

# Birds of Myall Park Botanic Garden

## **Emu, Quail**

Emu  
Stubble Quail  
Brown Quail

## **Duck, Swan, Goose**

Magpie Goose  
Plumed Whistling-Duck  
Wandering Whistling-Duck  
Black Swan  
Australian Wood Duck  
Pink-eared Duck  
Australasian Shoveler  
Grey Teal  
Chestnut Teal  
Pacific Black Duck  
Hardhead

## **Grebe**

Australasian Grebe  
Hoary-headed Grebe

## **Pigeon, Dove**

Common Bronzewing  
Crested Pigeon  
Diamond Dove  
Peaceful Dove  
Bar-shouldered Dove

## **Frogmouth, Nightjars**

Tawny Frogmouth  
White-throated Nightjar  
Spotted Nightjar  
Australian Owlet-nightjar

## **Swifts**

White-throated Needletail  
Fork-tailed Swift

## **Cormorants**

Little Pied Cormorant  
Great Cormorant  
Little Black Cormorant  
Pied Cormorant

## **Hérons, Ibis, Spoonbills**

Black-necked Stork  
White-necked Heron  
Eastern Great Egret  
Intermediate Egret  
White-faced Heron  
Little Egret  
Nankeen Night-Heron  
Glossy Ibis  
Australian White Ibis  
Straw-necked Ibis  
Royal Spoonbill  
Yellow-billed Spoonbill  
Australian Pelican

## **Birds of Prey**

Black-shoulder Kite  
Square-tailed Kite  
Black-breasted Buzzard  
Pacific Baza  
White-bellied Sea-Eagle  
Whistling Kite  
Black Kite  
Brown Goshawk  
Collared Sparrowhawk  
Spotted Harrier

Swamp Harrier  
Wedge-tailed Eagle  
Little Eagle  
Nankeen Kestrel  
Brown Falcon  
Australian Hobby  
Black Falcon  
Peregrine Falcon

## **Brolga, Crake, Waterhens**

Brolga  
Purple Swamphen  
Baillon's Crake  
Spotless Crake  
Black-tailed Native-hen  
Dusky Moorhen  
Eurasian Coot

## **Bustard, Stone-curlew**

Australian Bustard  
Bush Stone-curlew

## **Waders**

Black-winged Stilt  
Red-capped Plover  
Black-fronted Dotterel  
Red-kneed Dotterel  
Banded Lapwing  
Masked Lapwing  
Comb-crested Jacana  
Australian Painted Snipe  
Latham's Snipe

## **Button-quails**

Red-chested Button-quail  
Little Button-quail

## **Gulls, Terns**

Whiskered Tern  
White-winged Black Tern  
Silver Gull

## **Cockatoos, Parrots**

Red-tailed Black Cockatoo  
Glossy Black Cockatoo  
Yellow-tailed Black Cockatoo  
Galah  
Little Corella  
Sulphur-crested Cockatoo  
Cockatiel  
Rainbow Lorikeet  
Musk Lorikeet  
Red-winged Parrot  
Pale-headed Rosella  
Australian Ringneck  
Blue Bonnet  
Red-rumped Parrot  
Budgerigar

## **Cuckoos**

Pheasant Coucal  
Asian (Common) Koel  
Channel-billed Cuckoo  
Horsfield's Bronze-Cuckoo  
Shining Bronze-Cuckoo  
Pallid Cuckoo  
Fantailed Cuckoo

## **Owls**

Southern Boobook  
Eastern Barn Owl

## **Kookaburra, Kingfishers**

Laughing Kookaburra  
Red-backed Kingfisher  
Sacred Kingfisher  
Rainbow Bee-eater  
Dollarbird

## **Treecreeper**

Brown Treecreeper

## **Bowerbird**

Spotted Bowerbird

## **Wrens**

Superb Fairy-wren  
White-winged Fairy-wren  
Variegated Fairy-wren

## **Australian Warblers**

Speckled Warbler  
Weebill  
Western Gerygone  
White-throated Gerygone  
Yellow Thornbill  
Yellow-rumped Thornbill  
Chestnut-rumped Thornbill  
Buff-rumped Thornbill  
Inland Thornbill  
Brown Thornbill  
Southern Whiteface

