

BIRDING EXTREMADURA



SPRING IN EXTREMADURA FOR CHRIS AND NICOLE

Casa Rural El Recuerdo and Birding Extremadura

16th April – 23rd April 2025



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TRIP REPORT

16th April 2025: Collection from Madrid and drive to Extremadura

Martin met Chris and Nicole just after midday at Madrid airport and we were quickly heading out around the southern ring-road. Despite the start of the Easter holidays, the traffic was flowing well on the ring road. It was slower on the motorway heading to Extremadura, but we pulled off just short of the halfway point for a light meal at a service station. Back on the road, once we had passed the town of Talavera, the traffic eased considerably. Birds seen on the journey included **Red Kite**, **Booted Eagle** and **White Stork**. We had planned a short birding stop, but rain and windy conditions during the second half of the journey forced us to decide to continue straight through to Casa Rural El Recuerdo.

Claudia greeted our arrival, and an evening meal was quickly prepared.

17th April 2025: Campo Lugar plains and Alcollarín Reservoir, Garciaz and Madroñera

The day started with largely clear skies. Cloud gathered during the day, but it remained dry and the winds were light. Our destination were the plains south of Zorita, near the village of Campo Lugar. Here we were heralded by the song of **Calandra Larks** and **Corn Buntings**, one of the latter determinedly singing from a fence post just a few metres from where we stood. We quickly found a fine male **Great Bustard**, looking magnificent in the morning sunshine. He was strutting around in all his finery. A **Common Whitethroat**, on passage, was giving a bit of subsong in the base of a bush. We stood between two calling **Quails**, but alas neither of them showed.



As we continued, we had a wonderful view of a **Roller** perched on a fence post and several **Lesser Kestrels**. We took a long dirt track for a very enjoyable walk. **Short-toed Larks** were on the ground and making song flights and we had more good views of **Calandra Larks**. Vultures started drifting over, including a couple of splendid **Black Vultures**. We had heard a **Little Bustard** calling, but it was not until a few minutes later when we saw two males in pursuit of a female. We watched them for a couple of minutes as they made wide circles in the sky. A couple of **Black-bellied Sandgrouse** were seen flying somewhat distantly.

Coffee beckoned, so we stopped near the village, watching a multitude of **House Martins** as well as a dozen **Lesser Kestrels** sharing a silo building. Afterwards we stopped at the Alcollarín River. There were **Iberian Magpies** present.

We moved onto to the nearby Alcollarín Reservoir. At our first stop, a **Western Orphee Warbler** was singing above our heads, but in such a dense tree, it proved impossible to find. We could see from that vantage point a small group of **Spoonbills** were feeding and **Great Crested Grebes** were displaying. A **Thekla Lark** sang above our heads and then from a stone, later we were to have great views of one on the track in front of us.

The picnic area being full, we moved to a lovely spot for our own, with holm oaks, wild flowers and the nearby reed bed. A **Melodious Warbler** was singing close to us and from the reeds **Great Reed Warbler** and, more intermittently, a **Savi's Warbler**. **Booted Eagles** performed a display above us. After the picnic we took a short walk down to the edge of the lake, to have good views of **Great Reed Warbler** and also two **Purple Herons**, one of them being mobbed by a **Marsh Harrier**.

We continued along the eastern shore of the reservoir, having a succession of excellent views of **Bee-eaters** and several **Woodchat Shrikes**. We completed our visit on the western shore, where there was a small group of **Greenshank**, a couple of **Common Sandpiper** and two **Little Ringed Plovers**. **White Storks** clacked their bills from the tree nests.

We took a road towards the village of Garciaz where we had a short walk in a dehesa of deciduous Pyrenean oak. **Nuthatch** and **Short-toed Treecreeper** were present, as well as more **Woodchat Shrikes** and **Corn Buntings**.

18th April 2025: Ricefields near Madrigalejo and Palazuelo

The day was heavily overcast most of the time, but as the wind picked up in the afternoon there were also short sunny periods. We managed to escape the rain!

