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**CHECKLIST OF MIGRATORY BIRDS OF OL ARI NYIRO, LAIKIPIA NATURE
CONSERVANCY,
WESTERN LAIKIPIA, NORTHERN KENYA, EAST AFRICA**



LIST UPDATED OCTOBER 2013

Checklist of migratory birds:

Updated October 18, 2013

	VERTEBRATES	CHORDATA			
	BIRDS	AVES			
#	Common Name	Scientific Name	IUCN Red List (2009.1)	Migratory Status	Occurrence in Kenya
	HERONS, EGRETS & BITTERNS	ARDEIDAE			
1	Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>	LC	AM, PM	C
2	Madagascar Pond Heron	<i>Ardeola idae</i>	EN	PM	R, X
3	Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>	LC	AM	C
4	Black-crowned Night Heron	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>	LC	AM, PM	C
	STORKS	CICONIIDAE			
5	White Stork	<i>Ciconia ciconia</i>	LC	PM	C
6	Black Stork	<i>Ciconia nigra</i>	LC	PM	R
	IBIS AND SPOONBILLS	THRESKIORNITHIDAE			
7	Glossy Ibis	<i>Plegadis falcinellus</i>	LC	PM	C
	FLAMINGOS	PHOENICOPTERIDAE			
8	Greater Flamingo	<i>Phoenicopterus (r.) roseus</i>		AM, PM	R
	DUCKS, GEESE	ANATIDAE			
9	Northern Pintail	<i>Anas acuta</i>	LC	PM	C
10	Northern Shoveler	<i>Anas clypeata</i>	LC	PM	C
11	Tufted Duck	<i>Anas fuligula</i>		PM	R
12	Eurasian Wigeon	<i>Anas penelope</i>	LC	PM	X
13	Garganey	<i>Anas querquedula</i>		PM	C
14	Yellow-billed Duck	<i>Anas undulata</i>	LC	AM	C
15	Common Pochard	<i>Aythya ferina</i>	LC	PM	R
16	Southern Pochard	<i>Netta erythrophthalma</i>	LC	AM	C
17	Knob-billed Duck	<i>Sarkidiornis melanotos</i>	LC	AM	C
	VULTURES, EAGLE, HAWKS, KITES & ALLIES	ACCIPITRIDAE			
18	Eurasian Sparrowhawk	<i>Accipiter nisus</i>	LC	PM	R
19	Lesser Spotted Eagle	<i>Aquila pomarina</i>	LC	PM	R, X
20	Wahlberg's Eagle	<i>Aquila wahlbergi</i>	LC	AM	R
21	Eurasian Marsh Harrier	<i>Circus aeruginosus</i>	LC	PM	C
22	Pallid Harrier	<i>Circus macrourus</i>	NT	PM	C
23	Montagu's Harrier	<i>Circus pygargus</i>	LC	PM	C
24	Black Kite	<i>Milvus migrans</i>	LC	AM, PM	C
25	Osprey	<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>	LC	PM	R
	FALCONS	FALCONIDAE			
26	Lesser Kestrel	<i>Falco naumanni</i>	LC	PM	C
27	Peregrine Falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>		PM	R
28	Eurasian Hobby	<i>Falco subbuteo</i>	LC	PM	C
29	Common Kestrel	<i>Falco tinnunculus</i>	LC	PM	C
30	Red-footed Falcon	<i>Falco vespertinus</i>	NT	PM	R
	QUAILS & FRANCOLINS	PHASIANIDAE			
31	Harlequin Quail	<i>Coturnix delegorguei</i>	LC	AM	C
32	Common Quail	<i>Coturnix coturnix</i>	LC	PM	R
	RAILS & RELATIVES	RALLIDAE			
33	African Crake	<i>Actopholornis africanus</i>		AM	R
34	Red-knobbed Coot	<i>Fulica cristata</i>	LC	AM	C
35	Lesser Moorhen	<i>Gallinula cangulata</i>		AM	R
	STILTS AND AVOCETS	RECURVIROSTRIDAE			

