

INDIEN 2013

- Rajasthan – Uttaranchal (Corbett NP)/ U.P.: 9 – 22/2/2013 -

Ablauf/ Itinerary

NB: Notes, remarks etc. in English.

This was not a designated birding trip (==> limited effort on LBJ's, „hard searches“ etc. ;o)

Nonetheless, the itinerary offered some remarkable opportunities...

- 9: Delhi
- 10: Transfer => Ja isalmer (from Jodhpur airport via Pokaran)
Note: Interesting wetland site ~ 10 km N of Jodhpur E of main road; a few km on, the rubbish tip (W of main road) is certainly a good place for raptors...
- 11: Thar Desert NP/ TDNP (Sam/ Sudaseri) + Jaisalmer
Note: Access to TDNP has become straightforward: turn south in Sam – alternatively, slightly before (i.e. eastward), following 4x4 track along TDNP boundary fence – obtain entry tickets etc. at (fairly inconspicuous) Sudaseri gate; taking a camel cart (which took us to a „sandgrouse well“, also a suitable viewpoint for bustards) turned out to be a good idea. Sunrise ~ 7 AM, the drive from Jaisalmer takes ~ 1 hour
- 12: Jaisalmer => Gajner Wildilfe Sanctuary (GWS)/ Bikaner via Palodi + Khichan
Note: * access to GWS only by organised safari drive through Gajner Palace Hotel (2,500 Rs.)
* most demoiselle cranes at Khichan disperse during the day; activity certainly higher in early morning / late afternoon
- 13: Bikaner => Jaipur
- 14: Jaipur (Nahargarh Biological Park/ NBP) => Bharatpur
Note: NBP seems a good place for acacia woodland species ~ 10 km N of Jaipur on NH8, beyond Amber Fort (cf. Kazmierczak guide); try to contact Mr Tej Kumar Sharma (mobile 098-2954-3131) / Forestry Dept., who is quite knowledgeable (only met him on the way out)
- 15: Bharatpur / Kheoladeo NP (KNP)
- 16: Bharatpur – Agra – Delhi
- 17: Delhi – Moradabad – Ramnagar – Corbett NP/ CNP (via Dhangarhi Gate => „High Bank“ => Dhikala Camp)
- 18/19: CNP/ Dhikala
Note: cool weather and unexpected rains apparently dampened bird activity (few mixed flocks, woodpeckers, no flycatchers ...)
- 20: CNP (Bhijrani section) – Gajria-Temple/ Ramnagar – Amroha – Ganges R.– Delhi
Note: the degraded woodland E of Gajria temple was interesting even at noon time
- 21/22: Delhi
Note: ideas about visiting Okhla, Sultanpur etc. were defeated by a general strike...



AVES

- 1. Tachybaptus ruficollis** – Zwergtaucher / Dabchick
x-xx Khichan, Bikaner-Jaipur; xxx KNP Bharatpur
- 2. Pelecanus onocratulus** – Rosapelikan / Great White Pelican
3+ KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 3. Pelecanus crispus** – Krauskopfpelikan / Dalmatian Pelican
2 GWS Bikaner 12-13/2; ~5 KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 4. Anhinga rufa** – Schlangenhalsvogel / Darter
xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2

- 5. Phalacrocorax carbo** – Kormoran / Greater Cormorant
xx GWS Bikaner 12-13/2; xx-xxx KNP Bharatpur 15/2; 120+ Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2
- 6. Phalacrocorax fuscicollis** – Braunwangenscharbe / Indian Shag
~5 KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 7. Phalacrocorax niger** – Mohrenscharbe / Little Cormorant
xx-xxx KNP Bharatpur 15/2; x-xx Ramganga R./ Dhikala (CNP) 17-19/2
- 8. Nycticorax nycticorax** – Nachtreiher / Night Heron
xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2; 2 N Ramnagar 19/2
- 9. Dupetor flavicollis** – Schwarzdommel / Black Bittern
1 KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 10. Ardeola grayii** – Paddyreiher / Indian Pond Heron
xx-xxx KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 11. Bubulcus ibis** – Kuhreiher / Cattle Egret
x-xx außer / *except* CNP
- 12. Egretta garzetta** – Seidenreiher / Little Egret
x-xx GWS Bikaner 12-13/2; xx-xxx KNP Bharatpur 15/2; x Ramganga R./ Dhikala (CNP)
- 13. Egretta intermedia** – Mittelreiher / Intermediate Egret
x-xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2;
- 14. Casmerodius albus** – Great egret
xx GWS Bikaner 12-13/2; xxx KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 15. Ardea cinerea** – Graureiher / Grey Heron
xx GWS Bikaner 12-13/2; xxx KNP Bharatpur; x-xx Ramganga R./ Dhikala (CNP) 17-19/2
- 16. Ardea purpurea** – Purpurreiher / Purple Heron
xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 17. Plegadis falcinellus** – Braunsichler / Glossy Ibis
x-xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 18. Threskiornis melanocephalus** – Schwarzhalsibis / Black-necked Ibis
x-xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 19. Pseudibis papillosa** – Warzenibis / Black Ibis
10+ Bikaner – Jaipur 13/2; 2-3 Amroha – Ganges R. 20/2
- 20. Pseudibis leucocephalus** – Ind. Nimmersatt / Painted Stork
1 N Jodhpur 10/2; xxx KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 21. Platalea leucorodia** – Löffler / Spoonbill
20+ GWS Bikaner 12-13/2; xxx KNP Bharatpur
- 22. Xenorhynchus asiaticus** – Riesenstorch / Black-necked Stork
2+ KNP Bharatpur 15/2; 1-2 Ramganga R./ Dhikala (CNP) 17-19/2
- 23. Ciconia nigra** – Schwarzstorch / Black Stork
~ 15 Dhikala – High Bank/ CNP 18-19/2; 8 Bhijrani/ CNP 20/2
- 24. Ciconia episcopus** – Wollhalsstorch / Woolly-necked Stork
1 W Agra 16/2; 1 Ramganga Dam/ Dhikala 17/2
- 25. Phoenicopterus ruber** – Flamingo / Greater Flamingo
~10 N Jodhpur 10/2; 2 GWS Bikaner 12/2; 3+ KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 26. Anser anser** – Graugans / Greylag Goose
xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 27. Anser indicus** – Streifengans / Bar-headed Goose
xx-xxx KNP Bharatpur 15/2