Returning southwards past Zorita, we stopped at the dam of the Sierra Brava reservoir, seeing a pair of **Iberian Grey Shrikes** as we approached. **Crag Martins** hawked insects where we parked. There was little on the reservoir itself, but it offered a good vantage point to understand the recent agricultural history of the Plan Badajoz. Great engineering projects of reservoirs, canals and irrigation channels enabled the cultivation of up to 25,000 hectares of rice from the 1960s, making the centre of Extremadura the second most important rice-producing area in Spain.

As we descended to the rice fields, we saw the mosaic of some still with standing stubble, others wet and muddy, whilst some were already drying out in readiness for tilling the ground for sowing. We noticed a group of seven **Great Flamingos**, alongside some **Spoonbills** and a closer look at one field yielded a nice flock of Arctic-bound **Ringed Plovers**, along with some **Wood Sandpiper**, **Dunlin**, **Little Ringed Plover** and **Kentish Plover**. **Short-toed Larks** sang above us.



We entered an area of scattered trees and rough pasture, seeing a pair of **Black-winged Kite**. Beside a small gravel pit, we had a lovely view of a **Great Spotted Cuckoo**, a fine **Spanish Sparrow** and also found a singing **Savi's Warbler**. Two **Purple Herons** were also present.



Following our coffee break, we stopped beside the River Gargaligas, where both **Reed Warbler** and **Great Reed Warbler** were singing, accompanied by **Cetti's Warblers** and **Nightingales**. Close to the town of Madrigalejo, we spent a wonderful time watching a group of **Collared Pratincoles** as they hawked Insects. **Iberian Yellow Wagtails** were also present. Our picnic was beside the River Ruercas, which we followed with a short walk which gave the chance to watch a group of **Tree Sparrows**. **Nightingales** sang every few metres along the path.



We explored the rice fields near Palazuelo in the afternoon. Most were devoid of birds, but we did come across more **Tree Sparrows**, some **Spoonbill**, egrets, **Little Ringed Plover**, **Redshank** and **Dunlin**. As we reached the end of the afternoon, the clouds looked very threatening and after a quick check of the western shore of the Alcollarín Reservoir in case any marsh terns had dropped in (they hadn't), we returned to base.

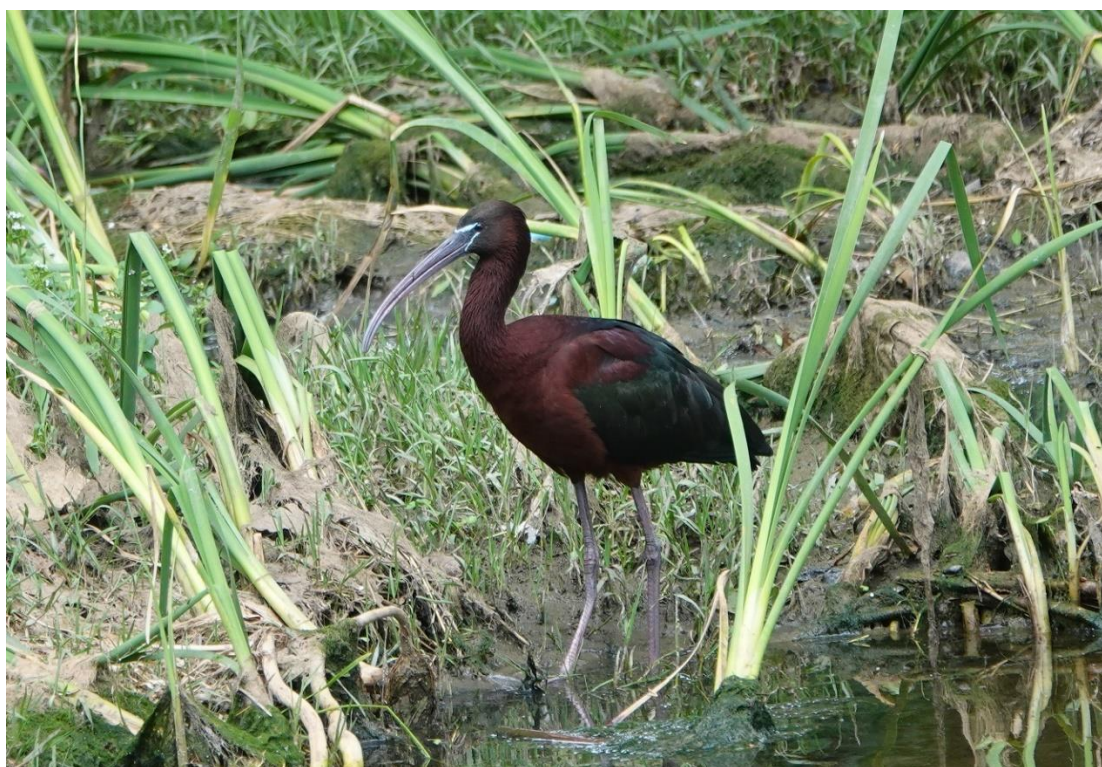
19th April 2025: Alange, Mérida and River Guadiana

