

# Fouriesburg

## CHECKLIST *of* BIRDS



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### RED DATA: Regional\*, Global

CR Critically Endangered  
EN Endangered  
VU Vulnerable  
NR Near Threatened  
LC Least Concern  
EX Extinct (regionally)  
DD Data Deficient  
NR Not Recognised by BirdLife International  
NA Not Assessed

### STATUS IN SOUTH AFRICA

V Vagrant  
I Introduced

*\*The 2015 Eskom Red Data Book of Birds of South Africa, Lesotho and Swaziland*

*\*\* Please report to BirdLife South Africa National Rarities Committee (rarities@birdlife.org.za)*

### ENDEMISM IN SOUTH AFRICA(not southern africa, as in field guides)

E Endemic  
SLS Endemic to South Africa, Lesotho and Swaziland  
NE Near endemic (i.e. ~70% or more of population in RSA)  
BNE Breeding near endemic

This checklist was generated using data from the Southern African Bird Atlas Project (SABAP2; [sabap2.birdmap.africa](http://sabap2.birdmap.africa)) captured by citizen scientists in the surrounding area (approximately 60km<sup>2</sup>). As such, this checklist is descriptive of the general area and may include birds not normally found at this site. Rare birds with low occurrence or no reports in the atlas data may also be missing from this list.

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SPECIES	
1	<b>Barbet, Acacia Pied</b> <i>Tricholaema leucomelas</i>
2	<b>Barbet, Black-collared</b> <i>Lybius torquatus</i>
3	<b>Barbet, Crested</b> <i>Trachyphonus vaillantii</i>
4	<b>Batis, Cape</b> <i>Batis capensis</i>
5	<b>Bishop, Southern Red</b> <i>Euplectes orix</i>
6	<b>Bishop, Yellow-crowned</b> <i>Euplectes afer</i>
7	<b>Bokmakierie, Bokmakierie</b> <i>Telophorus zeylonus</i>
8	<b>Boubou, Southern</b> <i>Laniarius ferrugineus</i>
9	<b>Bulbul, African Red-eyed</b> <i>Pycnonotus nigricans</i>
10	<b>Bulbul, Dark-capped</b> <i>Pycnonotus tricolor</i>
11	<b>Bunting, Cape</b> <i>Emberiza capensis</i>
12	<b>Bunting, Cinnamon-breasted</b> <i>Emberiza tahapisi</i>
13	<b>Bunting, Golden-breasted</b> <i>Emberiza flaviventris</i>
14	<b>Buzzard, Common</b> <i>Buteo buteo</i>
15	<b>Buzzard, Jackal</b> <i>Buteo rufofuscus</i> (NE)
16	<b>Canary, Black-throated</b> <i>Crithagra atrogularis</i>
17	<b>Canary, Cape</b> <i>Serinus canicollis</i>
18	<b>Canary, Yellow</b> <i>Crithagra flaviventris</i>
19	<b>Chat, Ant-eating</b> <i>Myrmecocichla formicivora</i>
20	<b>Chat, Buff-streaked</b> <i>Campicoloides bifasciatus</i> (SLS)
21	<b>Chat, Familiar</b> <i>Oenanthe familiaris</i>
22	<b>Chat, Mocking Cliff</b> <i>Thamnodaea cinnamomeiventris</i>
23	<b>Chat, Sickle-winged</b> <i>Emarginata sinuata</i> (NE)
24	<b>Cisticola, Cloud</b> <i>Cisticola textrix</i> (NE)
25	<b>Cisticola, Desert</b> <i>Cisticola aridulus</i>
26	<b>Cisticola, Levaillant's</b> <i>Cisticola tinniens</i>
27	<b>Cisticola, Wailing</b> <i>Cisticola lais</i>
28	<b>Cisticola, Wing-snapping</b> <i>Cisticola ayresii</i>
29	<b>Cisticola, Zitting</b> <i>Cisticola juncidis</i>
30	<b>Coot, Red-knobbed</b> <i>Fulica cristata</i>
31	<b>Cormorant, Reed</b> <i>Microcarbo africanus</i>
32	<b>Cormorant, White-breasted</b> <i>Phalacrocorax lucidus</i>
33	<b>Crane, Blue</b> <i>Grus paradisea</i> (VU, NT)

