

# Northern Peru Endemics | Species List

## July 6 – 18, 2023 | with Naturalist Journeys



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Compiled by Andrea Molina

**TOTAL: 312 species including five Heard Only (HO)**

**ENDEMIC SPECIES: 14**

**HUMMINGBIRDS: 49**

### **TINAMOUS: Tinamidae — ( 1 )**

**Little Tinamou** *Crypturellus soui* —A family showed well in Arena Blanca Reserve, attracted by the corn at a blind, seen as soon as we arrived.

### **DUCKS, GEESE AND SWANS: Anatidae —( 8 )**

**Black-bellied Whistling-Duck** *Dendrocygna autumnalis* — A group at the edge of Ricuricocha Lake.

**Comb Duck** *Sarkidiornis sylvicola* —At Ricuricocha Lake, we attempted to approach a close group but it flew away, then a few minutes later we relocated them in the lake, several males and females.

**Brazilian Teal** *Amazonetta brasiliensis* — Ricuricocha Lake, we walked a short distance off the road where we found a group of them.

**Torrent Duck** *Merganetta armata* —Seen from the van as we were driving to Leymebamba, a beautiful male gave us a show jumping and standing on a rock nearby.

**Cinnamon Teal** *Spatula cyanoptera* —Quick view at Pantanos de Villa, general area, but a great view just crossing the street to the next lagoon there.

**White-cheeked Pintail** *Anas bahamensis* —A group was in Playa Marvilla in a different part of Pantanos de Villa.

**Yellow-billed Teal** *Anas flavirostris* — A group of five were at the edge of Utcubamba River on the upper part of Atuen Road.

**Masked Duck** *Nomonyx dominicus* —Lots of females and a couple of young males were at Indañe Pond, 15 minutes from Moyobamba.

### **GUANS AND CURASSOWS: Cracidae —( 2 )**

**Andean Guan** *Penelope montagnii* —On Atuen Road while searching the treetops, a couple moved noisily.

**Sickle-winged Guan** *Chamaepetes goudotii* —While waiting for the Marvelous Spatuletail, right behind the feeders.

### **NEW WORLD QUAIL: Odontophoridae —( 1 )**

**Rufous-breasted Wood-Quail** *Odontophorus speciosus* —At Arena Blanca Reserve, after breakfast we were told about a group that went to the feeders at the blind.

### **GREBES: Podicipedidae — ( 2 )**

**Pied-billed Grebe** *Podilymbus podiceps* — In the first Lake at Pantanos de Villa.

**Great Grebe** *Podiceps major* — At Pantanos de Villa, in the middle of the lagoon.

#### **PIGEONS AND DOVES: Columbidae —( 11 )**

**Rock Pigeon (I)** *Columba livia* —Several times in villages, towns and cities.

**Pale-vented Pigeon** *Patagioenas cayennensis* —A nice view at Ricuricocha Lake, late in afternoon.

**Peruvian Pigeon** *Patagioenas oenops* —First seen at a gas station in Pedro Ruiz while feeding.

**Plumbeous Pigeon** *Patagioenas plumbea* —All grey, seen in the area around Moyobamba.

**Ruddy Ground-Dove** *Columbina talpacoti* —Around the fields, its maroon color is very distinctive.

**Croaking Ground-Dove** *Columbina cruziana* —Towards Cajamarca, perched in open areas, its yellow bill was an easy field mark.

**Blue Ground-Dove** *Claravis pretiosa* —By the parking area in Morro de Calzada.

**Bare-faced Ground-Dove** *Metriopelia ceciliae* —Quick view before reaching Marañon River and a bit later seen better on the same road.

**Gray-fronted Dove** *Leptotila rufaxilla* —Visiting the corn feeders at Arena Blanca and Aconabikh.

**West Peruvian Dove** *Zenaida meloda* —One of our first birds found in Lima.

**Eared Dove** *Zenaida auriculata* —At the balcony of Toucan Suites Hotel in Tarapoto.

#### **CUCKOOS AND ALLIES: Cuculidae —( 4 )**

**Greater Ani** *Crotophaga major* —A group at Ricuricocha Lake, clear view of the yellowish eyes.

**Smooth-billed Ani** *Crotophaga ani* —Seen several days, its large, hump-like bill seen through the scope.

**Groove-billed Ani** *Crotophaga sulcirostris* —Seen first at Pantanos de Villa.

**Squirrel Cuckoo** *Piaya cayana* —At Aconabikh Reserve from the observation platform.

#### **NIGHTJARS: Caprimulgidae —( 1 )**

**Common Pauraque** *Nyctidromus albicollis* —We heard its loud call and saw its eyes reflecting our lights on the grounds of Waqanki Lodge.

#### **OILBIRD: Steatornithidae —( 1 )**

**Oilbird** *Steatornis caripensis* —Quiscarrumi Bridge, a regular spot to see them.

#### **SWIFTS: Apodidae —( 3 )**

**White-collared Swift** *Streptoprocne zonaris* —A big group at the same cave were the Oilbirds roost.

**White-tipped Swift** *Aeronautes montivagus* —Seen on our long drive to Cajamarca, while we were looking for Inca Finches.

**Fork-tailed Palm-Swift** *Tachornis squamata* —Easily identified by its long, thin, pointy tail, found at the entrance to Santa Elena Swamps.

