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# Introduction

Heliangelus's first Brazilian Safari last year was a great success. The logistics worked well and we managed to find no less than 555 species of birds in 18 days. This would surely make people interested to sign up for a similar trip in 2009. Yes, so I thought, but as late as the beginning of March I only had 1-2 participants. I was on the verge of cancelling the trip entirely when Henrik Lind called me and said that ha might have three people for the trip. Miraculously I ended up with six participants, although one dropped out just weeks before departure.

If last year's tour worked rather smoothly logistically, unfortunately that was not the case this year. Thanks to my awareness and our local guide André (Pantanal, Emas and Chapada) none of several unnecessary issues developed into trouble, but it was frustrating for me as a leader to have to worry about these things. Together we solved everything in a more or less favourable way, though. Best of all was that we were allowed to occupy a lecture hall inside Emas NP, instead of camping. Extensive road works on our nightbus ride between Cuiabá and Alta Floresta made a purchase of flight tickets for the return journey a necessity (not for Lori, though), which certainly made our long journey home more pleasurable. In the end everybody in the group were quite happy with the trip, and a good aid was the message printed on my newly purchased Obama t-shirt: *Yes we can*. We recorded 513 species of birds and 23 species of mammals, not quite as good as last year (except for the mammals) but still a quite good result during this time of the year.

Among the many highlights can be mentioned Lesser Nothura, Rufous-thighed Kite, Crowned Solitary and Harpy Eagles (what a pair!), Ornate and Black-and-white Hawk-Eagles, Long-winged Harrier, Cryptic (attack!) and Slaty-backed Forest-Falcons, Bare-faced (very tame in Emas!) and Razor-billed Curassows, Red-legged Seriemas at close range, Sunbittern, Sungrebe, Giant Snipe, Hyacinth Macaw, Yellow-faced Parrot, Pavonine Cuckoo (heard), Nacunda Nighthawks by the hundreds, Rufous and Scissor-tailed Nightjars, fantastic studies of Biscutate Swifts, Horned Sungem, Bronzy Jacamar, Brown-banded Puffbird, Curl-crested Aracari, Campo Miner, Planalto Foliage-gleaner, Bare-eyed and Banded Antbirds, Snethlage's Gnateater, Collared Crescent-chest, Rufous-sided Pygmy-Tyrant, Sharptailed and Cock-tailed Tyrants, Chapada Flycatcher, Zimmer's Tody-Tyrant, Helmeted and Fiery-capped Manakins, Pompadour Cotinga, White-browed Purpletuft, Tooth-billed Wren, the ultra rare Cone-billed Tanager (again!), Short-billed Honeycreeper, Coal-crested and Black-masked Finches, Maned Wolf, Ocelot and six Giant Anteaters. Many thanks to Markus for helping out with photos!

When the next trip to Brazil takes place I do not know, but it will probably include Emas and a newly discovered site for Brazilian Merganser near Mineiros. Perhaps in combination with the southeast ...

/Samuel Hansson

# **Brief descriptions of visited sites**

# Transpantaneira, Pantanal

Classic grounds for nature travelers from all over the world, for us Swedes well known through Arne Sucksdorff's book *A home on earth*. Transpantaneira cuts through the northern portion of the Pantanal offering fantastic opportunities to sample it's many wetland, brush and forest habitats with its multitude of birds, mammals and reptiles (of which we saw few this year except for the caymans). Large numbers of wetland birds, guaranteed observations of the remarkable Hyacinth Macaw and good chances on big mammals such as Tapir, Giant Otter, Puma and Jaguar is what people come here for.

# Parque Nacional das Emas

This beautiful and varied national park in Goiás is off the beaten track and has until recently seldom been visited by any foreign birders. It is however very well worth visiting, with great chances on mega rarities as Cone-billed Tanager, White-winged Nightjar and Crowned Solitary Eagle, sparsely distributed birds as Henna-capped Foliage-gleaner, Giant Snipe, Bearded Tachuri, Lesser Nothura and Black-billed Seed-Finch plus spectacular mammals such as Maned Wolf, Giant Anteater and Giant Armadillo. It's definitely a place you want to return to!

# Chapada dos Guimarães

This beautiful plateau mountain is one hour's drive from Cuiabá and a standard site for birders visiting the Transpantaneira. Cerrado and forests with Amazonian influences are the main habitats. Among the specialties can be mentioned Biscutate Swift, Cinnamon-throated Hermit, Dot-eared Coquette, Horned Sungem, Fire-capped and Helmeted Manakins, Chapada Flycatcher, Rufous-sided Pygmy-Tyrant and Coal-crested and Blue Finches. Weather is highly changeable, but this time we were lucky – no rain or heavy fog!

# **Cristalino Jungle Lodge**

No doubt the most visited lodge in southern Amazonian Brazil, Cristalino Lodge is situated near the east bank of Teles Pires in northernmost Mato Grosso. Even if a lot of forest has been cleared or burnt around Alta Floresta, the Cristalino Reserve and vast forest tracts to the north are virtually untouched. Hunting has been banned for a long time which means that Craciids, Peccaries and Tapirs are relatively common. I worked as a volunteer at Cristalino Lodge for 7 weeks in the fall of 2001 which produced 420 species. A detailed report was published which can be found elsewhere on this webpage or at <a href="https://www.club300.se">www.club300.se</a>. This and other reports provide information on the trail system and the birds that are special to the area.



# **Diary**

# Saturday 18/7

After a poor night's sleep at an airport couch at Arlanda I rose early to check in for the morning flight to **Amsterdam**. At Schiphol I met Peder. Henrik, Markus and Lori were already in Brazil while Staffan would arrive in São Paulo the following morning. The flight to **São Paulo** went well and soon we departed since Peder's flight to Cuiabá the next morning was leaving from the domestic airport Congonhas instead of Guarulhos. I had a pre-booked hotel room near the airport while Peder was going to spend his second not as comfortable night in a row at an airport couch. Already at 19.45 local time I was fast asleep.

# **Sunday 19/7**

I went to the airport at 07.00, found the right lane for the Cuiabá flight and soon located Markus, Henrik and Staffan. Lori was already in Cuiabá. Very good! Markus and Henrik had already been birding for a week around Ubatuba and Itatiaia and were quite happy with what they'd seen so far. We arrived in Cuiabá at 11.20 and were soon met by Lori, Peder and our local guide André. Excellent! Then followed the first surprise of the trip. Our vehicle was an old Volkswagen minibus, not what I had expected. Our luggage did however fit, and if André and I both sat in the front it would work. Our driver was called Luis. We drove to **Poconé** 1½ hours away where we got a lunch buffé after some searching. Then we headed for the **Transpantaneira**. The afternoon temperature was around 32 degrees, so we did sweat a bit. Our first stops produced many waterbirds including Jabiru, Maguari Stork, Roseate Spoonbill and Wood Stork at close range, Sunbittern, Green-barred Woodpecker, Gray-crested Cacholote, Greater Thornbird and many more. For some reason Luis had to go back to Cuiabá (hopefully to switch car), so we rushed a bit to get to Pousada Canto do Arancuã where we were going to spend the following two nights. Along the way Samuel spotted four Brazilian Teals without noticing the others, something that would haunt the tour leader for days to come. At the lodge a flying Hyacinth Macaw made a spectacular and highly desireable welcome! A short evening walk gave Pale-crested Woodpecker, Ferruginous Pygmy-Owl, Great Potoo and Tropical Screech-Owl (heard). The day's total ended at moderate 86 species. Nice to be back in the Pantanal!



Rufous Hornero at nest and Sungrebe at Canto do Arancuã.

# Monday 20/7

This our first full birding day was spent around Canto do Arancuã. The morning took us mainly roadside and forest birding and kept us quite busy in the beginning while things didn't move around as much in the forest. Among the birds seen were Undulated Tinamou, Aplomado Falcon, Blue-fronted Amazon, Rufous-tailed Jacamar, Blue-crowned Trogon, Whitewedged Piculet, Pale-crested and Goldengreen Woodpeckers, White-lored Spinetail, Great Rufous Woodcreeper, Red-billed Scythebill, Mato Grosso Antbird, Forest Elaenia, Rusty-fronted Tody-Flycatcher, Fuscous Flycatcher, Rufous Casiornis, Green-backed Becard,

Flavescent Warbler, Hooded Tanager, Chestnut-vented Conebill and Silvery Marmoset. It was another hot day, so we had a siesta and were supposed to walk towards the Río Clarinho at 15.00. André had to go away on an "emergency" mission, so we ended up on the river without him. What was going on with my local agent? Anyway, no harm was done. We were paddled along the Río Clarinho and had a pleasant evening. Band-tailed Antbird, Rufous-backed Spinetail and Sungrebe were extremely coope-

rative, and we also saw many herons, Black-collared Hawk, 34 Band-tailed Nighthawks, Cream-colored Woodpecker, Pale-legged Hornero and Giant Otter. Not as lucky as last year but still very nice. André met us with our old Volkswagen bus on the rivershore. After dinner we went for a short night drive which gave Great Potoo, Tropical Screech-Owl and four Crab-eating Foxes. The vehicle issue got even more disturbing since our driver wasn't here and another group was involved in need of transport. Unacceptable! Poor André had to try to solve the situation which neither of us were responsible for ...





The beautiful Pale-crested Woodpecker at Canto do Arancuã.

# Tuesday 21/7

Since we missed out on several important species on the boat trip yesterday we made another try this morning. It was just as pleasant and we managed to see our first Bare-faced Curassows, Boat-billed Heron, Green-and-rufous Kingfisher and more Sungrebes. Afterwards we headed southwards along the Transpantaneira with André as our driver which at least meant more space in the car. Roadside birding produced Plumbeous Ibis, Scarlet-headed and Unicolored Blackbirds, White-headed Marsh-Tyrant, Great Black-Hawk and of course many waterbirds. We arrived at **Jaguar Lodge** around noon and weren't exactly expected, not even properly greeted. We did get our rooms after a while, but the lunch wasn't ready until 14.00 or later. Around 15.00 we headed south towards **Campo Jofre** and reached this vast, open wetland area after half an hour. The numbers of wetland birds were fair if not overly impressive, but we sure kept busy scanning for various herons, Limpkin, Southern Screamer,



Wood Stork was a common species this year with several hundreds in total.

Black-bellied Whistling-Duck, Nacunda Nighthawks in huge numbers, Snail Kite, Largebilled and Yellow-billed Terns, Black Skimmer, Yellowchinned Spinetail, Blackbacked Water-Tyrant, Whiterumped Swallow, Black-capped Donacobius, Rusty-collared Seedeater and Capybara. Great Horned Owls at their nest was a thrilling sight! We returned to Jaguar Lodge spotlighting, but unfortunately we found nothing in particular. 137 species were recorded during the day, which is a quite normal figure here!

# Wednesday 22/7

This morning it was time for some more forest birding on a nearby trail. One of the first birds we encountered was the Fawn-breasted Wren, a species of very restricted habitat in the Pantanal. We walked slowly through the forest and soon had a decent list including Buff-bellied Hermit, Blue-crowned Trogon, Plain Tyrannulet, Stripe-necked Tody-Tyrant, White-eyed Attila (came in superbly to playback!), White-winged Becard, Tropical Parula, Guira and Gray-headed Tanagers and Chestnut-vented Conebill. Butterflies were plentiful, including many Helenor Morphos. Back at Jaguar Lodge we found a couple of beautiful White Woodpeckers. After lunch we had a siesta until 14.30 when we headed for **Porto Jofre**. At Campo Jofre André told me that we were a bit short of gas, but he thought that we could buy some in Porto Jofre. In any case we would get back to the lodge without any problem. We birded the Campo Jofre with about the same result as yesterday, but today we had larger



Helenor Morpho and Chestnut-eared Aracaris.

numbers of White-rumped Swallow and Nacunda Nighthawk (at least 400!). At the end of Campo Jofre when trees started to appear again we had a couple of productive stops which gave Striped Cuckoo, Cream-colored Woodpecker, Great and Barred Antshrikes, the much wanted Helmeted Manakin and Black Howler Monkey. We reached Porto Jofre at dusk, got a view of Río Cuiabá and then searched in vain for somebody who could sell us some gas; that issue had to be solved in another way. We spotlighted our way back to the lodge and first got nice views of couple of male Scissor-tailed Nightjars. An animal walking on the road was first mistaken for an Ocelot despite its rather clumsy movements – it had to be a Crab-eating Racoon. Just a few hundred meters from the lodge we found a real Ocelot! No Jaguar, but at least a beautiful cat. Our daily total landed on 140 species.

# Thursday 23/7

This our fourth morning in the Pantanal we went to a nearby forest road and birded the grounds of an abandoned IBAMA research station. This place for some reason abounds in large sized birds, and we had several very nice encounters including Whistling Heron, Bare-faced Curassow, Chestnut-bellied Guan, Blue-throated Piping-Guan, Hyacinth Macaw, Toco Toucan and Crimson-crested Woodpecker. Very dark clouds and an increasing wind made us retreat to Jaguar Lodge which turned out to be a smart move, because soon the rain was pouring from the sky. It continued throughout the morning with some intermissions. Markus and Samuel had a lot of water leaking into their room and Samuel made it his job to clean up the floor – it took at least 30 full towels! Gas was supposed to arrive in the

late morning, but due to poor road conditions it got delayed. We had eaten lunch and were on our way to load the bus when it finally came, so we didn't lose any time. In any case it rained most of the way to Pouso Alegre. A Tayra and a Marsh Deer made quick appearences on the road, otherwise we did little birding because of the poor weather. André had to concentrate hard behind the wheels because much of the road was in a pretty bad shape. At least we picked up some cute Long-tailed Ground-Doves before we reached our last Pantanal lodge. The surroundings of Pouso Alegre were full of waterbirds. A juvenile Muscovy Duck caused some identification problems, otherwise we just enjoyed watching ibises, storks, stilts, herons and all those Nacundas. The night temperature dove to about 10 degrees and it rained for hours ...



# Friday 24/7

Our last morning in the Pantanal was pretty cold. It rained at dawn. We ate a slow breakfast, waited a bit and then headed out for some birding when the rain got less intense. Actually it pretty much stopped once we'd hit the road. Several of the birds we missed could be found in nearby bush country mixed with tall grass. Rusty-backed Antwren came in nicely after playback, but the Cinereousbreasted Spinetail totally eluded us. Long-tailed Ground-Doves, Sunbitterns, Black Skimmers, Green Ibises, Limpkins and many others were seen at close range. Back at the lodge we got scope views of a male Lineated Woodpecker. We were supposed to have an early lunch at 11.30, but it took at least an hour longer before it was ready. Finally we were ready to leave at 14.00. Our last birding along the Transpantaneira was very productive with large numbers of birds: 400 Whispering Ibises, 350 Blackbellied Whistling-Ducks, 80 Maguari Storks, 100 Snail Kites, 300 Nacunda Nighthawks and so on. And yes, we finally got the Brazilian Teal for everybody, plus South American Snipe. A nice ending! We filled the tank in **Poconé** and continued straight for **Cuiabá** where we were supposed to pick up the bus tickets for Mineiros at the office of my local agent. Here we met our poorly organising organiser Max (rather newly employed, his only defence) that once more failed us by slowing everything up despite that we were short of time. He ordered food at a restaurant (which of course should have been done much earlier), but when we came there the food was not ready and we had no time to wait. Neither Max nor Luis (who now drove us) realised this. We got to the bus 10 minutes before departure and managed to buy some empanadas and snacks before it was time to get on board. However, we chose to see it from the positive side: we made it (Yes we can!) and were on our way towards Mineiros and Emas ...