Apart from a brief shower in the afternoon, the day stayed dry and with quite a lot of sunshine in the morning. However, the strong westerly wind made it feel rather chilly!

We headed south-west, passing the little village of Santa Cruz de la Sierra to join the motorway towards Mérida. We passed first of all through undulating dehesa landscape but after Miajadas, where **White Storks** were nesting on a gigantic tomato, we entered the flatter flood plain of the Guadiana River, with irrigated agriculture. Leaving the motorway, we passed through Valverde de Guadiana, crossed the river and then continued to the town of Alange, beside the large reservoir bearing its name. Here we admired first a busy colony of **House Martins**, and a male **Blue Rock Thrush** close to where we had parked, before taking a lovely walk westwards with a rocky outcrop to our right and the reservoir to our left. Two **Gull-billed Terns** flew past as we started our walk and a **Thekla Lark** was singing. It was just a few minutes

later that we had our first views of a pair of **Black Wheatear**. Continuing the walk, we found another fine male **Black Wheatear** on the path in front of us. A **Western Bonelli's Warbler** gave intermittent song from a wild olive tree. As we returned, we had nice views of **Thekla Larks** as well.

After coffee in the town, we made a brief stop beside the dam, seeing our first **Alpine Swifts** of the day. **Egyptian Geese** stood on a rocky island. Driving to Mérida, we parked close to the Roman Bridge. We walked across this beautiful structure, seeing a **Penduline Tit** short after our start. **Glossy Ibises** and Cattle Egrets flew over towards their colony on a river island. We made our way through the riverside park to get a good view of the colony, seeing that the **Cattle Egrets** and **Glossy Ibises** had young that were already quite large. A few roosting **Black-crowned Night Heron** were found, as well as a **Spoonbill** and **Grey Herons**. As we returned through the park we heard **Golden Oriole** and **Western Bonelli's Warbler**, and watched a male **Pied Flycatcher**.



We had our picnic lunch close to the wonderful aqueduct, where **Glossy Ibis** and **Little Egret** were feeding in canal beside us. From there we moved on to visit the impressive Roman theatre and Amphitheatre. **Serins** and **Greenfinches** were in the gardens around these monuments. We completed this windy day with a short walk beside the River Guadiana, near Valverde de Mérida, where **Great Reed Warbler** and **Reed warbler** were singing and we saw a few **Sand Martins**.

20th April 2025: Plains north of Trujillo, Santa Marta de Magasca, Trujillo, Tamuja River and Cáceres

Although there was a fresh breeze for much of the day, the morning was mainly sunny, with some cloudy spells in the afternoon. We started on the drover's trail of Cañada de Puente Mocha, north of Trujillo. On the way there was a **Turtle Dove** that flew up from the road. During our sojourn on the plains, we saw a **Great Bustard** in flight and a male **Little Bustard**

preening. A melanistic **Montagu's Harrier** was a very fine surprise. As always on this habitat there as an almost wall-to-wall sound of **Calandra Larks** and **Corn Buntings**. **Bug Orchids** were growing in profusion on the drovers' trail. A single **Pin-tailed Sandgrouse** was heard and seen very distantly, dropping down into the tall grass. A male **Iberian yellow Wagtail** was resting on a muddy track. We made a second stop just east of the village of Santa Marta de Magsaca where we walked another drovers' trail. We had great views of a **Tawny Pipit** as well as eight very impressive **Great Bustards**.