- 28. *Tadorna ferruginea*** – Rostgans / Ruddy Shelduck
~15 GWS Bikaner 12/2; xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2; x-xx Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2
- 29. *Sarkidiornis melanotos*** – Glanzgans / Comb Duck
1 Khichan 12/2; xx-xxx KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 30. *Dendrocygna javanica*** – Javapfeifgans / Lesser Whistling Duck
xxx KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 31. *Anas penelope*** – Pfeifente / Eurasian Wigeon
x-xx GWS Bikaner 12-13/2; xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 32. *Anas poecilorhyncha*** – Fleckschnabelente / Spot-billed Duck
xx-xxx KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 33. *Anas platyrhynchos*** – Stockente / Mallard
x GWS Bikaner 13/2; x-xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 34. *Anas acuta*** – Spießente / Pintail
xx-xxx GWS Bikaner 12-13/2; xxx+ KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 35. *Anas strepera*** – Schnatterente / Gadwall
xxx GWS Bikaner 12-13/2; xxx+ KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 36. *Anas crecca*** – Krickente / Northern Teal
xxx GWS Bikaner 12-13/2; xxx+ KNP Bharatpur 15/2; xx Ramganga Dam Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2
- 37. *Anas querquedula*** – Knäkente / Garganey
5+ KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 38. *Anas clypeata*** – Löffelente / Northern Shoveler
xx GWS Bikaner 12-13/2; xx-xxx KNP Bharatpur 15/2; x-xx Ramganga R./ Dhikala (CNP) 18-19/2
- 39. *Netta rufina*** – Kolbenente / Red-crested Pochard
1+ GWS Bikaner 12-13/2; xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 40. *Aythya ferina*** – Tafelente / Common Pochard
xx GWS Bikaner 12-13/2
- 41. *Aythya nyroca*** – Moorente / Ferruginous Duck
3+ KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 42. *Mergus merganser*** – Gänsesäger / Common Merganser
3 Ramganga R. E Dhikala/CNP 19/2
- 43. *Haliaeetus leucoryphus*** – Bindenseeadler / Pallas' Fish Eagle
4-5 Dhikala/ CNP 17-19/2
- 44. *Ichthyophaga ichtyaetus*** – Graukopfsaadler / Grey-headed Fish Eagle
1 Ramganga R. E Dhikala 19/2
- 45. *Ichthyophaga nana*** – Zwergseeadler / Lesser Fish Eagle
4+ Ramganga R. E Dhikala 18-19/2
- 46. *Aegypius monachus*** – Mönchsgeier / Eurasian Black Vulture
2 TDNP near Sam 11/2; 3+ Jaisalmer – Bikaner 12/2; ~ 5 Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2
- 47. *Sarcogyps calvus*** – Rotkopfgeier / Red-headed Vulture
1 TDNP 11/2; 1 KNP Bharatpur 15/2; 3+ around Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2
- 48. *Gyps himalayensis*** – Schneegeier / Himalayan Griffon Vulture
1+ (imm.) around Dhikala 18 + 19/2
- 49. *Gyps fulvus*** – Gänsegeier / Griffon Vulture
x TDNP 11/2; ~ 10 Jaisalmer – Bikaner 12/2
- 50. *Gyps indicus*** – Dünnschnabelgeier / Indian Vulture
1+ ~ 40 km E Jaisalmer

