIRDS	NO WATERBIRDS
Lower Xeros Potamos	NO WATERBIRDS	NO WATERBIRDS



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