

# SURINAME

A report on birds seen on a trip to Suriname  
from 20 November – 5 December 2018



**Guianan Cock-of-the-Rock** *Rupicola rupicola*

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## **INTRODUCTION**

In 1982 I made my first extensive birding trip outside Europe and my destination was Suriname. For 4 weeks I travelled and birded in Suriname, mostly sleeping in a hammock.

It was my first encounter with Neotropical birds and tropical lowland rainforest. I can only say that after this trip I was hooked for life.

After talking to my birding friend Remco Hofland about his successful trip to Suriname in November 2017 and certainly after reading his extensive and very informative trip report about his trip, I decided that it was time for me to pay Suriname another visit.

Generally I copied Remco's trip and I planned my trip in the same time frame of the year as he did. Despite the fact that I have birded extensively in South America and Central America I still had 87 lifers during my two-week birding trip to Suriname, including some mouth-watering species.

I was accompanied by my friend Wiel Poelmans and when we prepared this trip we decided to contact Fred Pansa in Suriname to ask him to organise the entire trip for us. Fred quickly replied and we agreed on the itinerary of our 15 day trip.

And this for a very reasonable price, certainly for only 2 persons. I could be done cheaper when you undertake this trip with more people.

We focussed on the specialties of the area and so skipped coastal and wetland sites for waders and heron species to maximise our birding time at other sites. Fred did an excellent job and arranged transport, lodging, food and guiding for the entire period.

I am not writing an extensive report about sites as I can hardly beat the report that Remco wrote.

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You should read this/my report as a supplement to Remco's report and so in this way it gives you an idea what you can find during a two-week birding trip in Suriname in November/December.

## **GETTING THERE – FLIGHT**

We flew with KLM directly from Amsterdam to Paramaribo.

We paid for a return flight 720 Euro.

## **GETTING AROUND – CAR – ACCOMMODATION – FOOD & DRINKS**

As all was arranged by Fred we did not have to bother about all this.

We used both minibus and 4x4 vehicles. The latter was useful at sandy tracks in the Zanderij area and the muddy entrance track to Zintete Camp.

In Paramaribo we stayed at the very comfortable Eco Resort Inn in the centre of town.

At Brownsberg we stayed at the rather basic dormitory as the Tapir Lodge (also basic) was occupied. During our stay at Brownsberg we had the whole dormitory to ourselves.

In Zintete we stayed in a simple but nice wooden cabin which was situated at the riverside. It had an en-suite toilet but for showering you have to walk to the communal shower block. The first 4 nights we were the only visitors at Zintete.

The last 3 nights a bunch of noisy Dutch medical students were staying at the dormitory. I never understand why people want to travel to a remote place in the rain forest and then have to make so much noise.

Our last 2 nights we stayed at a bungalow close to the birding sites of Zanderij at a place called Palulu. Food was excellent during our trip and we daily had our Parbo beer.

## **LANGUAGE**

Language was ofcourse not a problem as the official language in Suriname is our mother tongue Dutch, but Fred also speaks basic English.

## **WEATHER**

The weather was generally fine but it would get rather hot and humid in the middle of the day, especially in the lower areas like in the Zanderij area. At Brownsberg it was slightly cooler. Our visit coincide with the start of the short rainy season, though this start changes yearly. It started to rain heavily on our second afternoon at Brownsberg and as it continued to rain the next morning, which hampered our birding considerably, we decided to leave one day earlier and as a consequence had an extra day at Zintete. We had some short rain showers at Zintete.

## **HEALTH & SAFETY**

We did not have any health problems during our stay. Suriname is generally a safe country to get around. We encountered some chiggers and some of them still itched after we finished the trip.

## **BIRDING**

The birding was fantastic. Fred's skills to locate birds, identifying calls etc. are in one word amazing. In the end we saw a huge list of range-restricted birds, far exceeding my expectations as we missed only a few targets.

Species we failed to find were:

**Black-throated Antshrike** (HO at Brownsberg),

**White Bellbird** (Heard at Brownsberg by another birder earlier in the year).

Fortunately Wiel and I had seen this species on previous trips.

**Black and Red Grosbeak** (seen by others along the Fredberg trail, shortly before we passed that spot)

**Collared Puffbird** Not vocal at Brownsberg or Zintete.

**Red-billed Woodcreeper**. Seen sometimes by Fred at Zintete.

**Ruddy Spinetail** (HO at Zintete)

Best species seen was probably a perched raptor at Zintete which from the photographs was ultimately identified as a **Grey-bellied Hawk**, which was a lifer even for Fred.

We were lucky that at the same spot where Fred found **White-throated Pewee** at Brownsberg with Remco in November 2017 we also found a pair. This should be then a reliable site for this species.

On our last morning we finally located a **Pale-bellied Mourner** at Powakka.

The mammal highlight was no doubt the unexpected observation of a Jaguar at Zintete.

Some of the bird species encountered were:

**Marail Guan, Black Curassow, Great Potoo, Crimson Topaz, Tufted Coquette, Racket-tailed Coquette, Black-bellied Cuckoo, Russet-crowned Crake, Ash-throated Crake, Grey-winged Trumpeter, Zigzag Heron, Marbled Wood-quail, Vermiculated (Roraiman) Screech Owl, Rufous Crab-Hawk, Black-faced Hawk, Guianan Trogon, Rusty-breasted Nunlet, Yellow-billed Jacamar, Bronzy Jacamar, Green-tailed Jacamar, Great Jacamar, Guianan Puffbird, Spotted Puffbird, Black Nunbird, Guianan Toucanet, Green Aracari, Black-spotted Barbet, Golden-spangled Piculet, Arrowhead Piculet, Waved Woodpecker, Golden-collared Woodpecker, Blood-colored Woodpecker, Lilac-tailed Parrotlet, Sapphire-rumped Parrotlet, Caica Parrot, Dusky Parrot, Painted Parakeet, (Northern) Red-shouldered Macaw, Ash-winged Antwren, Brown-bellied Antwren, Guianan Streaked Antwren, Rufous-bellied Antwren, Spot-tailed Antwren, Todd's Antwren, Band-tailed Antshrike, Black-crested Antshrike, Guianan Antwarbler, White-plumed Antbird, Rufous-throated Antbird, Ferruginous-backed Antbird, Black-headed Antbird, (Southern) Wing-banded Antbird, Spotted Antpitta, Variegated Antpitta, Thrush-like Antpitta, Rufous-capped Antthrush, Chestnut-rumped Woodcreeper, Guianan Woodcreeper, Palmcreeper, McConnell's Spinetail, Saffron-crested Tyrant-Manakin, Tiny Tyrant-Manakin, Black Manakin, Crimson-hooded Manakin, White-fronted Manakin, White-throated Manakin, Guianan Cock-of-the-Rock, Guianan Red**



***Cotinga, Crimson Fruitcrow, Capuchinbird, Purple-breasted Cotinga, Spangled Cotinga, Pompadour Cotinga, Dusky Purpletuft, Glossy-backed Becard, Guianan Schiffornis, McConnell's Flycatcher, Boat-billed Tody-Tyrant, Painted Tody-Flycatcher, Smoky-fronted Tody-Flycatcher, Guianan Tyrannulet, Rufous-crowned Elaenia, Todd's Sirystes, Pale-bellied Mourner, Ringed Antpipit, Collared Gnatwren, Finsch's Euphonia, Golden-sided Euphonia, Rose-breasted Chat, Blue-backed Tanager and Red-shouldered Tanager.***

## **EQUIPMENT**

Fred Pansa carried a scope and he was brilliant to put canopy species in his scope. As usual we downloaded a whole set of songs and calls from Xeno-Canto but we mostly used this as reference only as Fred did most of the taping. I used a Canon 7d mark II with 300mm f4 to photograph birds.

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This was my main source of information.

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**Suriname November/December 2018**

**List of all Guianan Shield region endemics occurring in Suriname** (Milensky et al.2005)

We observed the birds highlighted below

**Marail Guan**

**Black Curassow**

-Velvet-browed Brilliant

**Yellow-billed Jacamar**

**Guianan Puffbird**

**Black Nunbird**

**Black-spotted Barbet**

-Tepui Toucanet

**Guianan Toucanet**

**Green Aracari**

**Arrowhead Piculet**

**Golden-collared Woodpecker**

**Blood-colored Woodpecker**

-Tepui Parrotlet

**Caica Parrot**

**Black-headed Parrot**

-Sulphur-breasted Parakeet

**Black-throated Antshrike**

**Band-tailed Antshrike**

**Rufous-bellied Antwren**

**Brown-bellied Antwren**

**Guianan Streaked Antwren**

**Spot-tailed Antwren**

**Todd's Antwren**

**Guianan Warbling-Antbird**

**Black-headed Antbird**

**Rufous-throated Antbird**

**Chestnut-rumped Woodcreeper**

**Lineated (guianan) Woodcreeper**

**McConnell's Spinetail**

**Guianan Tyrannulet**

-Olive-green Tyrannulet

**Boat-billed Tody-Tyrant**

**Painted Tody-Flycatcher**

**White-throated Pewee**

**Todd's Sirystes**

**Guianan Cock-of-the-Rock**

**Capuchinbird**

**Saffron-crested Tyrant-Manakin**

**Tiny Tyrant-Manakin**

**White-throated Manakin**

**White-fronted Manakin**

**Olivaceous (Guianan) Schiffornis**

**Dusky Purpletuft**

-Tepui Vireo

**Cayenne Jay**

**Collared Gnatwren**

**Blue-backed Tanager**

**Finsch's Euphonia**

**Golden-sided Euphonia**

Only **Velvet-browed Brilliant**, **Tepui Toucanet**, **Tepui Parrotlet**, **Olive-green Tyrannulet** and **Tepui Vireo** were not seen by us this trip. I was lucky to observe a small flock of **Sulphur-breasted Parakeets** in 1982 in Suriname. All other species were seen with the exception of **Black-throated Antshrike** (HO).



## **DETAILED ITINERARY**

### **Day1: Tuesday 20 November**

I took the train from Eindhoven to Schiphol Airport where I arrived at 8.40 am. Close to the KLM check-in counter we obtained our entry paper for Suriname for which we paid 35 Euro.

At 11.30 am we left Schiphol Airport and after a nine-hour flight we touched down at J. Pengel Airport at Zanderij, Suriname at 4.50 pm. After collecting our luggage we met Fred and his trainee William at the arrival hall. Then it took almost two hours through heavy traffic before we arrived at hotel Eco Resort Inn in the centre of Paramaribo. With Fred we went to a nearby restaurant where we had dinner and our first Parbo beer sitting outside on the terrace in our t-shirts. It felt very good to be back in Suriname after so many years.

### **Day 2: Wednesday 21 November**

At dawn we were picked up by Fred and we drove straight to Peperpot, just in time to avoid the big traffic jam on the Jules Wijdenbosch bridge over the Surinamee River. We arrived at Peperpot at 7.00 am and birded the area extensively until 11.00 am.



*Main trail, Peperpot*

We slowly walked the smaller trails and covered some distance along the main track. It did not take long before we added our first target to our list, 2 **Arrowhead Piculets** showing nicely. It took longer to find **Blood-colored Woodpecker** but eventually we found one. Along one of the smaller trails we observed a very obliging **Spotted Puffbird** and our first **Painted Tody-Flycatcher**.



**Spotted Puffbird** *Nystactes natia* & **Arrowhead Piculet** *Picumnus minutissimus*

The whole area was very birdy and other interesting species found were **Green-throated Mango**, **Glittering-throated Emerald**, **Little Cuckoo**, an **American Pygmy Kingfisher**, several **Green-tailed Jacamars**, **Spectacled Thrush** and some most-wanted **Black-spotted Barbets**. We checked a site where Fred had seen a day-roosting **Great Potoo** a few days earlier. We failed to find it but when we searched the area again later that morning, we found the bird, completely out in the open. We also observed some antbird species like **Black-crested Antshrike**, **Blackish Antbird**, **Black-chinned Antbird**, a **Silvered Antbird** (briefly) and a male **White-browed Antbird**. Some other species observed included **White-winged Becard**, **Cinnamon Becard**, **Forest Elaenia**, **Yellow-crowned Elaenia**, **Lemon-chested Greenlet** and best of all we located a **Yellow-lored Flatbill**. **Straight-billed Woodcreeper** was readily found and at the end of our birding session we finally found a nice male **Crimson-hooded Manakin**.



**Crimson-hooded Manakin** *Pipra aureola*

A **Northern Riverbank Warbler** was unfortunately only heard and could not be persuaded to show itself.

After this very successful first morning we drove back towards Paramaribo and had lunch along the way. In Paramaribo we visited one of Fred's friends, Sean Dilrosun, a fine and knowledgeable birder himself, and together we visited a nearby garden which is supposed to hold roosting **Striped Owls**. But we dipped. We continued to Fred's house and he told me that at least 2 **Russet-crowned Crakes** were present in his garden. I could hardly believe it but when, after positioning ourselves strategically, we focussed on a certain open spot in the undergrowth and after some playback, one of the crakes showed nicely when crossing the open area twice.

In the afternoon we briefly visited Cultuurtuin but this was not really successful and then we continued to Leonsberg along the Suriname river which is reliable for **Rufous Crab Hawk**. At the outskirts of Paramaribo we briefly observed a hunting **Long-winged Harrier**.

Initially we were denied access to an urban area by security guards but after some debate they let us pass. We failed to locate any **Rufous Crab Hawk** but instead saw a single **Black-collared Hawk**. We decided to drive to the nearby jetty which had a nice overview of the surrounding river area and it did not take long before we had excellent views of several **Rufous Crab Hawks**. **Bicolored Conebill** was a nice bonus.





