

# Christmas Week at Asa Wright Nature Center Species List | December 20-27, 2025 with Naturalist Journeys



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Asa Wright Nature Center is such a treat that half of our group was returning here for their second, third, of fourth time! We had a delightful holiday week filled with a mix of leisurely time soaking in one of the best nectar and fruit stations on the entire planet and the surrounding trails of the center, plus a few offsite excursions to explore the montane forests, lowlands, and swamps that make Trinidad such a diverse and birdy country.

145 species of birds were recorded. Three were heard only, two were introduced, and one (Trinidad Motmot, one of our heard-only birds!) was endemic.

The eBird link below details the 145 species of birds our group observed during the tour. If you're new to eBird, be sure to click "Show All Details" on the right side of the list to expand the report and reveal where and when each species was seen.

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Following is a list of the mammals, reptiles and amphibians we were fortunate to observe during the trip.

## **MAMMALS (7):**

**Northeastern Silky Anteater** *Cyclopes didactylus*  
**Proboscis Bat** *Rhynchonycteris naso*  
**Greater Sac-winged Bat** *Saccopteryx bilineata*  
**Jamaican Fruit-eating Bat** *Artibeus jamaicensis*  
**Red-rumped Agouti** *Dasyprocta leporina*  
**Small Indian Mongoose** *Urva auropunctata*  
**Long-tailed Porcupine** *Trichys fasciculata*

## **REPTILES AND AMPHIBIANS (11):**

**Spectacled Caiman** *Caiman crocodilus*  
**Bronze Anole** *Anolis aeneus*  
**Tropical House Gecko** *Hemidactylus mabouia*  
**Trinidad Ameiva** *Ameiva atrigularis*  
**Green Iguana** *Ameiva atrigularis*  
**Cryptic Golden Tegu** *Tupinambis cryptus*  
**Boa Constrictor** *Boa constrictor*  
**Tropical Flat Snake** *Siphlophis compressus*  
**Rusty Tree Frog** *Boana boans*  
**Lesser Antillean Whistling Frog** *Eleutherodactylus johnstonei*