

# THAILAND

## Cheepers! Birding on a Budget March 22 - April 5, 2013

Tune Hotel, Wat Chonglom (temple), Tajeem River, Mangrove, Ponds/Rice Fields
Pakthale (Estuary) - Spoonbill Sandpiper, Royal King Project Station (Mangrove), (Lame Pak Bia), Lunch, Rice Fields to Wat Maha That Temple, to Kaeng Kracham National Park
Kaeng Krachan National Park, Baan Krang campground, Paneon Tung (top of mountain)
Borlung Sin (water feature), local roads, Dan Ngo (town - Ashy Woodswallow),
5-hour drive from Kaeng Krachan NP to vicinity Khao Yai NP, Baan Khao Takroa (weavers), Baan Moo See Admin Office (parakeets), village road
Khao Keaw road inside Khao Yai National Park, Pa Daew Dai Trail, Air Force Station, Conference Camp (Bee-eater), KM 37 (Hornbill Nest)
Khao Yai National Park
Balois Hotel grounds and environs
Fight to Chaing Mai, Chiang Mai University grounds, Wat Doi Suthep Temple, drive to Doi Inthanon National Park
Doi Inthanon National Park - Entrance, boardwalk near Visitor's Center, Waterfall, Campground (Royal Garden)
Doi Inthanon National Park - Huy Sailing Waterfall, Mac Aoum (dirt road) to watershed unit, Summit, and boardwalk
Doi Inthanon National Park, Royal Project Lodge grounds, Wachiratarn Waterfall, drive to Chaing Dao, Baan Mae Ma rice fields
Chiang Dao NP - entrance road, Hot Springs area (Wildlife Sanctuary Office area), Wat Tum Pa Plong (temple), drive to Doi Ang Khang, Ban Luang Resort, campground to
Doi Ang Khang, Rhododendron Trail (Silver-eared Mesite), Mae Puh watershed (raptor debate), Royal Project Gardens, Norlae (military base at border)
Doi Ang Khang, drive to Chaing Mai, flight to Bangkok

