



THABA BOLAYI PRIVATE NATURE RESERVE

BIRD LIST

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Afrikaans		English	
DUIKER		CORMORANTS AND DARTERS	
Rietduiker		Reed Cormorant	
IBISSE		IBISES	
Hadeda		Hadeda Ibis	
REIERS, WITREIERS EN RIETREIERS		HERONS, EGRETS AND BITTERNS	
Gewone Nagreier		Black-crowned Night Heron	
Groenrugreier		Green-backed Heron	
Bloureier		Grey Heron	
Veereier		Western Cattle Egret	
Dwergrietreier		Dwarf Bittern	
OOIEVAARS		STORKS	
Grootswartooievaar		Black Stork	
Nimmersat		Yellow-billed Stork	
Saalbekooievaar		Saddle-billed Stork	
HAMERKOP		HAMERKOP	
Hamerkop		Hamerkop	
DOBBERTJIES		GREBES	
Kleindobbertjie		Little Grebe	
EENDE EN GANSE		DUCKS AND GEESE	
Nonnetjie-eend		White-faced Whistling Duck	
Knobbeleend		Knob-billed Duck	
Kolgans		Egyptian Goose	
AASVOËLS		VULTURES	
Witruugaasvoël		White-backed Vulture	
Swartaasvoël		Lappet-faced Vulture	
GROOT ARENDE		LARGE EAGLES	
Visarend		African Fish Eagle	
Witkruisarend		Verreaux's Eagle	
Breëkoparend		Martial Eagle	
BRUIN ARENDE		BROWN EAGLES	
Bruinarend		Wahlberg's Eagle	
KLEINER ARENDE		SMALLER EAGLES	
Langkuifarend		Long-crested Eagle	
Grootjagarend		African Hawk-Eagle	
SLANGARENDE		SNAKE EAGLES	
Bruinslangarend		Brown Snake Eagle	
Swartborsslangarend		Black-chested Snake Eagle	
MILVUS-WOUE		MILVUS KITES	
Swartwou		Black Kite	
Geelbekwou		Yellow-billed Kite	
JAKKALSVOËL		BROWN BUZZARDS	
Bruinjakkalsvoël		Common Buzzard	
KLEIN WOUE EN VALKE		SMALL KITES AND HAWKS	
Blouvalk		Black-winged Kite	

Afrikaans		English	
VALK		CHANTING GOSHAWKS	
Bleeksingvalk		Pale Chanting Goshawk	
Witkruissperwer		Gabar Goshawk	
SPERWER		ACCIPITERS	
Swartsperwer		Black Sparrowhawk	
Kleinsperwer		Little Sparrowhawk	
Gebande Sperwer		Shikra	
KAALWANGVALKE		HARRIER-HAWKS	
Kaalwangvalk		African Harrier-Hawk	
ROOIVALKE		KESTRELS	
Kransvalk		Rock Kestrel	
VOLSTRUISE		OSTRICHES	
Volstruis		Common Ostrich	
TARENDAAL		GUINEAFOWL	
Kuifkoptarentaal		Crested Guineafowl	
Gewone Tarentaal		Helmeted Guineafowl	
PATRYSE EN FISANTE		SPURFOWL AND FRANCOLINS	
Natalse Fisant		Natal Spurfowl	
Bospatrys		Crested Francolin	
Swempie		Coqui Francolin	
KWARTELTJIE		BUTTONQUAILS	
Bosveldkwarteltjie		Common Buttonquail	
BLESCHOENDERS, WATERHOENDERS EN RIETHANE		COOTS, MOORHENS, SWAMPHENS, GALLINULES AND CRAKES	
Kleinwaterhoender		Lesser Moorhen	
Swartriethaan		Black Crake	
Afrikaanse Riethaan		African Crake	
GROOT POUE		LARGE BUSTARDS	
Gompou		Kori Bustard	
KORHANE		SMALL BUSTARDS AND KORHAANS	
Boskorhaan		Red-crested Korhaan	
DRAWWERTJIE		COURSERS	
Trekdrawwertjie		Temminck's Courser	
KIEWIETE		LAPWINGS	
Bontkiewiet		Blacksmith Lapwing	
Kroonkiewiet		Crowned Lapwing	
CHARADRIUS STRANDKIEWIETE		CHARADRIUS PLOVERS	
Driebandstrandkiewiet		Three-banded Plover	
Ringnekstrandkiewiet		Common Ringed Plover	
GOUDSNIPPE		PAINTED-SNIPES	
Goudsnip		Greater Painted-snipe	
RUITERS		SANDPIPERS	
Bosruiter		Wood Sandpiper	