**Rufous Crab Hawk** *Buteogallus aequinoctialis*

After dinner we decided to go owling in some suburban areas of Paramaribo and at the edge of a scrubby field with some scattered trees we did find a pair of **Striped Owls** with at least 2 recently fledged young.



**Striped Owl** *Asio clamator*

### **Day 3: Thursday 22 November**

At 6.00 am we left, with all our luggage, for the drive to our early morning birding destination, around the Zanderij airfield. A single **Slender-billed Kite**, a single **Savannah Hawk** and a single **Laughing Falcon** observed along the road, turned out to be our only observations of these species. We arrived at 7.30 am at Zanderij which was a bit late.

We birded a full morning on the savanna adjacent to Zanderij Airport and covered some areas in the nearby white sand forest.

At the edge of the airfield we observed a single **Burrowing Owl**. Some small flocks of **Red-bellied Macaws** and 5 **Brown-throated Parakeets** were seen over the savanna but no **Northern Red-shouldered Macaws**. In a nice patch of white sand forest we located good stuff like **Guianan Schiffornis**, female **Pompadour Cotinga**, **Black-throated Antbird**, several **Southern White-fringed Antwrens**, **Pygmy Antwren**, **Northern Slaty Antshrike**, displaying **Saffron-crested Tyrant-manakins**, **White-crowned Manakin**, **Golden-headed Manakin**, **Ruddy-tailed Flycatcher** and



**Helmeted Pygmy-Tyrant** but we failed to find **Pale-bellied Mourner**. On the savanna we did see **Grassland Sparrow, Eastern Meadowlark, Red-breasted Blackbird, Pale-breasted Spinetail, Black-faced Tanager** and one of the specialties of the area, **Rufous-crowned Elaenia**. We heard **Ash-throated Crake** briefly.



**White Sand forest near Zanderij**

At noon we had lunch at a roadside place near Zanderij and then we continued towards Brownsberg. During a roadside stop we observed several **Paradise Jacamars** and had great views of a **Green-backed Trogon**. The last, steep stretch of the dirt track to the plateau of Brownsberg was in a horrible condition. Fred decided to check out a site (along the main access track) where he had seen **White-throated Pewee** in 2017. And to our amazement we got the species the minute we got out of the car. We observed two birds and scoped them for 10 minutes before we continued to the plateau. A small covey of **Grey-winged Trumpeters** was present in the same area.



**View from the top of Brownsberg – Brokopondo Lake**

When we arrived at the main clearing on top of Brownsberg, we checked in at the reception, dropped our gear at the basic dormitory which we had completely to ourselves and started to bird around the clearing, exploring the first part of the main Mazaroni Jeep trail. A pair of **Dusky-throated Antbirds** showed well and several **Cinereous Antshrikes** were found. In the canopy we scoped **Todd's Antwren** and we had good views of some **Guianan Antwarblers**. We taped in a **Musician Wren** which obliged by showing at close quarters. In the evening we had dinner at the small restaurant managed by mamma Nancy. After dinner we went out spotlighting and it did not take long before we heard our target a **Roraiman Screech-Owl**, a possible split of **Vermiculated Screech-Owl**. It took some time but in the end we had brief but fine views of the bird in the spotlight.



**Vermiculated Screech-owl** *Megascops vermiculatus roraimae*

**Day 4: Friday 23 November**

At dawn we made our own breakfast in the kitchen of our dormitory. During breakfast we constantly heard a **Lined Forest-Falcon** call from just inside the forest edge and it did not take long before we had excellent views in the scope of a perched individual. We slowly walked the trails with the weather rather overcast. During our morning session we observed both **Spotted Antpitta** and **Thrush-like Antpitta**.



**Thrush-like Antpitta** *Myrmothera campanisona*

At noon we had lunch, made by Nancy, at the clearing. Around the clearing we had excellent views of a single **Black Curassow** and a flock of **Grey-winged Trumpeters**,



feeding unconcerned at very close range. **Grey Antbird**, skulking in some tangles at the edge of the clearing, was added to the list. Two species of Trogon were seen just next to the Tapir Lodge: **Black-tailed Trogon** and **Green-backed Trogon**.



**Black Curassow** *Crax alector*



**Grey-winged Trumpeter** *Psophia crepitans*

In the afternoon we walked the circular trail. The weather became sunny and we saw good birds like **Guianan Toucanet**, the endemic **Brown-bellied Antwren**, **Grey Antwren**, **Mouse-colored Antshrike**, **Dusky Antbird**, **Scale-backed Antbird**, the gorgeous **Ferruginous-backed Antbird**, a single **Spot-backed Antbird** and the range-restricted **Black-headed Antbird**. After some manoeuvring we got decent views of a shy **Rufous-capped Antthrush**.

**Wedge-billed Woodcreeper**, **Chestnut-rumped Woodcreeper** and **Guianan Woodcreeper** were also found. Other highlights that afternoon were the observations of both **White-fronted Manakin** and **White-throated Manakin**. Fred discovered a male **Tufted Coquette** in the canopy which I saw briefly in the scope. At one point we thought we saw a perched **Guianan Puffbird** in the canopy but that turned out to be the more common **Pied Puffbird**. A **Cinereous Mourner** was heard and briefly seen as was single **McConnell's Flycatcher**. Our first **Golden-sided Euphonia** turned also up along this trail, as well as 4 species of Woodpecker: **Yellow-throated**, **Golden-olive**, the gorgeous **Waved** and **Chestnut WP** and **Rufous-throated Sapphire** and 3 species of Honeycreeper. But the lack of tanager species was however evident.



Late afternoon we observed 4 **Lilac-tailed Parrotlets** around the clearing and stumbled upon a **Blackish Nightjar**. At the end of this productive day we had a well-deserved Parbo beer at Nancy's place.



**White-fronted Manakin** *Lepidothrix serena*

**Day 5: Saturday 24 November**

At dawn we walked along the main jeep trail to a site where **White Bellbird** is regularly recorded but we did not hear let alone see one. We also checked a stake-out of **Black-throated Antshrike** a most-wanted endemic antbird. Suddenly we heard one call and our adrenaline was rushing but despite some taping the bird never showed itself which was ofcourse disappointing. It was again overcast weather and it looked like it could rain any moment. A few **Black-headed Parrots** were scoped in the canopy just as our first **Blue-backed Tanagers** and we added **Long-winged Antwren**, **Fasciated Antshrike** and a fine female **Amazonian Antshrike** to our ever growing antbird list. After lunch we walked to the dormitory when we found a perched **Ornate Hawk-Eagle** just in front of our cabin, giving mega views.



**Ornate Hawk-eagle** *Spizaetus ornatus*

We started to bird the circular trail again but it started to rain. Lightly at first but heavy later. Between the rain showers we still saw some additions to our list. When we checked the site again where we heard the **Black-throated Antshrike** in the morning we suddenly discovered a rare **Racquet-tailed Hummingbird**. **Rufous-tailed Foliage-gleaner** was also found in that same area. In late afternoon we walked to the viewpoint and birded the area around the viewpoint. **Guianan Trogon** was heard and briefly seen, several **Red-billed Toucans** and a single **Channel-billed Toucan** showed well and we

taped a very responsive **Short-tailed Pygmy-Tyrant**. Flycatcher species included several **Guianan Tyrannulets**, **White-lored Tyrannulet**, a single **Yellow-throated Flycatcher** and **Greyish Mourner**.

At the end of the afternoon we finally observed a fine **Finsch's Euphonia**. Today we observed several tanager species like **Blue-backed Tanager**, **Flame-crested Tanager**, **Fulvous-crested Tanager**, **Fulvous Shrike-Tanager** and **Bay-headed Tanager**. In the evening we discussed our options for the next day as it was likely that it would rain most of the day.

#### **Day 6: Sunday 25 November**

When we got up it was raining heavily. We tried to do some birding around the clearing but at 10.30 am we decided to leave Brownsberg one day ahead of schedule and to travel to Zintete today. This would also give us an extra day at Zintete.

We left Brownsberg at 11.00 am and drove to Zintete. We had lunch along the road somewhere and at 3 pm we started to bird along the main track, close to Zintete Camp. We checked out a site where Fred had recently found **Smoky-fronted Tody-Flycatcher**.



**Smoky-fronted Tody-Flycatcher** *Poecilatriccus fumifrons*

A little taping did the trick and we had excellent views of the bird. We also observed our first **Brown Jacamar** and **Painted Parakeets** along the main track and a small flock of **Dusky-billed Parrotlets**. We continued to Zintete Camp which was beautifully situated along a small river. As soon as we arrived we observed several **Crimson Topaz** hunting above the river from exposed branches, including several beautiful males. Around the camp we also saw several **Guianan Streaked Antwrens** and **Black Nunbird** was common.



**Guianan Streaked Antwren** *Myrmotherula surinamensis*- female



We had a nice dinner at the communal site, which tasted especially well together with the Parbo beers we had brought with us for the next 6 days. And all this amidst lowland rainforest.



**Zintete, main camp**



**Crimson Topaz** *Topaza pella*

**Day 7: Monday 26 November**

After breakfast we drove to the main wide track traversing the forest and birded until noon the area beyond the barrier. Initially we had some rain and overcast weather conditions but later in the day it became sunny. In the area just after the barrier we observed a tape responsive **McConnell's Spinetail**. Then we birded along the open wide track with scattered trees, trying to find the specialties of the area. Twice we observed a **Grey-headed Kite** and a small flock of **Swallow-tailed Kites**. A **Guianan Puffbird** showed nice in the scope. **Green Aracari** and **Black-necked Aracari** were regularly seen. Parrot species included **Blue-headed Parrot**, **Southern Mealy Parrot**, **Red-fan Parrot** and two **Scarlet Macaws** and four **Red and green Macaws**. We saw two **Black-capped Becards** and **Pink-throated Becards** but best species was a male **Glossy-backed Becard**. In the same area we briefly observed a **Todd's Syristes**. At noon we had a lunch break. From Zintete camp we scoped our first **Red-billed Pied Tanagers** and after lunch we walked the small trails behind Zintete.

We started with nice scope views of an **Amazonian Pygmy-Owl** and another highlight was the observation of a **Rufous-capped Nunlet** in the canopy but we also saw **Black-throated Antbird**, **Spot-tailed Antwren**, **Black-headed Antbird**, **Cinnamon-rumped Foliage-gleaner**, **White-bearded Manakin** and **Buffy-cheeked Greenlet**.



Then we drove back to the main track and when we rounded a corner the car came to an abrupt halt as in the middle of the road stood a Jaguar. Unfortunately the sudden stop of the car was too much for the Jaguar and it slowly walked off the road into the forest. I saw my first Jaguar in 1982 in Suriname and now my second one also in this country.



**Main forest road, Zintete**

We decided to continue further along the main track to an area which is supposed to be reliable for cotinga species and also **Marail Guan**, a species which eluded us at Brownsberg. And we struck gold as we had nice views of a pair of the rare **Purple-breasted Cotinga**, several **Pompadour Cotingas** but no **Guianan Red Cotingas**.



**Pompadour Cotinga** *Xipholena punicea* – male



**Pompadour Cotinga** *Xipholena punicea* – male, displaying

We also scored with a splendid observation of a **Marail Guan** and a single **Purple-throated Fruitcrow** and were able to photograph a very obliging **Double-banded Pygmy-Tyrant**. At dusk we tried for **Short-tailed Nighthawk** at the bridge but only Fred saw one briefly. Two **Cinnamon-throated Woodcreepers** were a nice compensation. **Spectacled Owl** called above Zintete camp during the night.

**Day 8: Tuesday 27 November**

In the early morning we first checked the small creek behind our camp. **Zigzag Heron** was briefly seen in the tangles along the creek. We then walked the trails behind Zintete camp. **Ruddy Spinetail** was heard but refused to show itself. Then one of the staff members came looking for us as a female **Crimson Fruitcrow** was present in a tree just above the main area. We quickly walked back and had great views of this most-wanted species.



**Crimson Fruitcrow** *Haematoderus militaris* – female

We hit the trails again and saw **Yellow-billed Jacamar**, **Cream-colored Woodpecker**, **Sapphire-rumped Parrotlets** perched in the scope, **Great Antshrike**, **Tawny-throated Leaf Tosser**, **White-chinned Woodcreeper**, **Guianan Woodcreeper**, **Spot-backed Antbird**, **Tiny Tyrant-Manakin**, **Eastern Olivaceous Flatbill** and astonishing views of several **Rose-breasted Chats**.

After lunch we birded along the main road again but it rained from time to time and the birding was rather slow.

**Day 9: Wednesday 28 November**

We birded along the main track all morning, also exploring some smaller side trails.

We observed **Little Chachalacas** along the road and also raptors like **Double-toothed Kite**, **White Hawk** and **Grey-lined Hawk** as well as several parrot and woodpecker species already seen before.

When we however stumbled upon a small ant swarm we observed several **Rufous-throated Antbirds** and at least one gorgeous **White-plumed Antbird** attending the ant swarm.

**Crimson Fruit-crow** was seen twice again, just as a single **Yellow-throated Flycatcher**.

After lunch we drove to the start of the Fredberg Trail and walked up to the Cock-of-the-Rock lek/hide. At the hide we had great views of several nice males of **Guianan Cock-of-the-Rock**. As we climbed the basalt slope just above the hide I fell and damaged my hand as the rock face was extremely slippery because of recent rain fall. Fortunately nothing serious, just some blood.

