

Cheepers! Birding on a Budget

JAMAICA

Island Endemics

January 7 - January 14, 2017

01/07	Arrival at Norman Manley International Airport, Kingston Jamaica. Transferred to Knutsford Court Hotel.											
01/08	Birded Hellshire Hills (Old Shrimp Factory Road), Portmore Sewage Ponds, Hope Gardens, and drove to Section (Starlight Chalets). Night walk at Starlight and found Jamaican Owl and Chuck-will's-widow.											
01/09	RAIN! WIND! Very little birding along the road between the military camp and Section. Birded from Starlight balcony.											
01/10	Departed Blue Mountains a day early due to rain and no electricity at Starlight. Drove to San San, birded Police Station Road, had lunch at Woody's, checked in at Bayview Resort, birded Ecclesdown Road.											
01/11	AM: Ecclesdown Road in the morning. PM: Goblin Hill Road.											
01/12	AM: White-tailed Tropicbird site (Hector's River) and eastern end of Ecclesdown Road. PM: San San - Police Station Road.											
01/13	AM: Ecclesdown Road. Drove to Kinston with birding stops at Swift River and Spanish River. Brief stop at Castleton Botanical Gardens. Checked in at Knutsford Court Hotel.											
01/14	Departed from Norman Manley International Airport for flight home.											
1	DUCKS, GEESE & SWANS - Anatidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip	
11	Blue-winged Teal - <i>Anas discors</i>		46	S	S						S	
28	GREBES - Podicipedidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip	
30	Pied-billed Grebe - <i>Podilymbus podiceps</i>		54	S						S	S	
42	TROPICBIRDS - Phaethontidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip	
43	White-tailed Tropicbird - <i>Phaethon lepturus</i>		55	S					S		S	
47	FRIGATEBIRDS - Fregatidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip	
48	Magnificent Frigatebird - <i>Fregata magnificens</i>		62	S	S		S		S	S	S	
58	PELICANS - Pelecanidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip	
60	Brown Pelican - <i>Pelecanus occidentalis</i>		57	S	S		S			S	S	
61	HERONS, BITTERNs & EGRETS - Ardeidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip	
64	Great Blue Heron - <i>Ardea herodias</i>		63	S	S						S	
65	Great Egret - <i>Ardea alba</i>		64	S	S		S	S	S	S	S	
66	Snowy Egret - <i>Egretta thula</i>		68	S	S		S			S	S	
67	Little Blue Heron - <i>Egretta caerulea</i>		67	S	S					S	S	
68	Tricolored Heron - <i>Egretta tricolor</i>		66	S	S					S	S	
69	Reddish Egret - <i>Egretta rufescens</i>	R/A NT	65	S	S						S	
70	Cattle Egret - <i>Bubulcus ibis</i>		69	S	S		S	S	S	S	S	
71	Green Heron - <i>Butorides virescens</i>		70	S	S					S	S	
72	Black-crowned Night-Heron - <i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>		71	S	S		S				S	
73	Yellow-crowned Night-Heron - <i>Nyctanassa violacea</i>		72	S						S	S	
74	IBISES & SPOONBILLS - Threskiornithidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip	
77	Glossy Ibis - <i>Plegadis falcinellus</i>	R/A	75	S	S						S	
79	AMERICAN VULTURES - Cathartidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip	
81	Turkey Vulture - <i>Cathartes aura</i>		77	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	
82	OSPREY - Pandionidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip	
83	Osprey - <i>Pandion haliaetus</i>		78	S	S			S			S	
84	KITES, EAGLES & HAWKS - Accipitridae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip	
91	Red-tailed Hawk - <i>Buteo jamaicensis</i>		80	S		S	S	S	S	S	S	
92	RAILS, GALLINULES & COOTS - Rallidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip	
99	Common Gallinule - <i>Gallinula galeata</i>		90	S	S					S	S	
104	STILTS & AVOCETS - Recurvirostridae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip	
105	Black-necked Stilt - <i>Himantopus mexicanus</i>		94	S	S						S	
109	PLOVERS & LAPWINGS - Charadriidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip	
110	Grey (Black-bellied) Plover - <i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>		95	S	S						S	
116	Killdeer - <i>Charadrius vociferus</i>		98	S	S						S	
117	JACANAS - Jacanidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip	
118	Northern Jacana - <i>Jacana spinosa</i>		93	S	S						S	