36	Black-winged Stilt	<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>	LC	AM	C
37	Pied Avocet	<i>Recurvirostra avosetta</i>	LC	AM	C
	COURSERS AND PRANTINCOLES	GLAREOLIDAE			
38	Kentish Plover	<i>Charadrius alexandrinus</i>	LC	PM	R
39	Little Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius hiaticula</i>	LC	PM	C
	SANDPIPERS & RELATIVES	SCOLOPACIDAE			
40	Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>	LC	PM	C
41	Ruddy Turnstone	<i>Arenaria interpres</i>	LC	PM	R
42	Sanderling	<i>Calidris alba</i>	LC	PM	R
43	Dunlin	<i>Calidris alpina</i>	LC	PM	R
44	Curlew Sandpiper	<i>Calidris ferruginea</i>	LC	PM	C
45	Little Stint	<i>Calidris minuta</i>	LC	PM	C
46	Temminck's Stint	<i>Calidris temminckii</i>	LC	PM	X
47	Common Snipe	<i>Gallinago gallinago</i>	LC	PM	C
48	African Snipe	<i>Gallinago nigripennis</i>	LC	AM	C
49	Black-tailed Godwit	<i>Limosa limosa</i>	NT	PM	X
50	Ruff	<i>Philomachus pugnax</i>	LC	PM	C
51	Spotted Redshank	<i>Tringa erythropus</i>	LC	PM	X
52	Wood Sandpiper	<i>Tringa glareola</i>	LC	PM	C
53	Common Greenshank	<i>Tringa nebularia</i>	LC	PM	C
54	Marsh Sandpiper	<i>Tringa stagnatilis</i>	LC	PM	C
55	Common Redshank	<i>Tringa totonus</i>		PM	X
	GULLS AND TERNS	LARIDAE			
56	Whiskered Tern	<i>Chlidonias hybridus</i>		PM	C
57	White-winged Black Tern	<i>Chlidonias leucopterus</i>	LC	PM	C
58	Lesser Black-backed Gull	<i>Larus fuscus</i>	LC	PM	C
59	Common Black-headed Gull	<i>Larus ridibundus</i>	LC	PM	C
60	Gull-billed Tern	<i>Sterna nilotica</i>	LC	PM	C
	CUCKOOS & COUCALS	CUCULIDAE			
61	Great Spotted Cuckoo	<i>Clamator glandarius</i>	LC	AM	X
62	Black Cuckoo	<i>Cuculus clamosus</i>	LC	AM	R, X
63	African Cuckoo	<i>Cuculus gularis</i>	LC	AM	X
64	Black and White Cuckoo	<i>Oxylophus jacobinus</i>		AM, PM	R
65	Levaillant's Cuckoo	<i>Oxylophus levaillantii</i>		AM	R, X
	NIGHTJARS	CAPRIMULGIDAE			
66	Eurasian Nightjar	<i>Caprimulgus europaeus</i>	LC	PM	X
67	Pennant winged Nightjar	<i>Macrodipteryx vexillarius</i>	LC	AM	R, X
	SWIFTS	APODIDAE			
68	African Black Swift	<i>Apus barbatus</i>	LC	PM	C
	KINGFISHERS	ALCEDINIDAE			
69	African Pygmy Kingfisher	<i>Ispidina picta</i>	LC	AM	R
	BEE-EATERS	MEROPIIDAE			
70	White-throated Bee-eater	<i>Merops albicollis</i>	LC	AM	C
71	Eurasian Bee-eater	<i>Merops apiaster</i>	LC	PM	C
72	Madagascar Bee-eater	<i>Merops superciliosus</i>	LC	AM	C
	ROLLERS	CORACIIDAE			
73	Lilac-breasted Roller	<i>Coracias caudata</i>		AM	C
74	Eurasian Roller	<i>Coracias garrulus</i>	NT	PM	C
75	Broad-billed Roller	<i>Eurystomus glaucurus</i>	LC	AM, MM	C
	HOOPOES	UPUPIDAE			

