



CHECKLIST OF COCOS KEELING ISLAND BIRDS

English Name	Status	Sighting/Comments	English Name	Status	Sighting/Comments
Green Jungle Fowl	IN		Pacific Golden Plover	V	
White-tailed Tropicbird	BR		Grey Plover	V	
Red-tailed Tropicbird	BR		Oriental Plover	V	
Greater Flamingo	V		Greater Sand-Plover	V	
Nightjar sp	V		Pin-tailed Snipe	V	
White-throated Needletail	V		Whimbrel	V	
Yellow-nosed Albatross	V		Little Curlew	V	
Herald Petrel	V		Ruddy Turnstone	RV	
Wedge-tailed Shearwater	BM		Common Sandpiper	RV	
CI Frigatebird	V		Sanderling	V	
Great Frigatebird	BR		Sharp-tailed Sandpiper	V	
Lesser Frigatebird	BR		Common Greenshank	V	
Masked Booby	BR		Common Redshank	V	
Brown Booby	BR		Oriental Pratincole	V	
Red-footed Booby	BR		Common Noddy	BR	
White-faced Heron	V		Lesser Noddy	BR	
Little Egret	V		White Tern	BR	
Cattle Egret	V		Bridled Tern	V	
Eastern Reef Egret	BR		Sooty Tern	BR	
Western Reef Egret	V		Common Tern	V	
Nankeen Night Heron	BR		Saunders Tern	V	
Black-crowned Night Heron	V		White-winged Black Tern	V	
Chinese Pond Heron	V		Buffy Fish Owl	V	
Glossy Ibis	V		Barn Swallow	RV	
Swamp Harrier	V		Asian House Martin	V	
Nankeen Kestrel	V		Eastern Yellow Wagtail	RV	
Cocos Buff-banded Rail	ESS		Grey wagtail	RV	
White-breasted Waterhen	BR			V	

LEGEND: RV= Regular Visitor V= Vagrant ES=Endemic Species
ESS=Endemic Sub-species IN=Introduced ESC=Escapee
BR=Breeding Resident BM=Breeding Migrant ID=Indeterminate
NA=Not Accepted

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