Afrikaans		English	
SANDPATRYSE		SANDGROUSE	
Dubbelbandsandpatrys		Double-banded Sandgrouse	
DUIWE		PIGEONS AND DOVES	
Kransduif		Speckled Pigeon	
Grootringduif		Red-eyed Dove	
Gewone Tortelduif		Cape Turtle Dove	
Rooiborsduifie		Laughing Dove	
Papegaaiduif		African Green Pigeon	
Groenvlekduifie		Emerald-spotted Wood Dove	
Namakwaduifie		Namaqua Dove	
PAPEGAAIE		PARROTS	
Bosveldpapegaaie		Meyer's Parrot	
LOERIES		LOURIES	
Kwêvoël		Grey Go-away-bird (Lourie)	
KOEKOEKE		CUCKOOS	
Swartkoekoek		Black Cuckoo	
Gestreepte Nuwejaarsvoël		Levaillant's Cuckoo	
Bontnuwejaarsvoël		Jacobin Cuckoo	
Gevlekte Koekoek		Great Spotted Cuckoo	
Diederikkie		Diederik Cuckoo	
Meitjie		Klaas's Cuckoo	
VLEILOERIE		COUCALS	
Gewone Vleilorie		Burchell's Coucal	
Senegalvleilorie		Senegal Coucal	
UILE		OWLS AND BARN OWLS	
Witkoluil		Pearl-spotted Owlet	
Gevlekte Ooruil		Spotted Eagle-Owl	
Nonnetjie-uil		Western Barn Owl	
NAGUILE		NIGHTJARS	
Afrikaanse Naguil		Fiery-necked Nightjar	
Donkernaguil		Freckled Nightjar	
WINDSWAELS EN STEKELSTERTE		SWIFTS AND SPINETAILS	
Europese Windswael		Common Swift	
Kleinwindswael		Little Swift	
Palmwindswael		African Palm Swift	
MUISVOËLS		MOUSEBIRDS	
Gevlekte Muisvoël		Speckled Mousebird	
Rooiwangmuisvoël		Red-faced Mousebird	
VISVANGERS		KINGFISHERS	
Bontvisvanger		Pied Kingfisher	
Kuifkopvisvanger		Malachite Kingfisher	
Dwergvisvanger		African Pygmy Kingfisher	
Bosveldvisvanger		Woodland Kingfisher	
Bruinkopvisvanger		Brown-hooded Kingfisher	

Afrikaans		English	
BYVRETERS		BEE-EATERS	
Europese Byvreter		European Bee-eater	
Rooikeelbyvreter		White-fronted Bee-eater	
Rooiborsbyvreter		Southern Carmine Bee-eater	
Swaelstertbyvreter		Swallow-tailed Bee-eater	
Kleinbyvreter		Little Bee-eater	
TROUPANTE		ROLLERS	
Gewone Troupant		Lilac-breasted Roller	
Europese Troupant		European Roller	
Groottroupant		Purple Roller	
Geelbektroupant		Broad-billed Roller	
BROMVOËL		GROUND HORNBILLS	
Bromvoël		Southern Ground Hornbill	
NEUSHORINGVOËLS		HORNBILLS	
Grysneushoringvoël		African Grey Hornbill	
Geelbekneushoringvoël		Southern Yellow-billed Hornbill	
Rooibekneushoringvoël		Southern Red-billed Hornbill	
KAKELAARS EN HOEPHOEPE		WOOD HOOPOES, SCIMITARBILLS AND HOOPOES	
Rooibekkakelaar		Green Wood Hoopoe	
Swartbekkakelaar		Common Scimitarbill	
Hoephoep		African Hoopoe	
HOUTKAPPERS EN TINKERS		BARBETS AND TINKERBIRDS	
Rooikophoutkapper		Black-collared Barbet	
Kuifkophoutkapper		Crested Barbet	
Bonthoutkapper		Acacia Pied Barbet	
HEUNINGWYSERS EN HEUNINGVOËLS		HONEYGUIDES AND HONEYBIRDS	
Grootheuningwyser		Greater Honeyguide	
Kleinheuningwyser		Lesser Honeyguide	
SPEGTE		WOODPECKERS	
Goudstertspeg		Golden-tailed Woodpecker	
Baardspeg		Bearded Woodpecker	
Kardinaalspeg		Cardinal Woodpecker	
LEWERIKE		LARKS	
Bosveldlewerik		Monotonous Lark	
KOESTERS		PIPITS	
Bosveldkoester		Bushveld Pipit	
SWAELS		SWALLOWS	
Europese Swael		Barn Swallow	
Draadstertswael		Wire-tailed Swallow	
Witkeelswael		White-throated Swallow	
Pêrelborsswael		Pearl-breasted Swallow	
BYVANGER		DRONGOS	
Mikstertbyvanger		Fork-tailed Drongo	