White Woodpecker, Emas.

# Saturday 25/7

We arrived in **Mineiros** before dawn and were met by our driver and a spaceous mini van. Now André was in charge so we could expect things to run smoothly onwards. The only things to worry slightly about were the night temperatures and the camping. The temperature this morning was pretty high at about 15 degrees but it could get much colder than that. Anyway, we had breakfast at a bakery and then headed towards Emas NP. A lot of road works were carried out along the way, so it took us more than two hours to reach the northern entrance. Along the way we saw Greater Rhea, Red-legged Seriema, Blue-and-yellow Macaw, Peach-fronted Parakeet and Yellowrumped Marshbird among endless fields of corn, cotton and sorghum. Just outside the park we added a Six-banded Armadillo (cool!) and a few elegant Long-winged Harriers. Our first sampling of Emas took us initially through bushy cerrado and later through *cerrado limpio*, more or less open grasslands dotted with termite mounds. Lori soon made an excellent finding when he spotted an adult Crowned Solitary Eagle at rather close range. Wow! A really rare bird, but not new

for Lori! A few Cock-tailed Tyrants were then seen (now in winter plumage) as well as Wedge-tailed Grass-Finch, Black-throated Slatator, Pale-breasted Spinetail, White-banded and White-rumped Tanagers and more Greater Rheas. A recently burnt area held a pair of the increasingly scarce Campo Miner. By lunchtime we reached the research station by the Río Formoso and were met by a very positive surprise. A lecture hall had been emptied so that we could sleep in there! It would probably not be warmer than in a tent but soo much more comfortable. Excellent! Claudia made our food just as last year and she would be dead on time every day. Floating mattresses were prepared after lunch and Bare-faced Curassows, White Woodpeckers and Curl-crested Jays could be studied well on the



A curious Curl-crested Jay.

grounds. At 15.00 we walked towards the boardwalk that would take us into Cone-billed Tanager habitat. The Streamer-tailed Tyrants were at the exact same spot as last year! The first patch of dense riverine forest held White-striped Warbler (seen by a few) and Helmeted Manakin. On our way to the second forest patch the Cone-billed Tanager started to sing! It was a bit tumultous before everybody got to see this first class rarity, but at least I carried the scope for a good reason! The last daylight time was spent in the burnt area where we'd seen the Campo Miners earlier. Now there were two pairs of miners, and we also found Black-masked Finch, singing Lesser Nothura and singing Collared Crescentchest (badly wanted by several participants). Our last birding effort was to try for the White-winged Nightjar. Spotlighting was not permitted, so we had to rely on the old air strip. Unfortunately it was a bit too cool and we hardly saw any moths. It had been a very good start anyway, and we could anjoy a good dinner before it was time to make the list and go to bed.

#### **Sunday 26/7**

During the night most people had to put on some clothes because by morning it was pretty cold! We had breakfast enrolled in our blankets and soon warmed up again. Just as we were about to go Samuel heard a Giant Snipe displaying distantly, but unfortunately nobody else got to hear it. The birding started in bushy cerrado. Invisible Collared Crescentchests were singing again, but a nice Yellowfaced Parrots was instead seen at close range. Soon we went to the boardwalk. A couple of hours's birding gave Large-billed Antwren, Planalto Foliage-gleaner (heard), Helmeted Manakin, Whitestriped Warbler for all, Southern Yellowthroat, Cone-billed Tanager (singing) and Lesser Grass-Finch. A final morning effort in an area with tall grass gave us some nice Sharp-tailed Tyrants. Lunch was served punctually and a siesta followed. Markus was out walking of course while the rest at least kept to the grounds. The afternoon excursion started at 14.30. Targets were Giant Anteater, Maned Wolf, Rufous-sided Pygmy-Tyrant, Horned Sungem and Coal-crested Finch but we ended up rather differently. At an escarpment we got excellent views of Chapada Flycatchers in song display as well as Rufous-winged Antshrike and Swallow-tailed Hummingbird while Small-billed Tinamou was heard. The best area for Giant Anteaters, which was closed last year, looked promising indeed, but there was no sign anywhere of these magnificent creatures. Only Pampas Deers. Then on our return, just before sunset, a Maned Wolf came walking on the road in front of us! A highly popular creature



Giant Anteater search. From the left: André, Henrik, Staffan and Markus.

that could even be photographed through the front window! Tonight the temperature was higher and we tried twice for the White-winged Nightjar, before and after dinner. But we only got one Pauraque. Before going to bed we were better prepared than yesterday ...



Maned Wolf through the front window.

# Monday 27/7

Thankfully the night was not as cold as the one before. Instead we had visitors outside clapping their teeth and uttering some quite spooky noices. It turned out to be a group of 25 White-lipped Peccaries. The breakfast preparation got a bit delayed because of these potentially dangerous animals, but we started with Giant Snipe listening anyway. None were audible though, so we headed straight to the northern part of the park where we were going to do some forest birding. Near the forest edge we tried hard to see a singing Southern Antpipit but it eluded us completely. Other birds were thankfully more cooperative. During the course

of the morning we registered King Vulture, Red-shouldered Macaw, Rufous Nightjar (two flushed!), Blue-crowned Motmot, Channel-billed Toucan, Planalto Foliage-gleaner (seen perfectly well), Greenish Elaenia, White-throated Spadebill, Pale-bellied Tyrant-Manakin, White-bellied Warbler and Green-winged Saltator. When we came out from the forest it was already rather hot and we didn't see that much on the way back to our headquarters. In the afternoon we were officially searching for Seedeaters and Bearded Tachuri, which sounded boring at least to Henrik. Well, seedeater watching can be much more than you expect! First we resultlessly searched for Coal-crested Finch and Blackbilled Seed-Finch, but once we'd gone outside of the park to a grassy wetland area things started to look brighter. Cock-tailed Tyrants, Yellow-rumped Marshbirds and a Yellow-browed Tyrant was soon discovered and what was that gray bump? A Giant Anteater! And two more out there! In the end we counted no less than six anteaters, including one youngster riding on its mother's back. And then came



Wonderful Bare-faced Curassows in Emas.

the seedeaters, but it was mostly Marcus and Lori that got to see them. Most were Plumbeous but also Tawny-bellied and Capped Seedeaters were identified. André saw that one of the anteaters was coming up from the marsh so we walked away to see it cross the road. Success! And Lori then managed to find a couple of Collared Crescentchests in the final daylight, so everybody were very happy. We decided to stay a bit longer to try for Giant Snipe, and surely two birds started to display in response to playback! Without spotlighting they were nearly impossible to see, though. Our last try for Whitewinged Nightjar proved fruitless, but we were quite pleased with the evening anyway. Emas rocked!

# Tuesday 28/7

Our last morning in Emas we tried the northern part of the park again. First we went to try see the Southern Antpipit, which went very well. A pair walked right on the trail! Then we tried for the much wanted Horned Sungem, and it didn't take long until André saw one from the bus. Markus and Henrik rediscovered the bird, which was a male, but to the frustration of the others it quickly disappeared. A dozen Toco Toucans entertained while the search continued. Further ahead everybody got to see a

female Sungem really well, and much later on Samuel found another fly by male. Another success! A revisit to the escarpment from two days ago gave a singing Rufous-sided Pygmy-Tyrant, but unfortunately it could not be seen. After lunch it was time to get packed. When André called the bus company to reconfirm the status of our bus back to Cuiabá he learned that it would leave around 19.00 instead of 21.00. This fact made us hurry a bit. By 15.00 we were on our way after having thanked Claudia for the excellent food service. We



drove straight to **Mineiros** where Female Horned Sungem. Photo: Markus Lagerqvist.

we arrived at 17.40 and by 18.00 we sat down at a restaurant serving buffé. Here you had to clear your plate if you didn't want to pay a penalty of 3 reais! The bus came in around 19.20, so no stress this time. The only discomfort was that we were covered with fine red dust from the roads of Emas. We also got to meet André's mother and sister. Most of us slept rather well on our nightly journey westwards.

# Wednesday 29/7

Thankfully we were a little bit late when arriving in Cuiabá at 03.45. Luis met us to take care of the camping equipment and a nice van with a new driver had been provided for us. This looked promising! Upon arrival in Chapada dos Guimarães we immediately checked in at a hotel in town where we could wash up a bit and change clothes. Breakfast was taken a little later than expected because no place opened until 6 o'clock, but since we were heading for the forest at Portão de Fe it didn't matter that much. We had a nice walk along the forest road which yielded Crane Hawk, Scaled Pigeon, White-eyed Parakeet, a singing Pavonine Cuckoo, two probable Cinnamon-throated Hermits, Lettered Aracari, Yellow-tufted Woodpecker, Eastern Sirvstes, Crested Becard, Band-tailed Manakin, Moustached Wren, Guira Tanager and Saffron-billed Sparrow (?). We also found a birding group from Wings that we'd met earlier on the plane to Cuiabá. Before ending the morning's birding we walked a bit on another forest road, which gave us a superb Ornate Hawk-Eagle! Back in town we had an excellent lunch buffé and took it easy for an hour or so before the afternoon excursion. First we went to the Véu de Noiva section of the national park, but here we were not allowed to enter until the next day! And the Cidade de Pedras seemed to be permanently closed. Therefore we headed for a substitute lookout point, which proved very nice. Awesome views were mixed with excellent observations of Biscutate Swifts, Red-and-green Macaws, White-eyed Parakeets, White-eared Puffbird, Swallow Tanager, Cliff Flycatcher, Crested Black-Flycatcher and some others. Before dusk a couple of Tataupa Tinamous sang for us. A short, resultless trip to Portão da Fe to listen for owls ended the birding day, and we later returned to the lunch restaurant to eat dinner and go through the list.



Red-and-green Macaws at Chapada. Photo: Markus Lagerqvist.

# Thursday 30/7

We started this day with cerrado birding along the Aguas Frias Road. Most species had been seen in Emas before, but we had some particular target species. The light was against us at a beginning and we only found "old" stuff like Plain-crested Elaenia, White-banded and Whiterumped Tanagers, Rufous-winged Antshrike and so on. But when we came to an area with very low bushy cerrado things started to happen. A male Horned Sungem was found, which gave good views to most people, and then a Coalcrested Finch was sighted by

Henrik. A random playback attempt for Rufous-sided Pygmy-Tyrant gave immediate response and gave excellent lengthy views! None of the wanted Blue-tufted Star-throats appeared but we could instead study White-vented Violetear and Glittering-bellied Emerald nicely. It was already rather hot at 09.00, so Samuel decided that we would go back to Portão da Fe for some extra forest birding. A female Blue-tufted Starthroat did actually appear shortly after arrival there, but it was mostly the leader who saw it. Then followed, among others, Rufous-thighed Kite, King Vulture, Fiery-capped Manakin (thanks Lori!), Planalto Hermit and some others. Lunch was taken at our now well known restaurant, postcards and stamps were purchased and by 14.00 or so we were heading for Véu de Noiva. We had a rather warm but pleasant walk to watch the beautiful waterfall, and Lori found us



Véu de Noiva (Bridalveil Fall), Chapada dos Guimarães.

more great birds like Black-and-white Hawk-Eagle and Bat Falcon. Henrik insisted that the fall was 30 meters high at the most, but Markus quickly found out that it's actually 93 meters. Hmm ... At 15.45 we headed for **Cuiabá**. A short photo stop along the way became a one kilometer walk, while two persons were left in the car. My apologies, the driver took off before I could do anything about it. He obviously didn't like to stop at this particular point on the descent of the escarpment. After this unplanned event we drove straight to the bus station where tickets were issued and luggage stored. We had yet another buffé before our long night journey to Alta Floresta and soon thanked André for his guidance and efforts. The boss of my local agent, who had been travelling during our Pantanal adventures, came to see me and apologized for our inconveniences. He put much of the blame on André though, which was totally unfair. Not as good a parting as last year. Now we only had Cristalino left, and I had a hard time imagining that anything could go particularly wrong. Well, of course we had this newly fledged Harpy Eagle to worry about ...

## Friday 31/7

Most people appeared to have slept well during the night because they didn't notice the plentiful road works that slowed our journey considerably. We were supposed to arrive no later than seven at **Alta Floresta**, but by that time we were still far from our goal. When we finally approached, a terrible noise suddenly appeared below the bus and we stopped. Apparently a big chain had been untied and dragged along! Soon we could fulfill the trip. When finally at **Hotel Floresta Amazônica** we had to make a decision. Go almost immediately to the lodge or wait until the afternoon. An easy choice since we wanted to see the Harpy Eagle that had fledged from its nest a mere 5 minute walk from the hotel. After the lengthy bus trip flight tickets to the return journey also had to be purchased if possible. We did not want to miss our flight from Cuiabá to São Paulo! After breakfast we were guided to the Harpy nest where we had to wait for less than an hour before Lori saw it fly in and land partly obscured. Very nice! We all got good looks before the bird took off, and Markus even got some quite decent pictures. The flight issue was thankfully solved although at a considerable cost. There were only five tickets left, but Lori's flight was scheduled for the evening so he offered himself to take the bus as planned if he got some compensation. Said and done. Staffan's binoculars had been troublesome during themorning, but he managed to get them going again so we didn't have to go to look for a new pair in



The newly fledged Harpy Eagle at Alta Floresta. Photo: Markus Lagerqvist.

town. We had lunch, accessed the Internet and relaxed until 15.15 when it was time to go. Along the way to **Río Teles Pires** we stopped at the classical *Mauritia* palm swamp to look for the Point-tailed Palmcreeper. It came in after a few playback attempts, but no Sulphury Flycatcher could be seen. Amazonian Antpitta was heard though, and several Red-bellied Macaws flew by. We also walked for 20 minutes along the road further ahead. Both Striolated Puffbird and Great Jacamar was heard while we saw Yellow-crowned Amazon and Dusky Titi Monkey. Our driver had then to drive pretty fast to get us in time to the river, and soon we were navigating up the **Río Cristalino**. Two Long-billed Woodcreepers were seen briefly along the way and we arrived at **Cristalino Jungle Lodge** when it was nearly dark. Here we were welcomed by the manager and shown to our dormitory rooms. This is a busy time of the year for birdwatching groups, and we soon met Nick Athenas from Tropical Birding. Many of his recordings were in my mp3-player and we'd had some e-mail contact back and forth earlier. Nice to meet him. Surprisingly enough an old Heliangelus customer, Juha Autio, were with the group, which was kind of fun! For me there were also many familiar faces among the staff. Nice to be here, and the cool night temperature would prove to be a pleasant bonus.