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34	<b>Crow, Cape</b> <i>Corvus capensis</i>
35	<b>Crow, Pied</b> <i>Corvus albus</i>
36	<b>Cuckoo, African</b> <i>Cuculus gularis</i>
37	<b>Cuckoo, Black</b> <i>Cuculus clamosus</i>
38	<b>Cuckoo, Diederik</b> <i>Chrysococcyx caprius</i>
39	<b>Cuckoo, Klaas's</b> <i>Chrysococcyx klaas</i>
40	<b>Cuckoo, Red-chested</b> <i>Cuculus solitarius</i>
41	<b>Darter, African</b> <i>Anhinga rufa</i>
42	<b>Dove, Laughing</b> <i>Spilopelia senegalensis</i>
43	<b>Dove, Namaqua</b> <i>Oena capensis</i>
44	<b>Dove, Red-eyed</b> <i>Streptopelia semitorquata</i>
45	<b>Dove, Ring-necked</b> <i>Streptopelia capicola</i>
46	<b>Dove, Rock</b> <i>Columba livia</i>
47	<b>Drongo, Fork-tailed</b> <i>Dicrurus adsimilis</i>
48	<b>Duck, African Black</b> <i>Anas sparsa</i>
49	<b>Duck, White-faced Whistling</b> <i>Dendrocygna viduata</i>
50	<b>Duck, Yellow-billed</b> <i>Anas undulata</i>
51	<b>Eagle-Owl, Cape</b> <i>Bubo capensis</i>
52	<b>Eagle-Owl, Spotted</b> <i>Bubo africanus</i>
53	<b>Eagle, African Fish</b> <i>Haliaeetus vocifer</i>
54	<b>Eagle, Long-crested</b> <i>Lophaetus occipitalis</i>
55	<b>Eagle, Verreaux's</b> <i>Aquila verreauxii</i> (VU, LC)
56	<b>Egret, Intermediate</b> <i>Ardea intermedia</i>
57	<b>Egret, Little</b> <i>Egretta garzetta</i>
58	<b>Egret, Western Cattle</b> <i>Bubulcus ibis</i>
59	<b>Falcon, Amur</b> <i>Falco amurensis</i>
60	<b>Falcon, Lanner</b> <i>Falco biarmicus</i> (VU, LC)
61	<b>Fiscal, Southern</b> <i>Lanius collaris</i>
62	<b>Flufftail, Buff-spotted</b> <i>Sarothrura elegans</i>
63	<b>Flycatcher, African Dusky</b> <i>Muscicapa adusta</i>
64	<b>Flycatcher, African Paradise</b> <i>Terpsiphone viridis</i>
65	<b>Flycatcher, Fairy</b> <i>Stenostira scita</i> (NE)
66	<b>Flycatcher, Fiscal</b> <i>Melaenornis silens</i> (NE)

