

Mihingo Lodge Bird List

Red Number = Sighted at Mihingo

Grebes

- 1 Little grebe *Tachybaptus ruficollis*

Pelicans

- 2 White pelican *Pelecanus onocrotalus*
- 3 Pink-backed pelican *P. rufescens*

Cormorants

- 4 Long-tailed cormorant *Phalacrocorax africanus*
- 5 Greater cormorant *P. carbo*

Darters

- 6 African darter *Anhinga rufa*

Hérons, Bitterns and Egrets

- 7 Little bittern *Ixobrychus minutus*
- 8 Dwarf bittern *I. sturmii*
- 9 Grey heron *Ardea cinerea*
- 10 Goliath heron *A. goliath*
- 11 Black-headed heron *A. melanocephala*
- 12 Purple heron *A. purpurea*
- 13 Squacco heron *Ardeola ralloides*
- 14 Rufous-bellied heron *A. rufiventris*
- 15 Cattle egret *Bubulcus ibis*
- 16 Striated heron *Butorides striatus*
- 17 Great white egret *Egretta alba*
- 18 Little egret *E. garzetta*
- 19 Yellow-billed egret *E. intermedia*
- 20 Black-crowned night heron *Nycticorax nycticorax*
- 21 White-backed night heron *Gorsachius leuconotos*

- 22 Shoebill *Balaeniceps rex*

- 23 Hamerkop *Scopus umbretta*

Storks

- 24 Open-billed stork *Anastomus lamelligerus*
- 25 Abdim's stork *Ciconia abdimii*

- 26 Woolly-necked stork *C. episcopus*
- 27 Saddle-billed stork *Ephippiorhynchus senegaiensis*
- 28 Marabou stork *Leptoptilos crumeniferus*
- 29 Yellow-billed stork *Mycteria ibis*

Ibises and Spoonbills

- 30 Hadada *Bostrychia hagedash*
- 31 Sacred ibis *Threskiornis aethiopica*

Ducks and Geese

- 32 Egyptian goose *Alopochen aegyptiacus*
- 33 Yellow-billed duck *Anas undulata*
- 34 Spur-winged goose *Plectropterus gambensis*
- 35 Knob-billed duck *Sarkidiornis melanotos*

Birds of Prey

- 36 African white-backed vulture *Gyps africanus*
- 37 Ruppel's vulture *G. rueppellii*
- 38 Hooded vulture *Neophron monachus*
- 39 Lappet-faced vulture *Torgos tracheliotus*
- 40 Palm-nut vulture *Gypohierax angolensis*
- 41 White-headed vulture *Trigonoceps occipitalis*
- 42 Eurasian marsh harrier *Circus aeruginosus*
- 43 African marsh harrier *C. ranivorus*
- 44 Harrier hawk *Polyboroides radiatus*
- 45 Banded snake eagle *Circaetus dnerascens*
- 46 Brown snake eagle *C. cinereus*
- 47 Shore-toed snake eagle *C. gallicus*
- 48 Bateleur *Terathopius ecaudatus*
- 49 Shikra *Accipiter badius*
- 50 African Goshawk *A. tachiro*
- 51 Steppe eagle *Aquila nipalensis*
- 52 Tawny eagle *A. clanga*
- 53 Wahlberg's eagle *A. wahlbergi*

- 54 Augur buzzard *Buteo augur*
- 55 Common buzzard *B. buteo*
- 56 African hawk eagle *Hieraetus africanus*
- 57 Lizard buzzard *Kaupifaico monogrammicus*
- 58 Long-crested eagle *Lophaetus occipitalis*
- 59 Gabar goshawk *Melierax gabar*
- 60 Dark chanting goshawk *M. metabates*
- 61 Martial eagle *Polemaetus bellicosus*
- 62 Fish eagle *Haliaeetus vocifer*
- 63 Black kite *Milvus migrans*
- 64 Honey buzzard *Pernis apivorus*
- 65 Black-shouldered kite *Elanus caeruleus*
- 66 Bat hawk *Macheramphus alcinus*
- 67 Osprey *Pandion haliaetus*
- 68 Little Sparrowhawk *Accipiter minullus*