# Saturday 1/8

This our first birding morning at Cristalino most of the trails were already booked, so I chose to begin with the (for some reason) rather seldom birded **Cacao Trail**. Song activity was pretty good but most birds were rather unresponsive to playback and rather few were seen. Among those only heard can be mentioned Brazilian Tinamou, Dusky-cheeked Foliage-gleaner, Rufous-winged and Gray Antwrens, Striated and Black-faced Antbirds, Black-spotted Bare-eye, Thrush-like Schiffornis, Long-billed Gnatwren and Dusky-capped Greenlet. Among those seen (some mostly glimpsed) were Green-backed Trogon, Chestnut-winged Hookbill, Curve-billed Scythebill, Fasciated, Plain-winged and Cinereous Antshrikes, White-eyed Antwren, Rufous-tailed Flatbill, White-crested Spadebill and Helmeted Pygmy-Tyrant. Our boat driver Jaime picked us up at the end of the trail and took us back to the lodge. Here we investigated the clearings and walked the short **Figueira Trail** where White-bellied Tody-Tyrant was seen and Slaty-capped Shrike-Vireo heard. We had an excellent lunch at 12.30. The restless Markus of course went out birding during the siesta and managed surprisingly well with sightings of Blue-necked Jacamar, Yellow-throated Woodpecker and Cinereous Mourner. Also a

Slender-billed Xenops was seen at the beach, where butterflies in huge numbers were gathering during the hot hours. Our afternoon excursion was planned to the **Haffer/Kawall trail** which proved to be a good move. Just a few hundred meters along the Haffer trail we ran into a large canopy flock that kept us busy and wringed our necks for more than half an hour. Among the many nice birds can be mentioned Paradise Jacamar, Bar-breasted Piculet, Spot-winged Antshrike, Sclater's Antwren, Black-capped and Pink-throated Becards, Bay-headed, Turquoise, Paradise and Flame-crested Tanagers and White-winged Shrike-Tanager. The Kawall trail was more of a challenge, but we manged to find some good birds during our walk here, including Bronzy Jacamar, Chestnut Woodpecker, Amazonian Antshrike, Amazonian Streaked-Antwren, Dot-backed Antbird heard very distantly and Striped Woodcreeper. The boat ride back to the lodge gave such prizes as Red-fan Parrot, Curl-crested Aracari, Glossy Antshrike and a highly probable Tiny Hawk! Our first full day at Cristalino had been pretty good with a decent total of 118 species.

# Sunday 2/8

Breakfast today was scheduled at 05.15 and departure for the **Castanheira Trail** at 05.45. This beautiful forest trail is half an hour upstream. Along the river we recorded Capped Heron, Green Ibis, Black Caracara, Sunbittern and plenty of Blue-and-yellow Macaws. The Castanheira was a bit on the quiet side, but as usual it produced quality birds. Most of these were only heard, including Razor-billed Curassow, Barred Forest-Falcon, Pygmy Antwren, Chestnut-tailed Antbird, Chestnut-belted Gnateater, Southern Nightingale-Wren and Tooth-billed Wren. Good species seen were foremost three stunning Bare-eyed Antbirds and a Golden-crowned Spadebill. Back at the boat we had four Crimson-bellied Parakeets by the river. A visit to a nearby forest stream gave White-crowned Manakin, Thrush-like Schiffornis, Cream-colored Woodpecker, Bronzy Jacamar (heard) and a funny group of Spider Monkeys. Also the beginning of Kawall trail was on the morning's itinerary, so there we went to hear Flame-crested Manakin and Zimmer's Tody-Tyrant despite trying hard to see both of them with the help of playback. From the river we found three King Vultures and a White Hawk on the way back to the lodge. Lunch and siesta followed. At 15.00 we walked towards the **Canopy Tower**. At the Rocky/Caja intersection playback was attempted for the uncommon and difficult-to-see Banded

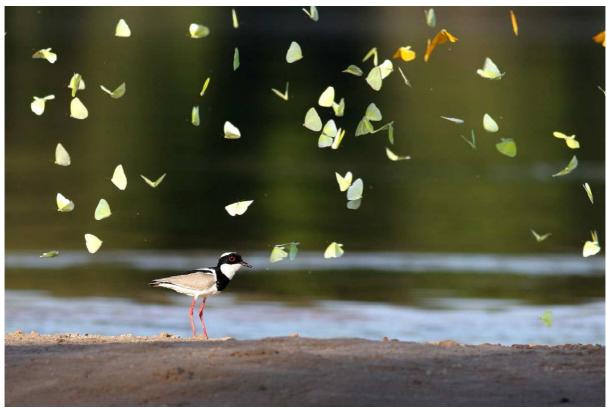


Unbroken Amazonian forest as seen from the top of Cristalino's canopy tower.

Antbird, which soon responded. After a while we walked in some 10-15 meters from the trail and hunched close to the ground. In the end we got superb views of this beautiful little fellow, so that was really worth the effort! Climbing the 50,4 m high tower was a sweaty business as usual, but the views from up there are really splendid. Birds noted during the evening were Variegated Tinamou, Scarlet Macaw, Santarém and Golden-winged Parakeets, White-bellied Parrot, Kawall's Amazon, Red-necked and Curl-crested Aracaris, Red-necked Woodpecker, Long-tailed Woodcreeper, Variegated Antpitta, Crowned Slaty-Flycatcher, Spangled Cotinga, Bare-necked Fruitcrow, White-lored Euphonia and Red-billed Pied Tanager. We descended before dusk and spotlighted our way back to the lodge but found nothing of interest. A moderate day if looking at numbers; 107 species were recorded. A special grilled dinner was a bonus event – a bit late but delicious! This was by the way the last evening for the Tropical Birding group.

# Monday 3/8

Today we had breakfast at 05.00 and headed once again for the **Canopy Tower**. We reached the top by sunrise and had a wonderful morning up there. A cool breeze was most refreshing and even when it got warm after 08.00 there were surprisingly few sweat bees around. The activity was much better than the previous evening! Goodies included Double-toothed Kite, Kawall's Amazon, Long-billed Starthroat, White-collared Puffbird, Golden-green and Yellow-throated Woodpeckers, Spotted Antpitta, Gray Elaenia, White-lored Tyrannulet, the much wanted Pompadour Cotinga, several Spangled Cotingas, Tooth-billed Wren, Black-faced Dacnis, Short-billed Honeycreeper, Yellowbacked Tanager and Yellow-shouldered Grosbeak. At 08.55 we started the descent and afterwards continued towards the Saleiro with Blue-backed Manakin and Cinereous Mourner (heard) along the way. At the Saleiro we had excellent views of eight Crimson-bellied Parakeets and also saw Opalrumped and Paradise Tanagers, Rufous-tailed and Buff-throated Foliage-gleaners and Speckled Spinetail. An Amazonian Royal-Flycatcher responding to playback was glimpsed very briefly. We were back at the lodge around 11.30 and our usual afternoon departure time was 15.00. Today Jaime took us to the **Teles Pires** where we first investigated a small islet and soon had located the targets Amazonian Inezia and Ladder-tailed Nightjar. Nice birds! When we landed on the larger Ariosto Island we were treated with the increadible sight of a Pied Lapwing chasing butterflies on the beach.



Pied Lapwing at Ariosto Island. Photo: Markus Lagerqvist.



Dragonfly at Cristalino. Photo: Markus Lagerqvist.

The beautiful animal succeeded in capturing and eating several of them! Our walk on the island became a very short one since most people were much more interested in trying to find trumpeters and Cryptic Forest-Falcon. We did however see Chestnut-backed Antshrike and Spotted Tody-Flycatcher before we went to the Teles Pires landing and Borboletas Trail. It was a rather quiet walk in the forest, but we did manage to see a Dwarf Tyrant-Manakin (excellent spotting by Peder) and hear a Snethlage's Tody-Tyrant. Our last efforts were concentrated to the Alta Floresta

road. Markus and I simultaneously felt that we should try to play the Cryptic Forest-Falcon, and wasn't that a good idea? Only moments later the Forest-Falcon swept close over our heads and were seen sufficiently well by all of us. Amazing! High fives were exchanged. We duelled a little with our annoyed *Micrastur mintoni* and some got a brief glimpse when the bird crossed the road once more. We spotlighted our way back to the lodge and floated silently a few times. Paca, Razor-billed Curassow, Boat-billed Heron and Dwarf Cayman were seen while Crested Owl and Tawny-bellied Screech-Owl were heard. Excellent! Our daylist landed on 142 species, the highest total so far for the trip and we had only one full day left here at Cristalino.

# Tuesday 4/8

Unfortunately we became one man short this morning since Staffan had an upset stomach. The rest of us went towards the **Serra** and rather quickly walked up to the top of this granite hill. You want as much time as possible here before the heat and the sweat bees force you down into the forest! By accident we came to the old viewpoint first, but that did not matter. The activity on the Serra was fair with a fair number of good birds encountered: Blue Ground-Dove, Chestnut-fronted Macaw, Golden- winged Parakeet, Gray-breasted Sabrewing, White-chinned Sapphire, Black-eared Fairy, Amethyst Woodstar, Paradise Jacamar, Pied and Brown-banded (yes!) Puffbirds, Natterer's Slaty-Antshrike, White-fringed Antwren, Short-tailed Pygmy-Tyrant, White-browed Purpletuft, Tooth-billed Wren, Blue-necked and Masked Tanagers and Rufous-bellied Euphonia were all nice to watch. Amazingly enough we hardly encountered any sweat bees! By 09.30 we were back by the river and continued walking on the Cacao trail. It was a pretty quiet walk, but we did see Saturnine Antshrike, Chestnut-winged Hookbill and some others. It started to look bleak for the Trumpeter ... Back at the lodge Staffan had recovered, and the best of his sightings near the lodge was that of a Neotropical River Otter. In the afternoon we went by boat rather far upriver to a small farm called **Limão**. Here we found a flying Ash-throated Crake (!), quite a few Red-throated Piping-Guans, Pavonine Cuckoo (heard), White-necked Jacobin, Spotted Tody-Flycatcher and Capybara. Then we floated down the river for an hour. Green-and-rufous Kingfisher, Rufescent Tiger-Heron, Striped Woodcreeper, Bat Falcon and Channel-billed Toucan were some of the species seen, and at dusk we heard two Slatybacked Forest-Falcons. We spotlighted our way back, which didn't produce much although an Ocellated Poorwill was heard. 135 species was counted for the day.

# Wednesday 5/8

Beacuse of the changed way of transportation back to Cuiabá we had to leave the lodge at 10.00. Good enough, we headed out on the **Taboca Trail** around 06.00 and had a nice last walk in the forest. New species this morning were Black-banded and Strong-billed Woodcreepers, Thrush-like Antpitta (soo close – we spent half an hour trying to see it!), Lawrence's Thrush (the master mimic), Scale-backed and White-browed Antbirds and finally the uncommon Dusky-tailed Flatbill. Some got to see either



Capucinus Sister, one of Cristalino's abundant butterflies.

Band-tailed Manakin, Wing-barred Piprites, Striated Antbird or Large-headed Flatbill. We said goodbye at 10 o'clock and then headed straight for the hotel in **Alta Floresta**. Here we paid our bills from the lodge and soon went to a restaurant in town. During our last meal together we discussed our top five birds of the trip. Harpy Eagle, Cone-billed Tanager, Hyacinth Macaw, Cryptic Forest-Falcon and Popmadour Cotinga were all among the most popular candidates (see below). From the restaurant we went straight to the airport. While checking in the bags we learned that the flight would be delayed at least two hours due to foggy conditions in southern Brazil, so we went back to the hotel and relaxed until 14.50. We said goodbye to Lori and wished him good luck with the journey home and the planned afternoon birding by the hotel. Back at the airport we had to wait quite a long time for the plane to arrive, but at least the waiting room was air conditioned. When the plane finally did arrive averything went very quickly, and we soon were on our way to Cuiabá. It certainly was quicker than the bus! When we landed it was already dark. Somebody from the hotel was supposed to pick us up, but we ended up taking two taxis to drive us the short distance. Before our last dinner we watched a bit on CNN and then walked to a pizza place next door. Good but very rich, I don't think any of the pizzas were eaten completely. The trip was summarized as a success despite the disturbances in the beginning of the trip and everybody were happy. Our final list was quickly done, and off we went to our two rooms. Very good to be able to sleep in a bed, because we had a long way home. All accept Henrik and Markus who were going to stay in Brazil for another 10 and 3 days respectively ...

# Thursday 6/8

There was no particular hurry this morning, so we went down to have a big breakfast around 08.00 (second breakfast for Markus) which lasted for almost an hour. At 09.30 we were driven to the airport. Henrik, Markus and Peder were going to Congonhas while Staffan and Samuel were flying directly to

Guarulhos a bit later and got delayed by 40 minutes. We made it in time to **Guarulhos** anyway and since we had different flights we departed only to reunite again by the security checkpoint. Surprisingly Peder had already made it here too, so we sat down and chatted before it was time for me to board my plane to Amsterdam. Peder was going to Paris and Staffan to Salvador/London. Strange are the ways of air traveling nowadays. It felt like a long flight to Amsterdam ...

# Friday 7/8

When landing at **Schiphol** around 11.00 after 11½ hours in the air I had about 12 hours left on my journey home. As always quite tiresome at the end, but by 23.30 I finally reached home. Heliangelus's second Brazilian Safari had definitely come to an end.

# The best birds of the trip, as voted by the group.

- 1. Harpy Eagle
- 2. Hyacinth Macaw
- 3. Cone-billed Tanager Pompadour Cotinga
- 5. Cryptic Forest-Falcon
- 6. Crowned Eagle
- 7. Bare-eyed Antbird Helmeted Manakin
- 9. Collared Crescentchest
- 10. Giant Snipe
- 11. Horned Sungem

# **SPECIES LIST**

#### RHEIDAE

**Greater Rhea** *Rhea americana* (**nt**) 19/7 1 ex., 23/7 1 ex., 24/7 2 ex. Pantanal, 25-28/7 20-25 ex. dagligen Emas.

## **TINAMIDAE**

Great Tinamou Tinamus major 1/8 1 sj., 3/8 2 sj. Cristalino.

Cinereous Tinamou Crypturellus cinereus 2/8 2 sj., 3/8 1 sj., 4/8 4 sj. Cristalino.

**Undulated Tinamou** *Crypturellus undulatus* 19-24/7 2-10 sj. dagligen, 20/7 1 ex. Pantanal, 27/7 1 ex.+5 sj., 28/7 2 sj. Emas, 29/7 2 sj. Chapada, 3/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

**Brazilian Tinamou** *Crypturellus strigulosus* 1/8 2 sj., 3/8 3 sj., 5/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

Small-billed Tinamou Crypturellus parvirostris 26/7 1 sj. Emas.

Tataupa Tinamou Crypturellus tataupa 29/7 2 sj. Chapada.

**Red-winged Tinamou** *Rhynchotus rufescens* 25-28/7 1-10 ex.+2-10 sj. dagligen Emas, 29-30/7 ca 5 sj. dagligen Chapada.

**Lesser Nothura** *Nothura minor* **(VU)** 25/7 1 sj., 26/7 1 sj., 27/7 1 ex., 28/7 2 ex. Emas. This must be one of the best areas to see the species.

Spotted Nothura Nothura maculosa 25/7 1 ex., 26/7 1 sj., 27/7 1 ex. Emas.

# **PHALACROCORACIDAE**

**Neotropic Cormorant** *Phalacrocorax brasilianus* 19/7 5 ex., 20-24/7 20-100 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 31/7-5/8 1-10 ex. dagligen (ej 4/8) Cristalino.

# **ANHINGIDAE**

Anhinga Anhinga anhinga 20-24/7 5-25 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 1 och 3-5/8 1-3 ex. dagligen Cristalino.

#### **ARDEIDAE**

**Whistling Heron** *Syrigma sibilatrix* 21/7 2 ex., 23/7 4 ex., 24/7 ca 10 ex. Pantanal, 25/7 4 ex. Emas. A real beauty!