- 51. Gyps bengalensis** – Bengalengeier / Indian White-backed Vulture
2+ ~ 80 km W Bikaner 12/2; 3 (1 nest) N Ramnagar 20/2
- 52. Neophron percnopterus** – Schmutzgeier / Egyptian Vulture
x-xx daily Jodhpur/ Jaisalmer up to Bharatpur (10-15/2)
- 53. Milvus migrans** – Schwarzmilan / Black Kite
xxx Delhi; xx-xxx Jaisalmer <=> Ramnagar
- 54. Elanus caeruleus** – Gleitaar / Black-shouldered Kite
daily x Jaisalmer – Jaipur – Delhi – Moradabad (*not* CNP)
- 55. Circaetus gallicus** – Schlangenadler / Short-toed Eagle
1 Dhikala/CNP 19/2
- 56. Pernis ptilorhynchus** – Schopfwespenbussard / Oriental Honey Buzzard
1 GWS Bikaner 13/2; 1 KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 57. Spilornis cheela** – Schlangenhäbicht / Crested Serpent Eagle
x-xx Ramnagar – CNP 17-20/2
- 58. Circus cyaneus** – Kornweihe / Hen Harrier
2-3 grasslands W Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2
- 59. Circus macrourus** – Steppenweihe / Pallid Harrier
1 m TDNP N Sudaseri 11/2
- 60. Circus aeruginosus** – Rohrweihe / Marsh Harrier
x-xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 61. Accipiter trivirgatus** – Schopfhäbicht / Crested Goshawk
1 E Dhikala/CNP 18/2
- 62. Accipiter badius** – Schikrasperber / Shikra
observed daily
- 63. Accipiter virgatus** – Besrasperber / Besra
1-2 E Dhikala 19/2
- 64. Buteo rufinus** – Adlerbussard / Long-legged Buzzard
3+ TDNP – Jaisalmer 11/2; ~ 5 Jaisalmer – Bikaner 12/2
- 65. Buteo buteo** – Mäusebussard / Common Buzzard
1 Jaisalmer Fort 11/2, *catching – after several, seemingly „amateurish“ attempts and to our complete surprise – one pigeon in flight (!!!) out of circling flocks at dusk!* 2+ Jaisalmer – Bikaner 12/2
- 66. Aquila nipalensis** – Steppenadler / Steppe Eagle
1+ N Jodhpur; 2+ TDNP 11/2; x Jaisalmer – Bikaner 12/2; x(-xx?) KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 67. Aquila heliaca** – Kaiseradler / (Eastern) Imperial Eagle
1+ TDNP near Sudaseri 11/2
- 68. Aquila [pomarina] hastata** – (Ind.) Schreiadler / Indian Lesser Spotted Eagle
1 TDNP N Sudaseri 11/2; 1+ KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 69. Aquila clanga** – Schelladler / Greater Spotted Eagle
3+ KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 70. Hieraaetus pennatus** – Zwergadler / Booted Eagle
1+ KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 71. Spizaetus nipalensis** – Berghaubenadler / Mountain Hawk eagle
1+ W Dhangarhi Gate/CNP 17/2
- 72. Spizaetus cirrhatus** – Einfarbhaubenadler / Changeable Hawk Eagle
x around Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2; 1 imm. Bhirjani section/CNP 20/2
- 73. Falco jugger** – Laggerfalke / Laggar Falcon

1+ Jodhpur – Pokaran 10/2; 1 TDNP Sudaseri 11/2; 2+ Jaisalmer – Palodi 12/2;

74. Falco tinnunculus – Turmfalke / Common Kestrel
singles daily between Jaisalmer + Jaipur (11 – 14/2)

75. Gallus gallus – Bankivahuhn / Red Junglefowl
x-xx around Dhikala/CNP 17–19/2

76. Francolinus pondicerianus – Graufrankolin / Grey Francolin
x-xx daily 10-15/2 (up to Bharatpur)

77. Pavo cristatus – Pfau / Indian Peafowl
x-xx daily (partly feral?)

78. Grus antigone – Saruskranich / Sarus Crane
2 flying near Ganges bridge W of Amroha (NH 24 Delhi - Moradabad)

79. Grus virgo – Jungfernkranich / Demoiselle Crane
~ 50 around Khichan 12/2; ♪ GWS Bikaner 12/2 (at night)

80. Grus grus – Kranich / Grey Crane
~ 80 GWS Bikaner 12-13/2

81. Ardeotis nigriceps – Hindutrappe / Indian Bustard
4+ TDNP NE Sudaser 11/2 (from „sandgrouse well“ viewpoint, ~ 0.8 – 1.0 km distance, 2 flying)

82. Amaurornis phoenicurus – Weißbauch-Kielralle / White-breasted Waterhen
xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2; ♪ E Dhikala/CNP („Sambar Drive“) 18/2