#### **HUMMINGBIRDS Trochilidae —( 49 )**

**White-necked Jacobin** *Florisuga mellivora* —An unmistakable species, seen at most of the locations we visited.

**Rufous-breasted Hermit** *Glaucis hirsutus* —After a long wait at Waqanki feeders, this hermit showed really well.

**Green Hermit** *Phaethornis guy* —A common species at the Llanteria feeders, not seen anywhere else.

**Koepcke's Hermit (E)** *Phaethornis koepckeae* —Very elusive, even at its regular spot, we saw it for just a few seconds at the feeders in Aconabikh.

**Great-billed Hermit** *Phaethornis malaris* —The longest-billed hermit at the Waqanki feeders.

**Black-throated Hermit** *Phaethornis atrimentalis* —Seen very quickly by some participants in Waqanki.

**Green-fronted Lancebill** *Doryfera ludovicae* —The darkest hummingbird at Aconabikh, we enjoyed viewing its long, straight bill while we took shelter from heavy rain.

**Blue-fronted Lancebill** *Doryfera johannae* —It was flycatching near a stream as we waited to try for the owl.

**Brown Violetear** *Colibri delphinae* —Visiting feeders several times.

**Lesser Violetear** *Colibri cyanotus* —Came to visit feeders at Owllet Lodge.

**Sparkling Violetear** *Colibri coruscans* —Seen in the higher elevations, LLanteria and Owllet Lodge.

**Black-throated Mango** *Anthracothorax nigricollis* —Came to the feeders in Waqanki.

**Purple-throated Sunangel** *Heliangelus viola* —We watched one feeding on flowers and perching on bare branches at Huembo Lodge.

**Royal Sunangel** *Heliangelus regalis* —We scanned a high hill as we were advised about an individual feeding there. It came for just a few seconds and some participants got a good view.

**Wire-crested Thorntail** *Discosura popelairii* —A wonderful species seen visiting flowers in Arena Blanca Reserve.

**Rufous-crested Coquette** *Lophornis delattrei* —As soon as we arrived to Waqanki, we searched the front gardens, and we got it!

**Ecuadorian Piedtail** *Phlogophilus hemileucurus* —Nice views at the LLanteria feeders.

**Speckled Hummingbird** *Adelomyia melanogenys* —A shy hummingbird seen coming to feeders at Owllet Lodge late in the afternoon.

**Long-tailed Sylph** *Agelaiocercus kingii* —Fantastic views at feeders at Owllet Lodge.

**Green-tailed Trainbearer** *Lesbia nuna* —Males and females were observed feeding on the gorgeous flowers at Leymebamba Museum.

**Tyrian Metaltail** *Metallura tyrianthina* —We stopped on a road and used a recording of a pygmy-owl call to attract this hummingbird.

**Coppery Metaltail (E)** *Metallura theresiae* —Seen well the day we were traveling to Cajamarca, the contrast of the body color against pale trunks was perfect.

**Greenish Puffleg** *Haplophaedia aureliae* —At feeders in Fundo Alto Nieva.

**Emerald-bellied Puffleg** *Eriocnemis aline* —Astonishing puffy boots, this hummingbird was visiting feeders at Owllet Lodge.

**Marvelous Spatuletail (E)** *Loddigesia mirabilis* —It required a lot of patience, but we got it! An iconic species.

**Shining Sunbeam** *Aglaeactis cupripennis* —Found in the upper parts of the Leymebamba-Cajamarca Road, its orange color was conspicuous.

**Bronzy Inca** *Coeligena coeligena* —Coming regularly to Owllet Lodge feeders.

**Collared Inca** *Coeligena torquata* —Another visitor to Owllet feeders.

**Rainbow Starfrontlet** *Coeligena iris* —Quick view at the entrance of Leymebamba Museum near the sculptures.

**Chestnut-breasted Coronet** *Boissonneaua matthewsii* —One of the more common species at high altitude, we saw them at Owllet and Huembo Lodges.

**Peruvian (Booted) Racket-tail** *Ocreatus peruanus* —We saw a female at the LLanteria feeders, and then several males at Fundo Alto Nieva.

**Gould's Jewelfront** *Heliodoxa aurescens* —Agorgeous hummingbird, we found it at the Aconabikh Reserve feeders.

**Fawn-breasted Brilliant** *Heliodoxa rubinoides* —At feeders at Owllet Lodge.

**Violet-fronted Brilliant** *Heliodoxa leadbeateri* —A female and male were seen at LLanteria first.

**Purple-collared Woodstar** *Myrtis fanny* —A male was observed feeding on verbena flowers at the Huembo Lodge.

**White-bellied Woodstar** *Chaetocercus mulsant* —Great views at the Owllet Lodge feeders where it perched close, allowing great views.

**Little Woodstar** *Chaetocercus bombus* —Several females were seen at the first hummingbird feeders at Huembo, and later we found males feeding in the flowers close to the restaurant.

**Amethyst Woodstar** *Calliphlox amethystina* —A colorful male was constantly perched in the same spot at the Arena Blanca Reserve.

**Blue-tailed Emerald** *Chlorostilbon mellisugus* —Nicely seen in verbena flowers from the platform at Arena Blanca Reserve.

**Violet-headed Hummingbird** *Klais guimeti* —A hummingbird that doesn't visit feeders, but we found it in the bushes nearby at Arena Blanca Reserve.

**Gray-breasted Sabrewing** *Campylopterus largipennis* —Very common this year at Aconabikh Reserve, it was bullying the others as it defended its feeder!

**Napo Sabrewing** *Campylopterus villaviscensio* —A great surprise at the LLanteria feeders, excellent views.

**Fork-tailed Woodnymph** *Thalurania furcata* —Regularly seen in lower elevations including Aconabikh, Waqanki and Arena Blanca.