After coffee at Trujillo, **Lesser Kestrels** were watched and enjoyed at the silos beside the town. We then moved closer to Cáceres. On the plains we saw a **Little Owl** and two female **Montagu's Harriers** quartering the fields. Stopping at the beautiful River Tamuja for lunch where a **Girl Bunting** was singing and a **Thekla Lark** dustbathed. A **Short-toed Eagle** hovered above.



We took a dirt road, without any sandgrouse success, but we saw flocks of **Spanish Sparrows** and a large gathering of vultures on the ground.

The rest of the afternoon was spent exploring the old part of Cáceres town, from the Arab defence towers on the walls, medieval fortified palaces and the old Jewish quarter. **Pallid Swifts** and **Lesser Kestrels** flew over the monumental buildings. A happy conclusion were some artisanal ice-creams in the main square.

21st April 2025: Jaraicejo heathland and woodland, Miravete Pass, plains north of Trujillo

The day remained sunny until mid-afternoon, when it clouded-over and we had a light shower of rain. The winds, however, were very light.

We spent most of the morning walking on the lavender and broom heathland near Jaraicejo. **Thekla Larks** were abundant and we also saw several **Tawny Pipits**. In cork oak woodland, there were **Short-toed Treecreepers** and **Nuthatches**. We had some fabulous views of **Common Cuckoo**, one being mobbed by a **Corn Bunting**. Returning to the heath we spent more time exploring that area, finding increasing numbers of very obliging **Dartford Warblers**.

Following coffee, we stopped by the Arroyo de la Vid, hearing at least two **Western Orpheaan Warblers** and having views of **Subalpine Warblers** and **Crag Martins**. A **Black Stork**, looking very prehistoric, circled high overhead.

Our picnic was at the Miravate Pass, where we were afforded superb views across to the snow-clad Gredos Mountains. A **Short-toed Treecreeper** was present and just before we left we had a lovely encounter with a **Crested Tit**.



After a short return visit to the heath, we pressed on southwards and cut across country to return to the plains where we had spent much of the day yesterday. At our second stop we had a very evocative view of a **Little Bustard** displaying, set in its open landscape. South of Santa Marta de Magasca, we saw two **Little Owls** and two **Rollers**, along with a pair of **Lesser Kestrel**. Our final stop was especially memorable. Here we found a displaying **Great Bustard**, in full foam bath display, which attracted four females, one of which appeared extremely interested. We watched the male and female for some time. They probably did not mate, but it was not possible to be absolutely sure because the grass was too tall to see clearly. Further on we found another displaying **Little Bustard** and, in the distance, a perched **Spanish Imperial Eagle**.

22nd April 2025: Monfragüe National Park and Trujillo

It was a day of wonderful weather and views. There was little or no wind, just scattered cloud and the temperature rising above 20 degrees Celsius for the first time. We crossed the vast undulating dehesas north of Trujillo, with the snow on the Gredos just visible through breaks in low cloud. After passing through the town of Torrejón El Rubio, the road narrowed as it took us down to cross the Arroyo de la Vid and then up to the first viewport in the Monfragüe National Park: the Salto de Gitano, looking across the Tagus River the massive quartzite cliff of Peña Falcon. Falcons we did see (two **Peregrines**) but a lot more beside. There were numerous **Griffon Vultures**, **Black Storks** on their nests, a surprise in the form of a melanistic **Montagu's Harrier** flying high over the rock. Smaller birds included a delightful **Rock Bunting**, preening right beside us, as well **Blue Rock Thrush**, **Black Redstart**, **Crag Martins** and **Red-rumped Swallows**.