83. Porphyrio porphyrio – Purpurhuhn / Purple Swamphen
xxx-xxxx KNP Bharatpur 15/2

84. Fulica atra – Bläßhuhn / Eurasian Coot
xx Khichan 12/2; xxx GWS Bikaner 12-13/2; xxx-xxxx KNP Bharatpur 15/2

85. Gallinula chloropus – Teichhuhn / Common Moorhen
x-x GWS Bikaner 12-13/2; xxx-xxxx KNP Bharatpur 15/2

86. Metopidius indicus – Bronzeblatthühnchen / Bronze-winged Jacana
xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2

87. Hydrophasianus chirurgus – Wasserfasan / Pheasant-tailed Jacana
x-xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2

88. Himantopus himantopus – Stelzenläufer / Black-winged Stilt
~ 5 N Jodhpur 10/2; x Khichan 12/2; x-xx GWS Bikaner 12-13/2; xx-xxx KNP Bharatpur 15/2

89. Esacus recurvirostris – Rifftriel / Greater Thick-knee
2-3 Ramganga R. Dhikala/CNP 18/2

90. Vanellus indicus – Rotlappenkiebitz / Red-wattled Lapwing
x-xx daily; xx+ KNP Bharatpur 15/2

91. Vanellus duvaucelli – Flußspornkiebitz / River Lapwing
1+ Yamuna R. Agra 16/2; x-xx Ramganga R. Around Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2

92. Charadrius dubius – Flußregenpfeifer / Little ringed Plover
1 Khichan 12/2; x-xx GWS Bikaner 12-13/2; x-xx Ramganga R. Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2

93. Glareola lactea – Sandbrachschwalbe / Little Pratincole
x-xx Ramganga R./ Dhikala (CNP) 18-19/2

94. Philomachus pugnax – Kampfpläufer / Ruff
xx Khichan 12/2; xx GWS Bikaner 12-13/2; xxx KNP Bharatpur 15/2

95. Tringa nebularia – Grünschenkel / Greenshank
x GWS Bikaner 12-13/2; xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2; x-xx Ramganga R. Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2

- 96. *Tringa totanus*** – Rotschenkel / Common Pochard
x Ramganga R. Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2
- 97. *Tringa erythropus*** – Dkl. Wasserläufer / Spotted Redshank
1 Khichan 12/2; x-xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 98. *Tringa ochropus*** – Waldwasserläufer / Green Sandpiper
1 Khichan 12/2; x KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 99. *Tringa glareola*** – Bruchwasserläufer / Wood Sandpiper
x-xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 100. *Actitis hypoleucos*** – Flußuferläufer / Common Sandpiper
1-2 Khichan 12/2; x-xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2; x Ramganga R. Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2
- 101. *Larus ichthyæetus*** – Fischmöwe / Pallas' Gull
1+ Yamuna R. Agra 16/2; 30+ Ganges W Amora (NH 24) 20/2
- 102. *Larus brunnicephalus*** – Tibetlächmöwe / Brown-headed Gull
10+ Ganges W Amora (NH 24) 20/2
- 103. *Sterna aurantia*** – Hinduseeschwalbe / Indian River Tern
1 KNP Bharatpur 15/2; x-xx Ramganga R. Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2; 5+ Ganges bridge (NH 24) 20/2
- 104. *Treron phoenicoptera*** – Gelbfuß-Grüntaube / Yellow-footed Green Pigeon
5+ GWS Bikaner 12/2; 15+ KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 105. *Columba livia*** – Felsentaube / Rock Pigeon
+/- xx-xxx daily (how „feral“?); „seemingly wild“ ones at least in CNP 17-20/2 – xx
- 106. *Streptopelia decaocto*** – Türkentaube / Collared Dove
xx daily
- 107. *Streptopelia chinensis*** – Perlhalstaube / Spotted Dove
xx CNP 17-20/2
- 108. *Streptopelia senegalensis*** – Palmtaube / Laughing Dove
xx daily Jodhpur/ Jaisalmer up to Delhi (9-16/2)
- 109. *Chalcophaps indica*** – Smaragdtaube / Emerald Dove
1-2 Dhikala – Dhangarhi Gate/CNP 19/2
- 110. *Pterocles exustus*** – Braunbauchflughuhn / Chestnut-bellied Sandgrouse
xxx TDNP N Sudaseri 11/2; 2+ Khichan 12/2
- 111. *Psittacula eupatria*** – Alexandersittich / Alexandrine Parakeet
x-xx New Delhi 9/2 (Humayun tomb)
- 112. *Psittacula krameri*** – Halsbandsittich / Rose-ringed Parakeet
xx-xxx daily
- 113. *Psittacula cyanocephala*** – Pflaumenkopfsittich / Plum-headed Parakeet
singles/ pairs around Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2; xx Bhijrani section/CNP 20/2
- 114. *Psittacula himalayana*** – Schieferkopfsittich / Slaty-headed Parakeet
xx-xxx around Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2
- 115. *Eudynamis scolopacea*** – Koël / Asian Koël
♫ New Delhi 21/2
- 116. *Centropus sinensis*** – Heckenkuckuck / Greater Coucal
x-xx daily
- 117. *Centropus bengalensis*** – Kleiner Heckenkuckuck / Lesser Coucal
1 W Dhikala/CNP 19/2
- 118. *Athene brama*** – Brahmanenkauz / Spotted Owlet
1 NBP 14/2