**Many-spotted Hummingbird** *Taphrospilus hypostictus* —Arena Blanca Reserve was a good place to see it perched, providing a great opportunity to compare it with the similar-looking female jacobin.

**White-bellied Hummingbird** *Amazilia chionogaster* —Seen at Huembo Lodge just as we arrived at the feeders.

**Andean Emerald** *Amazilia franciae* —A constant visitor around the feeder station at Huembo.

**Sapphire-spangled Emerald** *Amazilia lactea* —First seen along Ricuricocha Road feeding on flowers, later seen at the feeders.

**Golden-tailed Sapphire** *Chrysuronia oenone* —One of the most common hummingbirds at Aconabikh Reserve in the lowlands.

**White-chinned Sapphire** *Hylocharis cyanus* —A quick view at the Waqanki feeders, its bright orange bill distinctive.

#### **RAILS, COOTS AND ALLIES : Rallidae —( 6 )**

**Plumbeous Rail** *Pardirallus sanguinolentus* —A juvenile was wondering along the shore of Pomacocha Lake, then a few minutes later, an adult came into the open.

**Gray-cowled Wood-Rail** *Aramides cajaneus* —Came in at the corn feeder at Arenas Blancas Reserve.

**Common Gallinule** *Gallinula galeata* —Seen multiple times, first at Pantanos de Villa.

**Slate-colored Coot** *Fulica ardesiaca* —Seen at Pantanos de Villa near Lima.

**Purple Gallinule** *Porphyrio martinica* —A quick view from de Indañe Pond near Moyobamba.

**Russet-crowned Crane** *Anurolimnas viridis* —Heard at close range at Aconabikh from the observation tower, but not seen.

#### **LIMPKIN: Aramididae —( 1 )**

**Limpkin** *Aramus guarauna* —Seen from the car while we were waiting to cross the road on our way to lunch at Waqanki.

#### **STILTS AND AVOCETS: Recurvirostridae —( 1 )**

**Black-necked Stilt** *Himantopus mexicanus* — At Playa Marvilla near Pantanos de Villa, and later around the rice fields at Moyobamba.

#### **OYSTERCATCHERS: Haematopodidae —( 2 )**

**American Oystercatcher** *Haematopus palliatus* — Seen at Playa Marvilla towards the end of the reserve.

**Blackish Oystercatcher** *Haematopus ater* —A couple were found on Pucusana Island.

### **PLOVERS AND LAPWINGS: Charadriidae —( 3 )**

**Southern Lapwing** *Vanellus chilensis* — At the side of the road near Ricuricocha Lake.

**Andean Lapwing** *Vanellus resplendens* —Seen in the fields near Pomacocha Lake.

**Killdeer** *Charadrius vociferus* —At Playa Marvilla, near the closest pond.

### **JACANAS: Jacanidae —( 1 )**

**Wattled Jacana** *Jacana jacana* —Seen at several locations, but first at Ricuricocha Lake.

### **SANDPIPERS AND ALLIES: Scolopacidae —( 3 )**

**Whimbrel** *Numenius phaeopus*—Unmistakable, seen at Playa Marvilla, near Lima.

**Ruddy Turnstone** *Arenaria interpres* —Seen from the boat in Pucusana.

**Willet** *Catoptrophorus semipalmatus* —Seen at Playa Marvilla, near Lima.

### **GULLS AND TERNS: Laridae —( 7 )**

**Andean Gull** *Chroicocephalus serranus* —Flew towards the car on our way to Cajamarca.

**Gray-hooded Gull** *Chroicocephalus cirrocephalus* —Seen on our first stop in Lima at the El Salto del Fraile look out.

**Gray Gull** *Leucophaeus modestus* —In Pucusana area.

**Belcher's Gull** *Larus belcheri* —The most numerous gull on our first day's trip near Lima.

**Kelp Gull** *Larus dominicanus* —A couple perched next to buildings in Pucusana, great views of the red spot at the side of the bill.

**Inca Tern** *Rynchops inca* —One of the most beautiful terns, a group was perched at Salto del Fraile in Lima.

**Black Skimmer** *Rynchops niger* —A little group at Playa Marvilla.

### **PENGUINS: Spheniscidae —( 1 )**

**Humboldt Penguin** *Spheniscus humboldti* —Three penguins were seen swimming from Salto del Fraile in Lima.

### **GANNETS AND BOOBIES: Sulidae —( 2 )**

**Blue-footed Booby** *Sula nebouxii* —Viewed from the boat in Pucusana, good enough to recognize the blue foot!

**Peruvian Booby** *Sula variegata* —A large population, seen from Salto del Fraile, in Lima, to Pucusana.

### **CORMORANTS: Phalacrocoracidae —( 3 )**

**Red-legged Cormorant** *Poikilocarbo gaimardi* —First seen at Salto del Fraile, in Lima, but we had closer views at Pucusana.

**Neotropic Cormorant** *Nannopterum brasilianum* — A nice group perched on snags in the middle of a lake at Pantanos de Villa.

**Guanay Cormorant** *Leucocarbo bougainvilli* —Next to the Red-legged Cormorant at Salto del Fraile.

### **PELICANS: Pelecanidae—( 1 )**

**Peruvian Pelican** *Pelecanus thagus* —At Salto del Fraile in Lima, but we had better views in Pucusana.

### **HERONS AND EGRETS: Ardeidae —( 10 )**

**Least Bittern** *Ixobrychus exilis* — By the reeds at Pantanos de Villa.

**Fasciated Tiger-Heron** *Tigrisoma fasciatum* — Andrew spotted it on our way to Leymebamba, it gave us a great

view in the Utcubamba River.