We then drove through the park, to the viewpoint at Portilla del Tiétar, beside the Tiétar River. Here **Griffon Vultures** were also present, as well as **Egyptian Vultures** and a **Short-toed Eagle**. **Golden Orioles** and **Turtle Doves** called. Our coffee spot close by was beside a beautiful cork oak dehesa. Returning through the park, we stopped in the road to admire a male **Black-eared Wheatear**, which had been our target species for the day. On a lovely circular walk just a few minutes later, we saw the bird twice again. The colours of the wildflowers on the bank below was breathtaking.



At our nearby picnic area we sat in partial shade admiring a rock face where again **Griffon Vultures** were nesting. A pair of **Black Storks** soared above us. We made a couple of other stops before using the facilities at the hamlet of Villareal de San Carlos. Here we enjoyed

another short walk, finding a small pond, rimmed with waters crowfoot and full of activity with **Dainty Bluets** damselflies, **Iberian Water Frogs** and **Spanish Terrapins** all busy.

We completed our visit with a walk to the castle. Here the views were extraordinary: south over the “ocean” of dehesa with Trujillo a little bump on the horizon, to the north to the Gredos Mountains and east and west along the quartzite ridge pushed up by Appalachian folding.

We returned to Trujillo where we spent an hour and a half having a wonderful walk through history from Spain’s second oldest Arab fortress, past medieval fortified palaces, to the renaissance architecture around the Main Square, with figures like Francisco Pizarro, Orellana, Cervantes, the Catholic monarchs, Maria de Escobar and an unknown stone-mason who was a fan of Atletico de Bilbao all making appearances. Birds were not neglected: **Pallid** and **Common Swifts**, **Crag Martins** nesting under the archways of gates through the town walls, **Booted Eagles** and mating **White Storks**.



23rd April 2025: Arrocampo and return to Madrid

It was a day of beautiful weather with clear blue sky, no wind and warm temperatures. We bade our farewell to Claudia and Casa Rural El Recuerdo and set off in the direction of Madrid, with the Gredos Mountains looking magnificent to the north. However, there was time for a morning’s birding, so we made a spot at the Arrocampo Reservoir, near the village of Saucedilla, just off the motorway. Here a lake which provides cooling water for the Almaraz nuclear power plant, had a fabulous fringing vegetation of lesser reed mace, home to a superb section of birds. Before arriving, we had seen at close quarters a **Black-winged Kite**. Within

minutes of arriving, we were watching a female **Little Bittern** which had come down to the edge of the vegetation to fish.



A male was also seen in flight. We saw a **Water Rail** carrying food in its bill. **Ferruginous Ducks** were flying around in trios. **Purple Swampheens** stood in full glory in the morning sunshine, beside **Purple Herons**. A **Great Reed Warbler** was singing. Just before we continued our visit, a **Squacco Heron** flew into the reeds.

Along our walk, we watched the brightly marked local **Stonechats**, some **Common Waxbills** and at our next stop, **Gull-billed** and **Little Terns**, as well as a beautiful colony of **Purple Heron**. A **Savi's Warbler** showed itself beautifully.

We completed our visit with a stop at a separate lagoon, where there were two pairs of **Gull-billed Tern**, and a selection of waders including **Wood Sandpiper** and **Redshank**, as well as some **Black-winged Stilt**. A pair of **Common Shelduck** looked as though they might stay to breed.

It was time to move on, so we set off in the direction of Madrid, stopping for coffee at midday and then arriving at the airport shortly after 14.00, with plenty of time for the check-in.

BIRDS SEEN

1. **Grey Lag Goose**: Seen at Alcollarín.
2. **Egyptian Goose**: Seen on three days.
3. **Gadwall**: Seen at Alcollarín.
4. **Mallard**: Seen on all but one day.

