

## *Counts – Strandfontein – January 2007*



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*Threebanded Plover*

<b>Wind</b>	<b>Mod SE</b>
<b>Weather</b>	<b>Fine</b>
<b>Leader</b>	<b>Derek Longrigg</b>

<b>Species</b>	<b>Presence</b>	<b>Species</b>	<b>Presence</b>
<b>GREBES</b>	–	<b>COUCALS</b>	–
Great Crested	3	Burchell's Coucal	–
Blacknecked	3	<b>OWLS</b>	–
Dabchick	383	Spotted Eagle Owl	–
<b>PELICANS</b>	–	<b>SWIFTS</b>	–
White Pelican	107	Black Swift	–
<b>CORMORANTS</b>	–	Whiterumped Swift	–
Whitebreasted Cormorant	83	Little Swift	–
Cape Cormorant	–	Alpine Swift	–
Reed Cormorant	26	<b>MOUSEBIRDS</b>	–
<b>DARTERS</b>	–	Whitebacked Mousebird	–
Darter	2	Redfaced	1
<b>HERONS, EGRETS AND BITTERNS</b>	–	<b>KINGFISHERS</b>	–
Grey Heron	26	Pied Kingfisher	1
Blackheaded Heron	8	Giant Kingfisher	–
Purple Heron	8	Malachite Kingfisher	–

Blackcrowned Night Heron	5	<b>BARBETS</b>	–
Little Egret	5	Acacia Pied Barbet	–
Yellow billed Egret	–	<b>LARKS AND FINCHLARKS</b>	–
Cattle Egret	207	Redcapped Lark	–
Little Bittern	–	<b>SWALLOWS AND MARTINS</b>	–
<b>IBIS AND SPOONBILLS</b>	–	European Swallow	154
Sacred Ibis	228	Whitethroated Swallow	12
Glossy Ibis	188	Greater Striped Swallow	–
Hadedda Ibis	29	Pearlbreasted Swallow	–
African Spoonbill	9	Black Sawwing	–
<b>FLAMINGOES</b>	–	Rock Martin	–
Greater Flamingo	816	Brownthroated Martin	4
Lesser Flamingo	–	<b>CROWS AND RAVENS</b>	–
<b>DUCKS AND GEESE</b>	–	Pied Crow	4
Spurwinged Goose	13	Whitenecked Raven	3
Egyptian Goose	732	<b>BULBULS</b>	–
Fulvous Duck	–	Cape Bulbul	16
Shelduck	16	<b>THRUSHES, CHATS, ALETHES, ROBINS AND ROCKJUMPERS</b>	–
Yellowbilled Duck	106	Olive Thrush	–
Red-billed Teal	316	–	–
Cape Teal	690	Cape Robin Chat	–
Cape Shoveller	606	Karoo Robin	–
Southern Pochard	54	<b>TITBABBLERS, WARBLERS, APALISES, CROMBECS, CISTICOLAS AND PRINIAS</b>	–
Whitefaced Duck	–	Cape Reed Warbler	7
Whitebacked Duck	–	African Sedge Warbler	8
Maccoa	17	African Marsh Warbler	–
<b>KITES</b>	–	Grassbird	2
Black Shouldered Kite	2	Fantailed	1
Yellowbilled Kite	–	Levaillant's Cisticola	24
<b>EAGLES</b>	–	Greybacked	1
African Fish Eagle	2	Spotted Prinia	8
<b>BUZZARDS</b>	–	<b>WAGTAILS, PIPITS AND LONGCLAWS</b>	–
Steppe Buzzard	–	Cape Wagtail	114
<b>GOSHAWKS AND SPARROWHAWKS</b>	–	Grassveld Pipit	6
Redbreasted Sparrowhawk	–	Orangethroated Longclaw	6
Black Sparrowhawk	–	<b>SHRIKES</b>	–
African Goshawk	–	Fiscal Shrike	–

<b>HARRIERS</b>	—	Southern Boubou	—
African Marsh Harrier	4	Bokmakierie	—
<b>FALCONS AND KESTRELS</b>	—	<b>STARLINGS</b>	—
Peregrine Falcon	—	European Starling	295
Lanner Falcon	—	Redwing Starling	2
Rock Kestrel	—	<b>SUGARBIRDS AND SUNBIRDS</b>	—
<b>FRANCOLIN AND QUAIL</b>	—	Malachite Sunbird	—
Cape Francolin	—	Lesser Double collared Sunbird	2
<b>GUINEAFOWL</b>	—	<b>WHITE EYES</b>	—
Helmeted Guineafowl	24	Cape White Eye	4
<b>RAIL, CRAKES, FLUFFTAILS, GALLINULES, MOORHENS AND COOTS</b>	—	<b>SPARROWS, WEAVERS, BISHOPS AND WIDOWS</b>	—
Black Crake	—	House Sparrow	—
African Purple Swamp hen	9	Cape Sparrow	54
Moorhen	65	Cape Weaver	13
Redknobbed Coot	442	Southern Masked Weaver	—
Black Oystercatcher	29	Red Bishop	—
<b>PLOVERS</b>	—	Yellowrumped Widow	—
Threebanded Plover	4	<b>WAXBILLS</b>	—
Grey	1	Common Waxbill	1
Kittlitz's	7	Pintailed Whydah	—
Blacksmith Lapwing	119	<b>CANARIES, SISKINS, FINCHES AND BUNTINGS</b>	—
Ringed Plover	155	Cape Canary	—
Crowned Plover	—	Bully Canary	—
Turnstone	—	<b>OTHER</b>	—
<b>SNIPES, GODWITS, SANDPIPERS, STINTS, CURLEWS AND PHALAROPES, RUFF, STINT</b>	—	Mallard/Dutch Quacker	—
Common Sandpiper	4	Common Peacock	—
Wood	—	<b>total species</b>	<b>83</b>
Marsh Sandpiper	—	—	—
Greenshank	18	—	—
Curlew	8	—	—
Little Stint	235	—	—
Ruff	13	—	—
African Snipe	1	—	—
<b>AVOCETS AND STILTS</b>	—	—	—
Blackwinged Stilt	647	—	—
Pied Avocet	1296	—	—
<b>DIKKOPS</b>	—	—	—

Spotted Thickknees	—	—	—
Water Thickknees	—	—	—
<b>SKUAS, GULLS AND TERNS</b>	—	—	—
Kelp Gull	2905	—	—
Greyheaded Gull	1	—	—
Hartlaubs Gull	1309	—	—
Caspian Tern	1	—	—
Swift Tern	35	—	—
Sandwich Tern	60	—	—
Common Tern	—	—	—
Whitewinged	—	—	—
<b>PIGEONS AND DOVES</b>	—	—	—
Feral Pigeon	—	—	—
Rock Pigeon	16	—	—
Redeyed Dove	3	—	—
Cape Turtle Dove	7	—	—
Laughing Dove	—	—	—
<b>CUCKOOS</b>	—	—	—
Klaas's Cuckoo	—	—	—
Diederik Cuckoo	1	—	—