At another side trail we finally had brief views of a female **Band-tailed Antbird**, a rare endemic that took some time to get into view. **Dot-winged Antbird** was also seen along this trail.



**Rufous-throated Antbird** *Gymnopathys rufigula*



**Dot-winged Antwren** *Microhalias quixensis* - male

In the evening we finally succeeded in obtaining nice views of several **Short-tailed Nighthawks** at the bridge but an extended owling session produced zero.

#### **Day 10: Sunday 29 November**

After breakfast we drove to the start of the Fredberg trail and birded the lower stretch of this trail the whole day. We took packed lunches with us. We were eager to find the specialties along this trail particularly **Collared Puffbird**, **Guianan Red Cotinga**, **Dusky Purpletuft**, **Wing-banded Antbird** and **Red and Black Grosbeak**. In the end we failed to find any of these.

We did find **Black-faced Hawk** perched inside the forest, giving great views and brief views of a **Variegated Tinamou** walking in full view. No **Collared Puffbird** but instead a **White-chested Puffbird** was observed. **Sapphire-rumped Parrotlet** obliged again in the scope, **Variegated Antpitta** was heard, **Common Potoo** at its day-time roost was nice, **Amazonian Barred Woodcreeper**, **Whiskered Flycatcher**, **McConnell's Flycatcher**, **Rufous-tailed Flatbill** and best species was probably two **Boat-billed Tody-Flycatchers**.

Late afternoon we birded along the main track observing five **Spangled Cotingas** and three **Pompadour Cotingas** in a single tree.

#### **Day 11: Monday 30 November**

Early morning we birded the trails behind Zintete Camp again where we finally had satisfying views of a **Rufous-rumped Foliage-gleaner** and just after that observation Fred discovered a puzzling raptor, perched on a dead branch. Initially we thought it to be a **Collared Forest-Falcon** but Fred had the idea that it might be a **Grey-bellied Hawk** and we had a discussion about its ID. Fortunately we were able to take some photos and back home it indeed did turn out to be a **Grey-bellied Hawk**, a rare species and a lifer for Fred.





**Grey-bellied Goshawk** *Accipiter poliogaster*

Later we birded a different area along the main track where a **Green Ibis** was flushed and a small flock of **Plumbeous Kites** was seen. When we walked a side trail, searching for **Guianan Red Cotinga** we had great views of a male **Glossy-backed Becard** in the scope, followed by good views of **Todd's Syristes**. Then we had a tape battle with a **Collared Gnatwren** and finally we succeeded in obtaining very good and close views of this bird. After returning to the main track we drove to an area which is reliable for **Capuchinbird**. Though it was not a lifer for both of us it still was great to see (and hear) this enigmatic species. We finished the day by walking the trail up to the Cock-of-the-Rock lek. Highlight during our walk in the late afternoon was the splendid observation of a male **Band-tailed Antbird**.

**Day 12: Tuesday 1 December**

We decided to spend the whole day again on the first stretch of the Fredberg trail.



**Fred on the Fredberg trail**

In late morning we heard a **Variegated Antpitta** call and we decided to try to locate the bird and we slowly walked in the direction from where it called. We tried for at least 30 minutes and in the end I was the only one who briefly saw the bird walking over the forest floor but unfortunately we could not relocate it. **Thrush-like Antpitta** was also briefly seen.

A nice find was a very obliging **Ringed Antpipit** and a **Black-bellied Cuckoo** high in the canopy. On our way back we suddenly heard a **Southern Wing-banded Antbird** call. We briefly saw one on a log but then it became silent. Fred explained to us that a pair was probably feeding on the forest floor in the immediate vicinity and, after leaving the trail, it did not take long before we had amazing views of a feeding pair, passionately throwing leaves around. A small covey of **Grey-winged Trumpeters** walked across the trail.

And just as we arrived back at the start of the trail, close to the main track, Fred heard a **Guianan Red Cotinga** call. After some nervous minutes we finally succeeded in observing two female type **Guianan Red Cotingas**.



**Southern Wing-banded Antbird** *Myrmornis torquata*



**Ferruginous-backed Antbird** *Myrmoderus ferrugineus*

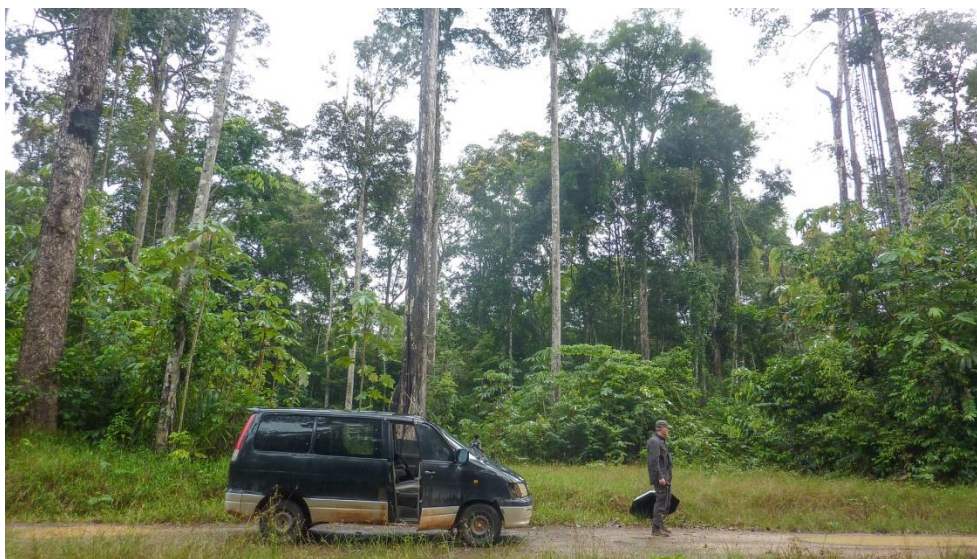




**Ringed Antpipit** *Corythopis torquatus*



**Guianan Red Cotinga** *Phoenicircus carnifex* – female



**Birding along the main forest track, Zintete**



**Day 13: Wednesday 2 December**

The plan was to leave Zintete around 11.30 am for our drive to Zanderij. The first hour we birded around camp, mainly to try for views of **Ruddy Spinetail**, when we observed a **Collared Forest-Falcon**. The spintail did not cooperate and we decided to give **Dusky Purpletuft** a last try and so we walked up to the Cock-of-the-Rock lek area and climbed the rock face behind it. As it had not rained the last couple of days it was an easy climb. From the top we had a nice view over the surrounding forest. To our amazement we got an immediate response when Fred played the call of Dusky Purpletuft.

And again we were lucky as within minutes a **Dusky Purpletuft** flew in and could be observed for several minutes in the scope, perched in full view. Mission accomplished and I think the reason we were so successful at Zintete was besides Fred's excellent birding skills and his knowledge of local stake-outs of rare species, also the fact that we spent quite some time (6 full days/ 7 nights) in the area.



**Dusky Purpletuft** *Iodopleura fusca*

At noon we left Zintete and drove towards Zanderij. We made an extensive stop in white sand forest near a village, called Phedra. In a short period of time we found the specialties of the area. First we had fine views of several **Bronzy Jacamars**, soon followed by **Black Manakin**.



**Bronzy Jacamar** *Galbula leucogastra*

After that we made a stop at a known stake-out for **Palmcreeper**. Initially we only heard the bird as it was unusually shy. Finally we had brief views of a perched bird in a palm tree before it flew out and flew quite a distance away. We then drove to Palulu, a campsite close to Zanderij where we dropped our gear at the bungalow where we stayed

for the next two nights. It was only a very short drive to the nearby grassland of Zanderij airfield. A walk in the grassland produced several **Rufous-crowned Elaenias** and soon the species we were after: **Red-shouldered Tanager**. Several **Ashy-throated Crakes** were calling and though it took a while in the end we had nice and close views of the species.

At dusk many **Lesser Nighthawks** started to hunt over the grassland and when we drove back to the main road we found several **White-tailed Nightjars** along the sandy track.

Fred and I did some owling around the campsite after dinner but we found nothing.

**Day 14: Thursday 3 December**

We birded a full morning in the Colakreek area. Main target was **Cayenne Jay**. Mid-morning we finally connected with this species and had fine views of at least 4 birds. Other species seen that morning were **Green-tailed Jacamar**, **Golden-spangled Piculet**, **Black Caracara**, **Northern Red-shouldered Macaw**, **White-bearded Manakin**, a male **Spangled Cotinga**, **Painted Tody-Flycatcher**, **White-lored Tyrannulet**, **Piratic Flycatcher**, **Lemon-chested Greenlet**, **Finsch's Euphonia** and **Wing-barred Seedeater**.

A Tayra crossed the dirt road just in front of us and gave fine views when it stopped and looked at us, curiously.

After lunch we returned to the Zanderij grasslands where we observed our only **Wedge-tailed Grass-finch** of the trip. A single **White-tailed Hawk** was seen on the savanna and then we tried for **Pale-bellied Mourner** in the white sand forest. Though we heard the species briefly we never saw it. **Black Manakin** was seen again. Unfortunately it started to rain and we did not observe much late afternoon. Night again at Palulu Camp.

**Day 15: Friday 4 December**

At dawn we were in the Zanderij area again. When we drove on the dirt track surrounding the airfield we stumbled upon a small flock of **Crested Bobwhites**.

A single **Black-billed Thrush** was also observed in the forest behind Zanderij but not much else and we failed to find the Pale-bellied Mourner.

Then Fred made a call to his friend Otto Ottema and got info where to look for **Pale-bellied Mourner**. That was at a site called Powaka. It took us 30 minutes to reach that site. Not really white sand forest but low scrub with some smaller trees in between. And here we had absolutely astonishing views of this rare and most-wanted species. After this success we decided to finish our trip with some more casual birding in the Colakreek area. In the afternoon we drove back to our bungalow, showered and packed our stuff for our flight back to The Netherlands.

At 4.30 pm we checked in and at 7.30 pm we flew from Zanderij to Schiphol Airport, Amsterdam.

**Day 16: 5 December**

We arrived at Schiphol Airport at 8.20 am

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**Savanna near Zanderij**



**Red-bellied Macaws** *Orthopsittaca manilatus*



**Pale-bellied Mourner** *Rhytipterna immunda*



## **SHORT ITINERARY**

20-11: Flight Amsterdam – Paramaribo

21-11: Birding at Peperpot – Paramaribo – Cultuurtuin – Leonsberg

22-11: Savanne around Zanderij – drive to Brownsberg – clearing Brownsberg

23-11: Brownsberg

24-11: Brownsberg

25-11: Brownsberg in the morning – drive to Fredberg/Zintete

26-11: Fredberg/Zintete. All day along the main forest road.

27-11: Fredberg/Zintete. Trails around camp – Afternoon along main forest road

28-11: Fredberg/Zintete. Main forest road – Fredberg trail – Cock-of-the-Rock lek

29-11: Fredberg/Zintete. Fredberg Trail

30-11: Fredberg/Zintete. Trail around camp – Main Road – Cock-of-the-Rock lek

01-12: Fredberg/Zintete. Fredberg Trail

02-12: Fredberg in the morning – drive to Zanderij and village of Phedra.

03-12: Cola Kreek in the morning – afternoon savanne & White Sand Forest, Zanderij

04-12: All morning around Zanderij – Powakka – Colakreek/Kinderboerderij.  
Evening flight Paramaribo – Amsterdam

05-12: Arrival Schiphol Airport, Amsterdam.

**SYSTEMATIC LIST OF OBSERVATIONS**

**Taxonomy follows IOC with some additional remarks on possible splits mentioned by HBW.**

RR = range-restricted

- 1. Great Tinamou** *Tinamus major*  
Heard on 3 dates at Zintete.  
27-11: 1 seen Zintete.
- 2. Cinereus Tinamou** *Crypturellus cinereus*  
Heard on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 3. Little Tinamou** *Crypturellus soui*  
22-11: heard at Zanderij.
- 4. Red-legged Tinamou** *Crypturellus erythropus*  
Heard on 2 dates in the white sand area near Zanderij.  
We came very close but in the end no views.
- 5. Variegated Tinamou** *Crypturellus variegatus*  
Heard on 4 dates at Zintete.  
29-11: brief but fine views of 1 along the Fredberg trail.
- 6. Marail Guan RR** *Penelope marail*  
26-11: 1 at Zintete.  
29-11: 3 at Zintete.
- 7. Little Chachalaca** *Ortalis motmot*  
A total of 12 on 4 dates in the Zintete area.
- 8. Black Curassow RR** *Crax alector*  
32-12: a single bird gave great views around the main clearing, Brownsberg.
- 9. Marbled Wood-Quail** *Odontophorus gujanensis*  
29-11: 1 flushed near our camp at Zintete.  
03-12: heard at Zanderij.
- 10. Crested Bobwhite** *Colinus cristatus*  
04-12: a group of 5 near the airfield fence, Zanderij area.
- 11. Least Grebe** *Tachybaptus dominicus*  
03-12: 1 at Colakreek.
- 12. Magnificent Frigatebird** *Fregata magnificens*  
21-11: a single bird at Leonsberg.
- 13. Zigzag Heron** *Zebrilus undulatus*  
27-11: 1 seen in the early morning in the creek behind our camp, Zintete.
- 14. Striated Heron** *Butorides striatus*  
21-11: 1 at Peperpot.  
22-11: 1 along the road to Brownsberg.
- 15. Western Cattle Egret** *Bubulcus ibis*  
21-11: a single bird near Peperpot.
- 16. Little Blue Heron** *Egretta caerulea*  
21-11: 2 in swampy area near Paramaribo.
- 17. Green Ibis** *Mesembrinibis cayennensis cayennensis*  
30-11: 1 Zintete.  
02-12: 1 Zintete.
- 18. Turkey Vulture** *Cathartes aura*  
02-12: observed near Zanderij.
- 19. Lesser Yellow-headed Vulture** *Cathartes burrovianus urubutinga*  
Common in the airport area, Zanderij.
- 20. Greater Yellow-headed Vulture** *Cathartes melambrotus*  
Observed on 10 dates.
- 21. Black Vulture** *Coragyps atratus*  
Common around Paramaribo and Zanderij area.
- 22. King Vulture** *Sarcoramphus papa*  
22-11: 1 near Zanderij.  
A total of 5 on 3 dates in the Zintete area.  
A total of 6 on 2 dates in the Zanderij area.