		Central Thailand										Northern Thailand							
	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip	
1	<b>Ducks, Geese and Waterfowl - Anatidae</b>																		
2	Lesser Whistling-Duck - <i>Dendrocygna javanica</i>		4	S	S						S			S				S	
11	Cotton Pygmy-Goose - <i>Nettion coromandelianus</i>		6	S														S	
31	<b>Pheasants, Grouse, and Allies - Phasianidae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
37	Rufous-throated Partridge - <i>Arborophila rufogularis</i>		2											S					S
39	Bar-backed Partridge - <i>Arborophila brunneopectus</i>		2				S												S
43	Scaly-breasted Partridge - <i>Arborophila chloropus</i>		2				S												S
47	Mountain Bamboo-Partridge - <i>Bambusicola fytchii</i>		2														S		S
48	Red Junglefowl - <i>Gallus gallus</i>		2			S	S			H									S
49	Kalij Pheasant - <i>Lophura leucomelanos</i>					S	S												S
53	Siamese Fireback - <i>Lophura diardi</i>	N	3							S									S
60	<b>Grebes - Podicipedidae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
61	Little Grebe - <i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>		7	S								S							S
73	<b>Storks - Ciconiidae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
74	Asian Openbill - <i>Anastomus oscitans</i>		69	S	S			S				S			S				S
83	Painted Stork - <i>Mycteria leucocephala</i>	N	69		S														S
92	<b>Cormorants and Shags - Phalacrocoracidae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
95	Little Cormorant - <i>Phalacrocorax niger</i>		64	S	S														S
96	<b>Anhingas - Anhingidae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
97	ORIENTAL Darter - <i>Anhinga melanogaster</i>	N	64	S															S
100	<b>Hérons, Egrets, and Bitterns - Ardeidae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
102	Yellow Bittern - <i>Ixobrychus sinensis</i>		67		S			S											S
104	Cinnamon Bittern - <i>Ixobrychus cinnamomeus</i>		67									S							S
106	Gray Heron - <i>Ardea cinerea</i>		66	S	S			S											S
108	Purple Heron - <i>Ardea purpurea</i>		66	S	S														S
109	Great Egret - <i>Ardea alba</i>		65	S	S		S	S							S				S
110	Intermediate Egret - <i>Mesophoyx intermedia</i>		65	S	S			S	S	S	S				S				S
112	Little Egret - <i>Egretta garzetta</i>		65	S	S		S	S		S	S	S							S
114	Cattle Egret - <i>Bubulcus ibis</i>		65	S	S		S	S	S	S	S	S			S	S			S
116	Chinese Pond-Heron - <i>Ardeola bacchus</i>		66	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		S	S	S			S
117	Javan Pond-Heron - <i>Ardeola speciosa</i>		66	S	S			S							S				S
118	STRIATED (Little) Heron - <i>Butorides striata</i>		67	S															S
119	Black-crowned Night-Heron - <i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>		66		S														S
121	<b>Ibises and Spoonbills - Threskiornithidae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
123	Black-headed Ibis - <i>Threskiornis melanocephalus</i>	Ex N	68									S							S
130	<b>Hawks, Eagles, and Kites - Accipitridae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
132	Black Baza - <i>Aviceda leuphotes</i>		52		G		S				S	S							S
133	Oriental Honey-buzzard - <i>Pernis ptilorhynchus</i>		52			S	S								S				S
135	Black-shouldered Kite - <i>Elanus caeruleus</i>		62					S							S				S
136	Black Kite - <i>Milvus migrans</i>		53							S									S
136a	Black-eared Kite - <i>Milvus lineatus lineatus</i>							SS											SS
137	Brahminy Kite - <i>Haliastur indus</i>		53	S	S			S											S
149	Short-toed(Snake) Eagle - <i>Circaetus gallicus</i>		53										G						G
150	Crested Serpent-Eagle - <i>Spilornis cheela</i>		60			S				S		S		H		S			S
153	Eastern Marsh-Harrier - <i>Circus spilonotus</i>		56	S															S
157	Crested Goshawk - <i>Accipiter trivirgatus</i>		58			S			S	S									S
158	Shikra - <i>Accipiter badius</i>		57													S			S
160	Japanese Sparrowhawk - <i>Accipiter gularis</i>		57							S									S
161	Besra - <i>Accipiter virgatus</i>		57			S									S				S