5. **Shoveler:** Seen at Alcollarín.
6. **Ferruginous Duck:** Seen at Arrocampo.
7. **Common Shelduck:** Seen at Arrocampo.
8. **Red-legged Partridge:** Seen almost every day.
9. **Quail:** Heard on four days.
10. **Little Grebe:** Seen at Alcollarín and Madrigalejo.
11. **Great Crested Grebe:** Seen at Alcollarín, Sierra Brava, Alange and Mérida.
12. **Great Cormorant:** Seen almost daily.
13. **Little Bittern:** Seen at Arrocampo.
14. **Black-crowned Night Heron:** Seen at Mérida.
15. **Squacco Heron:** Seen at Arrocampo.
16. **Cattle Egret:** Seen on four days.
17. **Little Egret:** Seen most days.
18. **Great Egret:** Seen on four days.
19. **Grey Heron:** Seen daily.
20. **Purple Heron:** Seen on four days.
21. **Black Stork:** Seen at Jaraicejo and Monfragüe.
22. **White Stork:** Seen daily.
23. **Glossy Ibis:** Seen at Mérida.
24. **Spoonbill:** Seen on three days.
25. **Greater Flamingo:** Seen near Madrigalejo.
26. **Egyptian Vulture:** Seen at Alange and Monfragüe.
27. **Griffon Vulture:** Seen daily.
28. **Black Vulture:** Seen most days.
29. **Spanish Imperial Eagle:** Seen distantly west of Trujillo.
30. **Short-toed Eagle:** Seen on four days.
31. **Booted Eagle:** Seen on three days.
32. **Black Kite:** Seen daily.
33. **Red Kite:** Seen on four days.
34. **Marsh Harrier:** Seen most days.
35. **Montagu's Harrier:** Seen on three days, including two melanistic birds.
36. **Common Buzzard:** Seen on three days.
37. **Black-winged Kite:** Seen at Arrocampo and near Madrigalejo.
38. **Lesser Kestrel:** Seen most days.
39. **Common Kestrel:** Seen on two days.
40. **Peregrine:** Seen in Monfragüe.
41. **Water Rail:** Seen at Arrocampo.
42. **Moorhen:** Seen on four days.
43. **Purple Swamphen:** Heard at Alcollarín and seen at Arrocampo.
44. **Common Coot:** Seen at Alcollarín.
45. **Little Bustard:** Seen at Campo Lugar and on the plains west of Trujillo.
46. **Great Bustard:** Seen at Campo Lugar and on the plains west of Trujillo.
47. **Black-winged Stilt:** Seen on three days.
48. **Collared Pratincole:** Seen on the rice fields.
49. **Ringed Plover:** Seen at Arrocampo and on the rice fields.
50. **Little Ringed Plover:** Seen at Alcollarín, Arrocampo and on the rice fields.
51. **Kentish Plover:** Seen on the rice fields.
52. **Northern Lapwing:** One seen on the rice fields.

53. **Dunlin**: Seen on the rice fields.
54. **Common Redshank**: Seen at Arrocampo and on the rice fields.
55. **Greenshank**: Seen at Arrocampo and Alcollarín.
56. **Wood Sandpiper**: Seen on the rice fields and at Arrocampo.
57. **Common Sandpiper**: Seen at Arrocampo and Alcollarín.
58. **Gull-billed Tern**: Seen at Alange and Arrocampo.
59. **Little Tern**: Seen at Arrocampo.
60. **Black-headed Gull**: Seen on the rice fields.
61. **Lesser Black-backed Gull**: Seen on the rice fields and west of Trujillo.
62. **Black-bellied Sandgrouse**: Seen at Campo Lugar.
63. **Pin-tailed Sandgrouse**: Seen and heard on plains west of Trujillo.
64. **Feral Pigeon**: Seen daily.
65. **Wood Pigeon**: Seen almost daily.
66. **Collared Dove**: Seen daily.
67. **Turtle Dove**: Seen or heard on three days.
68. **Common Cuckoo**: Seen or heard almost daily.
69. **Great Spotted Cuckoo**: Seen near Madrigalejo.
70. **Little Owl**: Seen on the plains west of Trujillo.
71. **Alpine Swift**: Seen at Alange and Mérida.
72. **Common Swift**: Seen on three days.
73. **Pallid Swift**: Seen in Cáceres and Trujillo.
74. **Kingfisher**: Seen on rice fields.
75. **Bee-eater**: Seen daily.
76. **Roller**: Seen at Campo Lugar and near Cáceres.
77. **Hoopoe**: Seen daily.
78. **Lesser Spotted Woodpecker**: Heard on one day.
79. **Calandra Lark**: Seen on the plains.
80. **Greater Short-toed Lark**: Seen on two days.
81. **Crested Lark**: Seen almost daily.
82. **Thekla Lark**: Seen almost daily.
83. **Woodlark**: Seen at Jaraicejo.
84. **Sand Martin**: Seen on two days.
85. **Crag Martin**: Seen most days.
86. **Barn Swallow**: Seen daily.
87. **Red-rumped Swallow**: Seen daily.
88. **House Martin**: Seen daily.
89. **Tawny Pipit**: Seen on the plains and at Jaraicejo.
90. **Western Yellow Wagtail**: Iberian subspecies seen on the rice fields and on the plains north of Trujillo.
91. **Grey Wagtail**: Seen on one day.
92. **White Wagtail**: Seen almost daily.
93. **Wren**: Recorded on four days.
94. **Robin**: Recorded in Monfragüe.
95. **Nightingale**: Recorded daily.
96. **Black Redstart**: Seen on two days.
97. **Stonechat**: Seen almost daily.
98. **Northern Wheatear**: Seen on one day.
99. **Black-eared Wheatear**: Seen in Monfragüe.