- 23.American Osprey** *Pandion haliaetus carolinensis*  
21-11: 2 at Leonsberg.
- 24.Grey-headed Kite** *Leptodon cayanensis*  
24-11: 1 at Brownsberg.  
26-11: 2 at Zintete.  
04-12: 1 at Colakreek.
- 25.Swallow-tailed Kite** *Elanoides forficatus*  
A total of 4 on 2 dates at Brownsberg.  
26-11: 6 at Zintete.
- 26.Black Hawk-Eagle** *Spizaetus tyrannus*  
01-12: heard along the Fredberg Trail, Zintete,
- 27.Ornate Hawk-Eagle** *Spizaetus ornatus*  
24-11: astonishing views of a perched bird at the main clearing, just in front of the dormitory, Brownsberg.  
30-11: heard at Zintete.
- 28.Black-collared Hawk** *Busarellus nigricollis*  
21-11: a single bird near Leonsberg.
- 29.Snail Kite** *Rothramus sociabilis*  
21-11: 1 near Paramaribo.
- 30.Slender-billed Kite** *Helicolestes hamatus*  
22-11: a single bird along the main road from Paramaribo to Brownsberg.
- 31.Double-toothed Kite** *Harpagus bidentatus*  
23-11: 1 at Brownsberg.  
28-11: 1 at Zintete.  
03-12: 1 at Colakreek.
- 32.Plumbeous Kite** *Ictinia plumbea*  
A total of 7 on 3 dates at Zintete.
- 33.Long-winged Harrier** *Circus buffoni*  
21-11: 1 outskirts of Paramaribo above a scrubby field.
- 34.Grey-bellied Hawk** *Accipiter poliogaster*  
30-11: 1 perched near our camp, Zintete. Best raptor species of the trip.
- 35.Rufous Crab Hawk RR** *Buteogallus aequinoctialis*  
21-11: 5 at Leonsberg.
- 36.Savanna Hawk** *Buteogallus meridionalis*  
22-11: 1 near Paramaribo.
- 37.Great Black Hawk** *Buteogallus urubitinga*  
25-11: 1 between Brownsberg and Zintete.
- 38.Roadside Hawk** *Rupornis magnirostris*  
A total of 10 on 4 dates.
- 39.White-tailed Hawk** *Geranoaetus albicaudatus*  
02-12: 1 near Zanderij.
- 40.White Hawk** *Pseudastur albicollis*  
A total of 7 on 5 dates at Zintete.
- 41.Black-faced Hawk** *Leucopternis melanops*  
29-11: great views of a perched bird along the Fredberg Trail.  
01-12: heard at Zintete.
- 42.Grey-lined Hawk** *Butei nitidus*  
A total of 7 on 7 dates.
- 43.Broad-winged Hawk** *Buteo platypterus*  
22-11: 1 at Brownsberg.
- 44.Grey-winged Trumpeter** *Psophia crepitans*  
10+ daily around the clearing at Brownsberg.  
01-12: 5 along the Fredberg Trail.
- 45.Russet-crowned Crane** *Anurolimnas viridis*  
21-11: great views of one in the garden of Fred's house in Paramaribo.



- 46. Ash-throated Crane** *Mustelirallus albicollis typhoea*  
25-11: heard at swampy area at the foot of Brownsberg  
02-12: heard and 1 seen at Zanderij.
- 47. Purple Gallinule** *Porphyrio martinicus*  
21-11: 5 along canal in Paramaribo.
- 48. Sunbittern** *Eurypyga helias*  
04-12: 1 at Kinderboerderij, Colakreek.
- 49. Spotted Sandpiper** *Actitis macularius*  
21-11: 2 at Leonsberg.
- 50. Solitary Sandpiper** *Tringa solitaria*  
04-12: 1 at Colakreek.
- 51. Wattled Jacana** *Jacana jacana*  
21-11: 2 along canal in Paramaribo.
- 52. Scaled Pigeon** *Patagioenas speciose*  
A total of 10 on 4 dates at Zintete.  
03-12: a single bird at Zanderij.
- 53. Pale-vented Pigeon** *Patagioenas cayennensis*  
03-12: 4 at Zanderij.
- 54. Plumbeous Pigeon** *Patagioenas plumbea wallacei*  
21-11: heard at Peperpot.  
23-11: heard at Brownsberg.  
24-11: 1 at Brownsberg.  
A total of 3 on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 55. Ruddy Pigeon** *Patagioenas subvinacea purpureocincta*  
23-11: heard at Brownsberg.  
24-11: 1 at Brownsberg
- 56. Grey-fronted Dove** *Leptotila rufaxilla*  
22-11: 1 Brownsberg.  
24-11: 2 at Brownsberg.
- 57. Common Ground Dove** *Columbina passerine griseola*  
Observed on 7 dates. Daily at Zintete.
- 58. Ruddy Ground Dove** *Columbina talpacoti*  
A total of 14 around Paramaribo on 2 dates.  
A total of 7 on 2 dates in the Zanderij area.
- 59. Little Cuckoo** *Coccyua minuta*  
21-11: 4 at Peperpot.
- 60. Squirrel Cuckoo** *Piaya cayana*  
A total of 10 on 6 dates.
- 61. Black-bellied Cuckoo RR** *Piaya melanogaster*  
01-12: 1 showed nicely in the scope along the Fredberg Trail.  
03-12: 2 at Zanderij.
- 62. Smooth-billed Ani** *Crotophaga ani*  
21-11: 10 around Paramaribo.  
A total of 9 on 3 dates at Zintete.
- 63. Barn Owl** *Tyto alba ssp. furcata*  
21-11: 1 at suburb of Paramaribo.
- 64. Tawny-bellied Screech-owl** *Megascops watsonii*  
26-11: heard at Zintete.
- 65. Vermiculated Screech-owl RR** *Megascops guatemalae roraimae*  
22-11: nice views in the spotlight of 1 at Brownsberg.  
23-11: heard in the same general area.  
HBW split this species off as **Roraiman Screech-owl** *Megascops roraimae*
- 66. Spectacled Owl** *Pulsatrix perspicillata*  
22-11: heard near Zanderij.  
26-11: heard at Zintete.
- 67. Amazonian Pygmy-Owl** *Glaucidium hardyi*  
26-11: nice views at daytime roost, Zintete.

- 68. Burrowing Owl** *Athene cunicularia*  
22-11: 1 airfield, Zanderij.
- 69. Striped Owl** *Pseudoscops clamator*  
21-11: 4 at edge of scrubby field, Paramaribo. Great views.
- 70. Great Potoo** *Nyctibius grandis*  
21-11: 1 at daytime roost, Peperpot.
- 71. Common Potoo** *Nyctibius griseus*  
28-11: 1 during the day along the Fredberg Trail.
- 72. Lesser Nighthawk** *Chordeiles acutipennis*  
10+ at dawn and dusk on 3 dates in the Zanderij area.
- 73. Short-tailed Nighthawk** *Lurocalis semitorquatus*  
28-11: at dusk we observed 3 birds from the bridge near our camp at Zintete.
- 74. Blackish Nightjar** *Nyctipolus nigrescens*  
23-11: 1 near the main clearing, Brownsberg.  
26-11: 1 at Zintete.
- 75. Common Pauraque** *Nyctidromus albicollis*  
Single birds on 3 dates at Zintete.
- 76. White-tailed Nightjar** *Hydropsalis cayennensis*  
02-12: 6 edge of airfield, Zanderij.  
Some good views of birds on the ground.
- 77. Band-rumped Swift** *Chaetura spinicaudus*  
A total of 14 on 2 dates at Brownsberg.
- 78. Short-tailed Swift** *Chaetura brachyuran*  
24-11: 4 at Brownsberg.
- 79. Fork-tailed Palm-Swift** *Tachornis squamata*  
22-11: 10+ between Paramaribo – Brownsberg.
- 80. Crimson Topaz RR** *Topaza pella*  
25-11: 5 at the creek, main camp Zintete. Late afternoon birds came down to the creek and gave nice views while perched on dead branches.  
Also observed on 29 and 30-11 at this site.
- 81. White-necked Jacobin** *Florisuga mellivora*  
23-11: 1 at Brownsberg.  
A total of 5 on 3 dates at Zintete.  
03-12: 2 at Colakreek.
- 82. Rufous-breasted Hermit** *Glaucis hirsutus*  
21-11: 4 at Peperpot.  
Single birds on 3 dates at Zintete.
- 83. Reddish Hermit** *Phaethornis ruber*  
22-11: 1 at Brownsberg.  
A total of 4 on 3 dates at Zintete.  
03-12: 2 at Colakreek.
- 84. Straight-billed Hermit** *Phaethornis bourcieri*  
23-11: 4 at Brownsberg.  
A total of 5 on 3 dates at Zintete.
- 85. Long-tailed Hermit** *Phaethornis superciliosus*  
Common at Brownsberg.  
A total of 22 on 5 dates at Zintete.
- 86. Black-eared Fairy** *Heliothryx auritus*  
A total of 3 on 2 dates at Brownsberg.  
A total of 7 on 3 dates at Zintete.
- 87. White-tailed Goldenthrout** *Polytmus guainumbi ssp. guainumbi*  
25-11: 1 at Zintete.
- 88. Green-tailed Goldenthrout** *Polytmus theresiae*  
26-11: 2 at Zintete.  
03-12: 1 at Colakreek.  
04-12: 1 at Zanderij.

- 89. Green-throated Mango** *Anthracothonax viridigula*  
21-11: 3 at Peperpot.
- 90. Black-throated Mango** *Anthracothonax nigricollis*  
Single birds on 2 dates at Zintete.  
03-12: 3 at Colakreek.  
04-12: 1 at Zanderij.
- 91. Racquet-tailed Coquette RR** *Discosura longicauda*  
24-11: 1 at Brownsberg.
- 92. Tufted Coquette RR** *Lophornis ornatus*  
23-11: a male at Brownsberg.
- 93. Grey-breasted Sabrewing** *Campylopterus largipennis*  
23-11: 1 at Brownsberg.  
29-11: 1 at Zintete.
- 94. Fork-tailed Woodnymph** *Thalurania furcata*  
Observed on 11 dates.
- 95. Glittering-throated Emerald** *Amazilia fimbriata*  
21-11: 6 at Peperpot.  
22-11: 4 near Zanderij.
- 96. Rufous-throated Sapphire** *Hylocharis sapphirina*  
A total of 3 on 2 dates at Brownsberg
- 97. Black-tailed Trogon** *Trogon melanurus*  
23-11: 3 at Brownsberg
- 98. Green-backed Trogon** *Trogon viridis*  
A total of 4 on 3 dates at Brownsberg  
03-12: 1 Colakreek.
- 99. Guianan Trogon** *Trogon violaceus*  
24-11: 1 at Brownsberg.
- 100. Black-throated Trogon** *Trogon rufus*  
23-11: 1 at Brownsberg.
- 101. Collared Trogon** *Trogon collaris*  
A total of 4 on 2 dates at Brownsberg.
- 102. Ringed Kingfisher** *Megaceryle torquata*  
03-12: 1 Colakreek.
- 103. American Pygmy Kingfisher** *Chloroceryle aenea*  
21-11: 1 Peperpot.
- 104. Amazonian Motmot** *Momotus momota*  
29-11: heard Zintete.
- 105. Brown Jacamar** *Brachygalba lugubris*  
A total of 20 on 7 dates at Zintete,
- 106. Yellow-billed Jacamar RR** *Galbula albirostris*  
26-11: heard at Zintete.  
27-11: 3 at Zintete.
- 107. Green-tailed Jacamar RR** *Galbula galbula*  
21-11: 4 at Peperpot.  
03-12: 3 at Colakreek
- 108. Bronzy Jacamar** *Galbula leucogastra*  
02-12: 3 at stake-out near the village of Phedra.
- 109. Paradise Jacamar** *Galbula dea*  
22-11: 3 between Paramaribo – Brownsberg  
A total of 40 on 7 dates at Zintete.
- 110. Great Jacamar** *Jacamerops aureus*  
23-11: 2 Brownsberg  
29-11: 1 at Zintete.
- 111. Guianan Puffbird RR** *Notharchus macrorhynchos*  
A total of 5 on 3 dates at Zintete.