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119	SANDPIPERS, SNIPES & PHALAROPES - Scolopacidae										
120	Spotted Sandpiper - Actitis macularius		101	S	S					S	S
122	Greater Yellowlegs - Tringa melanoleuca		102	S	S					S	S
124	Lesser Yellowlegs - Tringa flavipes		102	S	S						S
135	Least Sandpiper - Calidris minutilla		107	S	S						S
150	GULLS & TERNS - Laridae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip
153	Laughing Gull - Leucophaeus atricilla		112	S	S		S			S	S
166	Royal Tern - Thalasseus maximus		122	S						S	S
169	PIGEONS & DOVES - Columbidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip
170	Rock Pigeon - Columba livia	I	125	S	S		S	S	S	S	S
172	White-crowned Pigeon - Patagioenas leucocephala	NT	127	S	S		S	S	S	S	S
174	Ring-tailed Pigeon - Patagioenas caribaea	End V	126	S		S	S	S	S	S	S
177	Common Ground-Dove - Columbina passerina		133	S	S		S	S	S	S	S
179	Crested Quail-Dove - Geotrygon versicolor	End NT	136	S				S			S
180	Ruddy Quail-Dove - Geotrygon montana		138	S			G	S	G		S
182	White-winged Dove - Zenaida asiatica		130	S	S		G	F	S	S	S
183	Zenaida Dove - Zenaida aurita		131	S	S		S			S	S
185	CUCKOOS & ANIS - Cuculidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip
187	Mangrove Cuckoo - Coccyzus minor		147	S	S						S
189	Chestnut-bellied Cuckoo - Coccyzus pluvialis	End	150	S				S	S	S	S
190	Jamaican Lizard-Cuckoo - Coccyzus vetula	End	148	S			S	S	H	H	S
191	Smooth-billed Ani - Crotophaga ani		152	S	S		S	S		S	S
194	TYPICAL OWLS - Strigidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip
195	Jamaican Owl - Pseudoscops grammicus	End	154	S	S				H		S
196	NIGHTJARS & NIGHTHAWKS - Caprimulgidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip
200	Chuck-will's-widow - Antrostomus carolinensis	R/A	159	S	S						S
204	SWIFTS - Apodidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip
206	White-collared Swift - Streptoprocne zonaris		160	S				S			S
208	Antillean Palm-Swift - Tachornis phoenicobia		161	S	S						S
209	HUMMINGBIRDS - Trochilidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip
210	Jamaican Mango - Anthracothorax mango	End	162	S	S		S		S		S
212	Vervain Hummingbird - Mellisuga minima		168	S	S				S	S	S
213	Red-billed Streamertail - Trochilus polytmus	End	164	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
214	Black-billed Streamertail - Trochilus scitulus	End	166	S			S	S	S	S	S
215	TODIES - Todidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip
216	Jamaican Tody - Todus todus	End	170	S		G	S	S	S	S	S
217	KINGFISHERS - Alcedinidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip
218	Belted Kingfisher - Megaceryle alcyon		169	S	S				S		S
219	WOODPECKERS - Picidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip
220	Jamaican Woodpecker - Melanerpes radiolatus	End	172	S	S		S	S	S	S	S
221	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker - Sphyrapicus varius	R/A	174	S				S			S
223	FALCONS & CARACARAS - Falconidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip
225	American Kestrel - Falco sparverius		82	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
226	Merlin - Falco columbarius	R/A	81	S			S		S		S
227	Peregrine Falcon - Falco peregrinus		83	S				S			S
228	PARROTS & MACAWS - Psittacidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip
229	Black-billed Parrot - Amazona agilis	End V	144	S			S	S	S	S	S
230	Yellow-billed Parrot - Amazona collaria	End V	142	S	S			S	S	S	S
231	Green-rumped Parrotlet - Forpus passerinus	I	139	S			F		F		F
232	Olive-throated (Jamaican) Parakeet - Eupsittula nana	End	140	S			S	S	S	S	S
234	TYRANT FLYCATCHERS - Tyrannidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip
235	Jamaican Elaenia - Myiopagis cotta	End	176	S		S			S		S
239	Jamaican Pewee - Contopus pallidus	End	178	S		S	S		S	S	S
241	Sad Flycatcher - Myiarchus barbirostris	End	184	S		S	S		S		S
242	Rufous-tailed Flycatcher - Myiarchus validus	End	186	S			S	S	S	S	S
243	Stolid Flycatcher - Myiarchus stolidus		188	S	S						S
246	Loggerhead Kingbird - Tyrannus caudifasciatus		180	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
248	BECARDS - Tityridae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip
249	Jamaican Becard - Pachyrhamphus niger	End	190	S				S	S	S	S
250	VIREOS - Vireonidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip
252	Jamaican Vireo - Vireo modestus	End	216	S	S			H		H	S
253	Blue Mountain Vireo - Vireo osburni	End NT	218	S			S				S