## **Pardalotes**

Spotted Pardalote  
Striated Pardalote

## **Honeyeaters, Chat**

Yellow-faced Honeyeater  
Singing Honeyeater  
White-eared Honeyeater  
White-plumed Honeyeater  
Noisy Miner  
Yellow-throated Miner  
Spiny-cheeked Honeyeater  
Crimson Chat  
Brown Honeyeater  
Black-chinned Honeyeater  
Brown-headed Honeyeater  
Blue-faced Honeyeater  
Noisy Friarbird  
Little Friarbird  
Striped Honeyeater  
Painted Honeyeater

## **Babbler**

Grey-crowned Babbler

## **Sittella**

Varied Sittella

## **Cuckoo-shrikes, Triller**

Ground Cuckoo-shrike  
Black-faced Cuckoo-shrike  
White-bellied Cuckoo-shrike  
Cicadabird  
White-winged Triller

## **Whistlers, Shrike-thrush**

Golden Whistler  
Rufous Whistler  
Grey Shrike

## **Oriole**

Olive-backed Oriole

## **Woodswallows**

White-breasted Woodswallow  
Masked Woodswallow  
White-browed Woodswallow  
Black-faced Woodswallow  
Little Woodswallow

## **Butcherbirds, Currawong**

Grey Butcherbird  
Pied Butcherbird  
Australian Magpie  
Pied Currawong

## **Drongo**

Spangled Drongo

## **Fantail, Willie Wagtail**

Grey Fantail  
Willie Wagtail

## **Raven, Crows**

Australian Raven  
Little Crow  
Torresian Crow

## **Flycatchers**

Leaden Flycatcher  
Restless Flycatcher

## **Mud Nest Builders**

Magpie-lark (Peewee)  
White-winged Chough  
Apostlebird

## **Robins**

Jacky Winter  
Red-capped Robin  
Hooded Robin  
Eastern Yellow Robin

## **Old World Warblers**

Horsfield's (Singing) Bushlark  
Australian Reed-Warbler  
Little Grassbird  
Rufous Songlark  
Brown Songlark  
Silvereye

## **Swallows, Martins**

White-backed Swallow  
Welcome Swallow  
Fairy Martin  
Tree Martin

## **Starling**

Common Starling

## **Mistletoebird**

Mistletoebird

## **Finches**

Zebra Finch  
Double-barred Finch  
Plum-headed Finch  
Diamond Firetail

## **Pipit**

Australasian Pipit



## BIRDS commonly sighted at Myall Park Botanic Garden



**Pale-headed rosella**

Feeds on ground or in foliage; chatters; pale head obvious in flight. (30cm)



photo: Binky Warby

**Rainbow bee-eater**

From high perch it swoops with orange wings after insects; voice like postman's whistle; passes through in spring and autumn. (25cm)



photo: Binky Warby

**Superb blue fairy wren (male)**

Female has brown tail & rufous eye-ring. [Female Variegated Fairy-wren has blue-grey tail and deep chestnut eye-ring.] Try west of Honeyeater Walk. (13-14cm)



photo: Binky Warby

**Striated pardalote**

Forages for insects in foliage; voice – 'pick-it-up'; (10-11cm)



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**Spiny-cheeked Honeyeater**

Also feeds on insects and fruit; voice - clear musical notes and quiet 'cluck' contact call. Listen round Hybrid Grevillea garden. (25cm)



photo: Binky Warby

**Noisy miner**

A honeyeater; aggressive to other birds; also called 'Micky'; white forehead and black crown; (28cm)



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**Blue faced honeyeater**

Large gregarious honeyeater; often seen around Gallery gardens. Juveniles have green rather than blue face. (30cm)



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**Brown honeyeater**

Clear musical voice; long curved beak takes insects as well as nectar; often around grevilleas. (11-15cm)



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**Eastern yellow robin**

clings sideways on trunk; voice – repeated piping whistle. (15cm)



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**Rufous whistler**

Open forest area; spring & summer songs are a succession of ringing notes or 'eee-CHONG' (16-17cm)



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**Grey fantail**

Acrobatic antics as it catches insects in foliage. (14-17cm)



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**Double-barred finch**

Forages in seeding grassy areas; voice – plaintive, sighing. (10-11 cm)