- 112. Pied Puffbird** *Notharchus tectus*  
23-11: 1 at Brownsberg.  
A total of 6 on 2 dates at Zintete
- 113. Spotted Puffbird** *Bucco tamatia*  
21-11: great views of 1 at Peperpot.
- 114. White-chested Puffbird** *Malacoptila fusca*  
29-11: 1 along the Fredberg trail.
- 115. Rusty-breasted Nunlet** *Nonnula rubecula*  
26-11: nice views in the scope of 1 near main camp, Zintete.
- 116. Black Nunbird RR** *Monasa atra*  
Daily around our camp at Zintete.
- 117. Swallow-winged Puffbird** *Chelidoptera tenebrosa*  
21-11: 1 at Peperpot.  
22-11: 4 between Paramaribo – Brownsberg.  
Daily observed at Zintete.
- 118. Black-spotted Barbet RR** *Capito niger*  
21-11: 2 at Peperpot.  
A total of 4 on 2 dates at Brownsberg.  
28-11: 2 at Zintete.
- 119. White-throated(Red-billed)Toucan RR** *Ramphastos tucanus*  
A total of 3 on 2 dates at Brownsberg.  
A total of 4 on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 120. Channel-billed Toucan RR** *Ramphastos vitellinus*  
24-11: 1 at Brownsberg.  
Single birds on 3 dates at Zintete.  
03-12: 6 Colakreek.
- 121. Guianan Toucanet RR** *Selenidera piperivora*  
A total of 8 on 3 dates at Brownsberg.  
02-12: 1 at Zintete.
- 122. Green Aracari RR** *Pteroglossus viridis*  
23-11: 1 at Brownsberg.  
Common Zintete.
- 123. Black-necked Aracari** *Pteroglossus aracari*  
23-11: 4 at Brownsberg.  
Observed on 4 dates at Zintete.
- 124. Golden-spangled Piculet RR** *Picumnus exilis buffonii*  
26-11: 1 at Zintete.  
03-12: 3 at Colakreek.
- 125. Arrowhead Piculet RR** *Picumnus minutissimus*  
21-11: 4 at Peperpot.
- 126. Yellow-tufted Woodpecker** *Melanerpes cruentatus*  
A total of 30 on 5 dates at Zintete.
- 127. Golden-collared Woodpecker RR** *Veniliornis cassini*  
Single birds on 2 dates at Brownsberg.  
26-11: 1 at Zintete.
- 128. Blood-colored Woodpecker RR** *Veniliornis sanguineus*  
21-11: a single bird at Peperpot was the only sighting of the trip.
- 129. Yellow-throated Woodpecker** *Piculus flavigula*  
23-11: 1 at Brownsberg.  
A total of 4 on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 130. Golden-olive Woodpecker** *Colaptes rubiginosus nigriceps*  
Single birds on 2 dates at Brownsberg.
- 131. Waved Woodpecker RR** *Celeus undatus*  
23-11: 1 at Brownsberg.
- 132. Chestnut Woodpecker** *Celeus elegans*  
23-11: 1 at Brownsberg.

- 133. Cream-colored Woodpecker** *Celeus flavus*  
29-11: 3 at Zintete.
- 134. Lineated Woodpecker** *Dryocopus lineatus*  
A total of 11 on 5 dates at Zintete.
- 135. Red-necked Woodpecker** *Campephilus rubricollis*  
23-11: heard at Brownsberg.  
A total of 12 on 4 dates at Zintete.
- 136. Crimson-crested Woodpecker** *Campephilus melanoleucos*  
Single birds on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 137. Laughing Falcon** *Herpetotheres cachinnans*  
22-11: 1 along the road when travelling from Paramaribo to Brownsberg.
- 138. Lined Forest-Falcon** *Micrastur gilvicollis*  
Daily heard at Brownsberg.  
23-11: great views of 1 at Brownsberg.
- 139. Collared Forest-Falcon** *Micrastur semitorquatus*  
02-12: 1 at Zintete.
- 140. Northern Crested Caracara** *Caracara cheriway*  
04-12: 1 near Zanderij.
- 141. Red-throated Caracara** *Ibycter americanus*  
Daily observed at Zintete.
- 142. Black Caracara** *Daptrius ater*  
03-12: 1 at Colakreek.
- 143. Yellow-headed Caracara** *Milvago chimachima*  
21-11: 1 near Peperpot.  
22-04: 4 near Paramaribo.  
A total of 10 on 3 dates near Zanderij.
- 144. Bat Falcon** *Falco rufigularis*  
21-11: 1 near Peperpot.  
26-11: 1 at Zintete.
- 145. Peregrine Falcon** *Falco peregrinus*  
21-11: 1 near Paramaribo.
- 146. Lilac-tailed Parrotlet RR** *Touit batavicus*  
23-11: 4 in flight Brownsberg.  
25-11: 4 at Zintete. Great views in the scope of perched birds.
- 147. Sapphire-rumped Parrotlet RR** *Touit purpuratus*  
A total of 5 on 2 dates at Zintete. Also nice scope views.
- 148. Golden-winged Parakeet** *Brotogeris chrysoptera*  
A total of 24 on 3 dates at Zintete.
- 149. Caica Parrot RR** *Pyrilia caica*  
A total of 17 on 7 dates at Zintete.
- 150. Dusky Parrot RR** *Pionus fuscus*  
23-11: heard at Brownsberg.  
24-11: 4 at Brownsberg.  
A total of 12 on 3 dates at Zintete.  
03-12: 10 at Colakreek
- 151. Blue-headed Parrot** *Pionus menstruus*  
23-11: 2 at Brownsberg.  
A total of 22 on 4 dates at Zintete.
- 152. Southern Mealy Parrot** *Amazona farinose*  
A total of 6 on 3 dates at Zintete.
- 153. Orange-winged Parrot** *Amazona amazonica*  
21-11: 30+ Peperpot area.  
A total of 10 on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 154. Green-rumped Parrotlet** *Forpus passerines*  
04-12: 2 at Kinderboerderij.



- 155. Dusky-billed Parrotlet** *Forpus modestus*  
25-11: 4 at Zintete.  
29-11: 1 at Zintete.
- 156. Black-headed Parrot** *Pionites melanocephalus*  
24-11: 5 at Brownsberg.  
28-11: 1 at Zintete.
- 157. Red-fan Parrot** *Derophtus accipitrinus*  
24-11: 4 at Brownsberg.  
A total of 30 on 5 dates at Zintete.
- 158. Painted Parakeet RR** *Pyrrhura picta*  
Commonly observed at Zintete.
- 159. Brown-throated Parakeet** *Eupsittula pertinax ssp. Surinamea*  
22-11: 5 near Zanderij.
- 160. Red-bellied Macaw** *Orthopsittaca manilatus*  
Observed on 4 dates around Zanderij.
- 161. Scarlet Macaw** *Ara macao*  
A total of 5 on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 162. Red and green Macaw** *Ara chloropterus*  
26-11: 4 at Zintete.
- 163. Northern Red-shouldered Macaw RR** *Diopsittaca nobilis*  
A total of 5 on 2 dates in the Zanderij/Colakreekarea.
- 164. White-eyed Parakeet** *Psittacara leucophthalmus*  
26-11: 5 at Zintete.  
Up to 50 on 2 dates in the Zanderij area.
- 165. Ash-winged Antwren** *Euchrepomis spodiopila*  
25-11: heard at Brownsberg  
28-11: heard at Zintete.  
30-11 + 02-12: a single bird observed in the canopy, Zintete.
- 166. Fasciated Antshrike** *Cymbilaimus lineatus*  
24-11: 2 at Brownsberg.  
25-11: 1 at Brownsberg.  
27-11: female at Zintete.
- 167. Black-throated Antshrike RR** *Frederickena viridis*  
23-11: Heard at Brownsberg but no views.
- 168. Great Antshrike** *Taraba major*  
27-11: 1 pair at Zintete.
- 169. Black-crested Antshrike** *Sakesphorus canadensis*  
21-11: 3 at Peperpot.
- 170. Barred Antshrike** *Thamnophilus doliatus*  
22-11: 2 near Zanderij.  
25-11: 2 on transit to Zintete.  
03-12: 2 at Colakreek.
- 171. Mouse-coloured Antshrike** *Thamnophilus murinus*  
22-11: 2 near Zanderij.  
23-11: 2 at Brownsberg.
- 172. Northern Slaty Antshrike** *Thamnophilus punctatus*  
22-11: 4 near Zanderij.
- 173. Band-tailed Antshrike RR** *Thamnophilus melanothorax*  
28-11: 1 female at Zintete.  
30-11: 1 male at Zintete.
- 174. Amazonian Antshrike** *Thamnophilus amazonicus divaricatus*  
24-11: 1 female Brownsberg.  
29-11: 1 female at Zintete.
- 175. Dusky-throated Antshrike** *Thamnomanes ardesiacus obidensis*  
A total of 4 on 2 dates at Brownsberg.  
27-11: 1 at Zintete.

- 176. Cinereous Antshrike** *Thamnomanes caesius*  
A total of 13 on 3 dates at Brownsberg.  
29-11: 1 at Zintete.  
01-12: 3 at Zintete.
- 177. Rufous-bellied Antwren RR** *Isleria guttata*  
A total of 5 on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 178. Brown-bellied Antwren RR** *Epinecrophylla gutturalis*  
A total of 14 on 3 dates at Brownsberg.  
A total of 16 on 5 dates at Zintete.
- 179. Pygmy Antwren** *Myrmotherula brachyura*  
22-11: 2 near Zanderij.  
24-11: 1 at Brownsberg.
- 180. Guianan Streaked Antwren RR** *Myrmotherula surinameensis*  
A total of 5 on 2 dates near main camp, Zintete.
- 181. White-flanked Antwren** *Myrmotherula axillaris*  
A total of 7 on 3 dates at Zintete.
- 182. Long-winged Antwren** *Myrmotherula longipennis*  
A total of 6 on 2 dates at Brownsberg.  
29-11: a single bird at Zintete.
- 183. Grey Antwren** *Myrmotherula menetriesii cinereiventris*  
A total of 4 on 3 dates at Brownsberg.
- 184. Spot-tailed Antwren RR** *Herpsilochmus strictures*  
A total of 5 on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 185. Todd's Antwren RR** *Herpsilochmus stictocephalus*  
A total of 3 on 2 dates at Brownsberg. Very similar to previous species and the call is the best identification feature.
- 186. Dot-winged Antwren** *Microrhophias quixensis microstictus*  
28-11: 4 at Zintete.
- 187. Southern White-fringed Antwren** *Formicivora grisea*  
22-11: 2 in the Zanderij area.  
25-11: 4 at Brownsberg.  
30-11: 1 at Zintete.
- 188. Guianan Warbling-Antbird RR** *Hypocnemis cantator*  
22-11: 4 in the Zanderij area.  
A total of 10 on 2 dates at Brownsberg.  
Heard at Zintete on 3 dates.  
01-12: 1 at Zintete.
- 189. Grey Antbird** *Cercomacra cinerascens immaculata*  
A total of 3 on 2 dates at Brownsberg.
- 190. Dusky Antbird** *Cercomacroides tyrannina ssp. saturator*  
Single birds on 2 dates at Brownsberg.  
29-11: 1 at Zintete.
- 191. Blackish Antbird** *Cercomacroides nigrescens*  
21-11: 1 pair at Peperpot.
- 192. White-browed Antbird** *Myrmoborus leucophrys angustirostris*  
21-11: 1 male at Peperpot was our only sighting.
- 193. Black-chinned Antbird** *Hypocnemoides melanopogon*  
21-11: 1 pair at Peperpot.
- 194. Silvered Antbird** *Scateria naevia*  
21-11: 1 at Peperpot.
- 195. Black-headed Antbird** *Pernostola rufifrons*  
A total of 3 on 2 dates at Brownsberg.  
A total of 5 on 4 dates at Zintete.
- 196. Ferruginous-backed Antbird RR** *Myrmeciza ferruginea*  
A total of 4 on 2 dates at Brownsberg.  
02-12: 2 at Zintete.

- 197. Black-throated Antbird** *Myrmeciza atrothorax*  
22-11: 1 near Zanderij.  
A total of 3 on 3 dates at Zintete.  
03-12: 1 Colakreek.
- 198. Southern Wing-banded Antbird** *Myrmornis torquata*  
01-12: great views of a foraging pair at very close range along the Fredberg Trail.  
HBW splits this species off **Northern Wing-banded Antbird** *M.stictoptera*
- 199. White-plumed Antbird RR** *Pithys albifrons*  
28-11: a single bird at a small ant swarm, Zintete, was the only observation
- 200. Rufous-throated Antbird RR** *Gymnopithys rufigula*  
28-11: 4 at the same site as the previous species.
- 201. Spot-backed Antbird** *Hylophylax naevius*  
23-11: 1 at Brownsberg.  
Single birds on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 202. Common Scale-backed Antbird** *Willisornis poecilinotus*  
23-11: 2 at Brownsberg.  
29-11: 1 female at Zintete.
- 203. Variegated Antpitta** *Grallaria varia*  
28-11: heard at Zintete.  
01-12: 1 seen by me only along the Fredberg Trail. Unfortunately the bird could not be relocated.
- 204. Spotted Antpitta** *Hylopezus macularius*  
Heard on 2 dates at Brownsberg.  
23-11: nice views of 1 at Brownsberg.
- 205. Thrush-like Antpitta** *Myrmothera campanisoma*  
23-11: 1 at Brownsberg.  
29-11: heard at Zintete.  
01-12: 1 seen at Zintete.
- 206. Rufous-capped Antthrush** *Formicarius colmas*  
23-11: 1 at Brownsberg
- 207. Black-faced Antthrush** *Formicarius analis crissalis*  
23-11: 1 at Brownsberg.  
Heard on 2 dates at Zintete.  
01-12: 1 seen at Zintete.
- 208. Tawny-throated Leaf Tosser** *Sclerurus mexicanus*  
27-11: 1 at Zintete.
- 209. White-chinned Woodcreeper** *Dendrocincla merula*  
Single birds on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 210. Wedge-billed Woodcreeper** *Glyphorhynchus spirurus*  
A total of 10 on 3 dates at Brownsberg.  
A total of 3 on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 211. Cinnamon-throated Woodcreeper** *Dendrexetastes rufigula*  
29-11: 1 pair at Zintete.
- 212. Amazonian Barred Woodcreeper** *Dendrocolaptes certhia*  
A total of 3 on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 213. Striped Woodcreeper** *Xiphorhynchus obsoletus*  
21-11: 2 at Peperpot.
- 214. Chestnut-rumped Woodcreeper RR** *Xiphorhynchus pardalotus*  
A total of 7 on 3 dates at Brownsberg.  
A total of 11 on 4 dates at Zintete.
- 215. Buff-throated Woodcreeper** *Xiphorhynchus guttatus polystictus*  
23-11: 1 at Brownsberg.
- 216. Straight-billed Woodcreeper** *Dendroplex picus*  
21-11: 3 at Peperpot.