**Capped Heron** *Pilherodius pileatus* 19/7 1 ex. Cuiabá–Poconé, 23/7 4 ex., 24/7 ca 10 ex. Pantanal, 1-5/8 1-6 ex. dagligen Cristalino.

Cocoi Heron Ardea cocoi 19-24/7 5-50 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 31/7 1 ex. Sinop-Alta Floresta.

**Great Egret** *Ardea alba* 19-24/7 allmän i Pantanal med 100-tals ex. flera dagar men endast några ex. 20/7. Dessutom ca 50 ex. Sinop–Cuiabá 31/7 och ca 10 ex. Teles Pires–Alta Floresta 5/8.

Little Blue Heron Egretta caerulea 19/7 3 ad., 21/7 1 ad., 24/7 1 ad. Pantanal.

**Snowy Egret** *Egretta thula* 19-24/7 tämligen allmän–allmän i Pantanal med som mest över 100 ex. 21-22/7 samt 1 ex. vardera 31/7 och 3-4/8 kring Cristalino.

Cattle Egret Bubulcus ibis Observerad under 11 dagar med som mest några hundra fåglar.

**Striated Heron** *Butorides striata* 19/7 5 ex., 20-24/7 20-40 ex. dagligen Pantanal. Strangely not seen around Cristalino.

**Black-crowned Night-Heron** *Nycticorax nycticorax* 19/7 3 ex., 20/7 1 ex., 21-24/7 20-35 ex. dagligen Pantanal.

**Boat-billed Heron** *Cochlearius cochlearius* 21/7 1 ad. Pantanal, 3/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

**Rufescent Tiger-Heron** *Tigrisoma lineatum* 19-24/7 1-10 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 4/8 1 ad. Cristalino.

## **CICONIIDAE**

**Wood Stork** *Mycteria americana* 19, 21 och 24/7 ca 100 ex., 20/7 1 ex., 22/7 ca 10 ex., 23/7 ca 150 ex. Pantanal, 31/7 1 ex. Sinop–Alta Floresta, 5/8 15 ex. Cristalino.

**Maguari Stork** *Ciconia maguari* 19/7 ca 30 ex., 21/7 5 ex., 22-23/7 ca 10 ex. dagligen, 24/7 ca 80 ex. Pantanal.

**Jabiru** *Jabiru mycteria* 19-24/7 4-25 ex. dagligen Pantanal.

#### **THRESKIORNITIDAE**

**Plumbeous Ibis** *Theristictus caerulescens* 20-24/7 1-15 ex. dagligen Pantanal.

**Buff-necked Ibis** *Theristictus caudatus* 21-22/7 2 ex., 23/7 4 ex., 24/7 ca 20 ex. Pantanal, 25-28/7 5-30 ex. dagligen Emas.

**Green Ibis** *Mesembrinibis cayennensis* 19-21/7 1-3 ex. dagligen, 24/7 ca 10 ex. Pantanal, 26/7 1 ex. Emas, 1-5/8 1-5 ex. dagligen Cristalino.

Whispering Ibis Phimosus infuscatus 19 och 21-23/7 15-50 ex. dagligen, 24/7 ca 400 ex. Pantanal.

Roseate Spoonbill Platalea ajaja 19, 21 och 23/7 ca 10 ex. dagligen, 24/7 ca 15 ex. Pantanal.

#### **ANHIMIDAE**

**Southern Screamer** *Chauna torquata* 21/7 7 ex., 22/7 4 ex., 23/7 4 ex. Pantanal. Fewever than normal, but seen extremely well!

# **ANATIDAE**

White-faced Whistling-Duck Dendrocygna viduata 21/7 2 ex. Pantanal (SH).

**Black-bellied Whistling-Duck** *Dendrocygna autumnalis* 19/7 ca 40 ex., 21/7 ca 50 ex., 22/7 ca 15 ex., 24/7 ca 350 ex. Pantanal.

**Muscovy Duck** *Cairina moschata* 21/7 4 ex., 22/7 3 ex., 27/4 5 ex. Pantanal, 31/7 2 ex. Alta Floresta—Teles Pires.

**Brazilian Teal** *Amazonetta brasiliensis* 19/7 4 ex. (SH), 24/7 7 ex. Pantanal, 31/7 2 ex. Sinop–Alta Floresta. What a relief when all got to see this much wanted duck ...

# **CATHARTIDAE**

Turkey Vulture Cathartes aura Tämligen allmän-allmän men ej vid Cristalino; observerad under 11 dagar.

Lesser Yellow-headed Vulture Cathartes burrovianus Tämligen allmän i Pantanal och Emas 19-27/7.

Greater Yellow-headed Vulture Cathartes melambrotus 1-5/8 3-15 ex. dagligen Cristalino.

Black Vulture Coragyps atratus Tämligen allmän-allmän; observerad dagligen.

**King Vulture** Sarcoramphus papa 27/7 1 ad. Emas, 30/7 2 ad. Chapada, 2/8 3 ad., 2/8 1 ad. Cristalino.

## **PANDIONIDAE**

Osprey Haliaetus albicilla 20/7 1 ex. Pantanal (LS).

## **ACCIPITRIDAE**

**Gray-headed Kite** *Leptodon* 5/8 1 ad. Cristalino (LS).

Swallow-tailed Kite Elanoides forficatus 31/7 ca 10 ex. Alta Floresta, 3/8 3 ex. Cristalino. Perfection!

White-tailed Kite Elanus leucurus 25/7 2 ex., 28/7 1 ex. Emas, 31/7 2 ex. Sinop-Alta Floresta.

Snail Kite Rostrhamus sociabilis 19-23/7 10-50 ex. dagligen, 24/7 ca 100 ex. Pantanal.

**Double-toothed Kite** *Harpagus bidentatus* 3/8 2 ex. Cristalino.

**Rufous-thighed Kite** *Harpagus diodon* 30/7 2 ex. Chapada.

Plumbeous Kite Ictinia plumbea 31/7 ca 5 ex., 5/8 3 ex. Alta Floresta.

**Long-winged Harrier** *Circus buffoni* 25/7 8 ex., 26/7 3 ex., 27/7 2 ex. Emas.

Crane Hawk Geranospiza caerulescens 29/7 3 ex. Chapada.

White Hawk Leucopternis albicollis 2/8 1 ad. Cristalino.

**Great Black-Hawk** *Buteogallus urubitinga* 21/7 2 ad., 23/7 1 ad. Pantanal, 31/7 1 juv. Alta Floresta, 1 och 3/8 2 ad., 4/8 1 ad. Cristalino.

**Savanna Hawk** *Buteogallus meridionalis* 19-24/7 1-15 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 25-28/7 1 ex. dagligen Emas, 30/7 1 ex. Chapada.

Black-collared Hawk Busarellus nigricollis 19-24/7 1-5 ex. dagligen Pantanal.

**Crowned Solitary Eagle** *Harpyhaliaetus coronatus* **(EN)** 25/7 1 ad. Emas. One of the top birds of the trip! According to BirdLife there are probably fewer than 1 000 birds left.

**Roadside Hawk** *Buteo magnirostris* 19-24/7 1-5 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 25/7 2 ex., 28/7 1 ex. Emas, 30/7 3 ex. Chapada, 31/7 1 ex. Sinop—Alta Floresta.

Short-tailed Hawk Buteo brachyurus 19/7 1 ex. Poconé (LS).

White-tailed Hawk Buteo albicaudatus 25/7 3 ex., 27-28/7 5 ex. dagligen Emas, 30/7 2 ex. Chapada.

**Harpy Eagle** *Harpia harpyja* (**nt**) 31/7 1 juv. Alta Floresta. Just having to wait for an hour for the bird to appear was lucky indeed!

Ornate Hawk-Eagle Spizaetus ornatus 29/7 1 ad. Chapada. Very nice!

Black-and-white Hawk-Eagle Spizaetus melanoleucus 30/7 1 ad. Chapada.

#### **FALCONIDAE**

Black Caracara Daptrius ater 2/8 1 ex., 4/8 1 ex. (PW) Cristalino.

**Yellow-headed Caracara** *Milvago chimachima* 21/7 1 ex. Pantanal, 25-28/7 5-10 ex. dagligen Emas, 30/7 ca 5 ex. Chapada.

Southern Caracara Caracara plancus Tämligen allmän-allmän 19-30/7; även enstaka ex. kring Cristalino.

**Laughing Falcon** *Herpetotheres cachinnans* 21/7 2 ex. Pantanal, 26/7 1 ex. Emas, 3/8 1 ex., 4/8 2 hörda Cristalino.

Barred Forest-Falcon Micrastur ruficollis 2/8 1 hörd, 4/8 1 hörd Cristalino.

Cryptic Forest-Falcon *Micrastur mintoni* 3/8 1 sj.  $\circlearrowleft$  Teles Pires. Wooooow!

Slaty-backed Forest-Falcon Micrastur mirandollei 4/8 2 hörda Cristalino.

American Kestrel Falco sparverius 25/7 3 ex., 26-28/7 1 ex. dagligen Emas, 30/7 3 ex. Chapada.

Aplomado Falcon Falco femoralis 19/7 1 ex., 20/7 2 ex. Pantanal, 25-28/7 4-5 ex. dagligen Emas. Excellent!

Bat Falcon Falco rufigularis 30/7 1 ex. Chapada, 1/8 1 ex., 3/8 1 ex., 4/8 4 ex. Cristalino.

# **CRACIDAE**

Chaco Chachalaca Ortalis canicollis 19-24/7 15-20 ex. dagligen Pantanal.

Chestnut-bellied Guan Penelope ochrogaster (VU) 19/7 4 ex., 20/7 1 ex., 23/7 2 ex., 24/7 1 ex. Pantanal.

**Blue-throated Piping-Guan** *Pipile cumanensis* 21/7 1 ex., 22/7 3 ex., 23/7 3 ex. Pantanal.

**Red-throated Piping-Guan** *Pipile cujubi* 1/8 3 ex., 2/8 6 ex., 3/8 3 ex., 4/8 ca 10 ex. Cristalino.

Razor-billed Curassow Mitu tuberosa 2/8 1 sj., 3/8 3 ex. Cristalino.

**Bare-faced Curassow** *Crax fasciolata* 21-24/7 2-6 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 25-27/4 ex., 28/7 1 ♀ Emas, 5/8 1 sj. Cristalino. Fantastic close encounters!

# **ARAMIDAE**

**Limpkin** Aramus guarauna 19 och 21-23/7 25-30 ex. dagligen, 20/7 1 ex., 24/7 ca 70 ex. Pantanal.

# **RALLIDAE**

**Ocellated Crake** *Micropygia schomburgkii* 16/9 1 sj. Emas. Only Staffan managed to hear the bird which was identified by André.

**Gray-necked Wood-Rail** *Aramides cajanea* 19-24/7 1-5 ex. dagligen Pantanal.

Ash-throated Crake Porzana albicollis 26/7 2 sj. Emas, 4/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

# HELIORNITHIDAE

**Sungrebe** *Heliornis fulica* 20/7 2 ex., 21/7 2 ex. Pantanal. Really nice views. Even the "tiger legs" could be seen!

# **EURYPYGIDAE**

Sunbittern Eurypyga helias 19/7 1 ex., 21/7 1 ex., 24/7 2 ex. Pantanal, 31/7-4/8 1-2 ex. dagligen Cristalino.

## **CARIAMIDAE**

**Red-legged Seriema** *Cariama cristata* 19/7 2 ex. Pantanal, 25/7 1 ex., 26/7 2 ex.+2 sj., 27/7 4 ex.+1 sj., 28/7 6 ex.+1 sj. Emas, 30/7 2 sj. Chapada.

## **JACANIDAE**

**Wattled Jacana** *Jacana jacana* 19-24/7 10-40 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 21/9 1 ex. Chapada–Cuiabá, 31/7 2 ex. Alta Floresta–Teles Pires.

## RECURVIROSTRIDAE

**White-backed Stilt** *Himantopus (mexicanus) melanurus* 21/7 1 ex., 23/7 ca 10 ex., 24/7 ca 10 ex. Pantanal. Lumped in the latest edition of Clements.

## **CHARADRIIDAE**

Pied Lapwing Vanellus cayanus 3/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

**Southern Lapwing** *Vanellus chilensis* Tämligen allmän i öppna marker, särskilt nära vatten; observerad under 14 dagar.

## **SCOLOPACIDAE**

**South American Snipe** *Gallinago paraguaiae* 24/7 1 ex. Pantanal.

**Giant Snipe** *Gallinago undulata* 26/7 1 hörd (SH), 27/7 2 hörda Emas. Although only heard, this was a great experience!

# **STERNIDAE**

Yellow-billed Tern Sternula superciliaris 21/7 4 ex., 22/7 2 ex. Pantanal, 3/8 2 ex. Cristalino.

Large-billed Tern Phaetusa simplex 19-20 och 22-24/7 1-10 ex. dagligen, 21/7 ca 50 ex. Pantanal.

# RHYNCHOPIDAE

**Black Skimmer** *Rynchops niger* 21/7 10 ex., 24/7 2 ex. Pantanal. Excellent views!

# **COLUMBIDAE**

Rock Pigeon Columba livia domest. Noterad under 6 dagar i större städer.

**Scaled Pigeon** *Patagioenas speciosa* 29/7 minst 5 ex. Chapada.

Picazuro Pigeon Patagioenas picazuro Tämligen allmän-allmän i öppna biotoper, observerad under 13 dagar.

**Pale-vented Pigeon** *Patagioenas cayennensis* Tämligen allmän, huvudsakligen i anslutning till vatten. Sedd under sammanlagt 10 dagar med som mest bortåt 100 fåglar kring Emas 25/7.

Plumbeous Pigeon Patagioenas plumbea 1/8 2 sj., 3/8 ca 40 ex., 4/8 några sj., 5/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

Ruddy Pigeon Patagioenas subvinacea 2-3/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

Eared Dove Zenaida auriculata 20/7 ca 50 ex., 21/7 1 ex. Pantanal, 25/7 ca 10 ex. Mineiros-Emas.

Ruddy Ground-Dove Columbina talpacoti Tämligen allmän, observerad under 13 dagar.

**Picui Ground-Dove** *Columbina picui* 19/7 ca 10 ex., 21/7 ca 25 ex., 22-24/7 ca 50 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 25/7 ca 15 ex. Mineiros–Emas.

**Blue Ground-Dove** *Claravis pretiosa* 1/8 3 sj., 2/8 1  $\circlearrowleft$ , 3/8 1 par, 4/8 2 par Cristalino.

**Scaled Dove** *Scardafella squammata* 20-24/7 1-4 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 27/7 4 ex. Emas.

**Long-tailed Ground-Dove** *Uropelia campestris* 23/7 6 ex., 24/7 12 ex. Pantanal.

White-tipped Dove Leptotila verreauxi Tämligen allmän undantaget Cristalino, noterad under 10 dagar med som mest 40-talet ex. 23/7.

**Gray-fronted Dove** Leptotila rufaxilla 21/7 1 sj. Pantanal, 1/8 1 sj., 4/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

## **PSITTACIDAE**

Hyacinth Macaw Anodorhynchus hyacinthinus (EN) 19-24/7 1-10 ex. dagligen Pantanal. What a bird!

**Blue-and-yellow Macaw** *Ara ararauna* 25-28/7 10-15 ex. dagligen Emas, 31/7 2 ex. Sinop–Alta Floresta, 1-4/8 15-25 ex. dagligen Cristalino. Swedish Macaw ...