Afrikaans		English	
KATAKOEROE		CUCKOOSHRIKES	
Witborskatakoeroe		White-breasted Cuckooshrike	
WIELEWALE		ORIOLES	
Europese Wielewaal		Eurasian Golden Oriole	
Swartkopwielewaal		Black-headed Oriole	
KRAAIE		CROWS AND RAVENS	
Witborskraai		Pied Crow	
MESE		TITS	
Gewone Swartmees		Southern Black Tit	
KATLAGTER		BABBLERS	
Pylvlekkatlagter		Arrow-marked Babbler	
TIPTOLLE, WILLIES EN BOSKRUIPERS		BULBULS AND GREENBULS	
Boskrapper		Terrestrial Brownbul	
Swartoogtiptol		Dark-capped Bulbul	
Geelborswillie		Yellow-bellied Greenbul	
LYSTERS		THRUSHES	
Rooibeklyster		Kurrichane Thrush	
Gevlekte Lyster		Groundscraper Thrush	
WOUD EN BERGLYSTERS		ALETHES, ROCKJUMPERS AND CHATS	
Dassievoël		Mocking Cliff Chat	
SPEKVRETERS EN SKAAPWAGTERS		CHATS AND WHEATEARS	
Gewone Spekvreter		Familiar Chat	
WIPSTERTE		SCRUB ROBINS	
Baardwipstert		Bearded Scrub Robin	
Gestreepte Wipstert		White-browed Scrub Robin	
JANFREDERIKE		ROBIN-CHATS	
Witkeeljanfrederik		White-throated Robin-Chat	
Heuglinjanfrederik		White-browed Robin-Chat	
STOMPSTERT		CROMBECS	
Bosveldstompstert		Long-billed Crombec	
KAPOKVOËLS		PENDULINE TITS	
Gryskapokvoël		Grey Penduline Tit	
Kaapse Kapokvoël		Cape Penduline Tit	
BOSSANGERS		EREMOMELAS	
Bruinkeelbossanger		Burnt-necked Eremomela	
Donkerwangbossanger		Green-capped Eremomela	
CURRUCA EN SYLVIA-SANGERS		CURRUCA AND SYLVIA WARBLERS	
Bosveldtjeriktik		Chestnut-vented Warbler	
TINKINKIES (ONGESTREEPTE RUG)		PLAIN-BACKED CISTICOLAS	
Rooiwangtinktinkie		Red-faced Cisticola	
STREEPRUGTINKINKIES		STREAK-BACKED CISTICOLAS	
Bosveldtinktinkie		Rattling Cisticola	