- 119. Otus bakkamoena** – Halsbandohreule / Collared Scops Owl
2 KNP Bharatpur 15/2 (Hanuman Temple E of 2nd barrier)
- 120. Bubo coromandus** – Koromandeluhu / Dusky Eagle Owl
1 KNP Bharatpur 15/2 (harassed by crows)
- 121. Ketupa flavipes** – Himalaya-Fischuhu / Tawny Fish Owl
2 Dhangarhi Gate-Dhikala/CNP 17/2; 1 same site (known to drivers/ guides) 19/2
- 122. Ketupa zeylonensis** – Fischuhu / Brown Fish Owl
3 E Dhikala/CNP (Sambar Drive) 18/2
- 123. Apus melba** – Alpensegler / Alpine Swift
xx around Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2
- 124. Apus affinis** – Haussegler / Little Swift
xx Jaisalmer (towards dusk) 11/2
- 125. Pelargopsis capensis** – Storchschnabel / Stork-billed Kingfisher
1 E Dhikala/CNP 19/2; 1 Bhijrani section/CNP 20/2
- 126. Halcyon smyrnensis** – Braunliet / White-throated Kingfisher
x-xx daily
- 127. Ceryle lugubris** – Trauerfischer / Crested Kingfisher
1 Kosi R. near Garjia Temple N Ramnagar 20/2
- 128. Ceryle rudis** – Graufischer / Pied Kingfisher
x KNP Bharatpur 15/2; x around Dhikala/CNP 18-19/2
- 129. Alcedo atthis** – Eisvogel / Common Kingfisher
x KNP Bharatpur 15/2; x around Dhikala/CNP 18-19/2
- 130. Merops orientalis** – Smaragdspint / Little Green Bee-eater
x-xx daily (apart from CNP proper)
- 131. Coracias bengalensis** – Hinduracke / Indian Roller
x-xx daily
- 132. Upupa epops** – Wiedehopf / Common Hoopoe
1 TDNP S Sam 11/2; x-xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 133. Anthracoceros [malabaricus] albirostris** – Orienthornvogel / Pied Hornbill
2 W of Dhikala/CNP 18/2
- 134. Tockus birostris** – Keilschwanztoko / Indian Grey Hornbill
5+ KNP Bharatpur 15/2; 2 Agra 16/2
- 135. Megalaima haemacephala** – Kupferschmied / Coppersmith Barbei
♫ KNP Bharatpur 15/2; x CNP (Dhangarhi Gate-Dhikala, around Dhik.) 17-19/2
- 136. Megalaima zeylanica** – Braunkopfbartvogel / Brown-headed Barbet
x-xx New Delhi (Humayun tomb, Lodi Gardens) 9/2; x KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 137. Megalaima lineata** – Strichelbartvogel / Lineated Barbet
x-xx CNP (Dhangarhi Gate-Dhikala, around Dhik.) 17-19/2
- 138. Dendrocopos canicapillus** – Grauscheitelspecht / Grey-capped Woodpecker
1 -2 E Dhikala/CNP 18/2
- 139. Dendrocopos mahrattensis** – Mahrattenspecht / Yellow-crowned Woodpecker
1-2 Khichan RBP N Jaipur 14/2; 1 W Dhikala/CNP 18/2
- 140. Picus flavinucha** – Gelbnackenspecht / Greater Yellow-naped Woodpecker
2-3 E Dhikala/CNP 18/2
- 141. Picus chlorolophus** – Kleiner Gelbnackenspecht / Lesser Yellownappe
2 Dhangarhi Gate-Dhikala/CNP 17/2