- 217. Guianan Woodcreeper RR** *Lepidocolaptes albolineatus*  
23-11: 1 at Brownsberg.  
A total of 5 on 2 dates at Zintete
- 218. Plain Xenops** *Xenops minutus ruficaudus*  
25-11: 3 at Brownsberg.  
A total of 3 on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 219. Palmcreeper** *Berlepschia rikeri*  
02-12: 1 at stake-out near Zanderij.
- 220. Rufous-rumped Foliage-Gleaner** *Philydor erythrocerum*  
30-11: a single bird identified at Zintete.
- 221. Cinnamon-rumped Foliage-Gleaner** *Philydor pyrrhodes*  
A total of 5 on 3 dates at Zintete.
- 222. Rufous-tailed Foliage-Gleaner** *Anabacerthia ruficaudata flavipectus*  
A total of 4 on 2 dates at Brownsberg.  
01-12: 3 at Zintete.
- 223. Buff-throated Foliage-Gleaner** *Automolus ochrolaemus turdinus*  
28-11: heard only at Zintete.
- 224. Olive-backed Foliage-Gleaner** *Automolus infuscatus*  
02-12: 1 at Zintete.
- 225. Yellow-chinned Spinetail** *Certhiaxis cinnamomeus*  
21-11: 3 near Leonsberg.
- 226. Plain-crowned Spinetail** *Synallaxis gujanensis*  
21-11: 1 at Peperpot.
- 227. McConnell's Spinetail** *Synallaxis macconnelli obscurior*  
26-11: 1 at Zintete gave nice views.
- 228. Pale-breasted Spinetail** *Synallaxis albescens josephinae*  
21-11: 1 near Leonsberg.  
22-11: 4 on transit.  
03-12: 3 Colakreek.
- 229. Ruddy Spinetail** *Synallaxis rutilans dissors*  
27-11: heard only unfortunately at Zintete.
- 230. Yellow-crowned Tyrannulet** *Tyrannulus elatus*  
25-11: 1 near Zintete.
- 231. Forest Elaenia** *Myiopagis gaimardii guianensis*  
21-11: 1 at Peperpot.  
22-11: 1 near Zanderij.
- 232. Yellow-crowned Elaenia** *Myiopagis flavivertex*  
21-11: 1 at Peperpot.
- 233. Yellow-bellied Elaenia** *Elaenia flavogaster*  
21-11: 1 at Peperpot.
- 234. Plain-crested Elaenia** *Elaenia cristata*  
02-12: 2 near Zanderij.  
03-12: 1 near Zanderij.
- 235. Rufous-crowned Elaenia RR** *Elaenia ruficeps*  
22-11: 2 at Zanderij.  
Single birds on 02/03-12 in the Zanderij area.
- 236. White-lored Tyrannulet** *Ornithion inermis*  
Single birds on 2 dates at Brownsberg,  
03-12: 1 at Colakreek.
- 237. Southern Beardless Tyrannulet** *Camptostoma obsoletum napaeum*  
04-12: 4 in the Zanderij area.
- 238. Ringed Antpipit** *Corythopsis torquatus*  
01-12: 1 seen very well along the Fredberg Trail.
- 239. Guianan Tyrannulet RR** *Zimmerius acer*  
A total of 5 on 2 dates at Brownsberg.

- 240. McConnell's Flycatcher** *Mionectes macconnelli*  
23-11: 1 at Brownsberg.  
Single birds on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 241. Short-tailed Pygmy-Tyrant** *Myiornis ecaudatus miserabilis*  
24-11: 1 at Brownsberg.  
29-11: 1 at Zintete.
- 242. Double-banded Pygmy-Tyrant** *Lophotriccus vitiosus guianensis*  
A total of 4 on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 243. Helmeted Pygmy-Tyrant** *Lophotriccus galeatus*  
22-11: 3 at white sand forest, Zanderij.  
Heard on 2 dates at Brownsberg.  
27-11: 1 at Zintete.
- 244. Boat-billed Tody-Tyrant RR** *Hemitriccus josephinae*  
29-11: twice seen at Zintete.
- 245. Smoky-fronted Tody-Flycatcher RR** *Poecilotriccus fumifrons*  
Single birds on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 246. Common Tody-Flycatcher** *Todirostrum cinereum*  
21-11: 1 at Peperpot.  
03-12: 3 Colakreek.
- 247. Painted Tody-Flycatcher RR** *Todirostrum pictum*  
21-11: 1 seen well at Peperpot.  
26-11: 1 at Zintete.  
03-12: 2 at Colakreek.
- 248. Olivaceous Flatbill** *Rhynchocyclus olivaceus guianensis*  
Single birds on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 249. Yellow-margined Flycatcher** *Tolmomyias assimilis*  
Recorded on 3 dates at Zintete.
- 250. Grey-crowned Flatbill/Flycatcher** *Tolmomyias poliocephalus sclateri*  
25-11: HO at Brownsberg.
- 251. Ochre-lored Flatbill (Yellow-breasted Flycatcher)**  
*Tolmomyias flaviventris ssp. aurulentus*  
21-11: nice views of 1 at Peperpot.
- 252. Golden-crowned Spadebill** *Platyrinchus coronatus*  
30-11: 1 at Zintete.
- 253. White-crested Spadebill** *Platyrinchus platyrinchus*  
30-11: 1 at Zintete.
- 254. Whiskered Flycatcher** *Myiobius barbatus*  
A total of 3 on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 255. Ruddy-tailed Flycatcher** *Terenotriccus erythrurus*  
22-11: 1 at Zanderij, white sand forest.
- 256. White-throated Pewee RR** *Contopus albogularis*  
22-11: 2 along entrance road to Brownsberg.
- 257. White-headed Marsh-Tyrant** *Arundinicola leucocephala*  
22-11: 2 airfield, Zanderij.
- 258. Long-tailed Tyrant** *Colonia colonus*  
Common and daily observed at Zintete.
- 259. Piratic Flycatcher** *Legatus leucophaeus*  
21-11: 1 at Peperpot.  
03-12: 1 at Colakreek.
- 260. Rusty-margined Flycatcher** *Myizetetes cayanensis*  
21-11: common at Peperpot.  
A total of 6 on 3 dates at Zintete.  
03-12: 1 at Colakreek.
- 261. Great Kiskadee** *Pitangu sulphuratus*  
Observed.
- 262. Yellow-throated Flycatcher** *Conopias parvus*  
24-11: 1 at Brownsberg.

- 28-11: 1 at Zintete.  
02-12: 1 Zanderij area.
- 263. Boat-billed Flycatcher** *Megarynchus pitangua*  
21-11: 1 near Peperpot.  
A total of 4 on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 264. Sulphury Flycatcher** *Tyrannopsis sulphurea*  
22-11: 2 Zanderij area.  
26-11: 1 Zintete.  
03-12: 2 Zanderij area.
- 265. Tropical Kingbird** *Tyrannus melancholicus*  
Observed.
- 266. Grey Kingbird** *Tyrannus dominicensis*  
21-11: 3 in Paramaribo.
- 267. Greyish Mourner** *Rhytipterna frederici*  
24-11: 1 at Brownsberg.  
26-11: 1 at Zintete.
- 268. Pale-bellied Mourner RR** *Rhytiptera immunda*  
04-12: astonishing views of this rare species at Powaka.
- 269. Todd's Sirystes RR** *Sirystes subcanescens*  
Single birds on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 270. Dusky-capped Flycatcher** *Myiarchus tuberculifer*  
A total of 5 on 3 dates at Zintete.
- 271. Short-crested Flycatcher** *Myiarchus ferox*  
21-11: heard at Peperpot.  
04-12: 1 at Powakka.
- 272. Rufous-tailed Flatbill** *Ramphotrigon ruficauda*  
29-11: 2 at Zintete.
- 273. Cinnamon Attila** *Attila cinnamomeus*  
21-11: 3 at Peperpot.
- 274. Bright-rumped Attila** *Attila spadiceus*  
22-11: heard at Zanderij area.
- 275. Guianan Red Cotinga RR** *Phoenicircus carnifex*  
26-11: heard at Zintete.  
01-12: 2 female type birds seen along the Fredberg Trail, Zintete. Relieved to connect finally with this most wanted species.
- 276. Guianan Cock-of-the-Rock RR** *Rupicola rupicola*  
During 2 visits to the lek along the Fredberg Trail we observed up to 6 birds each visit.
- 277. Crimson Fruitcrow RR** *Haematoderus militaris*  
A total of 4 on 4 dates at Zintete.
- 278. Purple-throated Fruitcrow** *Querula purpurata*  
26-11: 1 at Zintete.
- 279. Capuchinbird RR** *Perissocephalus tricolor*  
27-11: heard at Zintete.  
03-12: 3 seen at a known stake-out, Zintete.
- 280. Purple-breasted Cotinga** *Cotinga cotinga*  
26-11: 1 pair nicely seen at Zintete.
- 281. Spangled Cotinga** *Cotinga cayana*  
A total of 6, including gorgeous males on 2 dates at Zintete.  
03-12: 1 at Colakreek.
- 282. Screaming Piha** *Lipaugus vociferans*  
Commonly heard and a few seen also.
- 283. Pompadour Cotinga** *Xipholena punicea*  
22-11: 1 female Zanderij area.  
2 females seen on 2 dates at Brownsberg.  
A total of 15 on 4 dates at Zintete, including nice males.



- 284. Saffron-crested Tyrant-Manakin RR** *Neopelma chrysocephalum*  
22-11: 4 in the Zanderij area.  
Heard also on 2 dates in the Zanderij area.  
04-12: 1 in the Zanderij area.
- 285. Tiny Tyrant-Manakin RR** *Tyranneutes virescens*  
27-11: A single bird at Zintete.
- 286. White-throated Manakin RR** *Corapipo gutturalis*  
A total of 4 on 3 dates at Brownsberg.
- 287. Black Manakin** *Xenopipo atronitens*  
02-12: 3 in forest near the village of Phedra.  
03-12: 2 Colakreek.
- 288. White-crowned Manakin** *Dixiphia pipra*  
22-11: 2 near Zanderij.
- 289. Golden-headed Manakin** *Ceratopipra erythrocephala*  
22-11: 2 near Zanderij.  
A total of 3 on 2 dates at Brownsberg.  
A total of 5 on 3 dates at Zintete.
- 290. White-bearded Manakin** *Manacus manacus*  
26-11: 1 female at Zintete.  
03-12: 1 Colakreek.
- 291. Crimson-hooded Manakin** *Pipra aureola*  
21-11: 2 at Peperpot.
- 292. White-fronted Manakin RR** *Lepidothrix serena*  
23-11: 3 at Brownsberg.
- 293. Black-tailed Tityra** *Tityra cayana*  
A total of 10 on 4 dates at Zintete.  
04-12: 1 near Zanderij.
- 294. Guianan Schiffornis (Olivaceous Mourner) RR** *Schiffornis olivacea*  
22-11: 1 in the Zanderij area.
- 295. Cinereous Mourner** *Laniocera hypopyrra*  
24-11: 1 at Brownsberg.
- 296. Dusky Purpletuft RR** *Iodopleura fusca*  
02-12: great views of one along the Fredberg Trail, Zintete. We found the bird just when we were about to leave the area.
- 297. White-winged Becard** *Pachyramphus polychopterus tristis*  
21-11: 3 at Peperpot.
- 298. Black-capped Becard** *Pachyramphus marginatus nanus*  
26-11: 2 at our camp, Zintete.
- 299. Glossy-backed Becard RR** *Pachyramphus surinameus*  
26-11: 1 Zintete.  
30-11: great views in the scope of a male, Zintete.
- 300. Pink-throated Becard** *Pachyramphus minor*  
26-11: 3 at Zintete.
- 301. Red-eyed Vireo** *Vireo olivaceus*  
Single birds on 2 dates at Brownsberg.
- 302. Lemon-chested Greenlet** *Hylophilus thoracicus*  
21-11: 2 at Peperpot.  
A total of 4 on 2 dates at Zintete.  
03-12: 1 at Colakreek.
- 303. Tawny-crowned Greenlet** *hylophilus ochraceiceps luteifrons*  
01-12: 1 at Zintete.  
HBW splits this off as **Olive-crowned Greenlet** *H. luteifrons*
- 304. Buff-cheeked Greenlet** *Hylophilus muscicapinus*  
A total of 6 on 2 dates at Brownsberg.  
A total of 3 on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 305. Cayenne Jay** *Cyanocorax cayanus*  
03-12: 4 at Colakreek.