**Great Egret** *Ardea alba* —Seen in open fields starting near Lima towards the end of the trip.

**Snowy Egret** *Egretta thula* —Common and widespread, seen by all several times.

**Little Blue Heron** *Egretta caerulea* —At Playa Marvillita in Pantanos de Villa near Lima.

**Cattle Egret** *Bubulcus ibis* —Around open fields, several times.

**Striated Heron** *Butorides striata* —Especially well seen in Pantanos de Villa.

**Black-crowned Night-Heron** *Nycticorax nycticorax* —At the second pond at Pantanos de Villa.

**Yellow-crowned Night-Heron** *Ncytanassa violacea* —Seen at Pantanos de Villa.

**Puna Ibis** *Plegadis ridgwayi* — A quick view near Lima, but definitely better near Cajamarca.

### **NEW WORLD VULTURES: Cathartidae —( 3 )**

**Andean Condor** *Vultur gryphus* —Awesome views along the Atuen Road in the Condor Canyon.

**Black Vulture** *Coragyps atratus* —Several views throughout the trip.

**Turkey Vulture** *Cathartes aura* — Several views throughout the trip.

### **HAWKS, KITES, AND EAGLES: Accipitridae —( 8 )**

**Swallow-tailed Kite** *Elanoides forficatus* —Seen gliding in open blue sky as we drove on Escaleras Road.

**Snail Kite** *Rostrhamus sociabilis* —Around Santa Elena Swamp in rice fields.

**Plumbeous Kite** *Ictinia plumbea* —Perched on a bare trunk along the Santa Elena Swamp trail.

**Roadside Hawk** *Rupornis magnirostris* —Driving from Pedro Ruiz to Leymebamba.

**Harris's Hawk** *Parabuteo unicinctus* —In Pantanos de Villa near Lima.

**Variable Hawk** *Geranoaetus polyosoma* —From the road as we drove from Leymebamba to Cajamarca.

**Black-chested Buzzard-Eagle** *Geranoaetus melaoleucus* —Gorgeous views at eye level on the Leymebamba-Cajamarca Road.

**Short-tailed Hawk** *Buteo brachyurus* —Halfway down the Owlet Trail at Owlet Lodge.

### **OWLS: Strigidae —( 3 )**

**Tropical Screech-Owl** *Megascops choliba* —Seen behind the restaurant at the Waqanki Lodge.

**Band-bellied Owl** *Pulsatrix melanota* —HO, it called several times behind our rooms at the Waqanki Lodge but didn't respond to playback.

**Long-whiskered Owlet (E)** *Xenoglaux loweryi* —After a long walk, we were rewarded with great views of this beautiful owlet at Owlet Lodge.

### **TROGONS: Trogonidae —( 3 )**

**Golden-headed Quetzal** *Pharomachrus auriceps* —Seen beautifully on the Owlet Trail and on Atuen Road.

**Crested Quetzal** *Pharomachrus antisianus* —Seen on the Owlet Trail by some participants.

**Green-backed Trogon** *Trogon viridis* —We saw it first at the Aconabikh Reserve after the observation platform.

### **MOTMOTS: Momotidae —( 2 )**

**Andean Motmot** *Momotus aequatorialis* —Descending the Owlet Trail.

**Broad-billed Motmot** *Electron platyrhynchum* —Crashing a bug on a branch on the Waqanki Trail!

### **KINGFISHERS: Alcedinidae —( 2 )**

**Ringed Kingfisher** *Megaceryle torquata* —While taking the Santa Elena Swamp Trail.

**Amazon Kingfisher** *Chloroceryle amazona* —Our first view was near Lima as we were driving.



**PUFFBIRDS: Bucconidae —( 1 )**

**Black-fronted Nunbird** *Monasa nigrifrons* —At the Santa Elena Swamp, from the entrance to the end of the trail.

**JACAMARS: Galbulidae —( 1 )**

**Bluish-fronted Jacamar** *Galbula cyanescens* —Responded well to playback at the orchid farm at Waqanki Lodge.

**BARBETS: Capitonidae —( 1 )**

**Gilded Barbet** *Capito auratus* —Attracted to the main garden in Waqanki Lodge.

**TOUCANS: Ramphastidae —( 5 )**

**Southern Emerald-Toucanet** *Aulacorhynchus albivitta* —Stephanie called for it while waiting for the Marvelous Spatuletail Hummingbird.

**Gray-breasted Mountain-Toucan** *Andigena hypoglauca* —Spotted first by our driver, Horacio, then we searched until we found it feeding on fruit.

**Lettered Aracari** *Pteroglossus inscriptus* —On the grounds of Waqanki Lodge early in the morning.

**Chestnut-eared Aracari** *Pteroglossus castanotis* —Seen perched in a distant tree at Waqanki Lodge.

**White-throated Toucan** *Ramphastos tucanus* —HO, it called loudly at the Santa Elena Swamp Trail, but we couldn't see it.

**WOODPECKERS: Picidae —( 8 )**

**Speckle-chested Piculet (E)** *Picumnus steindachneri* —Near Pomacocha Lake on a gravel road, it responded well to playback and the Aninya spotted it.

**Yellow-tufted Woodpecker** *Melanerpes cruentatus* —At Waqanki, we found three on a bare tree trunk.

**Little Woodpecker** *Dryobates passerinus* —In the lowlands at Waqanki Lodge.

**Cream-colored Woodpecker** *Celeus flavus* — On the Santa Elena Swamp Trail, perched for a while on a trunk.

**Crimson-mantled Woodpecker** *Colaptes rivolii* —At Owlet Lodge, we heard it calling from somewhere in the valley, eventually it came closer.