260	CROWS - Corvidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip		
261	Jamaican Crow - <i>Corvus jamaicensis</i>	End	208	S			S	H	S	S	S		
274	THRUSHES - Turdidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip		
275	Rufous-throated Solitaire - <i>Myadestes genibarbis</i>		201	S				H	H	S	S		
281	White-eyed Thrush - <i>Turdus jamaicensis</i>	End	204	S			S	S	S	S	S		
283	White-chinned Thrush - <i>Turdus aurantius</i>	End	206	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		
285	MOCKINGBIRDS - Mimidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip		
287	Bahama Mockingbird - <i>Mimus gundlachii</i>		198	S	S						S		
288	Northern Mockingbird - <i>Mimus polyglottos</i>		200	S	S		S	S	S	S	S		
296	NEW WORLD WARBLERS - Parulidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip		
297	Ovenbird - <i>Seiurus aurocapilla</i>		243	S			S		S		S		
298	Worm-eating Warbler - <i>Helmitheros vermivorum</i>	R/A	242	S			S	S	G	S	S		
303	Black-and-white Warbler - <i>Mniotilta varia</i>		239	S	S	S	S	S			S		
312	Common Yellowthroat - <i>Geothlypis trichas</i>		246	S		S		S	S		S		
313	Arrowhead Warbler - <i>Setophaga pharetra</i>	End	236	S			S	S	S	S	S		
315	American Redstart - <i>Setophaga ruticilla</i>		240	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		
316	Cape May Warbler - <i>Setophaga tigrina</i>		228	S	S						S		
318	Northern Parula - <i>Setophaga americana</i>		224	S	S		S	S	S	S	S		
319	Magnolia Warbler - <i>Setophaga magnolia</i>	R/A	227	S	S						S		
325	Black-throated Blue Warbler - <i>Setophaga caerulescens</i>		229	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		
330	Prairie Warbler - <i>Setophaga discolor</i>		233	S	S		S		S		S		
335	TANAGERS - Thraupidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip		
338	Bananaquit - <i>Coereba flaveola</i>		250	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		
339	Yellow-faced Grassquit - <i>Tiaris olivaceus</i>		252	S		S					S		
340	Black-faced Grassquit - <i>Tiaris bicolor</i>		253	S	S				S		S		
341	Orangequit - <i>Euneornis campestris</i>	End	256	S	G	S	S	S	S	S	S		
342	Greater Antillean Bullfinch - <i>Loxigilla violacea</i>		258	S				H	S	S	S		
343	Yellow-shouldered Grassquit - <i>Loxipasser anoxanthus</i>	End	254	S		G			S	S	S		
344	Jamaican Spindalis - <i>Spindalis nigricephala</i>	End	248	S		S	S	S	S	S	S		
359	NEW WORLD BLACKBIRDS - Icteridae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip		
361	Jamaican Blackbird - <i>Nesopsar nigerrimus</i>	End En	266	S					S		S		
363	Greater Antillean Grackle - <i>Quiscalus niger</i>		268	S	S		S	S	S	S	S		
366	Jamaican Oriole - <i>Icterus leucopteryx</i>		272	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		
368	EUPHONIAS - Fringillidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip		
369	Jamaican Euphonia - <i>Euphonia jamaica</i>	End	222	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		
373	WEAVERS - Ploceidae	Status	Page	Prev	8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip		
375	Yellow-crowned Bishop - <i>Euplectes afer</i>	I	212	S	S						S		
DAILY TOTALS						8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip	
					Seen	99	61	20	48	46	51	56	98
					Heard	0	0	0	1	3	3	2	0
					Guide	0	1	2	2	0	2	0	0
					Fly-by	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1
					Total	99	62	22	52	50	57	58	99
ACCUMULATED TOTALS						8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip	
					Seen	118	61	70	83	92	94	98	
					Heard	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	
					Guide	0	1	2	2	0	0	0	
					Fly-by	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	
					Total	119	62	72	87	94	96	99	
ACCUMULATED ENDEMIC COUNT						8	9	10	11	12	13	Trip	
					Seen		8	14	24	28	29	29	
					Heard		0	0	0	0	0	0	
					Guide		0	0	0	0	0	0	
					Fly-by		0	0	0	0	0	0	
					Total		8	14	24	28	29	29	

Note: "Prev" entries in green are species seen this trip that were not seen on previous trips.