- 306. Grey-breasted Martin** *Progne chalybea*  
Observed on 5 dates,
- 307. White-winged Swallow** *Tachycineta albiventer*  
21-11: 10 near Peperpot.
- 308. House Wren** *Troglodytes aedon*  
21-11: 1 at Peperpot.
- 309. Coraya Wren** *Pheugopedius coraya*  
Heard on 2 dates at Brownsberg.  
A total of 3 on 2 dates at Zintete.  
03-12: 1 at Colakreek.
- 310. Buff-breasted Wren** *Cantorchilus leucotis*  
21-11: heard at Peperpot and Cultuurtuin.  
26-11: 2 at Zintete.
- 311. White-breasted Wood-Wren** *Henicorhina leucosticte*  
A total of 5 on 3 dates at Brownsberg.
- 312. Musician Wren** *Cyphorhinus arada*  
22-11: fantastic views of a very responsive bird at Brownsberg.  
03-12: 1 in the Zanderij area.
- 313. Collared Gnatwren RR** *Microbates collaris*  
30-11: 1 at Zintete. It took some effort and time but in the end we had great views of this bird.  
01-12: Heard at Zintete.
- 314. Long-billed Gnatwren** *Ramphocaenus melanurus albiventris*  
25-11: 1 at Brownsberg  
26-11: 1 at Zintete.
- 315. Tropical Gnatcatcher** *Polioptila plumbea*  
21-11: 2 at Peperpot.
- 316. Pale-breasted Thrush** *Turdus leucomelas*  
21-11: 10 at Peperpot.  
03-12: 3 at Colakreek.
- 317. Cocoa Thrush** *Turdus fumigatus*  
Single birds on 3 dates at Zintete.
- 318. Spectacled Thrush RR** *Turdus nudigenis*  
21-11: 3 at Peperpot.
- 319. White-necked Thrush** *Turdus albicollis phaeopygus*  
23-11: 1 at Brownsberg.  
A total of 4 on 3 dates at Zintete.
- 320. Black-billed (Campina) Thrush** *Turdus ignobilis arthuri*  
04-12: one in the area behind Zanderij.  
HBW splits this off as **Campina Thrush** *T. arthuri*
- 321. Tropical Mockingbird** *Mimus gilvus*  
21-11: 3 edge of Peperpot.  
Common in the Zanderij area.
- 322. Black-faced Tanager** *Schistochlamys melanopis*  
22-11: 3 Zanderij area.  
03-12: 4 Zanderij area.
- 323. Red-billed Pied Tanager** *Lamprospiza melanoleuca*  
Up to 10 daily at Zintete.
- 324. Flame-crested Tanager** *Tachyphonus cristatus*  
24-11: 2 at Brownsberg.  
01-12: 1 at Zintete.
- 325. Fulvous-crested Tanager** *Tachyphonus surinameus*  
24-11: 2 at Brownsberg.
- 326. White-lined Tanager** *Tachyphonus rufus*  
21-11: 2 at Peperpot.  
25-11: 4 at Zintete.  
03-12: 3 Zanderij area.

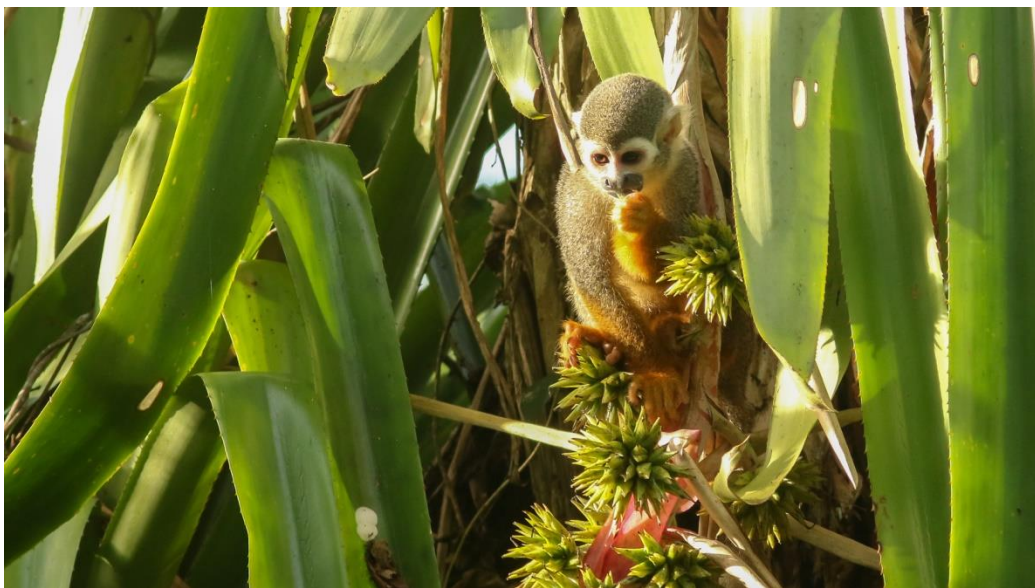
- 327. Red-shouldered Tanager** *Tachyphonus phoenicius*  
A total of 7 on 2 dates in the Zanderij area.
- 328. Fulvous Shrike-Tanager** *Lanio fulvus*  
A total of 4 on 2 dates at Brownsberg.  
01-12: 1 at Zintete.
- 329. Silver-beaked Tanager** *Ramphocelus carbo*  
Observed on 11 dates.
- 330. Hooded Tanager** *Nemosia pileata surinameensis*  
21-11: 2 at Peperpot.
- 331. Blue-backed Tanager RR** *Cyanicterus cyanicterus*  
A total of 8 on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 332. Blue-grey Tanager** *Thraupis episcopus*  
Observed 11 dates.
- 333. Palm Tanager** *Thraupis palmarum*  
Observed on 12 dates.
- 334. Turquoise Tanager** *Tangara mexicana*  
21-11: 1 at Peperpot.  
25-11: 1 at Zintete.
- 335. Paradise Tanager** *Tangara chilensis paradisea*  
A total of 7 on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 336. Opal-rumped Tanager** *Tangara velia*  
A total of 8 on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 337. Bay-headed Tanager** *Tangara gyrola*  
24-11: 1 at Brownsberg.  
26-11: 1 at Zintete.
- 338. Black-faced Dacnis** *Dacnis lineata*  
26-11: 1 at Zintete.
- 339. Blue Dacnis** *Dacnis cayana*  
Single birds on 2 dates at Zintete.
- 340. Purple Honeycreeper** *Cyanerpes caeruleus*  
Single birds on 2 dates at Brownsberg.  
26-11: 4 at Zintete.  
01-12: 1 at Zintete.
- 341. Red-legged Honeycreeper** *Cyanerpes cyaneus*  
Single birds on 2 dates at Brownsberg.  
A total of 4 on 3 dates at Zintete.
- 342. Green Honeycreeper** *Chlorophanes spiza*  
A total of 6 on 2 dates at Brownsberg.  
A total of 10 on 4 dates at Zintete.
- 343. Yellow-backed Tanager** *Hemithraupis flavicollis*  
26-11: 1 at Zintete.
- 344. Guira Tanager** *Hemithraupis guira ssp.nigrigula*  
26-11: 2 at Zintete.
- 345. Bicolored Conebill RR** *Conirostrum bicolor*  
21-11: 1 at Leonsberg.
- 346. Wedge-tailed Grass-Finch** *Emberizoides herbicola*  
02-12: 1 at Zanderij airfield.
- 347. Blue-black Grassquit** *Volatina jacarina*  
Observed on 7 dates.
- 348. Wing-barred Seedeater** *Sporophila americana*  
21-11: 2 at Peperpot.  
25-11: 10 on transit.  
03-12: 1 at Colakreek.
- 349. Ruddy-breasted Seedeater** *Sporophila minuta*  
22-11: 1 on transit.
- 350. Bananaquit** *Coereba flaveola*  
Observed on 8 dates.



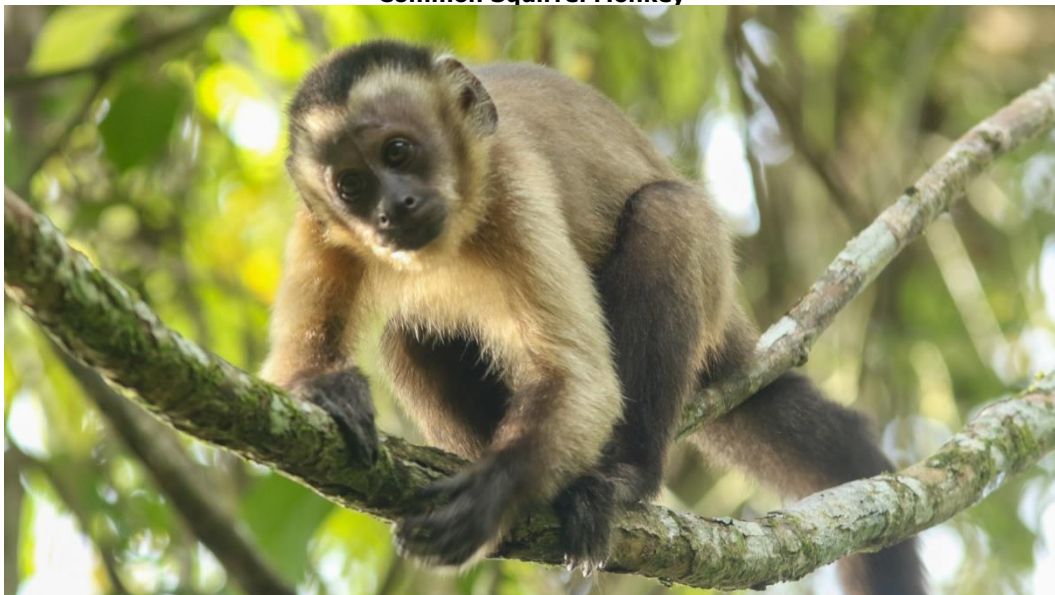
- 351. Slate-colored Grosbeak** *Saltator grossus*  
23-11: 1 at Brownsberg.  
26-11: 1 at Zintete.  
01-12: 1 at Zintete.
- 352. Greyish Saltator** *Saltator coerescens olivascens*  
26-11: 1 at Zintete.
- 353. Grassland Sparrow** *Ammodramus humeralis*  
Observed on 4 dates in the Zanderij area.
- 354. Pectoral Sparrow** *Arremon taciturnus*  
24-11: 1 at Brownsberg.
- 355. Summer Tanager** *Piranga ruber*  
24-11: 2 at Brownsberg.
- 356. Rose-breasted Chat** *Granatellus pelzelni*  
27-11: 3 just behind our camp, Zintete. Great views.  
01-12: heard near the Cock of the Rock Lek, Zintete.
- 357. Yellow-green Grosbeak RR** *Caryothraustes canadensis*  
26-11: HO Zintete.
- 358. Riverbank Warbler** *Myiothlypis rivularis mesoleuca*  
21-11: HO at Peperpot.
- 359. Green Oropendola** *Psarocolius viridis*  
23-11: a single bird at Brownsberg.  
Commonly and daily observed at Zintete.  
03-12: 6 at Colakreek.
- 360. Crested Oropendola** *Psarocolius decumanus*  
Observed on 8 dates.
- 361. Yellow-rumped Cacique** *Cacicus cela*  
21-11: 2 at Peperpot.
- 362. Red-rumped Cacique** *Cacicus haemorrhous*  
18-11: 10+ at Zintete.
- 367. Epaulet (Moriche) Oriole** *Icterus cayanensis chrysocephalus*  
04-12: 1 at Colakreek.  
HBW splits this off as **Moriche Oriole** *I. chrysocephalus*
- 368. Giant Cowbird** *Molothrus oryzivorus*  
21-11: 1 near Peperpot.  
22-11: 2 near Zanderij.
- 369. Shiny Cowbird** *Molothrus bonariensis minimus*  
21-11: 10+ Peperpot.  
04-12: 2 near Zanderij.
- 370. Red-breasted Meadowlark** *Sturnella militaris*  
21-11: 1 in Paramaribo.  
22-11: 10 near Zanderij.
- 371. Eastern Meadowlark** *Sturnella magna praticola*  
Observed on 4 dates in the Zanderij area.
- 372. Finsch's Euphonia RR** *Euphonia finschi*  
24-11: 1 at Brownsberg.  
03-12: 1 at Colakreek.
- 373. Violaceous Euphonia** *Euphonia violacea*  
21-11: 6 at Peperpot.  
26-11: 4 at Zintete.  
04-12: 3 at Colakreek.
- 374. Golden-sided Euphonia RR** *Euphonia cayennensis*  
A total of 4 on 3 dates at Brownsberg.  
27-11: 1 at Zintete.

