

# BIRDS

## *at Sedia Riverside Hotel*

### CHECKLIST OF BIRDS RECORDED IN SEDIA RIVERSIDE HOTEL GROUNDS AND ALONG THE ADJACENT THAMALAKANE RIVER

In the table below, after the common name, **L** indicates species which have been seen in the Lodge grounds and **R** species seen along the river (including the riverine trees & bushes); if these letters are followed by a **a** this indicates that the particular species concerned has been seen **flying** above the Lodge or river. The last column may be used to tick the various species seen.

COMMON NAME	SCIENTIFIC NAME	
Abdim's Stork (La&Ra)	<i>Ciconia abdimii</i>	
African Crake (R)	<i>Crex egregia</i>	
African Cuckoo (R)	<i>Cuculus gularis</i>	
African Fish Eagle (La&Ra)	<i>Haliaeetus vocifer</i>	
African Hawk-Eagle (La&Ra)	<i>Hieraaetus fasciatus</i>	
African Hoopoe (L)	<i>Upupa epops</i>	
African Jacana (R)	<i>Actophilornis africanus</i>	
Arrow-marked Babbler (L)	<i>Turdoides jardineii</i>	
Barn Owl (L)	<i>Tyto alba</i>	
Bat Hawk (Ra)	<i>Macheiramphus alcinus</i>	
Bateleur (La&Ra)	<i>Terathopius ecaudatus</i>	
Bearded Woodpecker	<i>Thripias namaquus</i>	
Black Crake (R)	<i>Amaurornis flavirostris</i>	
Black-breasted Snake Eagle (La&Ra)	<i>Circaetus gallicus</i>	
Black-collared Barbet (L)	<i>Lybius torquatus</i>	
Black-eyed Bulbul (L&R)	<i>Pycnonotus barbatus</i>	
Black-shouldered Kite (La&Ra)	<i>Elanus caeruleus</i>	
Blacksmith Plover (L&R)	<i>Vanellus armatus</i>	
Black-throated Canary (L&R)	<i>Serinus atrogularis</i>	
Black-winged Stilt (R)	<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>	
Blue Waxbill (L)	<i>Uraeginthus angolensis</i>	
Brown Snake Eagle (La&Ra)	<i>Circaetus cinereus</i>	
Burchell's Starling (L)	<i>Lamprotornis australis</i>	
Cape Teal (R)	<i>Anas capensis</i>	
Cape Turtle Dove (L&R)	<i>Streptopelia capicola</i>	
Cardinal Woodpecker (L)	<i>Dendropicops fuscescens</i>	
Carmine Bee-eater (L&Ra)	<i>Merops nubicoides</i>	
Cattle Egret (L&R)	<i>Egretta ibis</i>	