76	Eurasian Hoopoe	<i>Upupa epops</i>	LC	AM, PM	C
	SWALLOWS & MARTINS	HIRUNDINIDAE			
77	Barn Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>	LC	PM	C
78	Common House Martin	<i>Delichon urbica</i>		PM	X
79	Sand Martin	<i>Riparia riparia</i>	LC	PM	R
	WAGTAILS, PIPITS AND LONGCLAWS	MOTACILLIDAE			
80	Tawny Pipit	<i>Anthus campestris</i>	LC	PM	R
81	Red throated Pipit	<i>Anthus cervinus</i>	LC	PM	C
82	Tree Pipit	<i>Anthus trivialis</i>	LC	PM	C
83	White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>	LC	PM	R
84	Grey Wagtail	<i>Motacilla cinerea</i>	LC	PM	C
85	Yellow Wagtail	<i>Motacilla flava</i>	LC	PM	C
86	Golden Pipit	<i>Tmetothylacus tenellus</i>	LC	AM	R
	THRUSHES, CHATS AND RELATIVES	TURDIDAE			
87	Common Rock-thrush	<i>Moticola saxatilis</i>	LC	PM	X
88	Spotted Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa striata</i>	LC	PM	C
89	Black- eared Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe hispanica</i>		PM	R
90	Isabelline Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe isabellina</i>	LC	PM	C
91	Northern Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe oenanthe</i>	LC	PM	C
92	Common Redstart	<i>Phoenicurus phoenicurus</i>	LC	PM	X
93	Whinchat	<i>Saxicola rubetra</i>	LC	PM	C
	OLD WORLD WARBLERS AND ALLIES	CISTICOLIDAE			
94	Great Reed Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus arundinaceus</i>	LC	PM	R
95	Sedge Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus schoenobaenus</i>	LC	PM	C
96	Olivaceous Warbler	<i>Hippolais pallida</i>	LC	PM	C
97	Chiffchaff	<i>Phylloscopus collybita</i>	LC	PM	R
98	Willow Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus trochilus</i>	LC	PM	C
99	Blackcap	<i>Sylvia atricapilla</i>	LC	PM	C
100	Garden Warbler	<i>Sylvia borin</i>	LC	PM	C
	MONARCH FLYCATCHERS	MONARCHIDAE			
101	African Paradise Flycatcher	<i>Terpsiphone viridis</i>	LC	AM	C
	SHRIKES	LANIIDAE			
102	Isabelline Shrike	<i>Lanius isabellinus</i>	LC	PM	C
	CUCKOO-SHRIKE	CAMPEPHAGIDAE			
103	Black Cuckoo-shrike	<i>Campephaga flava</i>	LC	AM	C
	ORIOLES	ORIOLIDAE			
104	African Golden Oriole	<i>Oriolus auratus</i>	LC	AM	C
105	Eurasian Golden Oriole	<i>Oriolus oriolus</i>	LC	PM	C
	OXPECKERS & STARLINGS	STURNIDAE			
106	Violet-backed Starling	<i>Cinnyricinclus leucogaster</i>	LC	AM	C
107	Wattled Starling	<i>Creatophora cinerea</i>	LC	AM	C
108	Golden-winged Sunbird	<i>Nectarinia reichenowi</i>	LC	AM	R
	WEAVERS & RELATIVES	PLOCEIDAE			
109	Chestnut Weaver	<i>Ploceus rubiginosus</i>	LC	AM	C
110	Red-billed Quelea	<i>Quelea quelea</i>	LC	AM	C

TOTAL NUMBER OF BIRDS = 110

KEY:

CR: Critically endangered

EN: Endangered

VU: Vulnerable

NT: Near Threatened

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PM: Palaeartic Migrants

AM: Afrotropical Migrants.






R: Rarities, fewer than 50 recorded in Kenya.

X: Category is species which ornithological sub-committee would be pleased to receive all records for publication in the annual East African bird report

C: Common

E: Endemic to EA

KEY

	PHYLUM
	CLASS
	SUBCLASS
	ORDER
	FAMILY

	Endangered
	Vulnerable/ Threatened
	New Species