642	Black Drongo - Dicrurus macrocerus		76	S	S		S	S	S			S		S	S			S	
643	Ashy Drongo - Dicrurus leucophaeus		76			S		S	S	S			G	S	S			S	
645	Bronzed Drongo - Dicrurus aeneus		76			S							S					S	
646	Lesser Racket-tailed Drongo - Dicrurus remifer		76										S				S	S	
647	HAIR-CRESTED (Spangled) Drongo - Dicrurus hottentottus		76			S	S			G				S	S		S	S	
648	Greater Racket-tailed Drongo - Dicrurus paradiseus		76			S	S	S		S						S		S	
649	<b>Fantails - Rhipiduridae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
652	Pied Fantail - Rhipidura javanica		82	S	S		S	S			S								S
654	<b>Monarch Flycatchers - Monarchidae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
655	Black-naped Monarch - Hypothymis azurea		83				S	S								S			S
657	Asian Paradise-Flycatcher - Terpsiphone paradisi		83											S					S
658	<b>Crows, Jays, and Magpies - Corvidae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
661	Eurasian Jay - Garrulus glandarius		77									S							S
662	(Red-billed) Blue Magpie - Urocissa erythrorhyncha		77									S							S
663	(Common) Green Magpie - Cissa chinensis		77							H									H
666	Gray Treepie - Dendrocitta formosae		77														F		F
667	Racket-tailed Treepie - Crysirina temia		78			S	S					S							S
671	Large-billed Crow - Corvus macrorhynchos		76	S				S	S	S	S		S	S		S			S
678	<b>Swallows - Hirundinidae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
682	BANK SWALLOW (Sand Martin) - Riparia riparia		101							S									S
684	Barn Swallow - Hirundo rustica		101	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
686	Wire-tailed Swallow - Hirundo smithii		101												S				S
689	Striated Swallow - Cecropis striolata		101				S	S	S	S					S	S	S		S
692	Asian House-Martin - Delichon dasyptus		100						S										S
694	<b>Fairy Flycatchers - Stenostiridae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
695	Yellow-bellied FAIRY-Fantail - Chelidorhynch hypoxantha		82											S	S				S
696	Gray-headed Canary-Flycatcher - Culicicapa ceylonensis		91											S	S				S
697	<b>Chickadees and Tits - Paridae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
698	Great Tit - Parus major		100											S			S		S
699	Yellow-cheeked Tit - Parus spilonotus		100											S	S				S
706	<b>Nuthatches - Sittidae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
708	Chestnut-vented Nuthatch - Sitta nagaensis		99											S			S		S
709	Velvet-fronted Nuthatch - Sitta frontalis		99											S					S
717	<b>Bulbuls - Pycnonotidae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
718	Crested Finchbill - Spizixos canifrons		102													S	S	S	S
721	Black-headed Bulbul - Pycnonotus atriceps		102						S	S	S					S			S
723	Striated Bulbul - Pycnonotus striatus		102											S					S
724	Black-crested Bulbul - Pycnonotus flaviventris		102			S			S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
727	Red-whiskered Bulbul - Pycnonotus jocosus		102						S		S				S	S	S	S	S
728	Brown-breasted Bulbul - Pycnonotus xanthorrhous		102													S	S	S	S
730	Sooty-headed Bulbul - Pycnonotus aurigaster		102				S	S			S	S		S	S	S	S	S	S
731	Stripe-throated Bulbul - Pycnonotus finlaysoni		103			S	S								S				S
732	Flavescent Bulbul - Pycnonotus flavesceus		103			S							S	S	S	S	S	S	S
733	Yellow-vented Bulbul - Pycnonotus goiavier		103	S			G												S
735	Streak-eared Bulbul - Pycnonotus blanfordi		103	S	S		S	S			S	S				S			S
742	Puff-throated Bulbul - Alophoixus pallidus		104				S		S	S									S
743	Ochraceous Bulbul - Alophoixus ochraceus		104			S													S
747	Gray-eyed Bulbul - Iole propinqua		103						S	S				S		S			S
750	Black Bulbul - Hypsipetes leucocephalus		104											S		S			S
751	White-headed Bulbul - Hypsipetes thompsoni		104										S						S
752	Ashy Bulbul - Hemixos flava		104						S										S
753	Mountain Bulbul - Ixos mccllellandii		104			G								S			S		S
757	<b>Bush-Warblers and Allies - Cettiidae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
764	Mountain Tailorbird - Phyllergates cucullatus													H					H
770	<b>Leaf-Warblers - Phylloscopidae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
772	Dusky Warbler - Phylloscopus fuscatus		109			S										S			S
774	Yellow-streaked Warbler - Phylloscopus armandii		109													S			S
775	Radde's Warbler - Phylloscopus schwarzi		109													S			S
776	Buff-barred Warbler - Phylloscopus pulcher		110											S				S	S
777	Ashy-throated Warbler - Phylloscopus maculipennis		110											S					S
784	Arctic Warbler - Phylloscopus borealis		109			S			S					S					S
785	Greenish Warbler - Phylloscopus trochiloides		109													S	S		S
786	Two-barred Warbler - Phylloscopus plumbeitarsus		109						S							S			S
792	Blyth's Leaf-Warbler - Phylloscopus reguloides		110								S				S			S	S
793	DAVISON'S (White-tailed) Leaf-Warbler - Phylloscopus davisoni		110											S	S				S
796	Sulphur-breasted Warbler - Phylloscopus ricketti		110														S		S
805	<b>Reed-Warblers and Allies - Acrocephalidae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
806	Black-browed Reed-Warbler - Acrocephalus bistrigiceps		107					S											S
824	<b>Cisticolas and Allies - Cisticolidae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
825	Zitting Cisticola - Cisticola juncidis		105												S				S
826	GOLDEN (Bright)-headed Cisticola - Cisticola exilis		105					S							S				S
827	Common Tailorbird - Orthotomus sutorius		106	S	S		S			S						S	S		S
828	Dark-necked Tailorbird - Orthotomus atrogularis		106			S													S
832	Hill Prinia - Prinia supercilialis		105										S	G	S		S	S	S
833	Rufescent Prinia - Prinia rufescens		106		S														S
834	Gray-breasted Prinia - Prinia hodgsonii		106					S				S							S



