

THAILAND

Peninsular Thailand and Gurney's Pitta

'This year's peninsular Thailand and Gurney's Pitta tour was successful, with stunning views of a male Gurney's on the first afternoon. In addition, we had excellent views of both Banded and Mangrove Pittas. Other highlights included Chinese Egret, hundreds of Lesser and ten or more Christmas Island Frigatebirds, nesting Blyth's and Wallace's Hawk-Eagles, all of Thailand's malkohas including the scarce and local Chestnut-bellied, Javan Frogmouth, and three large owls: Spotted and Brown Wood-Owls and a Barred Eagle Owl with a youngster. In addition we had Nicobar Pigeon, Thick-billed Spiderhunter, Brown-streaked and an immature male Mugimaki Flycatcher, Rufous-collared Kingfisher, Scarlet-rumped Trogon, Pied Triller, and a cooperative Rail-babbler. Our rarest find was a male Eurasian Blackbird at Laem Talumphuk, the first for southern Thailand.' *Jon Dunn*

Bird List:

Column A = Number of years a species has been seen

Column B = Highest daily total recorded during the **2010** tour

Column C = Number of days recorded during the **2010** tour

Column D = H = Heard only; Y = Young; N = Nest

| A | | B | C | D | |
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| 1 | Little Grebe | 1 | 6 | | <i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i> |
| 1 | Little Cormorant | 2 | 30 | | <i>Phalacrocorax niger</i> |
| 1 | Lesser Frigatebird | 1 | 750 | | <i>Fregata ariel</i> |
| 1 | Christmas Island Frigatebird | 1 | 10 | | <i>Fregata andrewsi</i> |
| 1 | Little Egret | 4 | 30 | | <i>Egretta garzetta</i> |
| 1 | Chinese Egret | 1 | 1 | | <i>Egretta eulophotes</i> |
| 1 | Pacific Reef-Egret | 1 | 4 | | <i>Egretta sacra</i> |
| 1 | Grey Heron | 1 | 1 | | <i>Ardea cinerea</i> |
| 1 | Purple Heron | 1 | 1 | | <i>Ardea purpurea</i> |
| 1 | Great Egret | 2 | 10 | | <i>Casmerodius albus</i> |
| 1 | Intermediate Egret | 3 | 10 | | <i>Mesophoyx intermedia</i> |
| 1 | Cattle Egret | 2 | 25 | | <i>Bubulcus ibis coromandus</i> |
| 1 | Chinese Pond-Heron | 4 | 40 | | <i>Ardeola bacchus</i> |
| 1 | Little Heron | 1 | 2 | | <i>Butorides striatus</i> |
| 1 | Yellow Bittern | 1 | 1 | | <i>Ixobrychus sinensis</i> |
| 1 | Black Baza | 1 | 1 | | <i>Aviceda leuphotes</i> |
| 1 | Oriental honey-Buzzard | 1 | 4 | | <i>Pernis ptilorhynchus</i> |
| 1 | Brahminy Kite | 4 | 8 | | <i>Haliastur indus</i> |
| 1 | White-bellied Sea-Eagle | 2 | 3 | | <i>Haliaeetus leucogaster</i> |
| 1 | Crested Serpent-Eagle | 3 | 2 | | <i>Spilornis cheela</i> |
| 1 | Crested Goshawk | 1 | 1 | | <i>Accipiter trivirgatus</i> |
| 1 | Japanese Sparrowhawk | 1 | 2 | | <i>Accipiter gularis</i> |
| 1 | Rufous-bellied Eagle | 1 | 1 | | <i>Hieraaetus kienerii</i> |
| 1 | Blyth's Hawk-Eagle | 3 | 3 | N | <i>Spizaetus alboniger</i> |
| 1 | Wallace's Hawk-Eagle | 1 | 4 | | <i>Spizaetus nanus</i> |
| 1 | Black-thighed Falconet | 1 | 2 | | <i>Microhierax fringillarius</i> |
| 1 | Peregrine Falcon | 1 | 1 | | <i>Falco peregrinus</i> |
| 1 | White-breasted Waterhen | 2 | 3 | | <i>Amaurornis phoenicurus</i> |
| 1 | Ruddy-breasted Crake | 1 | 2 | H | <i>Porzana fusca</i> |
| 1 | Watercock | 1 | 3 | | <i>Gallicrex cinerea</i> |
| 1 | Black-winged Stilt | 1 | 60 | | <i>Himantopus himantopus</i> |

