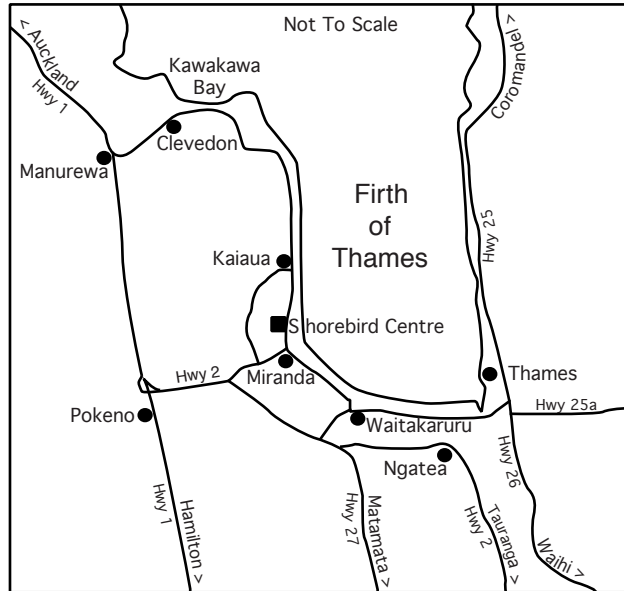


## Regional Map

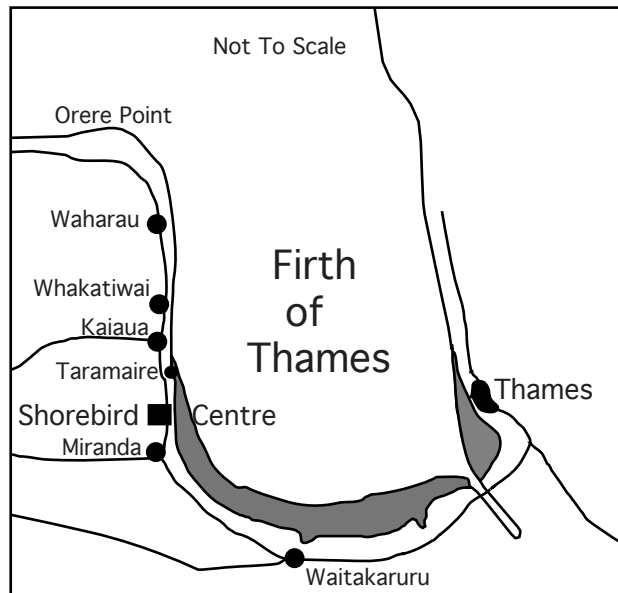


### Checklist Key

- A Abundant
- C Common
- U Uncommon
- R Rare
- V Vagrant
- \* Waharau Regional Park & Others

- Abundant Seen at all times of year, sometimes in large numbers e.g. some migrants.
- Common Seen in small numbers most years, often as a migrant.
- Uncommon Generally present but difficult to see.
- Rare Only seen very occasionally.
- Vagrant Less than five records.

## Local Map



Please report any interesting sightings to the manager at the

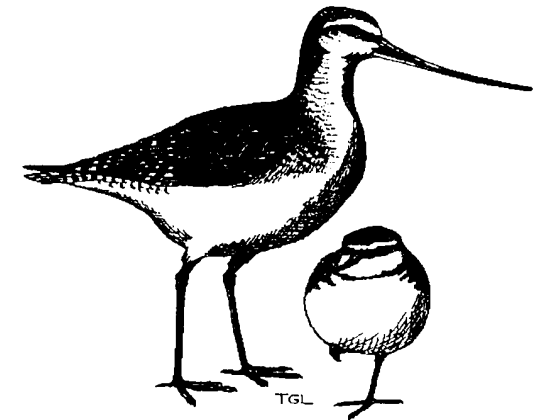
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## Checklist

# Birds of Miranda and the Firth of Thames

Including - Waharau Regional Park



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Birds of Miranda & the Firth of Thames			√	√	√
California Quail *	Callipepla californica	U			
Pheasant	Phasianus colchicus	U			
Brown Quail	Coturnix ypsilophorus	V			
Red-legged Partridge	Alectoris rufa	V			
Black Swan	Cygnus atratus	C			
Canada Goose	Branta canadensis	U			
Paradise Shelduck	Tadorna variegata	C			
Grey Teal	Anas gracillis	A			
Brown Teal	Anas aucklandica	V			
Mallard	Anas platyrhynchos	A			
Grey Duck	Anas superciliosa	C			
Australasian Shoveler	Anas rhynchotis	C			
New Zealand Scaup	Aythya novaeseelandiae	V			
New Zealand Dabchick	Poliocephalus rufopectus	R			
Little Penguin	Eudyptula minor	U			
Royal Albatross sp	Diomedea sp	V			
Light-mantled Sooty Albatross	Phoebastria palpebrata	V			
Giant Petrel sp	Macronectes sp	V			
Cape Petrel	Daption capense	V			
Kerguelen Petrel	Lugensa brevirostris	V			
Buller's Shearwater	Puffinus bulleri	C			
Fluttering Shearwater	Puffinus gavia	C			
Gannet	Morus serrator	C			
Masked Booby	Sula dactylatra	V			
Little Shag	Phalacrocorax melanoleucos	A			
Black Shag	Phalacrocorax carbo	A			
Pied Shag	Phalacrocorax varius	A			
Little Black Shag	Phalacrocorax sulcirostris	A			
Spotted Shag	Stictocarbo punctatus	C			
Frigatebird sp	Fregata sp	V			
White Heron	Ardea Modesta	U			
Cattle Egret	Ardea ibis	C			
White-faced Heron	Egretta novaehollandiae	A			
Little Egret	Egretta garzetta	U			
Reef Heron	Egretta sacra	U			
Bittern	Botaurus poiciloptilus	U			
Glossy Ibis	Plegadis falcinellus	R			
Royal Spoonbill	Platalea regia	C			
Swamp Harrier	Circus approximans	A			
Banded Rail	Gallirallus phillippensis	C			
Spotless Crane	Porzana tabuensis	V			
Pukeko	Porphyrio melanotus	A			
Red Knot	Calidris canutus	A			
Great Knot	Calidris tenuirostris	V			
Sanderling	Calidris alba	V			
Dunlin	Calidris alpina	V			
Curlew Sandpiper	Calidris ferruginea	U			
Sharp-tailed Sandpiper	Calidris acuminata	C			
Pectoral Sandpiper	Calidris melanotus	U			
Baird's Sandpiper	Calidris bairdii	V			
Red-necked Stint	Calidris ruficollis	C			
Western Sandpiper	Calidris mauri	V			