1058	<b>Leafbirds - Chloropseidae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
1061	Blue-winged Leafbird - <i>Chloropsis cochinchinensis</i>		74			S				S						S			S
1062	Golden-fronted Leafbird - <i>Chloropsis aurifrons</i>		74								G					S			S
1063	Orange-bellied Leafbird - <i>Chloropsis hardwickii</i>		74											S	S				S
1064	<b>Flowerpeckers - Dicaeidae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
1068	Thick-billed Flowerpecker - <i>Dicaeum agile</i>		120									S							S
1069	Yellow-vented Flowerpecker - <i>Dicaeum chrysorrheum</i>		120							S									S
1070	Yellow-bellied Flowerpecker - <i>Dicaeum melanoxanthum</i>		120										S					S	S
1073	Fire-breasted (aka Buff-bellied) Flowerpecker - <i>Dicaeum ignipet</i>		120			S			S	S		S		S					S
1074	Scarlet-backed Flowerpecker - <i>Dicaeum cruentatum</i>			S	S				S			S			S	S	S		S
1075	<b>Sunbirds and Spiderhunters - Nectariniidae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
1076	Ruby-cheeked Sunbird - <i>Chalcoparia singalensis</i>		121			S													S
1078	Plain (Brown)-throated Sunbird - <i>Anthreptes malacensis</i>		121	S				S		S									S
1083	Purple Sunbird - <i>Cinnyris asiaticus</i>		121									S							S
1084	Olive-backed Sunbird - <i>Cinnyris jugularis</i>		121	S	S		S			S	S	S							S
1085	(Mrs) Gould's Sunbird - <i>Aethopyga gouldiae</i>		122											H					H
1086	Green-tailed Sunbird - <i>Aethopyga nipalensis</i>		122										S	S					S
1087	Black-throated Sunbird - <i>Aethopyga saturata</i>		122							S			S				S		S
1088	EASTERN Crimson Sunbird - <i>Aethopyga siparaja</i>		121													S			S
1092	Little Spiderhunter - <i>Arachnothera longirostra</i>		122															S	S
1098	Streaked Spiderhunter - <i>Arachnothera magna</i>		122			S							S	S	S	S	S	S	S
1099	<b>Wagtails and Pipits - Motacillidae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
1100	WESTERN Yellow Wagtail - <i>Motacilla flava</i>		124					S											S
1102	Gray Wagtail - <i>Motacilla cinerea</i>		124			S							S				S	S	S
1105	Oriental (aka Paddyfield) Pipit - <i>Anthus rufulus</i>											S							S
1108	Olive-backed Pipit - <i>Anthus hodgsoni</i>		123										S		S	S	S		S
1108a	Richard's Pipit - <i>Anthus richardi</i>				S				S	S									S
1112	<b>Buntings and New World Sparrows - Emberizida</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
1116	Little Bunting - <i>Emberiza pusilla</i>		128																S
1121	<b>Siskins, Crossbills, and Allies - Fringillidae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
1125	Common Rosefinch - <i>Carpodacus erythrinus</i>		127												S		S		S
1131	Spot-winged Grosbeak - <i>Mycerobas melanozanthos</i>		127																S
1132	<b>Old World Sparrows - Passeridae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
1133	House Sparrow - <i>Passer domesticus</i>		125	S	S		S	S			S	S	S	S			S	S	S
1135	Plain-backed Sparrow - <i>Passer flaveolus</i>		125	S	S		S	S		S	S								S
1136	Eurasian Tree Sparrow - <i>Passer montanus</i>		125	S	S		S				S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
1137	<b>Weavers and Allies - Ploceidae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
1138	Streaked Weaver - <i>Ploceus manyar</i>		125					S											S
1139	Baya Weaver - <i>Ploceus philippinus</i>		125					S											S
1140	Asian Golden Weaver - <i>Ploceus hypoxanthus</i>	N	125					S											S
1141	<b>Waxbills and Allies - Estrilidae</b>	Status	Plate	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	Trip
1143	Pin-tailed Parrotfinch - <i>Erythrura prasina</i>		125														S		S
1144	White-rumped Munia - <i>Lonchura striata</i>		126														S		S
1145	NUTMEG MANAKIN (Scaly-breasted Munia) - <i>Lonchura punct</i>		126	S	S		S	S			S	S		S	S				S