Falcons

- 69 Grey kestrel *Faico ardosiaceus*
- 70 Peregrine falcon *F. peregrinus*
- 71 Hobby *F. sub buteo*
- 72 Kestrel *F. tinnunculus*

Quails and Francolins

- 73 Harlequin quail *Coturnix chinensis*
- 74 Red-necked spurfowl *Francolinus afer*
- 75 Coqui francolin *F. coqui*
- 76 Red-winged francolin *F. levillantii*
- 77 Crested francolin *F. sephaena*
- 78 Ring-necked francolin *F. streptophorus*
- 79 Buff-spotted Flufftail *Sarothruru elegans*

Guineafowls

- 80 Helmeted guineafowl *Numida meleagris*

Quails and Quail Plover

- 81 Black-rumped button quail *Turnix hottentota*
- 82 Button quail *T. sylvatica*

Cranes

- 83 Crowned crane *Balearica pavonina*

Rails and Crakes

- 84 Common moorhen *Gallinula angulata*
- 85 Black crane *Limn. corax flavi rostra*
- 86 African water rail *Rallus caerulescens*
- 87 Burr-spotted pygmy crane *Sarothrura elegans*

Finfoots

- 88 African finfoot *Podica senealensis*

Bustards

- 89 Black-bellied bustard *Eupodotis melanogaster*

Jacanas

- 90 Jacana *Actophilornis africanus*
- 91 Painted snipe *Rostratula benghalensis*

Plovers

- 92 Three-banded plover *Chamdrius tricoloris*
- 93 Crowned plover *Vanellus coranatus*
- 94 Long-toed plover *V. crassirostris*
- 95 Senegal plover *V. lugubris*
- 96 Wattled plover *V. senegallus*
- 97 Brown-chested plover *V. superciliosus*

Sandpipers and Snipes

- 98 Common sandpiper *Actitis hypoleucos*
- 99 Spotted redshank *Tringa erythropus*
- 100 Wood sandpiper *T. glareola*
- 101 Greenshank *T. nebtllaria*
- 102 Green sandpiper *T. ochropus*

- 103 Common snipe *Gallinago gallinago*
- 104 Great snipe *G. media*

Stilts

- 105 Black-winged stilt *Himantopus himantopus*

Courses and Thick-knees

- 106 Temminck's courser *Cursorius temminckii*
- 107 Water Thick-knee *Burhinus vermiculatus*

Gulls and Terns

- 108 White-winged black tern *Chlidias leucopterus*

Pigeons and Doves

- 109 Ring-necked dove *Streptopelia capicola*
- 110 Red-eyed dove *S. semitorquata*
- 111 Laughing dove *S. senegalensis*
- 112 Emerald-spotted wood dove *Turtur chalcospilos*
- 113 Tambourine dove *T. tympanistris*
- 114 Green pigeon *Treron awtralis*

Parrots and Love birds

- 115 Red-headed lovebird *Agapornis pullaria*
- 116 Brown parrot *Poicephalus meyeri*

Turacos

- 117 Bare-faced go-away bird *Corythaixoides personata*
- 118 Eastern grey plantain eater *Crinifer zonurus*
- 119 Ross' turaco *Musophaga rossae*

Cuckoos and Coucals

- 120 Didric cuckoo *Cercoccyx caprius*
- 121 Emerald cuckoo *C. cupreus*
- 122 Klaas' cuckoo *C. klaas*
- 123 Black and white cuckoo *Clamator jacobinus*
- 124 Levaillants cuckoo *C. levaillantii*

- 125 Eurasian cuckoo *Cuculus canorus*
- 126 Black cuckoo *C. clamosus*
- 127 African cuckoo *C. gularis*
- 128 Red-chested cuckoo *C. solitarius*
- 129 Yellow bill *Ceuthmochares aereus*
- 130 Blue-headed coucal *Centropus monachus*
- 131 White browed coucal *C. superciliosus*
- 132 Thick Billed Cuckoo *Pachyoccyx audeberti*

Owls

- 133 Verreaux's eagle owl *Bubo lacteus*
- 134 Scops owl *Otus senegalensis*
- 135 African Pearl spotted owl *glandicium perlatom*
- 136 Spotted eagle owl *bubo africanus*
- 137 African wood owl *Strix woodfordii*