**LIST OF OBSERVED MAMMALS**

1. **Tayra** *Eira Barbara*.  
Zintete and Colakreek
2. **Red-rumped Agouti** *Dasyprocta leporine*  
Brownsberg and Zintete
3. **Guianan Brown Capuchin** *Cebus paella*  
Peperpot
4. **Common Squirrel Monkey** *Saimiri sciureus*  
Peperpot
5. **Guianan Red Howler Monkey** *Alouatta macconnelli*  
Brownsberg and Zintete
6. **Golden-handed Tamarin** *Saguinus midas*  
Zintete
7. **Jaguar** *Panthera onca*  
Zintete



**Common Squirrel Monkey**



**Guianan Brown Capuchin**



**Tayra**



**Red-rumped Agouti**



**PHOTOGRAPHIC IMPRESSION**



**Rufous Crabhawk** *Buteogallus aequinoctialis*



**Slender-billed Kite** *Helicolestes hamatus*



**King Vulture** *Sarcoramphus papa*



**Lesser Yellow-headed Vulture** *Cathartes burrovianus*



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**Double-toothed Kite** *Harpagus bidentatus*



**Lined Forest-falcon** *Micrastur gilvicollis*

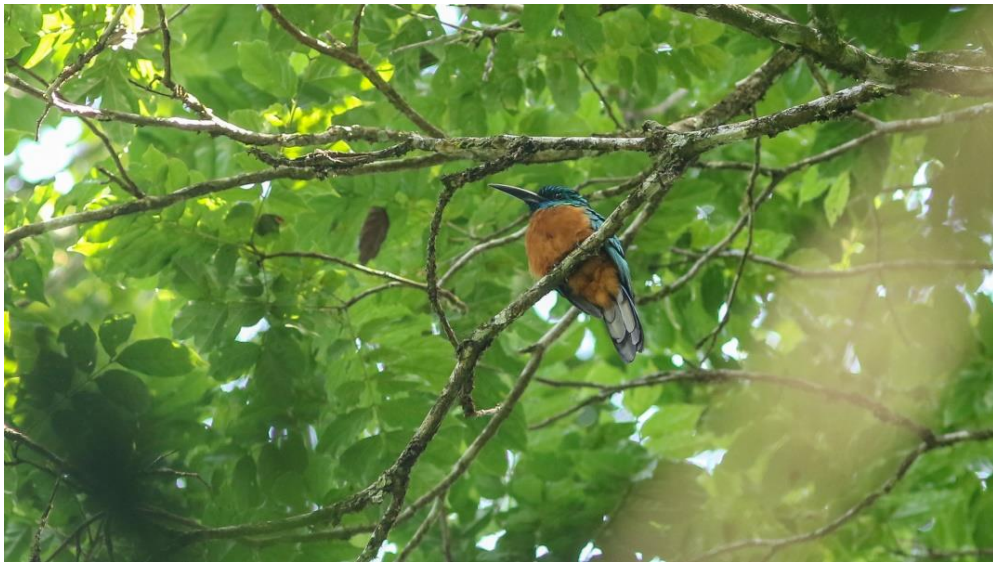


**Great Potoo** *Nyctibius grandis*



**Lesser Nighthawk** *Chordeiles acutipennis*





**Great Jacamar** *Jacamerops aureus*



**Paradise Jacamar** *Galbula dea*



**Green-tailed Jacamar** *Galbula galbula*





**Yellow-billed Jacamar** *Galbula albirostris*



**Brown Jacamar** *Brachygalba lugubris*



**Painted Parakeet** *Pyrrhura picta*



**Guianan Puffbird** *Notharchus macrorhynchos*



**White-chested Puffbird** *Malacoptila fusca*

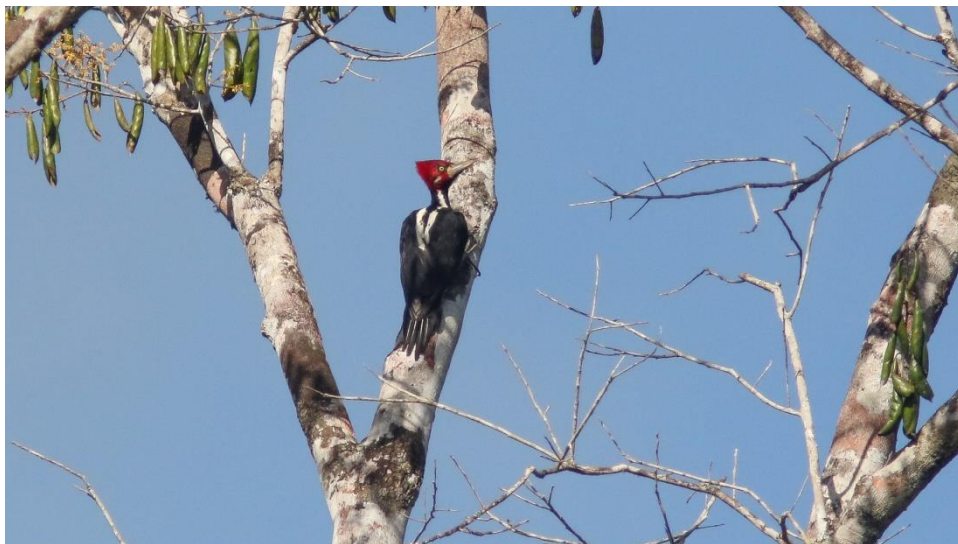


**Green-backed Trogon** *Trogon viridis*

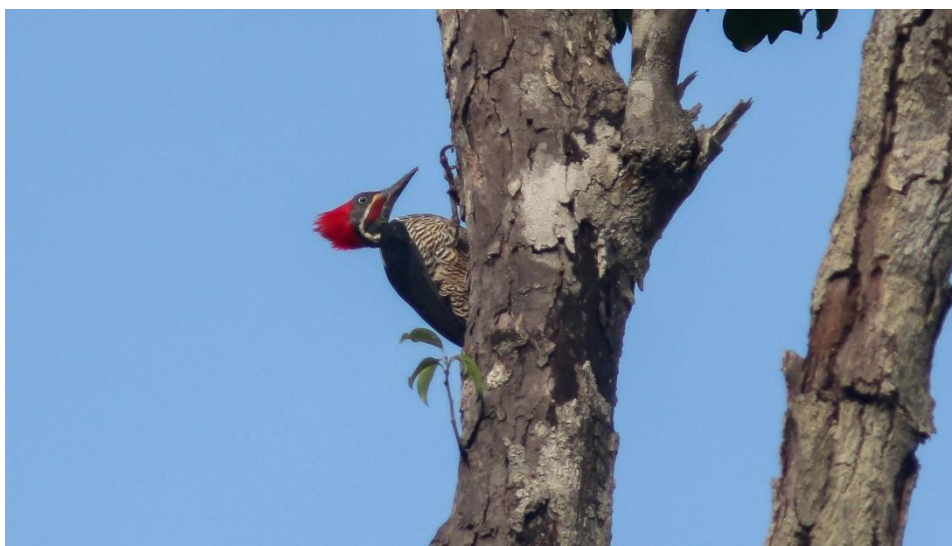




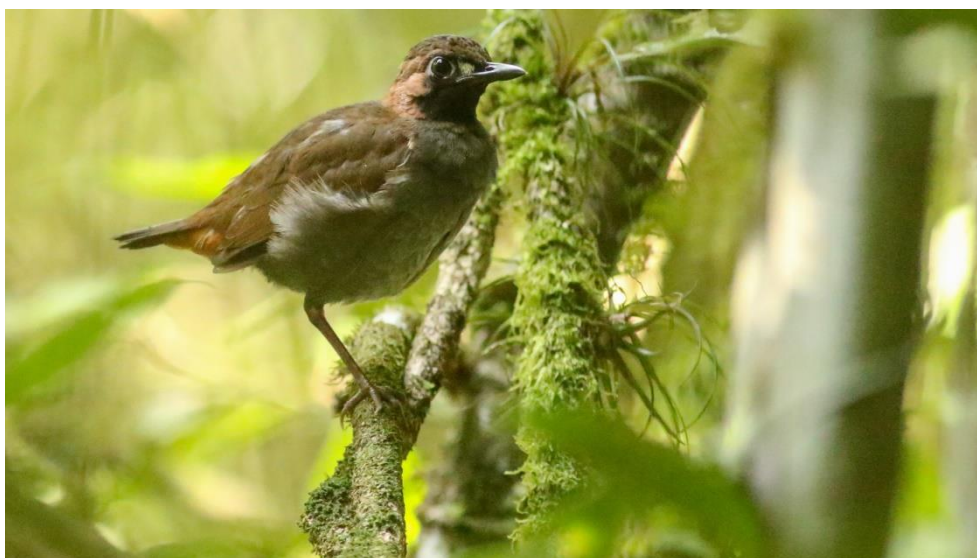
**Black-eared Fairy** *Heliothryx auritus*



**Crimson-crested Woodpecker** *Campephilus melanoleucos*



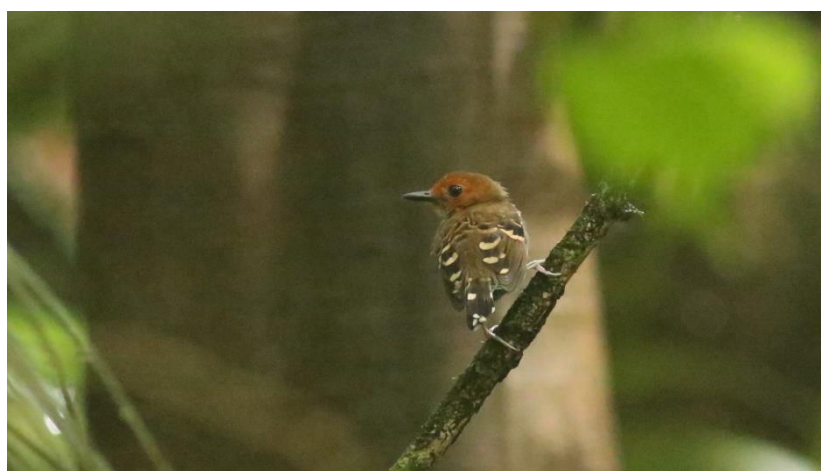
**Lineated Woodpecker** *Dryocopus lineatus*



**Black-faced Antthrush** *Formicarius analis*



**Southern White-fringed Antwren** *Formicivora grisea*

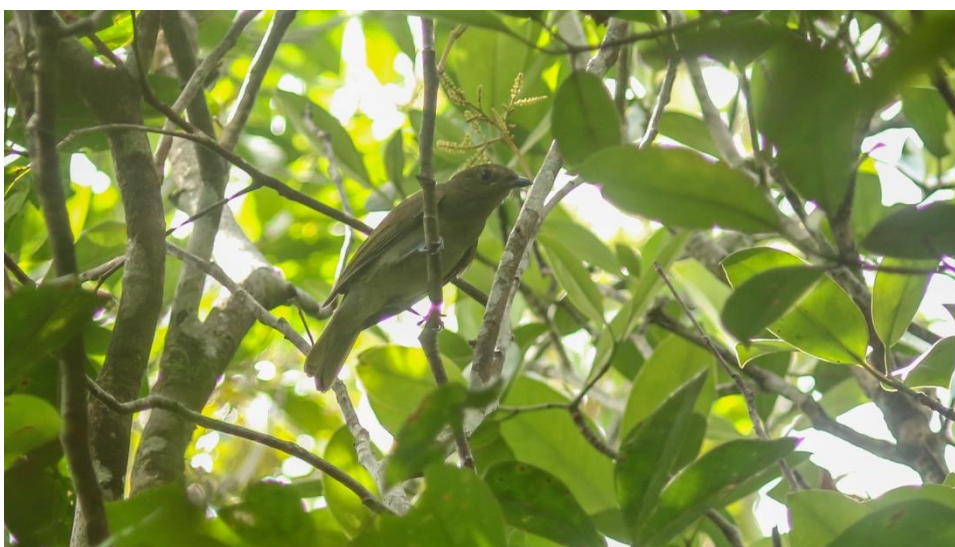


**Common Scale-backed Antwren** *Willisornis poecilinotus*





**Spectacled Thrush** *Turdus nudigens*



**Guianan Schiffornis** *Schiffornis olivacea*



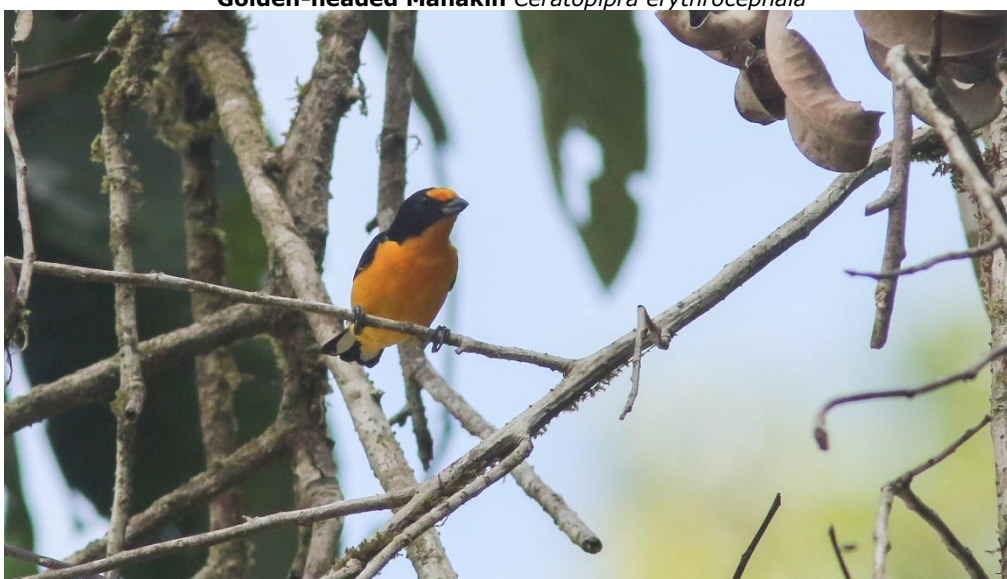
**Double-banded Pygmy-tyrant** *Lophotriccus vitiensis*



**Black Nunbird** *Monasa atra*



**Golden-headed Manakin** *Ceratopira erythrocephala*



**Violaceous Euphonia** *Euphonia violacea*





**Marail Guan** *Penelope marail*



**Guianan Cock-of-the-Rock** *Rupicola rupicola*