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| 1 | Pacific Golden Plover | 2 | 10 | | <i>Pluvialis fulva</i> |
| 1 | Kentish Plover | 1 | 1 | | <i>Charadrius alexandrinus</i> |
| 1 | Lesser Sand-Plover | 1 | 1 | | <i>Charadrius mongolus</i> |
| 1 | Greater Sand-Plover | 1 | 2 | | <i>Charadrius leschenaultii</i> |
| 1 | River Lapwing | 1 | 2 | | <i>Vanellus duvaucelii</i> |
| 1 | Grey-headed Lapwing | 1 | 2 | | <i>Vanellus indicus</i> |
| 1 | Red-wattled Lapwing | 1 | 2 | | <i>Vanellus gregarius</i> |
| 1 | Pintail Snipe | 1 | 2 | | <i>Gallinago stenura</i> |
| 1 | Bar-tailed Godwit | 1 | 3 | | <i>Limosa lapponica</i> |
| 1 | Whimbrel | 1 | 20 | | <i>Numenius phaeopus variegatus</i> |
| 1 | Eurasian Curlew | 1 | 2 | | <i>Numenius arquata</i> |
| 1 | Common Greenshank | 1 | 2 | | <i>Tringa nebularia</i> |
| 1 | Wood Sandpiper | 2 | 10 | | <i>Tringa glareola</i> |
| 1 | Terek Sandpiper | 1 | 20 | | <i>Xenus cinereus</i> |
| 1 | Common Sandpiper | 3 | 3 | | <i>Actitis hypoleucos</i> |
| 1 | Little Tern | 1 | 8 | | <i>Sterna albifrons</i> |
| 1 | Gull-billed Tern | 1 | 1 | | <i>Gelochelidon nilotica</i> |
| 1 | White-winged Tern | 1 | 5 | | <i>Chlidonias leucopterus</i> |
| 1 | Whiskered Tern | 1 | 50 | | <i>Chlidonias hybrida</i> |
| 1 | Common Tern | 2 | 25 | | <i>Sterna hirundo</i> |
| 1 | Lesser Crested Tern | 1 | 5 | | <i>Thalasseus bengalensis</i> |
| 1 | Rock Pigeon | 3 | 10 | | <i>Columba livia</i> |
| 1 | Spotted Dove | 6 | 25 | | <i>Streptopelia chinensis</i> |
| 1 | Emerald Dove | 3 | 2 | H | <i>Chalcophaps indica</i> |
| 1 | Peaceful Dove | 2 | 2 | H | <i>Geopelia striata</i> |
| 1 | Nicobar Pigeon | 1 | 1 | | <i>Caloenas nicobarica</i> |
| 1 | Thick-billed Pigeon | 3 | 2 | | <i>Treron curvirostra</i> |
| 1 | Green Imperial Pigeon | 1 | 6 | | <i>Ducula aenea</i> |
| 1 | Pied Imperial Pigeon | 1 | 15 | | <i>Ducula bicolor</i> |
| 1 | Vernal Hanging Parrot | 2 | 1 | | <i>Loriculus vernalis</i> |
| 1 | Banded Bay Cuckoo | 3 | 2 | | <i>Cacomantis sonneratii</i> |
| 1 | Plaintive Cuckoo | 3 | 3 | | <i>Cacomantis merulinus</i> |
| 1 | Violet Cuckoo | 1 | 1 | H | <i>Chrysococcyx xanthorhynchus</i> |
| 1 | Drongo Cuckoo | 2 | 3 | | <i>Surniculus lugubris</i> |
| 1 | Asian Koel | 4 | 4 | | <i>Eudynamys scolopacea</i> |
| 1 | Black-bellied Malkoha | 1 | 1 | | <i>Phaenicophaeus diardi</i> |
| 1 | Chestnut-bellied Malkoha | 1 | 2 | | <i>Phaenicophaeus sumatranus</i> |
| 1 | Green-billed Malkoha | 2 | 2 | | <i>Phaenicophaeus tristis</i> |
| 1 | Raffle's Malkoha | 3 | 4 | | <i>Phaenicophaeus chlorophaeus</i> |
| 1 | Red-billed Malkoha | 1 | 2 | | <i>Phaenicophaeus javanicus</i> |
| 1 | Chestnut-breasted Malkoha | 2 | 2 | | <i>Phaenicophaeus curvirostris</i> |
| 1 | Greater Coucal | 4 | 5 | | <i>Centropus sinensis</i> |
| 1 | Barred Eagle-Owl | 1 | 2 | Y | <i>Bubo sumatranus</i> |
| 1 | Spotted Wood-Owl | 1 | 1 | | <i>Strix seloputo</i> |
| 1 | Brown Wood-Owl | 1 | 1 | | <i>Strix leptogrammica</i> |
| 1 | Brown Boobook | 1 | 1 | H | <i>Ninox scutulata</i> |
| 1 | Javan Frogmouth | 1 | 1 | | <i>Batrachostomus javensis</i> |
| 1 | Germain's Swiftlet | 8 | 50 | | <i>Collocalia germani</i> |
| 1 | Silver-rumped Needletail | 3 | 5 | | <i>Rhaphidura leucopygialis</i> |
| 1 | Brown-backed Needletail | 1 | 4 | | <i>Hirundapus giganteus</i> |
| 1 | Asian Palm-Swift | 3 | 4 | | <i>Cypsiurus balasiensis</i> |
| 1 | House Swift | 3 | 10 | | <i>Apus affinis</i> |
| 1 | Grey-rumped Treeswift | 3 | 2 | | <i>Hemiprocne longipennis</i> |
| 1 | Whiskered Treeswift | 2 | 1 | N | <i>Hemiprocne comata</i> |
| 1 | Scarlet-rumped Trogon | 2 | 4 | | <i>Harpactes duvaucelii</i> |