Nightjars

- 138 African white-tailed nightjar *Caprimulgus natalensis*
- 139 Black-shouldered nightjar *C. nigriscapularis*
- 140 Freckled nightjar *C. tristigma*
- 141 Square-tailed nightjar *C. fossii*
- 142 Pennant-winged nightjar *Macrodipteryx vexillarius*

Swifts and Spinetails

- 143 Little swift *Apus affinis*
- 144 Eurasian swift *A. apus*
- 145 White-rumped swift *A. coffer*

- 146 Palm swift *Cypsiurus parvus*

Mousebirds

- 147 Speckled mousebird *Colius striatus*
- 148 Blue-naped mousebird *Urocolius macrourus*

Trogons

- 149 Narina's Trogon *Apaloderma narina*

Kingfishers

- 150 Pied kingfisher *Ceryle rudis*
- 151 Malachite kingfisher *Alcedo cristata*
- 152 Striped kingfisher *Halcyon cheiicuti*
- 153 Chestnut-bellied kingfisher *H. leucocephala*
- 154 Woodland kingfisher *H. senegalensis*
- 155 Pygmy kingfisher *Ispidina lecontei*

Bee-eaters

- 156 White-throated bee-eater *Merops albicollis*
- 157 Eurasian bee-eater *M. apiaster*
- 158 Blue-cheeked bee-eater *M. persicus*
- 159 Little bee-eater *M. pusillus*
- 160 Madagascar bee-eater *M. superciliosus*

Rollers

- 161 Lilac-breasted roller *Coracias caudate*
- 162 Broad-billed roller *Eurystomus glaucurus*

Hoopoes

- 163 African Hoopoe *Upupa eops*

- 164 Scimitarbill *Phoeniculus castaneiceps*
- 165 Green wood hoopoe *P. purpureus*

Hornbills

- 166 Crowned hornbill *Tockus alboterminatus*
- 167 Grey hornbill *T. nasutus*
- 168 Abyssinian ground hornbill *Bucorvus abyssinicus*

Barbets and Tinker birds

- 169 Double-toothed barbet *Lybius bidentatus*
- 170 Spotted-flanked barbet *L. lacrymosus*
- 171 White-headed barbet *L. leucocephalus*
- 172 Black-throated barbet *L. melanocephalus*
- 173 Red-faced barbet *L. rubrifacies*
- 174 Yellow-rumped tinkerbird *Pogoniulus atroflavus*
- 175 Yellow-fronted tinkerbird *P. chrysoconus*
- 176 Black-backed barbet *Lybius minor*

Honeyguides

- 177 Black-throated honeyguide *Indicator indicator*
- 178 Lesser honeyguide *I. minor*

Woodpeckers

- 179 Little spotted woodpecker *Campethera calliautii*
- 180 Buff-spotted woodpecker *C. nivosa*
- 181 Nubian woodpecker *C. nubica*
- 182 Cardinal woodpecker *Dendropicus fuscescens*
- 183 Bearded woodpecker *Thripias namaquus*

Larks

- 184 Red-capped lark
Calandrella cinerea
- 185 Rufous-naped lark *Mirafra africana*
- 186 Flappet lark *M. rufcinnamomea*

Swallows, Martins and Rough-wings

- 187 Striped swallow *Hirundo abyssinica*
- 188 Angola swallow *H. atrocaerulea*
- 189 African rock martin *H. fitligula*
- 190 Eurasian swallow *H. rustica*
- 191 Rufous-chested swallow *H. semirufa*
- 192 Mosque swallow *H. senegaiensis*
- 193 Red-rumped swallow *H. daurica*
- 194 White-headed rough-wing *Psalidoprocne albiceps*
- 195 Banded martin *Riparia cincta*
- 196 Sand martin *R. riparia*

- 197 Drongo *Dicrurits adsimilis*

- 198 Black-headed oriole
Oriolui larvatus

- 199 Pied crow *Corvus albus*

- 200 White-winged tit *Parus leucomelus*

- 201 African Penduline tit
Remiz caroli

Babblers

- 202 Arrow-marked babbler
Turdoides jardineii
- 203 Black-lored babbler *T. melanops*
- 204 Brown babbler *T. plebejus*

Cuckoo shrikes

- 205 Black cuckoo shrike
Campephaga flava
- 206 Red-shouldered cuckoo shrike *C. phoenicea*

Bulbuls

- 207 Slender-billed greenbul
Andropadus gracilirostris
- 210 Little greenbul *A. virens*
- 211 Yellow-throated Greenbul
Chlorocichla flavicollis
- 212 Common bulbul
Pycnonotus barbatus

Thrushes, Robins etc.