TOTALS BY DAY				Seen	62	72	61	52	56	47	60	37	54	48	48	55	76	59	30	308			
				Sub-sp	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
				Heard	0	1	4	2	1	4	3	0	1	5	2	0	2	2	0	2	0	12	
				Guide	2	2	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	2	3	1	0	2	0	4			
				Fly-by	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	
				Total	64	75	66	55	59	51	64	38	55	55	53	56	78	64	31	327			
				ACCUMULATED TOTALS BY DAY	Seen	63	96	148	163	175	191	207	209	217	249	261	268	291	306	##			
Sub-sp	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1							
Heard	0	1	3	5	5	6	7	7	7	11	11	11	11	12	12								
Guide	2	3	3	2	2	2	3	4	4	5	5	5	4	5	4								
Fly-by	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2							
Total	65	100	154	170	183	200	218	221	229	266	277	284	307	324	##								
Lifers	20	33	67	81	92	100	105	105	107	122	127	131	145	149	##								

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Line 136: The Asian form of Black Kite is often regarded as a different species, Black-eared Kite *Milvus lineatus lineatus*, although many authorities still treat it as a race of Black Kite *Milvus migrans*. Cornell / Clements 6.7 continue to show the Black-eared as a sub-species.

Line 136a: ADDED Black-eared Kite *Milvus lineatus lineatus* as a sub-species with a trip designation of SS.

Line 163a: ADDED Steppe Buzzard (inadvertantly omitted from original checklist)

Line 295: DELETED Brown-headed Gull (duplicate entry - we used Line 298 to record sighting of this species).

Line 447: CHANGED to read Germain's Swiftlet

Line 502: CHANGED to read TICKELL'S BROWN (Rusty-cheeked) Hornbill

Line 531: CHANGED to read Gray-capped PYGMY Woodpecker

Line 629: Blyth's Shrike-Babbler is correctly identified and is a recent split from White-browed Babbler

Line 633: CHANGED to read White-bellied Erponis (aka Yuhina)

Line 898: Silver-eared Laughingthrush: Guides suggested scientific name was *Trochalopteron*, not *Garrulax*. We found nothing in Cornell / Clements 6.7 to support their claim.

Line 928: ADDED Rusty-cheeked Scimitar-Babbler as seen. Andre has an April 5 photo but species was not identified in daily sightings.

Line 952a: ADDED Chinese Blue-Flycatcher (split from Hill Blue-Flycatcher)

Line 1010: Blue Rock-Thrush remains one entry. Guides reported we saw two sub-species but we did not determine which sub-species.

Line 1073: CHANGED to read Fire-breasted (aka Buff-bellied) Flowerpecker. Guides indicated Fire-breasted and Buff-bellied were split but we found nothing in Cornell / Clements 6.7 to support their claim.

Line 1105: CHANGED to read Oriental (aka Paddyfield) Pipit

Line 1108a: ADDED Richard's Pipit (inadvertantly omitted from original checklist)