- 142. *Picus canus*** – Grauspecht / Grey-headed Woodpecker
♪ Dhangarhi Gate- Dhikala/CNP 17/2
- 143. *Picus xanthopygaeus*** – Kleiner Schuppenbauchspecht / Streak-throated Woodpecker
1 Dhikala/CNP 17/2; 1 E Dhik. 19/2; 1 Bhijrani section/CNP 20/2
- 144. *Dinopium benghalense*** – Orangerückenspecht / Black-rumped Flameback
2-3 KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 145. *Dinopium shorii*** – Braunhalsspecht / Himalayan Flameback / Collared Dove
3+ W Dhikala/CNP 19/2
- 146. *Calandrella brachydactyla*** – Kurzzehenlerche / Greater Short-toed Lark
xxx TDNP-Jaisalmer-Bikaner 11-12/2
- 147. *Alauda gulgula*** – Kleine Feldlerche / Oriental Skylark
x-xx grasslands W Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2
- 148. *Eremopterix nigriceps*** – Weißstirnlereche / Black-crowned Sparrow Lark
xx Jaisalmer – TDNP 11/2
- 149. *Pteroprogne concolor*** – Rußschwalbe / Dusky Crag Martin
x-xx Jaisalmer 11/2; x Agra 16/2
- 150. *Riparia paludicola*** – Braunkehluferschwalbe / Plain Sand Martin
x Khichan 12/2; x-xx GWS Bikaner 12-13/2; xx-xxx KNP Bharatpur 15/2; xx Dhikala 17-19/2
- 151. *Hirundo smithii*** – Rotkappenschwalbe / Wire-tailed Swallow
x KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 152. *Motacilla alba*** – Bachstelze / White Wagtail
x Khichan 12/2; x GWS Bikaner 12-13/2; xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 153. *Motacilla maderaspatensis*** – Mamulastelze / White-browed Wagtail
1+ Khichan 12/2; x- xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2; x-xx Ramganga R. around Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2
- 154. *Motacilla citreola*** – Zitronenstelze / Citrine Wagtail
x KNP Bharatpur 15/2; singles Ramganga R. around Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2
- 155. *Anthus hodgsoni*** – Waldpieper / Olive-backed Pipit
5+ Kosi R. N Ramnagar 20/2
- 156. *Anthus rufulus*** – Paddyieper / Paddyfield Pipit
x-xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2; x-xx grasslands W Dhikala 17-19/2
- 157. *Tephrodornis pondicerianus*** – Indischer Waldwürger / Common Woodshrike
2+ GWS Bikaner 13/2; x-xx NBP 14/2; x KNP Bharatpur 15/2; x-xx around Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2
- 158. *Pericrocotus ethologus*** – Langschwanz-Mennigvogel / Long-tailed Minivet
xx around Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2
- 159. *Pericrocotus cinnamomeus*** – Zwergmennigvogel / Small Minivet
1-2 NBP N Jaipur 14/2
- 160. *Pycnonotus cafer*** – Rußbülbül / Red-vented Bulbul
xx daily
- 161. *Pycnonotus leucotis*** – Weißohrbülbül / White-eared Bulbul
x-xx daily Jodhpur/Jaisalmer – Agra (10-16/2)
- 162. *Pycnonotus leucogenys*** – Himalayabülbül / Himalayan Bulbul
xx daily CNP & N of Ramnagar 17-20/2
- 163. *Pycnonotus jocosus*** – Rotohrbülbül / Red-whiskered Bulbul
x-xx daily CNP & N of Ramnagar 17-20/2
- 164. *Hypsipetes leucocephalus*** – Trauerbülbül / Black Bulbul
20+ Dhangarhi Gate- Dhikala/CNP 17/2

- 165. Hemipus picatus** – Elster-Raupenschmätzer / Bar-winged Flycatcher-Shrike
x-xx around Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2
- 166. Lanius [excubitor] meridonalis** – Raubwürger / [Southern] Grey Shrike
x-xx daily Jodhpur/Jaisalmer-TDNP-Bikaner (10-13/2)
- 167. Lanius schach** – Schachwürger / Long-tailed Shrike
1 NW Jaipur 13/2; x-xx Jaipur-Bharatpur 14/2; x KNP Bharatpur 15/2; x grasslands W Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2
- 168. Lanius isabellinus** – Isabellwürger / Isabelline Shrike
x Pokaran-Jaisalmer 10/2; x Jaisalmer-TDNP 11/2
- 169. Lanius vittatus** – Rotschulterwürger / Bay-backed Shrike
1+ NBP N Jaipur 14/2; x KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 170. Aegithinia tiphia** – Iora / Common Iora
x-xx around Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2; 1-2 E Gajria Temple N Ramnagar 20/2
- 171. Aegithinia nigrolutea** – Weißschwanz-Iora / Marshall's Iora
2+ NBP Jaipur 14/2
- 172. Rhipidura aureola** – Weißbrauen-Fächerschwanz / White-browed Fantail
x KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 173. Rhipidura albicollis** – Weißkehl-Fächerschwanz / White-throated Fantail
x daily CNP 17-20/2
- 174. Rhipidura hypoxantha** – Gelbbauch-Fächerschwanz / Yellow-bellied Fantail
1+ E Gajria Temple N Ramnagar 20/2
- 175. Zosterops citrina** – Damadrossel / Orange-headed Thrush
1 KNP Bharatpur (W Hanuman Temple) 15/2
- 176. Turdus [ruficollis] atrogularis** – Schwarzkehldrossel / Dark-throated Thrush
~ 5 W Dhikala/CNP 19/2
- 177. Myophonus caeruleus** – Blaue Pfeifdrossel / Blue Whistling Thrush
x Dhangarhi Gate- Dhikala & Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2
- 178. Luscinia svecica** – Blaukehlchen / Bluethroat
x KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 179. Luscinia calliope** – Rubinkehlchen / Siberian Rubythroat
1 m KNP Bharatpur (thicket W of 2nd barrier) 15/2
- 180. Copsychus saularis** – Dajaldrossel / Oriental Magpie Robin
1-2 GWS Bikaner 12-13/2; x Jaipur 13-14/2; x-xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 181. Saxicoloides fulicata** – Buschrötel / Indian Bush Robin
x TDNP 11/2; x-xx NBP Jaipur 14/2; x-xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 182. Phoenicurus ochruros** – Hausrotschwanz / Black Redstart
1 GWS Bikaner 12/2; x-xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 183. Chaimarrornis leucocephalus** – Weißkappenschmätzer / White-capped Water Redstart
1 W Dhangarhi Gate/CNP 17/2; 1 „High Bank“, Ramganga R./CNP 19/2
- 184. Rhyacornis fuliginosus** – Wasserrötel / Plumbeous Water Redstart
x rivers CNP & Kosi R. N Ramnagar 17-20/2
- 185. Saxicola macrorhyncha** – Wüstenbraunkehlchen / Stoliczka's Bush Chat
1 TDNP (NE Sudaseri) 11/2
- 186. Saxicola ferrea** – Grauschmätzer / Grey Bush Chat
1-2 around Dhikala/CNP 18-19/2
- 187. Saxicola insignis** – Weißkehlschmätzer / Hodgson's Bush Chat