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67	<b>Flycatcher, Spotted</b> <i>Muscicapa striata</i>
68	<b>Francolin, Grey-winged</b> <i>Scleroptila afra</i> (SLS)
69	<b>Goose, Egyptian</b> <i>Alopochen aegyptiaca</i>
70	<b>Goose, Spur-winged</b> <i>Plectropterus gambensis</i>
71	<b>Grassbird, Cape</b> <i>Sphenoeacus afer</i> (NE)
72	<b>Grebe, Little</b> <i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>
73	<b>Guineafowl, Helmeted</b> <i>Numida meleagris</i>
74	<b>Hamerkop, Hamerkop</b> <i>Scopus umbretta</i>
75	<b>Harrier-Hawk, African</b> <i>Polyboroides typus</i>
76	<b>Harrier, Black</b> <i>Circus maurus</i> (EN, NE)
77	<b>Heron, Black-headed</b> <i>Ardea melanocephala</i>
78	<b>Heron, Goliath</b> <i>Ardea goliath</i>
79	<b>Heron, Grey</b> <i>Ardea cinerea</i>
80	<b>Heron, Purple</b> <i>Ardea purpurea</i>
81	<b>Honeybird, Brown-backed</b> <i>Prodotiscus regulus</i>
82	<b>Honeyguide, Greater</b> <i>Indicator indicator</i>
83	<b>Honeyguide, Lesser</b> <i>Indicator minor</i>
84	<b>Hoopoe, African</b> <i>Upupa africana</i>
85	<b>Hoopoe, Green Wood</b> <i>Phoeniculus purpureus</i>
86	<b>Ibis, African Sacred</b> <i>Threskiornis aethiopicus</i>
87	<b>Ibis, Glossy</b> <i>Plegadis falcinellus</i>
88	<b>Ibis, Hadada</b> <i>Bostrychia hagedash</i>
89	<b>Ibis, Southern Bald</b> <i>Geronticus calvus</i> (VU, SLS)
90	<b>Kestrel, Lesser</b> <i>Falco naumanni</i>
91	<b>Kestrel, Rock</b> <i>Falco rupicolus</i>
92	<b>Kingfisher, Giant</b> <i>Megaceryle maxima</i>
93	<b>Kingfisher, Pied</b> <i>Ceryle rudis</i>
94	<b>Kite, Black-winged</b> <i>Elanus caeruleus</i>
95	<b>Korhaan, Blue</b> <i>Eupodotis caerulescens</i> (NT, LC, SLS)
96	<b>Korhaan, Northern Black</b> <i>Afrotis afraoides</i>
97	<b>Lapwing, Blacksmith</b> <i>Vanellus armatus</i>
98	<b>Lark, Red-capped</b> <i>Calandrella cinerea</i>
99	<b>Longclaw, Cape</b> <i>Macronyx capensis</i>

SPECIES	
100	<b>Martin, Banded</b> <i>Riparia cincta</i>
101	<b>Martin, Brown-throated</b> <i>Riparia paludicola</i>
102	<b>Martin, Rock</b> <i>Ptyonoprogne fuligula</i>
103	<b>Moorhen, Common</b> <i>Gallinula chloropus</i>
104	<b>Mousebird, Red-faced</b> <i>Urocolius indicus</i>
105	<b>Mousebird, Speckled</b> <i>Colius striatus</i>
106	<b>Mousebird, White-backed</b> <i>Colius colius</i>
107	<b>Myna, Common</b> <i>Acridotheres tristis</i> (I)
108	<b>Neddicky, Neddicky</b> <i>Cisticola fulvicapilla</i>
109	<b>Nightjar, Freckled</b> <i>Caprimulgus tristigma</i>
110	<b>Oriole, Black-headed</b> <i>Oriolus larvatus</i>
111	<b>Pigeon, African Olive</b> <i>Columba arquatrix</i>
112	<b>Pigeon, Speckled</b> <i>Columba guinea</i>
113	<b>Pipit, African</b> <i>Anthus cinnamomeus</i>
114	<b>Pipit, African Rock</b> <i>Anthus crenatus</i> (NT, LC, SLS)
115	<b>Pipit, Nicholson's</b> <i>Anthus nicholsoni</i>
116	<b>Pipit, Plain-backed</b> <i>Anthus leucophrys</i>
117	<b>Plover, Three-banded</b> <i>Charadrius tricollaris</i>
118	<b>Prinia, Drakensberg</b> <i>Prinia hypoxantha</i> (SLS)
119	<b>Prinia, Karoo</b> <i>Prinia maculosa</i> (NE)
120	<b>Quail, Common</b> <i>Coturnix coturnix</i>
121	<b>Quailfinch, Quailfinch</b> <i>Ortygospiza atricollis</i>
122	<b>Quelea, Red-billed</b> <i>Quelea quelea</i>
123	<b>Raven, White-necked</b> <i>Corvus albicollis</i>
124	<b>Robin-Chat, Cape</b> <i>Cossypha caffra</i>
125	<b>Robin, Karoo Scrub</b> <i>Cercotrichas coryphoeus</i>
126	<b>Scimitarbill, Common</b> <i>Rhinopomastus cyanomelas</i>
127	<b>Secretarybird, Secretarybird</b> <i>Sagittarius serpentarius</i> (EN, VU)
128	<b>Seedeater, Streaky-headed</b> <i>Crithagra gularis</i>
129	<b>Shelduck, South African</b> <i>Tadorna cana</i>
130	<b>Shrike, Red-backed</b> <i>Lanius collurio</i>
131	<b>Sparrow-Weaver, White-browed</b> <i>Plocepasser mahali</i>
132	<b>Sparrow, Cape</b> <i>Passer melanurus</i>