**Scarlet Macaw** *Ara macao* 31/7 4 ex. Sinop–Alta Floresta, 1-4/8 6-10 ex. dagligen Cristalino, 5/8 2 ex. Alta Floresta.

**Red-and-green Macaw** *Ara chloroptera* 29/7 ca 10 ex., 30/7 ca 10 ex. Chapada.

Chestnut-fronted Macaw Ara severa 31/7 3 ex. Sinop-Alta Floresta, 4/8 ca 30 ex. Cristalino.

**Red-bellied Macaw** *Orthopsittaca manilata* 31/7 ca 10 ex. Sinop–Alta Floresta, 3/8 2 ex., 4/8 5 ex. Cristalino.

Yellow-collared Macaw Primolius auricollis 20/7 4 ex., 21/7 10 ex., 23/7 6 ex., 24/7 2 ex. Pantanal.

**Red-shouldered Macaw** *Diopsittaca nobilis* 25/7 1 ex., 26/7 4 ex., 27/7 ca 30 ex., 28/7 ca 50 ex. Emas.

**White-eyed Parakeet** *Aratinga leucophthalmus* 22/7 2 ex. Pantanal, 29-30/7 ca 20 ex. dagligen Chapada, 31/7-5/8 vanlig vid Cristalino med max. 150 ex. 3/8.

**Peach-fronted Parakeet** *Aratinga aurea* 20/7 ca 100 ex., 21/7 ca 15 ex., 22/7 10 ex., 24/7 ca 75 ex. Pantanal, 25-28/7 10-100 ex. dagligen Emas, 30/7 2 ex. Chapada.

Crimson-bellied Parakeet Pyrrhura perlata 2/8 7 ex., 3/8 8 ex. Cristalino. Excellent views!

**Santarém Parakeet** *Pyrrhura amazonum lucida* 1/8 hörd, 2/8 7 ex. Cristalino. This subspecies (also called Cristalino Parakeet) was rather recently described and according to some people is one of two subspecies of the "Madeira Parakeet" *P. snethlageae*. This is not accepted by the SACC, which lump all these forms into Santarém (Hellmayr's) Parakeet.

Monk Parakeet Myiopsitta monachus 20-23/7 2-50 ex. dagligen, 24/7 ca 100 ex. Pantanal.

**Dusky-billed Parrotlet** Forpus sclateri 1/8 5 ex., 2/8 2 ex., 3/8 2 ex. Cristalino.

**Yellow-chevroned Parakeet** *Brotogeris chiriri* 19-24/7 5-20 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 25/7 ca 5 ex. Emas, 29/7 2 ex. Chapada.

Golden-winged Parakeet Brotogeris chrysopterus 2/8 2 ex., 3/8 ca 10 ex., 4/8 ca 10 ex. Cristalino.

White-bellied Parrot Pionites leucogaster 2/8 3 ex., 3/8 ca 10 ex. Cristalino.

**Blue-headed Parrot** *Pionus menstruus* 28/7 5 ex. Emas, 29/7 ca 10 ex., 30/7 2 ex. Chapada, 31/7-5/8 5-20 ex. dagligen Cristalino.

**Scaly-headed Parrot** *Pionus maximiliani* 19-23/7 1-10 ex. dagligen Pantanal.

**Yellow-faced Amazon** *Alipiopsitta xanthops* (**nt**) 25/7 4 ex., 26/7 1 ex., 27/7 3 ex. Emas. Rather recently placed in a monotypic genus.

**Blue-fronted Amazon** *Amazona aestiva* 19-24/7 10-30 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 25/7 ca 10 ex., 26/7 ca 15 ex., 27/7 några ex., 28/7 hörd Emas, 30/7 2 ex. Chapada.

Yellow-crowned Amazon Amazona ochrocephala 31/7 2 ex. Alta Floresta-Teles Pires.

Kawall's Amazon Amazona kawalli 2/8 2 ex., 3/8 6 ex. Cristalino. Described in 1989!

Mealy Amazon Amazona farinosa 29/7 1 ex. Chapada.

Red-fan Parrot Deroptyus accipitrinus 1/8 3 ex. Cristalino.

#### **CUCULIDAE**

**Squirrel Cuckoo** *Piaya cayana* Observerad med 1-2 ex. under 12 dagar.

**Black-bellied Cuckoo** *Piaya melanogaster* 4/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

Smooth-billed Ani Crotophaga ani Tämligen allmän-allmän i öppna miljöer, sedd under 11 dagar.

**Guira Cuckoo** *Guira guira* 19-22/7 5-25 ex. dagligen, 24/7 några ex. Pantanal, 29/7 1 sj., 30/7 ca 15 ex. Chapada.

**American Striped Cuckoo** *Tapera naevia* 22/7 1 ex., 24/7 1 ex. Pantanal. Interestingly only seen; normally it's the other way around.

Pavonine Cuckoo Dromococcyx pavoninus 29-30/7 1 sj. Chapada, 4/8 2 sj. Cristalino.

# **TYTONIDAE**

Barn Owl Tyto alba 25/7 1 ex. Emas.

# **STRIGIDAE**

**Tropical Screech-Owl** *Megascops choliba* 19/7 1 sj., 20/7 1 ex. Pantanal.

**Southern Tawny-bellied Screech-Owl** *Megascops (watsonii) usta* 3/8 2 sj. Cristalino. Split by many Brazilians and then called Austral Screech-Owl.

Crested Owl Lophostrix cristata 3/8 1 hörd Cristalino.

**Ferruginous Pygmy-Owl** *Glaucidium brasilianum* 19-21 och 23-24/7 1-3 sj. dagligen, 19/7 1 ex., 20/7 2 ex., 22/7 1 ex. Pantanal, 27-28/7 1 sj. Emas.

Burrowing Owl Athene cunicularia 20/7 2 ex. Pantanal, 25-28/710-15 ex. dagligen Emas, 30/7 2 ex. Chapada.

Short-eared Owl Asio flammeus 25/7 1 ex. Emas (SH, LS).

## **NYCTIBIIDAE**

Great Potoo Nyctibius grandis 19/7 1 hörd, 20/7 1 ex., 22/7 1 ex. Pantanal.

**Common Potoo** *Nyctibius griseus* 20/7 1 ex. Pantanal.

#### **CAPRIMULGIDAE**

Semi-collared Nighthawk Lurocalis semitorquatus 1/8 1 ex., 3/8 3 ex., 4/8 4 ex. Cristalino.

**Band-tailed Nighthawk** *Nyctiprogne leucopyga* 20/7 34 ex., 21/7 1 ex. Pantanal.

**Nacunda Nighthawk** *Podager nacunda* 20/7 3 ex., 21/7 ca 300 ex., 22/7 ca 400 ex., 23/7 ca 100 ex., 24/7 ca 300 ex. Pantanal, 28/7 2 ex. Mineiros, 29/7 1 ex. Chapada. Impressive numbers!

**Pauraque** *Nyctidromus albicollis* 19-23/7 1-7 ex. sedda/hörda dagligen Pantanal, 26/7 1 ex., 27/7 3 sj. Emas, 3/8 7 ex. Cristalino.

Ocellated Poorwill Nyctiphrynus ocellatus 4/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

**Rufous Nightjar** Caprimulgus rufus 20/7 1 sj. Pantanal, 27/7 2 ex. Emas.

**Blackish Nightjar** Caprimulgus nigrescens 1/8 2 ex., 3/8 4 ex., 4/8 4 ex., 5/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

**Ladder-tailed Nightjar** *Hydropsalis climacocerca* 3/8 1 ♂ Cristalino.

**Scissor-tailed Nightjar** *Hydropsalis torquata* 22/7 2 ♂ Pantanal. Excellent views.

## **APODIDAE**

Biscutate Swift Streptoprocne biscutata 29/7 ca 120 ex. Chapada. A fantastic show!

Gray-rumped Swift Chaetura cinereiventris 31/7 3 ex., 2/8 ca 125 ex., 3/8 ca 15 ex., 4/8 ca 100 ex. Cristalino.

Pale-rumped Swift Chaetura egregia 4/8 minst 3 ex. Cristalino.

**Short-tailed Swift** *Chaetura brachyura* 31/7 ca 10 ex. Alta Floresta–Teles Pires, 1/8 4 ex., 2/8 3 ex., 4/8 ca 5 ex. Cristalino.

**Neotropical Palm-Swift** *Tachornis squamata* 25/7 ca 10 ex., 26/7 några ex., 27/7 4 ex. Emas, 31/7 ca 20 ex. Alta Floresta–Teles Pires.

# **TROCHILIDAE**

Planalto Hermit Phaethornis pretrei 25/7 1 ex. Emas, 30/7 1 ex. Chapada.

**Buff-bellied Hermit** *Phaethornis subochraceus* 22/7 1 ex. Pantanal.

Cinnamon-throated Hermit Phaethornis nattereri ?? 29/7 2 ex. Chapada. Probably this species.

**Reddish Hermit** *Phaethornis ruber* 29/7 1 ex. Chapada (LS).

**Gray-breasted Sabrewing** Campylopterus largipennis 4/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

**Swallow-tailed Hummingbird** *Campylopterus macrourus* 21/7 1 ex. Pantanal, 26/7 1 ex., 27/7 1 ex., 28/7 2 ex. Emas.

**White-necked Jacobin** *Florisuga mellivora* 1/8 1 ♀, 4/8 1 juv. ♂ Cristalino.

White-vented Violetear Colibri serrirostris 25/7 2 ex.+2 sj. Emas, 29/7 1 ex.+3 sj., 30/7 3 ex. Chapada.

Black-throated Mango Anthracothorax nigricollis 4/8 ca 10 ex. Cristalino.

Glittering-bellied Emerald Chlorostilbon aureoventris 26/7 2 ♀ Emas, 29/7 1 ♀, 30/7 1 ♂ Chapada.

**Fork-tailed Woodnymph** *Thalurania furcata* 25/7 1  $\stackrel{\frown}{}$ , 26/7 1  $\stackrel{\frown}{}$  Emas, 29/7 1  $\stackrel{\frown}{}$ , 1  $\stackrel{\frown}{}$ , 30/7 1  $\stackrel{\frown}{}$  Chapada, 3/8 1  $\stackrel{\frown}{}$ , 4/8 1  $\stackrel{\frown}{}$  Cristalino.

White-chinned Sapphire Hylocharis cyanus 4/8 1  $\circlearrowleft$  Cristalino (SH).

**White-tailed Goldenthroat** *Polytmus guainumbi* 27/7 1 ♀ Emas.

Versicolored Emerald Agyrtria versicolor 4/8 1 ex., 5/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

**Glittering-throated Emerald** *Polyerata fimbriata* 20-21 och 23/7 1 ex. dagligen, 22/7 3 ex. Pantanal, 4/8 2 ex. Cristalino.

Black-eared Fairy Heliothryx aurita 4/8 3 ex., 5/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

**Horned Sungem** *Heliactin bilopha* 28/7 2  $\circlearrowleft$ , 1  $\circlearrowleft$  Emas, 30/7 1  $\circlearrowleft$  Chapada. What a bird!

Long-billed Starthroat Heliomaster longirostris 3/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

**Blue-tufted Starthroat** *Heliomaster furcifer* 30/7 1 ♀ Chapada (mest SH).

**Amethyst Woodstar** *Calliphlox amethystina* 4/8 1 ♂ Cristalino. A beauty!

#### TROGONIDAE

**Green-backed Trogon** *Trogon viridis* 31/7 1 sj. Alta Floresta, 1-5/8 2-7 ex. sedda/hörda dagligen Cristalino. Formerly (Amazonian) White-tailed Trogon.

**Violaceous Trogon** *Trogon violaceus* 1/8 1  $\bigcirc$  +1 sj., 3/8 1 par Cristalino.

**Collared Trogon** *Trogon collaris* 2/8 2 sj., 3/8 1 sj., 4/8 1  $\circlearrowleft$ , 5/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

**Black-throated Trogon** *Trogon rufus* 2/8 1 ♂ Cristalino.

**Blue-crowned Trogon** *Trogon curucui* 20/7 1  $\stackrel{\frown}{\circ}$ , 21/7 2 ex., 22/7 2 ex.+1 sj. Pantanal, 29/7 1  $\stackrel{\frown}{\circ}$ , 30/7 1 sj. hapada, 31/7 1  $\stackrel{\frown}{\circ}$  Alta Floresta–Teles Pires.

**Black-tailed Trogon** *Trogon melanurus* 2/8 1 sj., 3/8 1 ♂+1 sj., 4/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

# **ALCEDINIDAE**

Green-and-rufous Kingfisher Chloroceryle inda 21/7 1 ex. Pantanal, 2/8 1 ex. (ML, SH), 4/8 3 ex. Cristalino.

Green Kingfisher Chloroceryle americana 19-24/7 1-5 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 2/8 2 ex. Cristalino.

**Amazon Kingfisher** *Chloroceryle amazona* 19-24/7 5-15 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 2 och 4/8 5 ex., 3 och 5/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

Ringed Kingfisher Megaceryle torquatus 19-24/7 5-15 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 1-5/8 1-2 ex. dagl. Cristalino.

# **MOMOTIDAE**

**Blue-crowned Motmot** *Momotus momota* 27/7 1 ex. Emas, 29/7 2 ex.+1 hörd, 30/7 1 ex. Chapada, 1/8 1 hörd, 3/8 2 hörda, 4/8 1 hörd Cristalino.

## **GALBULIDAE**

Brown Jacamar Brachygalba lugubris 4/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

Blue-necked Jacamar Galbula cyanicollis 1/8 2 ex. Cristalino (ML).

**Rufous-tailed Jacamar** *Galbula ruficauda* 20-23/7 1-3 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 25/7 2 ex., 26/7 2 ex., 28/7 1 ex. Emas, 29/7 1 ex., 30/7 1 ex. Chapada, 4/8 2 ex. Cristalino.

Bronzy Jacamar Galbula leucogastra 1/8 1 par, 2/8 2 hörda Cristalino.

Paradise Jacamar Galbula dea 1-4/8 1-2 ex. dagligen Cristalino.

Great Jacamar Jacamerops aureus 31/7 1 sj. Alta Floresta-Teles Pires.

# **BUCCONIDAE**

White-necked Puffbird Notharcus macrorhynchus 3/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

**Brown-banded Puffbird** *Notharcus ordii* 4/8 2 ex. Cristalino. Virtually unknown in life until early 1990s.

Pied Puffbird Notharcus tectus 4/8 2 ex. Cristalino.

White-eared Puffbird Nystalus chacuru 26-28/7 1 ex. dagligen Emas, 29/7 2 ex. Chapada.

**Striolated Puffbird** *Nystalus striolatus* 31/7 1 sj. Alta Floresta–Teles Pires.

**Black-fronted Nunbird** *Monasa nigrifrons* 20-24/7 1-3 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 29/7 4 ex., 30/7 2 ex. Chapada, 31/7-5/8 1-10 ex. dagligen Cristalino.

Swallow-wing Chelidoptera tenebrosa 1-5/8 5-25 ex. dagligen Cristalino.

## **RAMPHASTIDAE**

**Lettered Aracari** *Pteroglossus inscriptus* 29/7 6 ex., 30/7 4 ex. Chapada.

Red-necked Aracari Pteroglossus bitorquatus 2/8 2 ex., 3/8 5 ex. Cristalino.