**Black-necked Woodpecker (E)** *Colaptes atricollis* —Feeding on cactus on the Pedro Ruiz- Leymebamba Road.

**Spot-breasted Woodpecker** *Colaptes punctigula* —Nicely seen at Ricuricocha Lake.

**Andean Flicker** *Colaptes rupicola* —A distant view along Atuen Road, then better looks closer to Cajabamba.

**FALCONS AND CARACARAS: Falconidae —( 3 )**

**Crested Caracara** *Caracara plancus* — A group was seen walking on the ground by the rice fields along the main road out of Santa Elena Swamp.

**Mountain Caracara** *Phalcoboenus megalopterus* —Seen from Atuen Road flying around, then later we had quick views near Cajamarca.

**American Kestrel** *Falco sparverius* —Seen perched on a wire during our long drive to Cajamarca.

**PARROTS: Psittacidae —( 7 )**

**Cobalt-winged Parakeet** *Brotogeris cyanoptera* —Several flocks came to the canopy at Waqanki.

**Blue-headed Parrot** *Pionus menstruus* —Flocks seen flying around the main area at Waqanki.

**Riparian Parrotlet** *Forpus crassirostris* — A flock arrived to a cecropia tree at Waqanki.

**Yellow-faced Parrotlet (E)** *Forpus xanthops* —Towards Cajamarca, in the Balsas area, we first heard their calls, then were able to observe them through the scope.

**Dusky-headed Parakeet** *Aratinga weddellii* —A flock crossed over Ricuricocha Lake.  
**Mitred Parakeet** *Psittacara mitratus* —Multiple sightings, some perched very close.  
**White-eyed Parakeet** *Psittacara leucophthalmus* —Seen from Bridges after we found the Oilbirds.

#### **ANTBIRDS: Thamnophilidae —( 6 )**

**Rufous-capped Antshrike** *Thamnophilus ruficapillus* —By the road near Pomacocha Lake, a male responded well to playback.

**Plain-winged Antshrike** *Thamnophilus schistaceus* —Very vocal, yet elusive along the upper trail at Waqanqi.

**Variable Antshrike** *Thamnophilus caerulescens* —Early in the morning at Owlet Lodge, outside the restaurant.

**Peruvian Warbling-Antbird** *Hypocnemis peruviana* —We followed this antbird around Aguas Verdes Reserve for quite some time before we eventually saw it.

**Black-faced Antbird** *Myrmoborus myotherinus* —As soon as we arrived at Aconabikh Reserve, we went to a blind and were fortunate to see this antbird.

**Band-tailed Antbird** *Hypocnemoides maculicauda* — At the end of the Santa Elena Swamp Trail, it came out into the open for a few seconds several times.

#### **CRESCENTCHESTS: Melanopareiidae —( 1 )**

**Marañon Crescentchest** *Melanopareia maranonica* —An unexpected sighting, we were able to call it in alongside the road at a new site.

#### **ANTPITTAS: Grallariidae —( 2 )**

**Rusty-tinged Antpitta (E)** *Grallaria przewalskii* —Viewed at a feeding station, it called back in the distance, then eventually came in to feed after some minutes.

**Chestnut Antpitta (E)** *Grallaria blakei* —It was waiting for us at its feeding station, great views, very close!

#### **OVENBIRDS AND WOODCREEPERS: Furnariidae —( 10 )**

**Olivaceous Woodcreeper** *Sittasomus griseicapillus* —First seen at Waqanqi Lodge, present near trail.

**Cinnamon-throated Woodcreeper** *Dendrorechestastes rufigula* —HO, despite the constant call, it never came out into the open at Santa Elena Swamp.

**Buff-throated Woodcreeper** *Xiphorhynchus guttatus* —Nicely seen at Santa Elena Swamp from the wooden bridge.

**Montane Woodcreeper** *Lepidocolaptes lacrymiger* —Part of a flock at Atuen Road.

**Point-tailed Palmcreeper** *Berlepschia rikeri* —On a foggy morning it responded well to playback, and even with the hard weather conditions we saw it well, a second attempt when it was brighter, giving us better views.

**Streaked Tuftedcheek** *Pseudocolaptes boissonneautii* —Nicely seen on the lower part of Atuen Road, looking for food in the bromeliads.

**Wren-like Rushbird** *Phleocryptes melanops* —At Pantanos de Villa, seen well as it worked the reeds in the second lake.

**Surf Cinclodes** *Cinclodes taczanowskii* —From the boat at Pucusana Island, feeding on rocks.

**Rufous-fronted Thornbird** *Phacellodomus rufifrons* —In Ricuricocha, going to its interesting nest.

**Line-cheeked Spinetail** *Cranioleuca antisiensis* —Responded to playback on a road next to Pomacocha Lake.

#### **MANAKINS: Pipridae —( 1 )**

**Golden-headed Manakin** *Ceratopipra erythrocephala* —We heard a group calling from the upper trail at Waqanqi Lodge, after some playback, a female was seen.



### **BECARDS AND TITYRAS: Tityridae —( 2 )**

**Masked Tityra** *Tityra semifasciata* —It perched on a bamboo stick in the Waqanki Lodge gardens.

**Barred Becard** *Pachyramphus versicolor* —Very elusive, we had brief but good looks on Atuen Road.

### **COTINGAS: Cotingidae —( 1 )**

**Green-and-black Fruiteater** *Pipreola riefferii* —Feeding on berries next to the restaurant at Owlet Lodge.

### **TYRANT FLYCATCHERS: Tyrannidae —( 35 )**

**Many-colored Rush Tyrant** *Tachuris rubigaster* —An iconic species seen at Pantanos de Villa; it came out into the open on colorful tree.