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| 1 | Common Kingfisher | 1 | 3 | | <i>Alcedo atthis</i> |
| 1 | Banded Kingfisher | 2 | 1 | | <i>Lacedo pulchella</i> |
| 1 | Brown-winged Kingfisher | 1 | 3 | | <i>Halcyon amauroptera</i> |
| 1 | Ruddy Kingfisher | 2 | 1 | | <i>Halcyon coromanda</i> |
| 1 | White-throated Kingfisher | 2 | 2 | | <i>Halcyon smyrnensis</i> |
| 1 | Black-capped Kingfisher | 1 | 6 | | <i>Halcyon pileata</i> |
| 1 | Collared Kingfisher | 2 | 3 | | <i>Halcyon chloris</i> |
| 1 | Rufous-collared Kingfisher | 1 | 1 | | <i>Actenoides concretus</i> |
| 1 | Red-bearded Bee-eater | 1 | 1 | | <i>Nyctyornis amictus</i> |
| 1 | Blue-tailed Bee-eater | 3 | 25 | | <i>Merops philippinus</i> |
| 1 | Indian Roller | 2 | 3 | | <i>Coracias benghalensis</i> |
| 1 | Dollarbird | 2 | 4 | | <i>Eurystomus orientalis</i> |
| 1 | Wreathed Hornbill | 1 | 2 | | <i>Rhyticeros undulatus</i> |
| 1 | Gold-whiskered Barbet | 4 | 4 | N | <i>Megalaima chrysopogon</i> |
| 1 | Red-throated Barbet | 5 | 8 | | <i>Megalaima mystacophanos</i> |
| 1 | Blue-eared Barbet | 4 | 2 | H | <i>Megalaima australis</i> |
| 1 | Coppersmith Barbet | 3 | 2 | | <i>Megalaima haemacephala</i> |
| 1 | Brown Barbet | 1 | 9 | | <i>Calorhamphus fuliginosus</i> |
| 1 | Rufous Piculet | 2 | 1 | | <i>Sasia abnormis</i> |
| 1 | Crimson-winged Woodpecker | 1 | 1 | | <i>Picus puniceus</i> |
| 1 | Streak-breasted Woodpecker | 2 | 1 | | <i>Picus viridanus</i> |
| 1 | Maroon Woodpecker | 1 | 1 | H | <i>Blythipicus rubiginosus</i> |
| 1 | Banded Broadbill | 3 | 2 | | <i>Eurylaimus javanicus</i> |
| 1 | Black-and-Yellow Broadbill | 4 | 6 | | <i>Eurylaimus ochromalus</i> |
| 1 | Green Broadbill | 3 | 4 | | <i>Calyptomena viridis</i> |
| 1 | Banded Pitta | 2 | 1 | | <i>Pitta guajana</i> |
| 1 | Gurney's Pitta | 1 | 1 | | <i>Pitta gurneyi</i> |
| 1 | Mangrove Pitta | 1 | 1 | | <i>Pitta megarhyncha</i> |
| 1 | Dusky Crag-Martin | 1 | 2 | | <i>Hirundo concolor</i> |
| 1 | Barn Swallow | 6 | 10 | | <i>Hirundo rustica</i> |
| 1 | Pacific Swallow | 2 | 20 | | <i>Hirundo tahitica</i> |
| 1 | Striated Swallow | 2 | 10 | | <i>Hirundo striolata badia</i> |
| 1 | Forest Wagtail | 1 | 5 | | <i>Dendronanthus indicus</i> |
| 1 | Eastern Yellow Wagtail | 1 | 1 | | <i>Motacilla tschutschensis</i> |
| 1 | Grey Wagtail | 2 | 1 | | <i>Motacilla cinerea</i> |
| 1 | Paddyfield Pipit | 1 | 1 | | <i>Anthus rufulus</i> |
| 1 | Lesser Cuckoo-shrike | 1 | 2 | | <i>Coracina fimbriata</i> |
| 1 | Pied Triller | 1 | 3 | | <i>Lalage nigra</i> |
| 1 | Ashy Minivet | 3 | 10 | | <i>Pericrocotus divaricatus</i> |
| 1 | Bar-winged Flycatcher-shrike | 1 | 1 | | <i>Hemipus picatus</i> |
| 1 | Black-headed Bulbul | 3 | 10 | | <i>Pycnonotus atriceps</i> |
| 1 | Black-crested Bulbul | 2 | 5 | | <i>Pycnonotus melanicterus</i> |
| 1 | Scaly-breasted Bulbul | 1 | 1 | | <i>Pycnonotus squamatus</i> |
| 1 | Red-whiskered Bulbul | 1 | 6 | | <i>Pycnonotus jocosus</i> |
| 1 | Puff-backed Bulbul | 1 | 2 | H | <i>Pycnonotus eutilotus</i> |
| 1 | Stripe-throated Bulbul | 4 | 2 | | <i>Pycnonotus finlaysoni</i> |
| 1 | Yellow-vented Bulbul | 3 | 6 | | <i>Pycnonotus goiavier</i> |
| 1 | Olive-winged Bulbul | 1 | 3 | | <i>Pycnonotus plumosus</i> |
| 1 | Streak-eared Bulbul | 2 | 3 | | <i>Pycnonotus blanfordi</i> |
| 1 | Red-eyed Bulbul | 5 | 15 | | <i>Pycnonotus brunneus</i> |
| 1 | Spectacled Bulbul | 3 | 5 | | <i>Pycnonotus erythrophthalmos</i> |
| 1 | Ochraceous Bulbul | 2 | 6 | | <i>Criniger ochraceus</i> |
| 1 | Grey-cheeked Bulbul | 1 | 4 | | <i>Criniger bres</i> |
| 1 | Yellow-bellied Bulbul | 2 | 3 | | <i>Criniger phaeocephalus</i> |
| 1 | Hairy-backed Bulbul | 2 | 2 | | <i>Hypsipetes criniger</i> |