Common Sandpiper (R)	<i>Tringa hypoleucos</i>	
Crested Barbet (L&R)	<i>Trachyphonus vaillantii</i>	
Crowned Plover (L&R)	<i>Vanellus coronatus</i>	
Curlew Sandpiper (R)	<i>Calidris ferruginea</i>	
Cut-throat Finch (L)	<i>Amadina fasciata</i>	
Dabchick (R)	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>	
Darter (R)	<i>Anhinga melanogaster</i>	
Diederik Cuckoo (R)	<i>Chrysococcyx caprius</i>	
Egyptian Goose (R)	<i>Alopochen aegyptiacus</i>	
Ethiopian Snipe (R)	<i>Gallinago nigripennis</i>	
European Bee-eater (La&Ra)	<i>Merops apiaster</i>	
European Golden Oriole (L)	<i>Oriolus oriolus</i>	
European Hobby	<i>Falco subbuteo</i>	
European Swallow (La&Ra)	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>	
European Swift (La&Ra)	<i>Apus apus</i>	
Fantailed Cisticola (R)	<i>Cisticola juncidis</i>	
Fork-tailed Drongo (L&R)	<i>Dicrurus adsimilis</i>	
Gabar Goshawk L&R)	<i>Micronisus gabar</i>	
Glossy Ibis (R)	<i>Plegadis falcinellus</i>	
Glossy Starling (L&R)	<i>Lamprotornis nitens</i>	
Golden Weaver (L)	<i>Ploceus xanthops</i>	
Golden-tailed Woodpecker (L)	<i>Campethera abingoni</i>	
Greater Blue-eared Starling (L&R)	<i>Lamprotornis chalybaeus</i>	
Green (or Emerald)-spotted Dove (L)	<i>Turtur chalcospilos</i>	
Green-backed Heron (R)	<i>Butorides striatus</i>	
Greenshank (R)	<i>Tringa nebularia</i>	
Grey Heron (R)	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>	
Grey Hornbill (L&R)	<i>Tockus nasutus</i>	
Grey Lourie (Tauraco) (L&R)	<i>Corythaixoides concolor</i>	
Grey-backed Bleating Warbler (L&R)	<i>Camaroptera brachyura</i>	
Ground Hornbill (Ra)	<i>Bucorvus lead eateri</i>	
Groundscraper Thrush (L)	<i>Turdus litsitsirupa</i>	
Hadedda Ibis	<i>Bostrichia hagedash</i>	
Hamerkop (R)	<i>Scopus umbretta</i>	
Hartlaub's/White-rumped Babbler (L)	<i>Turdoides leucopygius</i>	
Heuglin's Robin (R)	<i>Cossypha heuglini</i>	
Hooded Vulture (La)	<i>Necrosyrtes monachus</i>	
Hottentot Teal (R)	<i>Anas hottentota</i>	
House Sparrow (L)	<i>Passer domesticus</i>	
Jacobin Cuckoo (L&R)	<i>Clamator jacobinus</i>	
Jameson's Firefinch (L&R)	<i>Lagonosticta rhodoparvia</i>	
Knob-billed Duck (R)	<i>Sarkidiornis melanotus</i>	
Kurrichane Buttonquail (R)	<i>Turnix sylvatica</i>	
Lappet-faced Vulture (La)	<i>Torgos tracheliotus</i>	
Laughing Dove (L&R)	<i>Streptopelia senegalensis</i>	
Lesser Jacana (R)	<i>Microparra capensis</i>	
Lesser Masked Weaver (L&R)	<i>Ploceus intermedius</i>	
Lesser Moorhen (R)	<i>Gallinula angulata</i>	
Lesser-striped Swallow	<i>Hirundo abyssinica</i>	
Lilac-breasted Roller (L&R)	<i>Coracias garrulous</i>	
Little Banded Goshawk (Shikra) L	<i>Accipiter badius</i>	
Little Bee-eater (L&R)	<i>Merops pusillus</i>	
Little Egret (R)	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>	