**White-lored Tyrannulet** *Ornithion inerme* —Seen at the Aconabikh Reserve hopping in middle canopy.

**Southern Beardless-Tyrannulet** *Camptostoma obsoletum* —First seen at Ricuricocha Lake, and later at different spots throughout the trip.

**Mouse-colored Tyrannulet** *Phaeomyias murina* —Seen at Indañe Swamp near Moyobamba.

**Forest Elaenia** *Myiopagis gaimardii* —Feeding on a fruiting tree at the entrance of Morro de Calzada.

**Highland Elaenia** *Elaenia obscura* —Seen in Huembo Lodge, a larger Elaenia.

**Sierran Elaenia** *Elaenia pallatangae* —Right in the open on a tree right next to the hummingbird feeders at Owlet Lodge.

**Torrent Tyrannulet** *Serpophaga cinerea* —On our way to Leymebamba at the shore of Utcubamba River.

**Streak-necked Flycatcher** *Mionectes striaticollis* —Joining a feeding flock on Atuen Road.

**Ochre-bellied Flycatcher** *Mionectes oleagineus* —One of the numerous visitors to the fruiting tree at Arena Blanca Reserve.

**Marble-faced Bristle-Tyrant** *Phylloscartes ophthalmicus* —Moving quickly around the trees at Morro de Calzada.

**Sooty-headed Tyrannulet** *Phyllomyias griseiceps* —Very vocal at the Waqanki Lodge gardens.

**Mishana Tyrannulet (E)** *Zimmerius villarejoi* —A target species in Morro de Calzada, seen on one of the trails, perched right above our heads.

**Peruvian Tyrannulet (E)** *Zimmerius viridiflavus* —Very vocal next to the hummingbird feeders at Owlet Lodge.

**Rufous-headed Pygmy-Tyrant** *Pseudotriccus ruficeps* —On the Rusty-tinged Antpitta trail, behind the room, hopping around in bamboo.

**Black-throated Tody-Tyrant** *Hemitriccus granadensis* —Seen in the gardens at Owlet Lodge next to the restaurant.

**Cinnamon-breasted Tody-Tyrant** *Hemitriccus cinnamomeipectus* —An elusive species seen on the Fundo Alto Nieva Trail where it came into the open for just a few seconds, but very vocal.

**Common Tody-Flycatcher** *Todirostrum cinereum* —A pair was nesting next to the road at Ricuricocha Lake.

**Yellow-browed Tody-Flycatcher** *Todirostrum chrysocrotaphum* —On th Aconabikh Trail on our way to the feeders.

**Yellow-olive Flycatcher** *Tolmomyias sulphurescens* —At Aconabikh Reserve around the observation tower.

**Cinnamon Flycatcher** *Pyrrhomyias cinnamomeus* —On the lower part of the Owlet Trail, fly-catching at the distance.

**Cliff Flycatcher** *Hirundinea ferruginea* —Seen from the van on our way to Fundo Alto Nieva.

**Bran-colored Flycatcher** *Myiophobus fasciatus* —On Escaleras Road after the heavy rain.

**Smoke-colored Pewee** *Contopus fumigatus* —Part of a feeding flock on the Atuen Road.

**Black Phoebe** *Sayornis nigricans* —On the upper part of the Atuen Road, next to Utcubamba Road.

**Vermilion Flycatcher** *Pyrocephalus rubinus* —Seen first in Pantanos de Villa, Marvilla area.

**Maroon-belted Chat-Tyrant** *Octoeca thoracica* —On the lower part of Atuen Road, very vocal and perched in the open.

**Short-crested Flycatcher** *Myiarchus ferox* —On the road after visiting Santa Elena Swamp.

**Pale-edged Flycatcher** *Myiarchus cephalotes* —A regular visitor to the entrance of Owlet Restaurant, catching the moths attracted by the light.

**Great Kiskadee** *Pitangus sulphuratus* —Seen often at Ricuricocha Lake.

**Boat-billed Flycatcher** *Megarynchus pitangua* —Seen throughout the trip at lowland locations.

**Social Flycatcher** *Myiozetetes similis* —Regularly seen, especially alongside roads.

**Gray-capped Flycatcher** *Myiozetetes granadensis* —Perched on the top of a tree at Waqanki Lodge.

**Piratic Flycatcher** *Legatus leucophaeus* —On Escaleras Road after the heavy rain stopped.

**Crowned Slaty Flycatcher** *Empidonomus aurantioatrocristatus* — A nice individual perched on a bare branch on Escaleras Road.

**Tropical Kingbird** *Tyrannus melancholicus* —Common and seen everywhere.

### **VIREOS: Vireonidae —( 3 )**

**Rufous-browed Peppershrike** *Cyclarhis gujanensis* —Very vocal behind the feeders at Owlet Lodge.

**Ashy-headed Greenlet** *Hylophilus pectoralis* — Feeding in a tree by the Ricuricocha Lake Road.

**Chivi Vireo** *Vireo chivi* —In Morro de Calzada next to the entrance trail.

### **CROWS AND JAYS: Corvidae —( 3 )**

**White-collared Jay** *Cyanolyca viridicyanus* —A loud group on the Owlet Trail, moving with Green Jays and Mountain Caciques.