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| 1 | Buff-vented Bulbul | 4 | 5 | | <i>Hypsipetes charlottae</i> |
| 1 | Greater Green Leafbird | 1 | 1 | H | <i>Chloropsis sonnerati</i> |
| 1 | Lesser Green Leafbird | 3 | 3 | | <i>Chloropsis cyanopogon</i> |
| 1 | Blue-winged Leafbird | 1 | 1 | | <i>Chloropsis cochinchinensis</i> |
| 1 | Green lora | 1 | 2 | | <i>Aegithina viridissima</i> |
| 1 | Great lora | 1 | 1 | H | <i>Aegithina lafresnayei</i> |
| 1 | Blue Rock-Thrush | 2 | 2 | | <i>Monticola solitarius</i> |
| 1 | Eurasian Blackbird | 1 | 1 | | <i>Turdus merula mandarinus</i> |
| 1 | Rufescent Prinia | 1 | H | | <i>Prinia rufescens</i> |
| 1 | Oriental Reed-Warbler | 1 | 2 | | <i>Acrocephalus orientalis</i> |
| 1 | Common Tailorbird | 4 | 5 | | <i>Orthotomus sutorius</i> |
| 1 | Dark-necked Tailorbird | 5 | 4 | | <i>Orthotomus atrogularis</i> |
| 1 | Rufous-tailed Tailorbird | 1 | 1 | H | <i>Orthotomus sericeus</i> |
| 1 | Ashy Tailorbird | 3 | 6 | | <i>Orthotomus sepium</i> |
| 1 | Dusky Warbler | 1 | 1 | | <i>Phylloscopus fuscatus</i> |
| 1 | Pale-legged Leaf-Warbler | 3 | 3 | | <i>Phylloscopus tenellipes</i> |
| 1 | Eastern Crowned Warbler | 3 | 2 | | <i>Phylloscopus coronatus</i> |
| 1 | Dark-sided Flycatcher | 2 | 2 | | <i>Muscicapa sibirica</i> |
| 1 | Asian Brown Flycatcher | 4 | 1 | | <i>Muscicapa dauurica</i> |
| 1 | Brown-streaked Flycatcher | 1 | 1 | | <i>Muscicapa williamsoni</i> |
| 1 | Mugimaki Flycatcher | 1 | 1 | | <i>Ficedula mugimaki</i> |
| 1 | Taiga Flycatcher | 1 | 1 | | <i>Ficedula albicilla</i> |
| 1 | Verditer Flycatcher | 1 | 1 | | <i>Eumyias thalassina</i> |
| 1 | Chinese Blue Flycatcher | 1 | 3 | | <i>Cyornis glaucicomans</i> |
| 1 | Siberian Blue Robin | 2 | 1 | | <i>Luscinia cyane</i> |
| 1 | Oriental Magpie-Robin | 3 | 6 | | <i>Copsychus saularis</i> |
| 1 | White-rumped Shama | 2 | 10 | | <i>Copsychus malabaricus</i> |