**Chestnut-eared Aracari** *Pteroglossus castanotis* 22/7 6 ex., 23/7 5 ex. Pantanal, 29/7 4 ex., 30/7 4 ex. Chapada, 31/7 3 ex. Alta Floresta—Teles Pires, 5/8 1 ex. Alta Floresta.

Curl-crested Aracari Pteroglossus beauharnaesii 1/8 3 ex., 2/8 6 ex., 3/8 2 ex. Cristalino. Cool bird.

**Channel-billed Toucan** *Ramphastos vitellinus* 27/7 1 sj. Emas, 29/7 1 ex., 30/7 1 sj. Chapada, 1-5/8 1-10 ex. sedda/hörda dagligen Cristalino. The *Ramphastos vitellinus*-complex is tricky to analyse because of the complicated geographical variation. At Cristalino you see birds with both pure white or (commoner) yellow throats.

**Toco Toucan** *Ramphastos toco* 20-24/7 1-5 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 25-27/7 ca 10 ex. dagligen, 28/7 ca 20 ex. Emas. A favourite!

White-throated Toucan Ramphastos tucanus 31/7-5/8 3-15 ex. hörda/sedda dagligen Cristalino.

## **PICIDAE**

Bar-breasted Piculet Picumnus aurifrons 1/8 2 ex. Cristalino.

**White-wedged Piculet** *Picumnus albosquamatus* 20/7 1 ex.+1 sj., 22/7 1 ex. Pantanal, 25-26/7 2 ex., 27/7 1 sj., 28/7 1 sj. Emas, 29/7 2 ex. Chapada.

White Woodpecker Melanerpes candidus 22/7 3 ex. Pantanal, 25-28/7 2-6 ex. dagligen Emas. Vindication!

Yellow-tufted Woodpecker Melanerpes cruentatus 29-30/7 2 ex. Chapada, 2/8 1 hörd Cristalino.

**Little Woodpecker** *Veniliornis passerinus* 20/7 3 ex., 22/7 1  $\stackrel{\frown}{\downarrow}$ , 23/7 2 ex. Pantanal.

**Red-stained Woodpecker** *Veniliornis affinis* 3/8 1 ex. (SH), 4/8 3 ex. Cristalino.

Yellow-throated Woodpecker Piculus flavigula 1/8 1 & (ML), 3/8 2 ex. Cristalino.

**Golden-green Woodpecker** *Piculus chrysochloros* 20/7 1 ♂ Pantanal, 3/8 1 ♀ Cristalino.

Green-barred Woodpecker Colaptes melanochloros 19/7 1 ex., 24/7 1 ex. (SH) Pantanal.

**Campo Flicker** *Colaptes campestris* 20/7 1 ex., 21/7 3 ex. Pantanal, 25-28/7 5-10 ex. dagligen Emas, 29/7 1 ex. Chapada.

Scale-breasted Woodpecker Celeus grammicus 4/8 2 ex. Cristalino.

**Chestnut Woodpecker** *Celeus elegans* 1/8 1  $\stackrel{\wedge}{\circ}$  Cristalino.

Pale-crested Woodpecker Celeus lugubris 19/7 2 ex., 20/7 3 ex. Pantanal. Superb views!

**Cream-colored Woodpecker** *Celeus flavus* 20/7 2 ex., 22/7 1 ex. Pantanal, 2/8 1 ♂ Cristalino. The population from northern Pantanal is very poorly known.

**Lineated Woodpecker** *Dryocopus lineatus* 24/7 1 ♂ Pantanal, 31/7 1 ♂ Alta Floresta–Teles Pires, 4/7 1 ♀ Cristalino.

Red-necked Woodpecker Campephilus rubricollis 2/8 1 d Cristalino (SH, ML).

**Crimson-crested Woodpecker** *Campephilus melanoleucos* 23/7 1  $\circlearrowleft$  Pantanal.

# **FURNARIIDAE**

Campo Miner Geositta poeciloptera (VU) 25/7 4 ex., 26/7 1 ex. Emas. Excellent!

**Pale-legged Hornero** Furnarius leucopus 20/7 3 ex.+1 sj., 21/7 2 ex. Pantanal.

Rufous Hornero Furnarius rufus Tämligen allmän i öppna biotoper, noterad under 12 dagar.

Chotoy Spinetail Schoeniophylax phryganophila 22/7 2 sj., 23/7 1 ex. Pantanal.

Pale-breasted Spinetail Synallaxis albescens 25/7 1 ex., 26/7 1 sj., 27/7 2 sj. Emas, 30/7 1 sj. Chapada.

White-lored Spinetail Synallaxis albilora 20/7 ca 5 ex., 21/7 1 sj., 22/7 2 sj. Pantanal.

Rusty-backed Spinetail Cranioleuca vulpina 20/7 2 ex.+6 sj., 21/7 4 ex.+4 sj., 22/7 2 sj. Pantanal.

**Speckled Spinetail** *Cranioleuca gutturata* 3/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

**Yellow-chinned Spinetail** *Certhiaxis cinnamomea* 19-20 och 23-24/7 1-3 ex. dagligen, 21-22/7 ca 10 ex. dagligen Pantanal.

**Rufous-fronted Thornbird** *Phacellodomus rufifrons* 21/7 1 sj. Pantanal.

**Greater Thornbird** *Phacellodomus ruber* 19/7 2 ex.+1 sj., 22/7 2 ex., 23/7 1 sj. Pantanal, 25/7 1 ex.+1 sj., 26/7 1 sj., 27/7 1 ex. Emas.

**Gray-crested Cacholote** *Pseudoseisura unirufa* 19/7 1 ex., 24/7 1 ex. Pantanal.

**Point-tailed Palmcreeper** *Berlepschia rikeri* 31/7 1 ex. Alta Floresta–Teles Pires.

**Chestnut-winged Hookbill** *Ancistrops strigilatus* 1/8 1 ex., 4/8 2 ex. Cristalino.

**Rufous-tailed Foliage-gleaner** *Philydor ruficaudatum* 3/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

**Rufous-rumped Foliage-gleaner** *Philydor erythrocercum* 1/8 ca 5 ex. Cristalino.

**Planalto Foliage-gleaner** *Philydor dimidiatum* 26/7 1 hörd, 27/7 1 ex. Emas.

**Dusky-cheeked Foliage-gleaner** Anabazenops dorsalis 1/8 1 hörd Cristalino.

Buff-throated Foliage-gleaner Automolus ochrolaemus 3/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

**Slender-billed Xenops** *Xenops tenuirostris* 1-2/8 1 ex., 4/8 2 ex. Cristalino.

**Plain Xenops** *Xenops minutus* 1/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

**Streaked Xenops** *Xenops rutilans* 20/7 2 ex. Pantanal, 29/7 1 ex. Chapada.

**Olivaceous Woodcreeper** *Sittasomus griseicapillus* 20/7 3 ex., 22/7 2 ex. Pantanal, 27/7 1 ex. Emas, 29/7 2 ex. Chapada.

**Long-tailed Woodcreeper** *Deconychura longicauda* 2/8 1 sj., 3/8 2 sj. Cristalino.

Wedge-billed Woodcreeper Glyphorynchus spirurus 1/8 1 ex., 3/8 2 ex. (ML) Cristalino.

Long-billed Woodcreeper Nasica longirostris 31/7 2 ex. Cristalino, 3/8 1 sj. Teles Pires.

Strong-billed Woodcreeper Xiphocolaptes (promeropirhynchus) orenocensis 5/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

Great Rufous Woodcreeper Xiphocolaptes major 19-20 och 22-23/7 1 sj. dagl., 20 och 24/7 3 ex. Pantanal.

**Black-banded Woodcreeper** *Dendrocolaptes picumnus* 5/8 1 sj. ♂ Cristalino.

**Striped Woodcreeper** *Xiphorhynchus obsoletus* 1/8 2 sj., 4/8 1 ex.+4 sj. Cristalino.

**Lafresnaye's Woodcreeper** *Xiphorhynchus guttatoides* 20/7 1 ex., 21 och 23-24/7 1 sj. dagligen, 22/7 4 sj. Pantanal, 29/7 2 ex.+2 sj. Chapada, 1-5/8 3-10 sj. dagligen Cristalino.

Straight-billed Woodcreeper Xiphorhynchus picus 20/7 2 ex.+3 sj., 21/7 2 sj., 22/7 1 sj. Pantanal.

**Narrow-billed Woodcreeper** *Lepidocolaptes angustirostris* 20/7 ca 10 ex., 22/7 2 ex., 24/7 2 ex. Pantanal, 26/7 1 ex. Emas.

**Curve-billed Scythebill** *Campylorhamphus procurvoides* 1/8 1 ex., 3/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

**Red-billed Scythebill** *Campylorhamphus trochilirostris* 20/7 1-2 ex., 21/7 1 ex. Pantanal.

# **THAMNOPHILIDAE**

**Fasciated Antshrike** *Cymbilaimus lineatus* 1/8 2 ♂, 2-5/8 1-3 sj. dagligen, 4/8 1 ♂, 1 ♀ Cristalino.

**Great Antshrike** *Taraba major* 19/7 1  $\stackrel{\bigcirc}{\circ}$ , 20 och 22-23/7 1 sj. dagligen, 22/7 1  $\stackrel{\bigcirc}{\circ}$ , 24/7 1  $\stackrel{\bigcirc}{\circ}$  Pantanal, 3/8 1 sj. Cristalino (SH).

**Glossy Antshrike** Sakesphorus luctuosus 1/8 1 sj.  $\circlearrowleft$ +2 sj., 2/8 1 sj., 4/8 1  $\circlearrowleft$  (LS), 5/8 1 sj. Cristalino. Nice!

**Barred Antshrike** *Thamnophilus doliatus* 21/7 1 par+2 sj., 22/7 5 ex.+4 sj. Pantanal, 26/7 1 par Emas, 30/7 1  $^{\circ}$ +1 sj. Chapada.

**Chestnut-backed Antshrike** *Thamnophilus palliatus* 3/8 1 sj. 3/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

**Rufous-winged Antshrike** *Thamnophilus torquatus* 26/7 1 sj.  $\circlearrowleft$  Emas, 30/7 3 sj. Chapada.

Plain-winged Antshrike Thamnophilus schistaceus 1/8 1 ♂+3 sj., 2 och 4/8 2 sj., 5/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

Natterer's Slaty-Antshrike Thamnophilus stictocephalus 4/8 1 sj. &+ca 5 sj. Cristalino.

Planalto Slaty-Antshrike Thamnophilus pelzelni 20/7 1 sj.  $\stackrel{\wedge}{\circ}$  Pantanal.

**Amazonian Antshrike** *Thamnophilus amazonicus* 1/8 1  $\circlearrowleft$ , 2/8 1 sj., 3/8 1 par Cristalino.

**Spot-winged Antshrike** *Pygiptila stellaris* 1/8 1 par, 3/8 1  $\circlearrowleft$ , 5/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

**Plain Antvireo** *Dysithamnus mentalis* 20/7 1 par Pantanal, 27/7 6 ex.+1 sj. Emas, 29/7 ca 5 ex., 30/7 2 ex. Chapada.

**Saturnine Antshrike** *Thamnomanes saturninus* 4/8 1 sj.  $\circlearrowleft$  Cristalino.

**Cinereous Antshrike** *Thamnomanes caesius* 1/8 1 sj.  $\circlearrowleft$  Cristalino.

White-eyed Antwren Epinecrophylla leucophthalma 1/8 1 ex. Cristalino (SH).

Ornate Antwren Epinecrophylla 1/8 1 hörd Cristalino.

**Pygmy Antwren** *Myrmotherula brachyura* 2/8 5 sj., 3/8 3 sj., 4/8 3 sj. Cristalino.

Amazonian Streaked-Antwren Myrmotherula multostriata 1/8 2 3, 2-4/8 2-3 sj. dagligen Cristalino.

**Sclater's Antwren** *Myrmotherula sclateri* 1/8 1  $\stackrel{\wedge}{\circ}$  Cristalino.

**Long-winged Antwren** *Myrmotherula longipennis paraensis* 1/8 2 sj., 3/8 1  $\circlearrowleft$ , 4/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

Gray Antwren Myrmotherula menetriesii 1/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

Banded Antbird Dichrozona cincta 2/8 1 par Cristalino. Awesome!

**Large-billed Antwren** *Herpsilochmus longirostris* 20/7 1 sj., 21/7 4 sj., 22/7 1 sj. Pantanal, 26/7 5 ex., 27/7 7 sj., 28/7 3 sj. Emas, 29/7 4 ex.+2 sj., 30/7 2 sj. Chapada.

**Rufous-winged Antwren** Herpsilochmus rufimarginatus 1-2 och 5/8 3 sj., 4/8 ca 5 sj. Cristalino.

**White-fringed Antwren** *Formicivora grisea* 4/8 1 ♂ Cristalino.

**Rusty-backed Antwren** Formicivora rufa 24/7 2 par Pantanal, 25/7 1  $\circlearrowleft$  Emas, 30/7 1 par Chapada.

Xingu Antbird Drymophila (devillei) subochracea 1/8 3 sj., 2 och 4/8 1 sj., 5/8 1 ex.+5 sj. Cristalino.

**Gray Antbird** *Cercomacra cinerascens* 31/7-5/8 1-4 sj. dagligen Cristalino.

Mato Grosso Antbird Cercomacra melanaria 20/7 4 ex.+3 sj., 21/7 4 sj., 22/7 2 sj. Pantanal.

White-browed Antbird Myrmoborus leucophrys 5/8 1 sj.  $\bigcirc$ +3 sj. Cristalino.

**Black-faced Antbird** *Myrmoborus myotherinus* 1/8 1 sj., 2/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

**Spix's Warbling-Antbird** *Hypocnemis striata* 1/8 2 ex.+1 sj., 5/8 1 sj. Cristalino

**Band-tailed Antbird** *Hypocnemoides maculicauda* 20/7 1 par+1 sj., 21/7 1 sj. Pantanal, 1/8 3 ex.+1 sj., 5/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

**Chestnut-tailed Antbird** *Myrmeciza hemimelaena* 2/8 2 sj., 3/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

**Dot-backed Antbird** *Hylophylax punctulatus* 1/8 1 sj., 2/8 2 sj., 5/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

Scale-backed Antbird Willisornis poecilinotus 5/8 1 sj. ♂ Cristalino. Ganska nyligen placerad i ett eget släkte.

**Bare-eyed Antbird** *Rhegmatorhina gymnops* 2/8 3 ex. Cristalino. Not just a specialty for Cristalino, it's also quite good looking!

**Black-spotted Bare-eye** *Phlegopsis nigromaculata* 1/8 1 sj., 4/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

## **GRALLARIIDAE**

**Spotted Antpitta** *Hylopezus macularius* 3/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

Amazonian Antpitta Hylopezus berlepschi 31/7 1 sj. Alta Floresta-Teles Pires.

Thrush-like Antpitta Myrmothera campanisona 5/8 1 sj. Cristalino. Very close ...

Variegated Antpitta Grallaria varia 2/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

## **CONOPOPHAGIDAE**

Snethlage's Gnateater Conopophaga (aurita) snethlageae 2/8 1 sj. Cristalino. Not a feather seen!

#### **MELANOPAREIIDAE**

Collared Crescent-chest Melanopareia torquata 25-28/7 1-3 sj. dagligen, 27/7 2 ex. Emas. Muy bien!