- 213 Red-tailed chat *Cercomela familiaris*
- 214 Brown-backed scrub robin
Cercotrichas hartlaubi
- 215 White-browed scrub robin
C. leucophrys
- 216 Robin chat *Cossypha caffra*
- 217 White-browed robin chat *C. heuglini*
- 218 Red-capped robin chat
Cossypha natalensis
- 219 Snowy-headed robin chat
C. niveicapilla
- 220 Sooty chat *Myrmecocichla nigra*
- 221 Northern wheatear
Oenanthe oenanthe
- 222 Whinchat *Saxicola rubetra*
- 223 African thrush *Turdud pelios*

Warblers

- 224 Lesser swamp warbler
Acrocephalus gracilirostris
- 225 Greater swamp warbler *A. rufescens*
- 226 Sedge warbler *A. schoenobaenus*
- 227 Yellow-breasted apalis
Apalis flavida
- 228 Buff-throated apalis *A. rufogularis*
- 229 White-winged warbler
Bradypterus carpalis

- 230 Grey-backed
camaroptera *Camaroptera brachyuran*
- 231 Olive-green camaroptera
C. chloronota
- 232 Papyrus yellow warbler
Chloropeta gracilirostris
- 233 Siffling cisticola *Cisticola brachyptera*
- 234 Carruthers' cisticola
C. carruthersi
- 235 Red-faced cisticola
C. erythroptus
- 236 Tabora cisticola
C. fulricapilla
- 237 Winding cisticola
Cisticola galactotes
- 238 Zitting cisticola
C. juncidis
- 239 Croaking cisticola
C. natalensis
- 240 Stout cisticola
C. robusta
- 241 Trilling cisticola
C. woosnami
- 242 Grey-capped warbler
Eminia lepidia
- 243 Green-capped
eremomela *Eremomela scotops*
- 244 Green hylia
Hylia prasina
- 245 Buff-bellied warbler
Phylloscopus pulchella
- 246 Willow warbler
Pyloscopus trochilus
- 247 White-chinned prinia
Prinia leucopogon
- 248 Tawny-flanked prinia
P. subflava
- 249 Moustached warbler
Sphenoeacus mentalis
- 250 Garden warbler
Sylvia borin
- 251 Red-faced crombec
Sylvietta whytii

Flycatchers

- 252 Pale flycatcher
Bradornis pallidus
- 253 Black flycatcher
Malaenornis edolioides

- 254 Dusky flycatcher
Muscicapa adusta
- 255 Swamp flycatcher
M. aguatica
- 256 Ashy flycatcher
M. caeruleascens
- 257 Spotted flycatcher
Muscicapa striata
- 258 Lead-coloured flycatcher
Myioparus plumbeus
- 259 Chin-spot batis
Batis molitor
- 260 Wattle-eye
Platysteira cyanea
- 261 Paradise flycatcher
Terpsiphone viridis

Wagtails, Pipits and Longclaws

- 262 Plain-backed pipit
Anthus leucophrys
- 263 Richard's pipit
A. novaeseelandiae
- 264 Grassland pipit
A. cinnamomeus
- 265 Yellow-throated longclaw
Macronyx croceus
- 266 African pied wagtail
Motacilla aguimp
- 267 Yellow wagtail
M. flava

Bush Shrikes

- 268 Northern puffback
Dryoscopus angolensis
- 269 Black-headed gonolek
Laniarius barbarus
- 270 Tropical boubou
L. ferrugineus
- 271 Papyrus gonolek
L. mufumbiri
- 272 Sulphur-breasted bush shrike
Malaconotus sulfureopectus
- 273 Brubru
Nilaus afer
- 274 Brown-headed tchagra
Tchagra australis
- 275 Black-headed tchagra
T. senegala