Afrikaans		English	
LANGSTERTJIES EN -SANGERS		PRINIAS AND PRINIA-LIKE WARBLERS	
Swartbandlangstertjie		Black-chested Prinia	
Bruinsylangstertjie		Tawny-flanked Prinia	
Gebande Sanger		Barred Wren-Warbler	
Gysrugkwêkwêvoël		Grey-backed Camaroptera	
GROOT VLIEËVANGERS		LARGE FLYCATCHERS	
Swartvlieëvanger		Southern Black Flycatcher	
Maricovlieëvanger		Marico Flycatcher	
KLEIN VLIEËVANGERS		SMALL FLYCATCHERS	
Blougrysvlieëvanger		Ashy Flycatcher	
Waaierstertvlieëvanger		Grey-Tit Flycatcher	
Europese Vlieëvanger		Spotted Flycatcher	
Paradysvlieëvanger		African Paradise Flycatcher	
BOSBONTROKKIE		BATISES	
Witliesbosbontrokkie		Chinspot Batis	
HEMLAKSMANNE		HELMETSHRIKES	
Withelmlaksman		White-crested Helmetshrike	
Swarthelmlaksman		Retz's Helmetshrike	
KLEIN BOSLAKSMANNE		SMALL BUSHSHRIKES	
Bontroklaksman		Brubru	
Sneeubal		Black-backed Puffback	
WARE LAKSMANNE		TRUE SHRIKES	
Gryslaksman		Lesser Grey Shrike	
Kremetartlaksman		Southern White-crowned Shrike	
WATERFISKAAL		BOUBOUS	
Suidelike Waterfiskaal		Southern Boubou	
Tropiese Waterfiskaal		Tropical Boubou	
TJAGRAS		TCHAGRAS	
Rooivlerktjagra		Brown-crowned Tchagra	
Swartkroontjagra		Black-crowned Tchagra	
GROEN BOSLAKSMANNE		GREEN BUSHSHRIKES	
Oranjeborsoslaksman		Orange-breasted Bushshrike	
Spookvoël		Grey-headed Bushshrike	
SPREEUS		STARLINGS AND MYNAS	
Kleinglansspreeu		Cape (Glossy) Starling	
Groot-blouoorglansspreeu		Greater Blue-eared Starling	
Witborsspreeu		Violet-backed Starling	
Indiese Spreeu		Common Myna	
RENOSTERVOËLS		OXPECKERS	
Rooibekrenostervoël		Red-billed Oxpecker	
SUIKERBEKKIES		SUNBIRDS	
Maricosuikerbekkie		Marico Sunbird	
Witpenssuikerbekkie		White-bellied Sunbird	

Afrikaans		English	
MOSSIES		SPARROWS	
Huismossie		House Sparrow	
Gryskopmossie		Southern grey-headed Sparrow	
WEWERS		WEAVERS	
Koringvoël		White-browed Sparrow-Weaver	
Buffelwewer		Red-billed Buffalo Weaver	
Bontrugwewer		Village Weaver	
Swartkeelgeelving		Southern Masked Weaver	
Kleingeelvink		Lesser Masked Weaver	
Brilwewer		Spectacled Weaver	
Rooikopwewer		Red-headed Weaver	
KWELEAS		QUELEAS	
Rooibekkwelea		Red-billed Quelea	
ROOIBEKKIES, PARADYS-EN BLOUVINKE		WHYDAHs AND INDIGOBIRDS	
Gewone Paradysvink		Long-tailed Paradise-Whydah	
Witpootblouvinkie		Purple Indigobird	
Staalblouvinkie		Village Indigobird	
FRETTE, SYSIES EN VERWANTE VINKE		MANNIKINS, WAXBILLS AND FINCHES	
Bandkeelvink		Cut-throat Finch	
Rooikopvink		Red-headed Finch	
Gewone Blousysie		Blue Waxbill	
Rooibeksysie		Common Waxbill	
Swartwangsysie		Black-faced Waxbill	
Jamesonvuurvinkie		Jameson's Firefinch	
Rooibekvuurvinkie		Red-billed Firefinch	
Oranjevlrkmelba		Orange-winged Pytilia	
Gewone Melba		Green-winged Pytilia	
KANARIES EN PIETJIEKANARIES		SEED-EATERS, CANARIES AND SISKINS	
Geeloogkanarie		Yellow-fronted Canary	
STREEPKOPPIE		BUNTINGS	
Klipstreekoppie		Cinnamon-breasted Bunting	
Rooirugstreekoppie		Golden-breasted Bunting	

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