**Green Jay** *Cyanocorax yncas* —We saw it as soon as we arrived at Owlet Lodge.

**Violaceous Jay** *Cyanocorax violaceus*—Seen from the observation tower at Aconabikh Reserve.

### **SWALLOWS AND MARTINS: Hirundinidae —( 4 )**

**Blue-and-white Swallow** *Pygochelidon cyanoleuca* —The most commonly seen swallow.

**White-banded Swallow** *Atticora fasciata* —A quick view, but the white band was quite noticeable.

**Southern Rough-winged Swallow** *Stelgidopteryx ruficollis* —In Swamp area, while looking for Masked Ducks.

**Brown-chested Martin** *Progne tapera* — By Ricuricocha Lake.

### **GNATCATCHERS: Polioptilidae —( 1 )**

**Tropical Gnatcatcher** *Polioptila plumbea* —On our way to Leymebamba, we first spotted at a distance while looking at a Black-necked Woodpecker.

### **WRENS: Troglodytidae —( 3 )**

**House Wren** *Troglodytes aedon* —A common species seen throughout the trip.

**Thrush-like Wren** *Campylorhynchus turdinus* —A very large wren that we saw well at the Santa Elena Swamp.

**Gray-breasted Wood-Wren** *Henicorhina leucophrys* —HO, a very vocal wren, but not easily seen.

### **MOCKINGBIRDS: Mimidae —( 1 )**

**Long-tailed Mockingbird** *Mimus longicaudatus* —We had our first view at Pucusana, and later around the Balsas Valley where it was quite common.

### **DONACOBIOUS: Donacobiidae —( 1 )**

**Black-capped Donacobius** *Donacobius atricapilla* —From the car, after visiting the Santa Elena Swamp.

**THRUSHES: Turdidae —( 4 )**

**Hauxwell's Thrush** *Turdus hauxwelli* —Behind the banana feeders at Waqanki Lodge.

**Black-billed Thrush** *Turdus ignobilis* —A common species in lowland habitats.

**Great Thrush** *Turdus fuscater* —Found at high altitude locations.

**Chiguango Thrush** We found it when we visited the archeological complex at Cajamarca.

**OLD WORLD SPARROWS: Passeridae —( 1 )**

**House Sparrow** *Passer domesticus* —Around Pucusana Island.

**FINCHES AND EUPHONIAS: Fringillidae —( 6 )**

**Blue-naped Chlorophonia** *Chlorophonia cyanea* —Feeding on berries at Arena Blanca Reserve.

**Purple-throated Euphonia** *Euphonia chlorotica* —At Waqanki Lodge and other locations in the lowlands.

**Thick-billed Euphonia** *Euphonia laniirostris* —It responded to playback on Escaleras Road after the rain.

**Golden-bellied Euphonia** *Euphonia chrysopasta* —Another visitor to the fruiting tree at Arena Blanca.

**White-vented Euphonia** *Euphonia minuta* —Seen alongside the road after we viewed the Oilbirds.

**Rufous-bellied Euphonia** *Euphonia rufiventris* —Spotted by Tom on Escaleras Road.

**NEW WORLD SPARROWS: Passerellidae —( 4 )**

**Common Chlorospingus** *Chlorospingus flavopectus* —A feeding flock came to the trees next to the Owlet Lodge restaurant.

**Yellow-browed Sparrow** *Ammodramus aurifrons* —On Escaleras Road.

**Rufous-collared Sparrow** *Zonotrichia capensis* —The most common sparrow, found in higher altitude habitats.

**Yellow-breasted Brushfinch** *Atlapetes latinuchus* —First seen in front of the Leymebamba Museum, then later at Atuen Road.

**NEW WORLD BLACKBIRDS AND ORIOLES: Icteridae —( 6 )**

**Peruvian Meadowlark** *Leistes bellicosus* —A couple of females were found on our way to Cajamarca.

**Russet-backed Oropendola** *Psarocolius angustifrons* —A regular and noisy visitor at the Waqanki Lodge.

**Crested Oropendola** *Psarocolius decumanus* —Just one, perched on an orange-leaved tree at Waqanki Lodge.

**Yellow-rumped Cacique** *Cacicus cela* —Moving together with Russet-backed Oropendola at Waqanki Lodge.

**Mountain Cacique** *Cacicus chrysonotus* —A flock was traveling with jays on Owlet Trail.

**Scrub Blackbird** *Dives waczewiczii* —Seen on our first day in Lima.

**NEW WORLD WARBLERS: Parulidae —( 4 )**

**Citrine Warbler** *Myiothlypis luteoviridis* —On Atuen Road, a couple responded well to playback.

**Black-crested Warbler** *Myiothlypis nigrocristata* —A flock came into the open on the road next to Pomacocha Lake.

**Russet-crowned Warbler** *Myiothlypis coronata* —In the garden next to the restaurant at Owlet Lodge before breakfast.

**Spectacled Redstart** *Myioborus melanocephalus* —Found in higher altitude locations like Owlet, Huembo and on Atuen Road.

**CARDINALS, GROSBEAKS AND ALLIES: Cardinalidae —( 1 )**

**Golden Grosbeak** *Pheucticus chrysogaster* —Next to the road in the Pomacocha Lake area.

**TANAGERS AND ALLIES: Thraupidae —( 41 )**

**Black-faced Tanager** *Schistochlamys melanopis* —Very well camouflaged behind a tree on Quiscarrumi bridge.

**Magpie Tanager** *Cissopis leverianus* —Perched on a tree visible from the observation tower at Aconabikh.

**Buff-bellied Tanager** *Thlypopsis inornata* —Inside the thick canopy on the road next to Pomacocha Lake.

**Yellow-crested Tanager** *Tachyphonus rufiventer* —Seen from the second floor of the hummingbird feeders in Waqanki.

**Black-bellied Tanager (E)** *Ramphocelus melanogaster* —We searched carefully for this tanager around the garden in Waqanki.