Long-billed Crombec (R)	<i>Sylvietta rufescens</i>	
Long-tailed Shrike (L)	<i>Corvinella melanoleuca</i>	
Long-tailed Starling (L)	<i>Lamprotornis mevesii</i>	
Malachite Kingfisher (R)	<i>Alcedo cristata</i>	
Marabou (Stork) (La&Ra)	<i>Leptoptilos crumeniferus</i>	
Marico Sunbird (L)	<i>Nectarinia mariquensis</i>	
Masked Weaver (L&R)	<i>Ploceus velatus</i>	
Melba Finch (L&R)	<i>Pytilia melba</i>	
Meyer's Parrot (L&Ra)	<i>Poicephalus meyeri</i>	
Mourning Dove (L&R)	<i>Streptopelia decipiens</i>	
Namaqua Dove (L&R)	<i>Oena capensis</i>	
Open-billed Stork (L&R)	<i>Anastomus lamelligerus</i>	
Orange-breasted Bush Shrike (L)	<i>Telophorus sulfureopectus</i>	
Painted Snipe (R)	<i>Rostratula benghalensis</i>	
Palm Swift (La&Ra)	<i>Cypsiurus parvus</i>	
Paradise Flycatcher (L)	<i>Terpsiphone viridis</i>	
Paradise Whydah (Ra)	<i>Vidua paradisaea</i>	
Pearl-spotted Owl (L)	<i>Glaucidium perlatum</i>	
Pied Crow (La)	<i>Corvus albus</i>	
Pied Kingfisher (R)	<i>Ceryle rudis</i>	
Pink-backed Pelican (Ra)	<i>Pelecanus rufescens</i>	
Puffback (L)	<i>Dryoscopus cubla</i>	
Purple Widowfinch (L)	<i>Vidua purpurascens</i>	
Pygmy Goose (R)	<i>Nettapus auritus</i>	
Rattling Cisticola (R)	<i>Cisticola chiniana</i>	
Red Bishop (R)	<i>Euplectes orix</i>	
Red-backed Shrike (L&R)	<i>Lanius collurio</i>	
Red-billed Firefinch (L&R)	<i>Lagonosticta senegala</i>	
Red-billed Francolin (L&R)	<i>Francolinus adspersus</i>	
Red-billed Hornbill (L&Ra)	<i>Tockus erythrorhynchus</i>	
Red-billed Oxpecker (R) (on livestock)	<i>Buphagus erythrorhynchus</i>	
Red-billed Quelea (L&R)	<i>Quelea quelea</i>	
Red-billed Teal (R)	<i>Anas erythrorhyncha</i>	
Red-billed Woodhoopoe (L&R)	<i>Phoeniculus purpureus</i>	
Red-eyed Bulbul (L)	<i>Pycnonotus nigicans</i>	
Red-eyed Dove (L&R)	<i>Streptopelia semitorquata</i>	
Reed Cormorant (R)	<i>Phalacrocorax africanus</i>	
River Warbler (R)	<i>Locustella fluviatilis</i>	
Ruff /Reeve (R)	<i>Philomachus punax</i>	
Sacred Ibis (L&R)	<i>Threskiornis aethiopicus</i>	
Scarlet-chested Sunbird (R)	<i>Nectarinia senegalensis</i>	
Scops Owl (L)	<i>Otus senegalensis</i>	
Senegal Coucal (L)	<i>Centropus senegalensis</i>	
Southern Grey-headed Sparrow (L)	<i>Passer griseus</i>	
Southern Pochard (R)	<i>Netta erythrophthalma</i>	
Spotted Flycatcher (L)	<i>Muscicapa striata</i>	
Spur-winged Goose (R)	<i>Plectropterus gambensis</i>	
Squacco Heron (R)	<i>Ardeola ralloides</i>	
Steel-blue Widowfinch (L)	<i>Vidua chalybeata</i>	
Steppe Buzzard (La&ra)	<i>Buteo buteo</i>	
Striped Crake (R)	<i>Aenigmatolimnas marginalis</i>	
Striped Cuckoo (L&R)	<i>Clamator levaillantii</i>	
Swamp Boubou (L&R)	<i>Laniarius bicolor</i>	

Tawny Eagle (La&Ra)	<i>Aquila rapax</i>	
Tawny-flanked Prinia (L&R)	<i>Prinia subflava</i>	
Terrestrial Bulbul (L)	<i>Phyllastrephus terrestris</i>	
Three-banded Plover (R)	<i>Charadrius tricollaris</i>	
Three-streaked Tchagra (L&R)	<i>Tchagra australis</i>	
Wahlberg's Eagle (La&Ra)	<i>Aquila wahlbergi</i>	
Water Dikkop (R)	<i>Burhinus vermiculatus</i>	
Wattled Starling (Ra)	<i>Creatophora cinerea</i>	
White Pelican (Ra)	<i>Pelecanus onocrotalus</i>	
White Stork (La&Ra)	<i>Ciconia ciconia</i>	
White-backed Duck (R)	<i>Thalassornis leuconotus</i>	
White-backed Vulture (La)	<i>Gyps africanus</i>	
White-bellied Sunbird (L)	<i>Nectarinia talatala</i>	
White-browed Robin (L&R)	<i>Erythropygia leucophrys</i>	
White-faced Duck (R)	<i>Dendrocygna viduata</i>	
Willow Warbler (L&R)	<i>Phyllosopus trochilus</i>	
Wood Sandpiper (R)	<i>Tringa glareola</i>	
Woodland Kingfisher (L)	<i>Halcyon senegalensis</i>	
Yellow White-eye (R)	<i>Zosterops senegalensis</i>	
Yellow-billed Duck (R)	<i>Anas undulata</i>	
Yellow-billed Hornbill (L&Ra)	<i>Tockus flavirostris</i>	
Yellow-billed Kite (La&Ra)	<i>Milvus migrans</i>	
Yellow-billed Oxpecker (R)(on livestock)	<i>Buphagus africanus</i>	
Yellow-billed Stork (L&R)	<i>Mycteria ibis</i>	