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Broad-billed Sandpiper	Limicola falcinellus	V			
Ruff	Philomachus pugnax	V			
Asiatic Dowitcher	Limnodromus semipalmatus	V			
Eastern Curlew	Numenius madagascariensis	R			
Whimbrel	Numenius phaeopus	U			
Little Whimbrel	Numenius minutus	R			
Bar-tailed Godwit	Limosa lapponica	A			
Black-tailed Godwit	Limosa limosa	U			
Hudsonian Godwit	Limosa haemastica	U			
Wandering Tattler	Tringa incana	V			
Siberian Tattler	Tringa brevipes	U			
Common Sandpiper	Tringa hypoleucos	V			
Common Greenshank	Tringa nebularia	V			
Marsh Sandpiper	Tringa stagnatalis	U			
Terek Sandpiper	Tringa cinereus	U			
Turnstone	Arenaria interpres	C			
Red-necked Phalarope	Phalaropus lobatus	V			
Variable Oystercatcher	Haematopus unicolor	C			
South Island Pied Oystercatcher	Haematopus finschi	A			
Pied Stilt	Himantopus himantopus	A			
Black Stilt	Himantopus novaeseelandiae	R			
Pacific Golden Plover	Pluvialis fulva	C			
Grey Plover	Pluvialis squatarola	R			
New Zealand Dotterel	Charadrius obscurus	C			
Semipalmated Plover	Charadrius semipalmatus	V			
Banded Dotterel	Charadrius bicinctus	A			
Lesser Sand Plover	Charadrius mongolus	U			
Greater Sand Plover	Charadrius leschenaulti	U			
Oriental Dotterel	Charadrius veredus	V			
Wrybill	Anarhynchus frontalis	A			
Black-fronted Dotterel	Elseya melanops	U			
Shore Plover	Thinornis novaeseelandiae	V			
Spur-winged Plover	Vanellus miles	A			
Pomarine Skua	Coprotheres pomarinus	V			
Arctic Skua	Stercorarius parasiticus	C			
Long-tailed Skua	Stercorarius longicaudus	V			
Southern Black-backed Gull	Larus dominicanus	A			
Red-billed Gull	Larus bulleri	A			
Black-billed Gull	Larus novaehollandiae	C			
Little Tern	Sternula albifrons	C			
New Zealand Fairy Tern	Sternla nereis	U			
Gull-billed Tern	Gelochelidon nilotica	V			
Caspian Tern	Hydroprogne caspia	A			
White-winged Black Tern	Childonias leucopterus	V			
Black-fronted Tern	Childonias albobristata	R			
White-fronted Tern	Sterna striata	A			
Arctic Tern	Sterna paradisaea	V			
Common Tern	Sterna hirundo				
Crested Tern	Sterna bergii	V			
Spotted Dove	Streptopelia chinensis	U			
New Zealand Pigeon *	Hemiphaga novaeseelandiae	C			
Kaka *	Nestor meridionalis	R			

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Sulphur-crested Cockatoo *	Cacatua galerita	U			
Eastern Rosella	Platycercus eximius	U			
Shining Cuckoo	Chrysococcyx lucidus	U			
Long-tailed Cuckoo *	Eudynamys taitensis	R			
Sacred Kingfisher	Todiramphus sancta	A			
Grey Warbler	Gerygone igata	A			
Bellbird *	Anthornis melanura	U			
Tui *	Prosthemadera novaeseelandiae	C			
Australian Magpie	Gymnorhina tibicen	A			
White-browed Woodswallow	Artamus superciliosus	V			
North Island Fantail	Rhipidura fuliginosa	C			
Rook	Corvus frugilegus	U			
North Island Tomtit *	Petroica macrocephala	U			
Eurasian Skylark	Alauda arvensis	A			
Fernbird	Bowdleria punctata	U			
Silvereye	Zosterops lateralis	C			
Welcome Swallow	Hirundo neoxena	A			
Tree Martin	Petrochelidon nigricans	V			
Eurasian Blackbird	Turdus merula	C			
Song Thrush	Turdus philomelos	C			
Common Starling	Sturnus vulgaris	A			
Common Myna	Acridotheris tristis	A			
House Sparrow	Passer domesticus	A			
New Zealand Pipit	Anthus novaeseelandiae	C			
Dunnock	Prunella modularis	R			
Chaffinch	Fringilla coelebs	C			
European Greenfinch	Carduelis chloris	A			
European Goldfinch	Carduelis carduelis	A			
Common Redpoll	Cardueis flammea	U			
Yellowhammer	Emberiza citrinella	A			

134 Species

Species with \* were seen at Waharau Regional Park

Species order follows  
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