**Silver-beaked Tanager** *Ramphocelus carbo* —In Aconabikh, feeding on fruiting trees by the trail.

**Blue-capped Tanager** *Thraupis cyanocephala* —On a tree on Atuen Road, traveling with a mixed flock.

**Scarlet-bellied Mountain-Tanager** *Anisognathus igniventris* —A colorful tanager seen on the upper parts of Leymebamba- Cajamarca Road.

**Yellow-scarfed Tanager (E)** *Iridosornis reinhardti* —We were ready to leave Owlet Lodge when this tanager decided to pose for us on a branch out in the open.

**Blue-gray Tanager** *Thraupis episcopus* —One of the most common tanagers, seen throughout the lowlands.

**Palm Tanager** *Thraupis palmarum* —Also common and seen in flocks and coming to feeders.

**Yellow-bellied Tanager** *Ixothraupis xanthogastra* —One of the visitors to the amazing fruiting tree at the Arena Blanca Reserve.

**Silvery Tanager** *Tangara viridicollis* —Perfectly seen on Atuen Road where a whole family came to a tree.

**Masked Tanager** *Tangara nigrocincta* —Visiting the fruiting tree at the Arena Blanca Reserve.

**Blue-necked Tanager** *Tangara cyanicollis* —Another jewel found in the Arena Blanca fruiting tree.

**Blue-and-black Tanager** *Tangara vassorii* —A species found at higher altitudes, seen on Atuen Road.

**Beryl-spangled Tanager** *Tangara nigroviridis* —Seen in afternoon at Owlet Lodge. The next morning it was found around the same place.

**Turquoise Tanager** *Tangara mexicana* —A distant view in Waqanki, but we had better looks at the Arena Blanca Reserve.

**Paradise Tanager** *Tangara chilensis* —Seen in different areas, but perfectly at the Arena Blanca Reserve.

**Bay-headed Tanager** *Tangara gyrola* —A quick view on the upper Waqanki Trail.

**Saffron-crowned Tanager** *Tangara xanthocephala* —Came in the afternoon to the trees next to the restaurant at Owlet Lodge.

**Swallow Tanager** *Tersina viridis* —Male and females feeding on a tall tree by the Quiscarrumi Bridge.

**Black-faced Dacnis** *Dacnis lineata* —A lowland species, nicely seen at the Arena Blanca Reserve.

**Blue Dacnis** *Dacnis cayana* —Seen at Aconabikh, on Escaleras Road and at Waqanki.

**Purple Honeycreeper** *Cyanerpes caeruleus* —On Escaleras Road, after the rain.

**Green Honeycreeper** *Chlorophanes spiza* —Seen in several locations in the lowlands.

**Guira Tanager** *Hemithraupis guira* —A surprise, it was coming to the fruiting tree at Arena Blanca Reserve.

**Capped Conebill** *Conirostrum albifrons* —It was part of the feeding flock on Atuen Road.

**Bluish Flowerpiercer** *Diglossa caerulescens* —Wandering the canopy of cecropia trees at Owlet Lodge.

**Masked Flowerpiercer** *Diglossa cyanea* —Upper Leymebamba-Cajamarca Road.

**Buff-bridled Inca-Finch** *Incaspiza laeta* —A target bird we found on the Leymebamba-Cajamarca Road in the Barro Negro area.

**Saffron Finch** *Sicalis flaveola* —On Ricuricocha Lake near Tarapoto.

**Grassland Yellow-Finch** *Sicalis luteola* —In Pantanos de Villa near Lima.

**Blue-black Grassquit** *Volatinia jacarina* —Jumping up and down, part of this species' mating display, seen on Escaleras Road.

**Chestnut-bellied Seedeater** *Sporophila castaneiventris* —We saw it from the road after the visit to Santa Elena Swamp.

**Chestnut-bellied Seed-Finch** *Sporophila angolensis* —On Escaleras Road, after the heavy rain.

**Bananaquit** *Coereba flaveola* —Around the hummingbird feeders at Waqanki and feeding on flowers at Arena Blanca.

**Dull-colored Grassquit** *Tiaris obscurus* —Hopping around in a tall tree near Pomacocha Lake.

**Buff-throated Saltator** *Saltator maximus* —Around the garden at Waqanki Lodge.

**Grayish Saltator** *Saltator coerulescens* —On a far tree behind the Indañe Swamp.

**Streaked Saltator** *Saltator striatipectus* —Perched on a tree on the upper part of Pedro Ruiz-Leymebamba.

### **MAMMALS —(7)**

**Rio Mayo Titi Monkey (E)** *Plecturocebus oenanthe* —Two crossed the trail very quickly at Morro de Calzada.

**Saddleback Tamarin** *Saguinus fuscicollis* —Around the Interpretation Center at Morro de Calzada.

**Southern Sea Lion** *Otaria flavescens* —A group was seen at Pucusana Island.

**Black Agouti** -- In the Owlet Lodge garden.

**Red-tailed Squirrel** -- Around the blind at Aconabikh Reserve.

**Red-howler Monkey** -- (HO) A group called from the trail at Santa Elena Swamp.

**Black capuchin Monkey** -- Seen by Stephani at the Arena Blanca Reserve.

### **REPTILES AND AMPHIBANS —( 1 )**

**Three-striped Poison Dart Frog** *Ameerega trivittata* —