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133	<b>Sparrow, House</b> <i>Passer domesticus</i> (I)
134	<b>Sparrow, Southern Grey-headed</b> <i>Passer diffusus</i>
135	<b>Sparrowhawk, Black</b> <i>Accipiter melanoleucus</i>
136	<b>Sparrowhawk, Rufous-breasted</b> <i>Accipiter rufiventris</i>
137	<b>Spurfowl, Natal</b> <i>Pternistis natalensis</i>
138	<b>Spurfowl, Swainson's</b> <i>Pternistis swainsonii</i>
139	<b>Starling, Cape</b> <i>Lamprotornis nitens</i>
140	<b>Starling, Common</b> <i>Sturnus vulgaris</i> (I)
141	<b>Starling, Pied</b> <i>Lamprotornis bicolor</i> (SLS)
142	<b>Starling, Red-winged</b> <i>Onychognathus morio</i>
143	<b>Stonechat, African</b> <i>Saxicola torquatus</i>
144	<b>Sunbird, Amethyst</b> <i>Chalcomitra amethystina</i>
145	<b>Sunbird, Greater Double-collared</b> <i>Cinnyris afer</i> (SLS)
146	<b>Sunbird, Malachite</b> <i>Nectarinia famosa</i>
147	<b>Swallow, Barn</b> <i>Hirundo rustica</i>
148	<b>Swallow, Greater Striped</b> <i>Cecropis cucullata</i>
149	<b>Swallow, South African Cliff</b> <i>Petrochelidon spilodera</i> (BNE)
150	<b>Swallow, White-throated</b> <i>Hirundo albigularis</i>
151	<b>Swift, African Black</b> <i>Apus barbatus</i>
152	<b>Swift, African Palm</b> <i>Cypsiurus parvus</i>
153	<b>Swift, Alpine</b> <i>Tachymarptis melba</i>
154	<b>Swift, Horus</b> <i>Apus horus</i>
155	<b>Swift, Little</b> <i>Apus affinis</i>
156	<b>Swift, White-rumped</b> <i>Apus caffer</i>
157	<b>Teal, Red-billed</b> <i>Anas erythrorhyncha</i>
158	<b>Thrush, Cape Rock</b> <i>Monticola rupestris</i> (SLS)
159	<b>Thrush, Karoo</b> <i>Turdus smithi</i> (NE)
160	<b>Thrush, Olive</b> <i>Turdus olivaceus</i>
161	<b>Thrush, Sentinel Rock</b> <i>Monticola explorator</i> (NT, LC, SLS)
162	<b>Wagtail, Cape</b> <i>Motacilla capensis</i>
163	<b>Warbler, African Reed</b> <i>Acrocephalus baeticatus</i>
164	<b>Warbler, Barratt's</b> <i>Bradypterus barratti</i> (NE)
165	<b>Warbler, Lesser Swamp</b> <i>Acrocephalus gracillirostris</i>

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166	<b>Warbler, Willow</b> <i>Phylloscopus trochilus</i>
167	<b>Waxbill, Common</b> <i>Estrilda astrild</i>
168	<b>Waxbill, Swee</b> <i>Coccyzygia melanotis</i> (NE)
169	<b>Weaver, Cape</b> <i>Ploceus capensis</i> (NE)
170	<b>Weaver, Southern Masked</b> <i>Ploceus velatus</i>
171	<b>White-eye, Cape</b> <i>Zosterops virens</i> (NE)
172	<b>Whydah, Pin-tailed</b> <i>Vidua macroura</i>
173	<b>Widowbird, Long-tailed</b> <i>Euplectes progne</i>
174	<b>Widowbird, Red-collared</b> <i>Euplectes ardens</i>
175	<b>Woodpecker, Cardinal</b> <i>Dendropicos fuscescens</i>
176	<b>Woodpecker, Ground</b> <i>Geocolaptes olivaceus</i> (NT, LC, SLS)
177	<b>Wryneck, Red-throated</b> <i>Jynx ruficollis</i>

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