Shrikes

- ☐ **276** Fiscal *Lanius collaris*
- ☐ **277** Red-backed shrike *L. collurio*
- ☐ **278** Grey-backed fiscal *L. excubitorius*

Helmet Shrikes

- ☐ **279** Helmet shrike *Prionops plumata*

Starlings and oxpeckers

- ☐ **280** Violet-backed starling *Cinnyricinclus leucogaster*
- ☐ **281** Wattled starling *Creatophora cinerea*
- ☐ **282** Blue-eared glossy starling *Lamprotornis chalybaeus*
- ☐ **283** Ruppell's long-tailed glossy starling *L. purpuropterus*
- ☐ **284** Splendid glossy starling *L. splendidus*
- ☐ **285** Yellow-billed oxpecker *Buphagus africanus*

Sunbirds

- ☐ **286** Collared sunbird *Anthreptes collaris*
- ☐ **287** Olive-bellied sunbird *Nectarinia chlopygia*
- ☐ **288** Copper sunbird *N. cuprea*

- ☐ **289** Red-chested sunbird *N. erythroceria*
- ☐ **290** Mariqua sunbird *N. miriquensis*
- ☐ **291** Olive sunbird *N. olivacea*
- ☐ **292** Scarlet-chested sunbird *N. stuhlmanni*
- ☐ **293** Variable sunbird *N. venusta*
- ☐ **294** Green-headed sunbird *N. verticalis*

White-eyes

- ☐ **295** Yellow white-eye *Zosterops senegalensis*.

Weavers, etc.

- ☐ **296** Grosbeak weaver *Arnbyospiza albifrons*
- ☐ **297** Red-headed weaver *Anaplectes rubriceps*
- ☐ **298** White-winged widowbird *Euplectes albonotatus*
- ☐ **299** Red-naped widowbird *E. albonotatus*
- ☐ **300** Fan-tailed windowbird *E. axillaries*
- ☐ **301** Southern red bishop *E. orix*
- ☐ **302** Baglafaecht weaver *Ploceus baglafaecht*
- ☐ **303** Northern brown-throated weaver *P. castanops*

- ☐ **304** Black-headed weaver *P. cucullatus*
- ☐ **305** Masked weaver *P. intermedius*
- ☐ **306** Golden-backed weaver *P. jacksoni*
- ☐ **307** Little weaver *P. luteolus*
- ☐ **308** Yellow-backed weaver *P. melanocephalus*
- ☐ **309** Black-necked weaver *P. nigricollis*
- ☐ **310** Spectacled weaver *P. ocularis*
- ☐ **311** Slender-billed weaver *P. pelzelni*
- ☐ **312** Holub's golden weaver *P. xanthops*
- ☐ **313** Cardinal quelea *Quelea cardinalis*
- ☐ **314** Red-billed quelea *Q. quelea*
- ☐ **315** Grey-headed sparrow *Passer griseus*
- ☐ **316** Red-billed firefinch indigobird *Hypochera chalybeate*
- ☐ **317** Pin-tailed whydah *Vidua macroura*

Waxbills, etc.

- ☐ **318** Waxbill *Estrilda astrild*

- ☐ **319** Fawn-breasted waxbill *E. paludicola*
- ☐ **320** African firefinch *Lagonostica rubricata*
- ☐ **321** Red-billed firefinch *L. senegala*
- ☐ **322** Grey-headed negrofinch *Nesocharis canicapilla*
- ☐ **323** Red-cheeked cordon-bleu *Uraeginthus bengalus*
- ☐ **324** Bronze mannikin *Lonchura cucullata*

Buntings, Canaries and Seed-eaters

- ☐ **325** Golden-breasted bunting *Emberiza flaviventris*
- ☐ **326** Cinnamon-breasted rock bunting *Emberiza tahapisi*
- ☐ **327** Yellow-rumped seed-eater *Serinus atrogularis*
- ☐ **328** African citril *S. dorsostrigatus*
- ☐ **329** Yellow-fronted canary *S. mozambicus*
- ☐ **330** Brimstone canary *S. sulphuratus*