1+ grasslands W Dhikala 18/2

188. Saxicola torquata – Schwarzkehlchen / Common Stonechat
x-xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2; xx grasslands W of Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2

189. Saxicola caprata – Mohrenschwarzkehlchen / Pied Bush Chat
x-xx daily

190. Cercomela fusca – Ruinenschmätzer / Brown Rock Chat
x Jaisalmer 11/2; 1 N Ramnagar 20/2

191. Oenanthe deserti – Wüstensteinschmätzer / Desert Wheatear
1 GWS Bikaner 12/2

192. Oenanthe picata – Elstersteinschmätzer / Pied Wheatear
xx-xxx daily W Rajasthan (=> ~ 100 km NW of Jaipur) 10-13/2

193. Prinia buchanani – Roststirnprinie / Rufous-fronted Prinia
5+ TDNP Sudasari 11/2

194. Prinia inornata – Rahmbauchprinie / Plain Prinia
xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2; x-xx grasslands W Dhikala 17-19/2

195. Prinia socialis – Grauprinie / Ashy Prinia
5+ KNP Bharatpur 15/2

196. Cisticola juncidis – Cistensänger / Zitting Cisticola
x W Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2

197. Orthotomus sutorius – Schneidervogel / Common Tailorbird
♪ New Delhi 9/2; x-xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2

198. Zosterops palpebrosus – Gangesbrillenvogel / Oriental White-eye
x-xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2; xx around Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2

199. Sylvia curruca – Klappergrasmücke / Lesser Whitethroat
x TDNP 11/2; x-xx GWS Bikaner 12-13/2; xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2

200. Acrocephalus dumetorum – Buschrohrsänger / Blyth's reed warbler
x KNP Bharatpur 15/2

201. Phylloscopus griseolus – Wachskehllaubsänger / Sulphur-bellied Leaf warbler
2-3 NBP Jaipur 14/2

202. Phylloscopus collybita – Zilpzalp / Chiffchaff
x-xx GWS Bikaner 13/2; x NBP Jaipur 14/2; xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2

203. Phylloscopus [inornatus] humei – Tienschan-Laubsänger / Hume's Leaf Warbler
x KNP Bharatpur 15/2; x-xx around Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2

204. Seicercus xanthoschistos – Graukappenlaubsänger / Grey-hooded Warbler
1-2 Dhikala/CNP 18/2

205. Seicercus burkii – Brillenlaubsänger / Golden-spectacled warbler
1+ E Garjia Temple N Ramnagar 20/2

206. Turdoides striatus – Dschungeldroßling / Jungle Babbler
x-xx daily

207. Turdoides caudatus – Langschwanzdroßling / Long-tailed Babbler
x TDNP 11/2; x-xx Jaisalmer-Bikaner 12/2; x KNP Bharatpur 15/2

208. Turdoides malcolmi – Malcolmdroßling / Large Grey Babbler
x-xx NBP Jaipur 14/2; xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2