# **COTINGIDAE**

**Screaming Piha** *Lipaugus vociferus* 31/7 2 sj. Alta Floresta–Teles Pires, 1-5/8 2-10 sj. dagligen, 2/8 1 ex., 3/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

**Spangled Cotinga** *Cotinga cayana* 1/8 1  $\circlearrowleft$ , 2/8 1  $\circlearrowleft$ , 3/8 3  $\circlearrowleft$ , 1  $\circlearrowleft$  Cristalino.

**Pompadour Cotinga** *Xipholena punicea* 3/8 1 ad.  $\lozenge$  Cristalino. A bit far, but still nice.

Bare-necked Fruitcrow Gymnoderus foetidus 2/8 3 ex., 3/8 5 ex., 4/8 2 ex. Cristalino.

# **PIPRIDAE**

**Band-tailed Manakin** *Pipra fasciicauda* 29/7 1  $\circlearrowleft$ , 3  $\subsetneq$ , 30/7 1  $\subsetneq$  Chapada, 1/8 1 hörd, 5/8 1  $\circlearrowleft$ +1 hörd Cristalino.

**Red-headed Manakin** *Pipra rubrocapilla* 1-3/8 1 ♂ dagligen, 1-3 och 5/8 1-5 hörda dagligen Cristalino.

**Snow-capped Manakin** *Lepidothrix nattereri* 1/8 2 sj. Cristalino. Hard to see ...

**White-crowned Manakin** *Dixiphia pipra* 2/8 1  $\circlearrowleft$  Cristalino.

**Helmeted Manakin** *Antilophia galeata* 22/7 1  $\circlearrowleft$  Pantanal, 25/7 2  $\circlearrowleft$ +2 hörda, 26/7 1  $\circlearrowleft$ +4 hörda, 27/7 2  $\circlearrowleft$ , 2  $\hookrightarrow$ +5 hörda, 28/7 2 sj. Emas, 29/7 1  $\circlearrowleft$  Chapada (SH).

**Blue-backed Manakin** *Chiroxiphia pareola* 3/8 1 ad. 3+2 sj. Cristalino.

**Fiery-capped Manakin** *Machaeropterus pyrocephalus* 30/7 2  $\circlearrowleft$  Chapada, 3/8 1 sj., 4/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

Flame-crested Manakin Heterocercus lineatus 2/8 2 sj. Cristalino.

Pale-bellied Tyrant-Manakin Neopelma pallescens 27/7 2 ex. Emas.

**Dwarf Tyrant-Manakin** *Tyranneutes stolzmanni* 1-5/8 2-5 sj. dagligen Cristalino, 3/8 1 ex. Teles Pires.

Wing-barred Piprites Piprites chloris 1-2/8 1 sj. dagligen, 3/8 2 sj., 5/8 2 ex. Cristalino.

## **TYRANNIDAE**

Planalto Tyrannulet Phyllomyias fasciatus 20/7 4 ex., 22/7 3 ex. Pantanal, 26/7 1 ex. Emas.

**Yellow-crowned Tyrannules** *Tyrannulus elatus* 3/8 2 ex.+1 sj., 4/8 2 sj., 5/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

**Forest Elaenia** *Myiopagis gaimardii* 20/7 2 ex.+1 sj., 22/7 2 sj. Pantanal, 29/7 2 ex.+1 sj., 30/7 1 sj. Chapada, 3/8 2 sj., 4/8 1 ex.+3 sj. Cristalino.

**Gray Elaenia** *Myiopagis caniceps* 3/8 1 sj. ♂ Cristalino.

**Greenish Elaenia** *Myiopagis viridicata* 27/7 1 sj. 3+1 sj. Emas.

**Yellow-bellied Elaenia** *Elaenia flavogaster* 25/7 1 sj., 26/7 4 ex., 28/7 2 ex. Emas.

Small-billed Elaenia Elaenia parvirostris 25/7 1 ex. Emas, 4/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

Plain-crested Elaenia Elaenia cristata 27/7 1 sj., 28/7 2 sj. Emas, 30/7 ca 10 ex. Chapada.

White-lored Tyrannulet Ornithion inerme 3/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

**Southern Beardless-Tyrannulet** *Camptostoma obsoletum* 22/7 1 ex.+1 sj., 24/7 2 ex. Pantanal, 25/7 1 ex., 26/7 1 sj. Emas, 31/7 1 ex.+1 sj. Alta Floresta–Teles Pires.

Chapada Flycatcher Suiriri islerorum (nt) 26/7 1 par Emas. Superb duet song!

**Sooty Tyrannulet** *Serpophaga nigricans* 26/7 1 ex. Emas (ML).

Sharp-tailed Tyrant Culicivora caudacuta (VU) 26/7 10 ex., 27/7 3 ex., 28/7 1 ex. Emas.

**Southern Antpipit** *Corythopis delalandi* 27/7 1 sj., 28/7 2 ex. Emas.

**Rufous-sided Pygmy-Tyrant** *Euscarthmus rufomarginatus* (**nt**) 26/7 1 sj. Emas, 30/7 1 sj.  $\circlearrowleft$  Chapada. A very local species that used to be regarded as vulnerable.

**Southern Scrub-Flycatcher** *Sublegatus modestus* 22/7 1 ex. Pantanal.

**Plain Tyrannulet** *Inezia inornata* 22/7 3 ex. Pantanal.

Amazonian Tyrannulet Inezia subflava 3/8 2 ex. Cristalino.

Short-tailed Pygmy-Tyrant Myiornis ecaudatus 4/8 1 par Cristalino. The world's smallest passerine – 6 cm!

Helmeted Pygmy-Tyrant Lophotriccus galeatus 1/8 1 ex.+6 sj., 2-5/8 1-3 sj. dagligen Cristalino.

**Snethlage's Tody-Tyrant** *Hemitriccus minor* 3/8 1 sj. Teles Pires. Only found one the west bank of the Teles Pires.

White-bellied Tody-Tyrant Hemitriccus griseipectus 1/8 1 ex., 2-3 och 5/8 1 hörd dagligen Cristalino.

**Stripe-necked Tody-Tyrant** *Hemitriccus striaticollis* 22/7 1 ex. Pantanal.

**Pearly-vented Tody-Tyrant** *Hemitriccus margaritaceiventer* 20/7 5 ex.+1 sj. Pantanal, 28/7 1 sj. Emas, 30/7 1 sj. Chapada.

Zimmer's Tody-Tyrant Hemitriccus minimus 2/8 1 sj. Cristalino. New for Sam.

Rusty-fronted Tody-Flycatcher Poecilotriccus latirostris 20/7 1 ex. Pantanal.

**Spotted Tody-Flycatcher** *Todirostrum maculatum* 3/8 1 ex.+2 sj., 4/8 2 ex.+1 sj. Cristalino.

**Common Tody-Flycatcher** *Todirostrum cinereum* 21/7 1 sj., 22/7 2 ex. Pantanal, 26/7 1 ex.+1 hörd Emas, 29/7 1 ex. Chapada.

Yellow-olive Flatbill Tolmomyias sulphurescens 20/7 1 ex., 22/7 2 ex. Pantanal, 29/7 2 ex., 30/7 1 sj. Chapada.

White-throated Spadebill Platyrinchus mystaceus 27/7 1 ex. Emas.

Golden-crowned Spadebill Platyrinchus coronatus 2/8 1 sj. 6 Cristalino.

White-crested Spadebill Platyrinchus platyrhynchos 1/8 1 ex., 2/8 1 sj., 3/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

Amazonian Royal-Flycatcher Onychorhynchus coronatus 3/8 1 hörd (och skymtad), 5/8 1 hörd Cristalino.

Swallow Flycatcher Hirundinea (ferruginea) bellicosa 29/7 1 ex., 30/7 1 ex. Chapada.

Euler's Flycatcher Lathrotriccus euleri 27/7 1 ex. Emas.

Fuscous Flycatcher Cnemotriccus fuscatus 20/7 1 ex., 22/7 2 ex. Pantanal.

**Vermilion Flycatcher** *Pyrocephalus rubinus* 19-24/7 2-5 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 25/7 2 ex., 26/7 1 ♂ Emas.

Crested Black-Tyrant Knipolegus lophotes 29/7 1 ex., 30/7 1 ex. Chapada.

**Drab Water-Tyrant** Ochthornis littoralis 3/8 2 ex., 5/8 1 ex. Teles Pires.

Yellow-browed Tyrant Satrapa icterophrys 27/7 1 ex. Emas.

Black-backed Water-Tyrant Fluvicola albiventer 21/7 10-15 ex., 22/7 3 ex., 23/7 1 ex., 24/7 1 ex. Pantanal.

White-headed Marsh-Tyrant Arundinicola leucocephala 21/7 5 ex., 22/7 1  $\stackrel{?}{\circ}$ , 1  $\stackrel{?}{\circ}$ , 23/7 1  $\stackrel{?}{\circ}$  Pantanal.

Cock-tailed Tyrant Alectrurus tricolor (VU) 25/7 6 ex., 26/7 2 ex., 27/7 ca 15 ex., 28/7 ca 30 ex. Emas.

Gray Monjita Xolmis cinerea 25-28/7 20-50 ex. dagligen Emas, 29/7 1 ex. Chapada, 6/8 1 ex. São Paulo.

White-rumped Monjita Xolmis velata 20/7 3 ex., 21/7 2 ex. Pantanal, 25-28/7 10-15 ex. dagligen Emas.

**Streamer-tailed Tyrant** *Gubernetes yetapa* 25-28/7 1-4 ex. dagligen Emas.

Cattle Tyrant Machetornis rixosus Sedd dagligen 19-28/7 med 2-10 ex.

**Piratic Flycatcher** Legatus leucophaius 31/7 1 ex. Alta Floresta–Teles Pires, 1/8 1 sj., 4/8 1 ex., 5/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

**Rusty-margined Flycatcher** *Myiozetetes cayanensis* Fåtaligare än normalt, noterad i smärre antal under 8 dagar.

**Great Kiskadee** *Pitangus sulphuratus* Tämligen allmän; sedd dagligen 19-24/7 och 27-30/7 samt med några ex. vid Teles Pires 3/8.

Lesser Kiskadee Philohydor lictor 19-21/7 2 ex. dagligen Pantanal.

**Streaked Flycatcher** *Myiodynastes maculatus* 23/7 2 ex. Pantanal, 29/7 1 ex. Chapada.

**Boat-billed Flycatcher** *Megarynchus pitangua* 22/7 1 ex., 23/7 2 ex., 24/7 3 sj. Pantanal, 29/7 1 ex. Chapada, 4/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

Variegated Flycatcher Empidonomus varius 2/8 1 ex., 3/8 1 ex., 4/8 2 ex. Cristalino.

Crowned Slaty-Flycatcher Griseotyrannus aurantioatrocristatus 2/8 1 ex., 4/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

**Tropical Kingbird** *Tyrannus melancholicus* Tämligen allmän i Pantanal 19-24/7. I övrigt endast sedd vid Cristalino med 1 ex. 31/7 och 2 ex. 1/8. Many birds migrate north during the austral winter.

Fork-tailed Flycatcher Tyrannus savana 27/7 1 ex. Emas, 1/8 1 ex. (LS), 4/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

**Grayish Mourner** *Rhytipterna simplex* 31/7 1 ex. Alta Floresta, 1/8 1 ex., 1-5/8 2-4 sj. dagligen Cristalino.

Eastern Sirystes Sirystes sibilator 30/7 1 ex. Chapada, 4/8 2 ex. Cristalino.

Rufous Casiornis Casiornis rufa 20/7 4 ex., 22/7 3 ex., 24/7 1 ex. Pantanal, 4/8 3 ex. Cristalino.

**Dusky-capped Flycatcher** *Myiarchus tuberculifer* 1/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

**Short-crested Flycatcher** *Myiarchus ferox* 19 och 21/7 1 sj., 20/7 ca 10 ex., 22/7 ca 5 ex. Pantanal, 26/7 2 ex. Emas, 1-5/8 1 ex. (mest hörd) Cristalino.

**Brown-crested Flycatcher** *Myiarchus tyrannulus* 20/7 2 ex., 22/7 2 ex., 24/7 1 ex. Pantanal, 4/8 ca 5 ex. Cristalino.

Large-headed Flatbill Ramphotrigon megacephala 1/8 2 hörda, 4/8 1 hörd, 5/8 1 ex.+4 sj. Cristalino.

Rufous-tailed Flatbill Ramphotrigon ruficauda 1/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

**Dusky-tailed Flatbill** *Ramphotrigon fuscicauda* 5/8 1 sj.  $\circlearrowleft$  Cristalino. A poorly known bird in Brazil, always found in bamboo.

Cinnamon Attila Attila cinnamomeus 2/8 2 sj., 5/8 2 sj. Cristalino.

White-eyed Attila Attila bolivianus 21/7 1 sj., 22/7 1 ex., 23/7 1 sj. Pantanal. Excellent view!

Bright-rumped Attila Attila spadiceus 1/8 1 ex., 1-4/8 1-2 sj. dagligen Cristalino.

# **TITYRIDAE**

**Masked Tityra** *Tityra semifasciata* 29/7 5 ex., 30/7 2 hörda Chapada, 3/8 1 ♂ Cristalino.

**Black-crowned Tityra** *Tityra inquisitor* 23/7 1  $\circlearrowleft$  Pantanal.

**Black-tailed Tityra** *Tityra cayana* 29-30/7 1  $\circlearrowleft$  Chapada.

Thrush-like Schiffornis Schiffornis turdina 1/8 3 sj., 2/8 1 ex., 3/8 3 sj. Cristalino.

Cinereous Mourner Laniocera hypopyrra 1/8 1 ex. (ML), 3/8 1 sj., 5/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

White-browed Purpletuft Iodopleura isabellae 4/8 2 ex. Cristalino. A more or less secure spot!

Green-backed Becard Pachyramphus viridis 20/7 1 3 Pantanal, 29/7 1 3 Chapada (LS). Beautiful!

**White-winged Becard** *Pachyramphus polychopterus* 21/7 1 sj., 22/7 1  $\circlearrowleft$ , 24/7 1 sj. Pantanal, 3/8 1 par Cristalino (LS).

**Black-capped Becard** *Pachyramphus marginatus* 1/8 1 ♂ Cristalino.

**Pink-throated Becard** *Platypsaris minor* 1/8 1  $\circlearrowleft$  Cristalino.

**Crested Becard** *Platypsaris validus* 29-30/7 1 ♀ Chapada.

#### HIRUNDINIDAE

**White-winged Swallow** *Tachycineta albiventer* 19-24/7 2-20 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 31/7-5/8 10-20 ex. dagligen Cristalino.

**White-rumped Swallow** *Tachycineta leucorrhoa* 21/7 ca 50 ex., 22/7 minst 500 ex. Pantanal, 25/7 ca 50 ex., 26-28/7 5-15 ex. dagligen Emas.

Gray-breasted Martin Progne chalybea 19-23/7 2-25 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 4/8 10-15 ex. Cristalino.

White-banded Swallow Atticora fasciata 31/7-5/8 1-15 ex. dagligen Cristalino.

**Southern Rough-winged Swallow** *Stelgidopteryx ruficollis* 21/7 1 ex. Pantanal, 25/7 1 ex., 26-27/7 ca 5 ex. dagligen Emas, 30/7 ca 10 ex. Chapada, 1-5/8 20-40 ex. dagligen Cristalino.