100. **Black Wheatear:** Seen at Alange.
101. **Blue Rock Thrush:** Seen at Alange and Monfragüe.
102. **Blackbird:** Seen almost daily.
103. **Mistle Thrush:** Seen on three days.
104. **Cetti's Warbler:** Recorded daily.
105. **Zitting Cisticola:** Seen almost daily.
106. **Savi's Warbler:** Seen/heard at Arrocampo, Alcollarín and near Madrigalejo.
107. **Sedge Warbler:** Heard on one day.
108. **Reed Warbler:** Seen/heard on four days.
109. **Great Reed Warbler:** Seen on four days.
110. **Melodious Warbler:** Seen at Alcollarín.
111. **Dartford Warbler:** Seen at Jaraicejo.
112. **Subalpine Warbler:** Seen at Jaraicejo and Monfragüe.
113. **Sardinian Warbler:** Seen daily.
114. **Western Orphean Warbler:** Heard on three days.
115. **Common Whitethroat:** Seen at Campo Lugar.
116. **Blackcap:** Seen on four days.
117. **Western Bonelli's Warbler:** Recorded on two days.
118. **Pied Flycatcher:** Seen in Mérida.
119. **Long-tailed Tit:** Seen in Monfragüe
120. **Crested Tit:** Seen at Miravete Pass.
121. **Blue Tit:** Seen on three days.
122. **Great Tit:** Seen almost daily.
123. **Nuthatch:** Seen on two days.
124. **Short-toed Treecreeper:** Recorded on three days.
125. **Penduline Tit:** Seen at Mérida.
126. **Golden Oriole:** Heard on three days.
127. **Iberian Grey Shrike:** Seen most days.
128. **Woodchat Shrike:** Seen daily.
129. **Jay:** Seen in Monfragüe.
130. **Iberian Magpie:** Seen daily.
131. **Common Magpie:** Seen daily.
132. **Jackdaw:** Seen on five days.
133. **Raven:** Seen almost daily.
134. **Spotless Starling:** Seen daily.
135. **House Sparrow:** Seen daily.
136. **Spanish Sparrow:** Seen most days.
137. **Tree Sparrow:** Seen on the rice fields.
138. **Common Waxbill:** Seen on two days.
139. **Red Avadavat:** Seen on the rice fields.
140. **Chaffinch:** Seen on four days.
141. **Serin:** Seen daily.
142. **Greenfinch:** Seen on three days.
143. **Goldfinch:** Seen almost daily.
144. **Linnet:** Seen almost daily.
145. **Cirl Bunting:** Seen at River Tamuja.
146. **Rock Bunting:** Seen in Monfragüe.
147. **Corn Bunting:** Seen almost daily.

MAMMALS SEEN

Red Deer

Egyptian Mongoose

Red Fox