209. Pomatorhinus erythrogenys – Rostwangensäbler / Rusty-cheeked Scimitar-babbler
1 E Dhikala/CNP (Sambar Drive) 18/2

- 210. Parus major** – Kohlmeise / Great Tit
x-xx GWS Bikaner 12-13/2; xx NBP Jaipur 14/2; xx around Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2
- 211. Certhia himalayana** – Himalayabaumläufer / Bar-tailed Treecreeper
1 E Garjia Temple N Ramnagar 20/2
- 212. Nectarinia asiatica** – Purpurnektarvogel / Purple Sunbird
x-xx daily
- 213. Petronia xanthocollis** – Gelbkehlsperling / Chestnut-shouldered Petronia
x-xx NBP Jaipur 14/2; xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 214. Passer domesticus** – Hausspatz / House Sparrow
xx-xxx daily (apart from inside CNP)
- 215. Amandava amandava** – Tigerfink / Red Avadavat
xx grasslands W Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2
- 216. Lonchura malabarica** – Silberschnäbelchen / Indian Silverbill
x-xx TDNP 11/2
- 217. Oriolus xanthornus** – Kapuzenpirol / Black-hooded Oriole
x-xx CNP 17-20/2
- 218. Dicrurus macrourus** – Glanzdrongo / Black Drongo
xx daily
- 219. Acridotheres tristis** – Hirtenmaina / Common Mynah
xx+ daily
- 220. Acridotheres ginginianus** – Ufermaina / Bank Mynah
xx-xxx in larger settlements (not Jaisalmer)
- 221. Acridotheres fuscus** – Dschungelmaina / Jungle Mynah
x-xx Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2
- 222. Sturnus contra** – Elsternstar / Asian Pied Starling
x-xx daily from Jaipur eastward, but not inside CNP
- 223. Sturnus pagodorum** – Pagodenstar / Brahminy Starling
xx around Jaipur 13-14/2; xx Jaipur-Bharatpur 14/2; x-xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2
- 224. Dendrocitta vagabunda** – Wanderelster / Indian Tree Pie
x-xx daily Jaipur eastward (14-21/2)
- 225. Corvus splendens** – Hauskrähe / House Crow
xx-xxx daily
- 226. Corvus macrorhynchos** – Dschungelkrähe / Thick-billed Crow
x-xx around Bharatpur 14-15/2; xx Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2
- 227. Corvus corax** – Kolkrabe / Northern Raven
x-xx Jaisalmer – TDNP 11/2; x Jaisalmer-Phalodi 12/2

MAMMALIA

- Presbytis entellus** – Hanuman-Langur / Common Langur
xx CNP 17-120/2
- Macaca mulatta** – Rhesusaffe / Rhesus Macaque
xx+ Bikaner eastward (9/2, 13-21/2)
- Panthera tigris** – Tiger
2 („pair“) W Dhikala/CNP 18/2

Herpestes edwardsii – Indischer Mungo / Common Mongoose

1+ KNP Bharatpur 15/2; 1 W Dhikala/CNP 18/2

Canis aureus – Goldschakal / Common Jackal

1+ GWS Bikaner 12/2 (also 🎵 at night); ~ 5 KNP Bharatpur 15/2; 2+ W Dhikala/ CNP 18/2;
1 E Delhi (from NH 24) 20/2

Vulpes bengalensis – Bengalenfuchs / Indian Fox

1+ from car Jaisalmer-Bikaner 12/2)

Lutra perspicillata – Brillenotter / Indian Smooth Otter

2 Ramganga R. E Dhikala/CNP 19/2

Pteropus giganteus – Indischer Flughund / Indian Flying Fox

x GWS Bikaner 12/2 (at dusk)

Funambulus pennanti – Palmstreifenhörnchen / Five-striped Palm Squirrel

xx daily Bikaner eastward (9/2; 12-21/2)

Elephas maximus – Asiatischer Elefant / Indian Elephant

8+ W Dhikala/CNP 19/2; ~ 5 Bhijrani section/CNP 20/2

Boselaphus tragocamelus – Nilgai-Antilope/ Blue Bull

x Jodhpur-Bikaner 10/2; x TDNP 11/2; 3+ GWS Bikaner 12/2; x-xx Bikaner-Jaipur 13/2;
xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2; xx CNP 17-20/2;

Gazella gazella – Chinkara-Gazelle / Chinkara

xx Jodhpur-Bikaner 10/2; xx TDNP 11/2; x-xx GWS Bikaner 12/2; xx Bikaner-Jaipur 13/2;

Antelope cervicapra – Hirschziegentilope / Blackbuck

x-xx GWS Bikaner 12/2

Cervus unicolor – Sambarhirsch / Sambar Deer

x KNP Bharatpur 15/2; x-xx CNP 17-20/2

Axis axis – Axishirsch / Spotted Deer (Chital)

x-xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2; xxx CNP 17-20/2

Axis porcinus – Schweinshirsch / Hog Deer

singles W Dhikala/CNP 17-19/2

Muntiacus muntjak – Muntjak / Barking Deer

x CNP 17-20/2

Sus scrofa – Wildschwein / Wild Boar

3+ GWS Bikaner 12/2; xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2; xx CNP 17-20/2;

REPTILIA

Gavialis gangeticus – Gangesgavial / Gharial

x-xx Ramganga R./CNP between Ramganga Dam & High Bank 17-19/2

Crocodylus palustris – Sumpfkrokodil / Marsh Crocodile („Mugger“)

1 „High Bank“, Ramganga R./CNP 19/2

Trionyx gangeticus – Ganges-Weichschildkröte / Ganges Softshell Turtle

~5 KNP Bharatpur 15/2

Hardella thurgii – Diademschildkröte / Brahminy Terrapin

x-xx KNP Bharatpur 15/2 (presumably this species?)

Python molurus – Tigerpython / Indian Python

1 KNP Bharatpur 15/2 (NE „temple“)