| 1 | Mangrove Whistler | 1 | 1 | | <i>Pachycephala grisola</i> |
| 1 | Pied Fantail | 1 | 10 | | <i>Rhipidura javanica</i> |
| 1 | Black-naped Monarch | 3 | 1 | | <i>Hypothymis azurea</i> |
| 1 | Asian Paradise-flycatcher | 3 | 2 | | <i>Tephrodornis paradisi</i> |
| 1 | Rail-babbler | 1 | 1 | | <i>Eupetes macrocerus</i> |
| 1 | White-chested Babbler | 1 | 2 | | <i>Trichastoma rostratum</i> |
| 1 | Ferruginous Babbler | 1 | 1 | | <i>Trichastoma bicolor</i> |
| 1 | Abbott's Babbler | 1 | 1 | H | <i>Trichastoma abbotti</i> |
| 1 | Short-tailed Babbler | 1 | 1 | | <i>Trichastoma malaccense</i> |
| 1 | Puff-throated Babbler | 1 | 2 | | <i>Pellorneum ruficeps</i> |
| 1 | Black-capped Babbler | 2 | 1 | H | <i>Pellorneum capistratum</i> |
| 1 | Moustached Babbler | 1 | 5 | | <i>Malacopteron magnirostre</i> |
| 1 | Scaly-crowned Babbler | 1 | 3 | | <i>Malacopteron cinereum</i> |
| 1 | Large Wren-Babbler | 1 | 1 | H | <i>Napothera macrodactyla</i> |
| 1 | Grey-throated Babbler | 1 | 1 | | <i>Stachyris nigriceps</i> |
| 1 | Grey-headed Babbler | 2 | 2 | | <i>Stachyris poliocephala</i> |
| 1 | Chestnut-winged Babbler | 3 | 10 | | <i>Stachyris erythroptera</i> |
| 1 | Striped Tit-Babbler | 2 | 3 | H | <i>Macronous gularis</i> |
| 1 | Fluffy-backed Tit Babbler | 1 | 2 | | <i>Macronous ptilosus</i> |
| 1 | White-bellied Yuhina | 1 | 2 | | <i>Yuhina zantholeuca</i> |
| 1 | Brown-throated Sunbird | 6 | 4 | | <i>Anthreptes malacensis</i> |
| 1 | Red-throated Sunbird | 1 | 2 | | <i>Anthreptes rhodolaema</i> |
| 1 | Ruby-cheeked Sunbird | 2 | 2 | | <i>Anthreptes singalensis</i> |
| 1 | Purple-naped Sunbird | 1 | 3 | H | <i>Hypogramma hypogrammicum</i> |
| 1 | Purple-throated Sunbird | 1 | 1 | | <i>Nectarinia sperata</i> |
| 1 | Olive-backed Sunbird | 1 | 6 | | <i>Nectarinia jugularis</i> |
| 1 | Crimson Sunbird | 1 | 2 | | <i>Aethopyga siparaja</i> |
| 1 | Little Spiderhunter | 4 | 4 | H | <i>Arachnothera longirostra</i> |

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| 1 | Thick-billed Spiderhunter | 1 | 1 | | <i>Arachnothera crassirostris</i> |
| 1 | Spectacled Spiderhunter | 1 | 1 | | <i>Arachnothera flavigaster</i> |
| 1 | Grey-breasted Spiderhunter | 2 | 2 | | <i>Arachnothera affinis</i> |
| 1 | Yellow-breasted Flowerpecker | 2 | 1 | | <i>Prionochilus maculatus</i> |
| 1 | Crimson-breasted Flowerpecker | 2 | 1 | | <i>Prionochilus percussus</i> |
| 1 | Orange-bellied Flowerpecker | 2 | 6 | | <i>Dicaeum trigonostigma</i> |
| 1 | Scarlet-backed Flowerpecker | 1 | 1 | | <i>Dicaeum cruentatum</i> |
| 1 | Oriental White-eye | 1 | 2 | | <i>Zosterops palpebrosus</i> |
| 1 | Dark-throated Oriole | 1 | 1 | | <i>Oriolus xanthonotus</i> |
| 1 | Black-naped Oriole | 3 | 3 | | <i>Oriolus chinensis</i> |
| 1 | Asian Fairy-bluebird | 2 | 5 | | <i>Irena puella</i> |
| 1 | Brown Shrike | 1 | 5 | | <i>Lanius cristatus</i> |
| 1 | Rufous-winged Flycatcher | 1 | 1 | H | <i>Philentoma pyrhopterum</i> |
| 1 | Black Drongo | 1 | 8 | | <i>Dicrurus macrocercus</i> |
| 1 | Crow-billed Drongo | 2 | 1 | | <i>Dicrurus annectans</i> |
| 1 | Greater Racket-tailed Drongo | 4 | 1 | | <i>Dicrurus paradiseus</i> |
| 1 | Large-billed Crow | 4 | 5 | | <i>Corvus macrorhynchos</i> |
| 1 | Asian Glossy Starling | 1 | 6 | | <i>Aplonis panayensis</i> |
| 1 | Hill Myna | 1 | 6 | | <i>Gracula religiosa</i> |
| 1 | Jungle Myna | 2 | 6 | | <i>Acridotheres fuscus</i> |
| 1 | White-vented Myna | 1 | 4 | | <i>Acridotheres grandis</i> |
| 1 | Common Myna | 6 | 50 | | <i>Acridotheres tristis</i> |
| 1 | Plain-backed Sparrow | 1 | 1 | | <i>Passer flaveolus</i> |
| 1 | Eurasian Tree Sparrow | 5 | 40 | | <i>Passer montanus</i> |

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