**Tawny-headed Swallow** *Alopochelidon fucata* 25/7 4 ex. Emas.

## **MOTACILLIDAE**

**Yellowish Pipit** Anthus lutescens 21/7 1 sj., 24/7 1 sj. Pantanal, 25/7 1 sj. Aminerios–Emas.

## TROGLODYTIDAE

**Thrush-like Wren** *Campylorhynchus turdinus* 20/7 4 ex., 22/7 4 ex., 20-24/7 2-4 sj. dagligen Pantanal, 30/7 1 sj. Chapada, 31/7 3 ex., 5/8 2 ex. Alta Floresta, 1/8 3 sj. Cristalino.

**Tooth-billed Wren** *Odontorchilus cinereus* 2/8 2-3 sj., 3/8 1 sj. ♂, 4/8 2 ex. Cristalino.

**Moustached Wren** *Pheugopedius genibarbis* 20/7 1 sj. Pantanal, 29/7 4 ex.+2 sj., 30/7 2 sj. Chapada.

**Buff-breasted Wren** Cantorchilus leucotis 20/7 1 sj., 21/7 2 ex.+3 sj., 22/7 2 sj. Pantanal, 1-2/8 1 sj. dagligen Cristalino.

**Fawn-breasted Wren** *Cantorchilus guarayanus* 22/7 ca 10 ex.+ca 10 sj., 23/7 3 sj. Pantanal. Very local along the Transpantaneira, always in forest on "terra firme".

**Southern House-Wren** *Troglodytes musculus* 20/7 1 sj. Pantanal, 29/7 1 sj. Chapada, 1/8 1 sj., 3/8 2 sj. Cristalino

Southern Nightingale-Wren Microcerculus marginatus 2/8 2 sj., 3/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

## **MIMIDAE**

**Chalk-browed Mockingbird** *Mimus saturninus* 19/7 ca 5 ex., 24/7 1 ex. Pantanal, 25-28/7 5-10 ex. dagligen Emas, 29/7 några ex., 30/7 ca 10 ex. Chapada.

## **TURDIDAE**

White-necked Thrush Turdus albicollis 1/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

Creamy-bellied Thrush Turdus amaurochalinus 21-24/7 1-3 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 29/7 1 ex. Chapada.

Pale-breasted Thrush Turdus leucomelas 26/7 2 ex. Emas, 29/7 ca 5 ex., 30/7 ca 5 ex. Chapada.

Lawrence's Thrush Turdus lawrencii 5/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

Cocoa Thrush Turdus fumigatus 4/8 2 sj., 5/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

**Rufous-bellied Thrush** *Turdus rufiventris* 19/7 2 ex., 21/7 1 ex., 24/7 ca 5 ex. Pantanal, 29/7 1 ex., 30/7 3 ex. Chapada.

# **POLIOPTILIDAE**

Long-billed Gnatwren Ramphocaenus melanurus 1/8 3 sj., 2/8 1 sj., 5/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

**Masked Gnatcatcher** *Polioptila dumicola* 20/7 6 ex., 21/7 3 ex., 22/7 1 ♂, 24/7 3 ex. Pantanal, 25/7 1 ex., 28/7 2 ex. Emas.

## **DONACOBIIDAE**

**Black-capped Donacobius** *Donacobius atricapilla* 20/7 2 ex., 21/7 ca 10 ex., 22/7 4 ex., 23-24/7 1 ex. dagligen Pantanal. The family status is a bit controversal.

## **CORVIDAE**

Purplish Jay Cyanocorax cyanomelas 19-24/7 1-15 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 29/7 ca 5 ex. Chapada.

**Curl-crested Jay** *Cyanocorax cristatellus* 25/7 ca 20 ex., 26-28/7 5-7 ex. dagligen Emas, 30/7 ca 10 ex. Chapada.

# **PASSERIDAE**

House Sparrow Passer domesticus Sedd i Poconé, Cuiabá, Mineiros, Chapada och Alta Floresta.

# **VIREONIDAE**

Red-eyed Vireo Vireo olivaceus 29/7 2 ex. Chapada, 4/8 1-2 ex. Cristalino.

Gray-chested Greenlet Hylophilus semicinereus 1-5/8 1-5 sj. dagligen Cristalino.

**Dusky-capped Greenlet** *Hylophilus hypoxanthus* 1/8 5 sj., 2/8 3 sj., 3/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

**Slaty-capped Shrike-Vireo** *Vireolanius leucotis* 1-2 och 5/8 2 sj. dagligen, 3/8 1 sj. Cristalino.

**Rufous-browed Peppershrike** *Cyclarhis gujanensis* 20/7 2 sj. Pantanal, 26/7 1 ex.+1 sj., 27-28/7 2 sj. Emas, 29/7 2 ex.+ 2 sj., 30/7 1 sj. Chapada, 4/8 1 sj. Cristalino. Finally I felt rather comfortable with the identification of the peppershrike's song!

## **FRINGILLIDAE**

**Purple-throated Euphonia** Euphonia chlorotica 20/7 2 sj. Pantanal, 25/7 4 ex., 26/7 1 ♂ Emas, 3/8 1 hörd Cristalino.

Thick-billed Euphonia Euphonia laniirostris 4/8 4 ex. Cristalino.

**White-lored Euphonia** *Euphonia chrysopasta* 2/8 1  $\circlearrowleft$ , 4/8 1 par Cristalino.

**Rufous-bellied Euphonia** *Euphonia rufiventris* 2/8 2  $\circlearrowleft$ , 3/8 1  $\circlearrowleft$ , 4/8 1  $\circlearrowleft$  Cristalino.

## **PARULIDAE**

**Tropical Parula** *Parula pitiayumi* 20/7 2 ex., 21/7 1 ex., 22/7 4 ex., 24/7 2 ex. Pantanal, 26/7 1 ex.+2 sj., 27/7 1 ex., 28/7 2 ex. Emas.

**Southern Yellowthroat** *Geothlypis velata* 26/7 1  $\circlearrowleft$ +1 sj. Emas.

White-bellied Warbler Basileuterus hypoleucus 27/7 6 ex. Emas, 29/7 ca 5 ex., 30/7 5-10 ex. Chapada.

**White-striped Warbler** *Basileuterus leucophrys* 25/7 1 ex., 26/7 2 ex., 28/7 2 sj. Emas. Excellent views of this skulking warbler.

**Flavescent Warbler** *Basileuterus flaveolus* 20/7 3 ex., 22/7 1 ex.+ca 10 sj., 23/7 1 sj. Pantanal, 27/7 ca 5 ex.+ca 10 sj., 28/7 1 ex.+ca 5 sj. Emas, 30/7 1 sj. Chapada.

# **COEREBIDAE**

**Bananaquit** Coereba flaveola 29/7 1 ex. Chapada, 4/8 1 ex.+3 sj. Cristalino.

## **THRAUPIDAE**

Red-crested Cardinal Paroaria coronata 21/7 2 ex., 24/7 2 ex. Pantanal.

Yellow-billed Cardinal Paroaria capitata 19-24/7 10-30 ex. dagligen Pantanal.

**Short-billed Honeycreeper** Cyanerpes nitidus 3/8 1 par Cristalino. Always a sparse species.

**Green Honeycreeper** *Chlorophanes spiza* 4/8 1 ♂ Cristalino (HL).

Blue Dacnis Cayana 25/7 1 & (LS), 26/7 1 par Emas, 2-3/8 1 & dagligen, 4/8 8 ex. Cristalino.

**Black-faced Dacnis** *Dacnis lineata* 1/8 1 ♀, 2-4/8 1 ♂ dagligen Cristalino.

**Yellow-bellied Dacnis** *Dacnis flaviventer* 4/8 1  $\circlearrowleft$  Cristalino.

**Chestnut-vented Conebill** Conirostrum speciosum 20/7 ca 15 ex., 22/7 ca 10 ex. Pantanal, 29/7 1 ♂ Chapada.

Guira Tanager Hemithraupis guira 22/7 1 par Pantanal, 29/7 1 par Chapada.

**Hooded Tanager** *Nemosia pileata* 20/7 6 ex. Pantanal, 30/7 ca 5 ex. Chapada.

**Yellow-backed Tanager** *Hemithraupis flavicollis* 1/8 1 par, 3/8 2  $\circlearrowleft$ , 2  $\subsetneq$  Cristalino.

**Burnished-buff Tanager** *Tangara cayana* 25/7 10 ex., 26/7 några ex., 27/7 2 ex. Emas, 29/7 1 ex., 30/7 2 ex. Chapada.

**Blue-necked Tanager** *Tangara cyanicollis* 4/8 3 ex. Cristalino. My first record at Cristalino.

Masked Tanager Tangara nigrocincta 4/8 2 ex. Cristalino.

**Opal-rumped Tanager** *Tangara velia* 3/8 3 ex. Cristalino.

**Paradise Tanager** *Tangara chilensis* 1/8 1 ex., 3/8 2 ex. Cristalino.

**Bay-headed Tanager** *Tangara gyrola* 1/8 2 ex. Cristalino.

**Swallow Tanager** *Tersina viridis* 29/7 2  $\circlearrowleft$ , 2  $\circlearrowleft$ , 30/7 1  $\circlearrowleft$  Chapada, 1/8 1 par, 2/8 2 ex. Cristalino.

Palm Tanager Thraupis palmarum Tämligen allmän, observerad under 14 dagar.

**Sayaca Tanager** *Thraupis sayaca* 19-24/7 allmän i Pantanal, 30/7 1 ex. Chapada.

**Silver-beaked Tanager** *Ramphocelus carbo* 20 och 22-23/7 ca 5 ex. dagligen, 21/7 1 ex. Pantanal, 29-30/7 5-10 ex. Chapada, 1/8 2 ex., 3/8 ca 5 ex., 4/8 1  $\stackrel{\wedge}{\circ}$  Cristalino.

**Orange-headed Tanager** *Thlypopsis sordida* 25/7 1 ex. Emas.

Gray-headed Tanager Eucometis penicillata 22/7 3 ex. Pantanal.

White-shouldered Tanager Tachyphonus luctuosus 29/7 1 par Chapada.

White-lined Tanager *Tachyphonus rufus* 29-30/7 1 par Chapada, 4/8 1 ♂ Cristalino.

White-winged Shrike-Tanager Lanio versicolor 1/8 1  $\stackrel{\wedge}{\circ}$  Cristalino.

White-banded Tanager Neothraupis fasciata 25-28/7 10-20 ex. dagligen Emas, 30/7 ca 10 ex. Chapada.

**Cone-billed Tanager** *Conothraupis mesoleuca* **(CR)** 25-26/7 1 sj.  $\circlearrowleft$  Emas. YES! Excellent cooperation. André thinks that there might be around 60 birds within Emas NP.

**White-rumped Tanager** *Cypsnagra hirundinacea* 25/7 4 ex., 26/7 ca 10 ex., 27/7 1 ex., 28/7 1 ex. Emas, 30/7 4 ex.+2 hörda Chapada.

**Red-billed Pied Tanager** *Lamprospiza melanoleuca* 2/8 1  $\circlearrowleft$ , 3/8 2 par Cristalino. Nice!

## **EMBERIZIDAE**

Coal-crested Finch Charitospiza eucosma (nt) 30/7 2 d Chapada. A superb little bird.

**Black-masked Finch** *Coryphaspiza melanotis* **(VU)** 25/7 1 ♂ Emas.

Red Pileated-Finch Coryphospingus cucullatus 20/7 3 ex. Pantanal, 30/7 ca 10 ex. Chapada.

**Blue-black Grassquit** *Volatiania jacarina* 22/7 1  $\circlearrowleft$ , 24/7 några ex. Pantanal, 25/7 ca 10 ex., 27/7 ca 5 ex., 28/7 några ex. Emas, 30/7 några ex. Chapada, 4/8 ca 15 ex. Cristalino

Plumbeous Seedeater Sporophila plumbea 26/7 1 par, 27/7 ca 25 ex. Emas, 30/7 ca 10 ex. Chapada.

Rusty-collared Seedeater Sporophila collaris 21/7 3 ex., 22/7 ca 10 ex. Pantanal.

**Double-collared Seedeater** *Sporophila caerulescens* 30/7 1  $\circlearrowleft$  Chapada.

**Capped Seedeater** *Sporophila bouvreuil* 27/7 1 ♂ Emas.

**Tawny-bellied Seedeater** *Sporophila hypoxantha* 27/7 1  $\stackrel{\wedge}{\circ}$  Emas (LS, ML).

Saffron Finch Sicalis flaveola 19-24/7 10-50 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 25-28/7 2-3 ex. dagligen Emas.

**Wedge-tailed Grass-Finch** *Emberizoides herbicola* 25-28/7 5-15 ex. dagligen Emas, 29/7 1 ex., 30/7 2 ex. Chapada.

**Lesser Grass-Finch** *Emberizoides ypiranganus* 26/7 1 par Emas. This newly found population is far from any mapped range!

**Saffron-billed Sparrow** Arremon flavirostris 29/7 3 ex., 30/7 2 ex. Chapada.

**Grassland Sparrow** *Ammodramus humeralis* 20/7 2 ex. Pantanal, 25-28/7 30-60 ex. dagligen Emas, 29/7 1 ex., 30/7 ca 10 ex. Chapada.

Rufous-collared Sparrow Zonotrichia capensis 30/7 1 ex. Chapada.

#### **CARDINALIDAE**

**Grayish Saltator** *Saltator coerulescens* 19-24/7 1-5 ex. dagligen Pantanal.

**Buff-throated Saltator** *Saltator maximus* 29/7 3 ex., 30/7 2 ex. Chapada.

**Slate-colored Grosbeak** *Saltator grossus* 1/8 2 sj., 3/8 1 ex.+1 sj. Cristalino.

**Green-winged Saltator** *Saltator similis* 27/7 1 sj.  $\circlearrowleft$  Emas.

**Black-throated Saltator** *Saltator atricollis* 24/7 1 ex. Poconé, 25/7-27/7 ca 10 ex. dagligen, 28/7 ca 5 ex. Emas, 30/7 ca 15 ex. Chapada.

**Yellow-shouldered Grosbeak** *Parkerthraustes humeralis* 2/8 1 ex. (ML), 3/8 2 ex. Cristalino. Currently treated as *incertae sedis*, but my guess is that it does belong in the Cardinalidae.

## **ICTERIDAE**

**Unicolored Blackbird** *Agelasticus cyanopus* 21/7 5-10 ex., 22/7 ca 30 ex. Pantanal.

Bay-winged Cowbird Molothrus badius 20/7 ca 15 ex., 21/7 ca 10 ex., 23-24/7 ca 20 ex. Pantanal.

**Shiny Cowbird** *Molothrus bonariensis* 19/7 ca 20 ex., 20/7 ca 20 ex. Pantanal.

**Giant Cowbird** *Molothrus oryzivorus* 20/7 1 ex., 22/7 1 ex., 24/7 8 ex. Pantanal, 31/7 ca 15 ex. Sinop–Alta Floresta, 3/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

**Epaulet Oriole** *Icterus cayanensis* 19-20 och 22-24/7 1-5 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 31/7 2 ex. Alta Floresta—Teles Pires, 2/8 2 ex., 3/8 1 ex., 4/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

Orange-backed Troupial Icterus croconotus 21/7 1 ex., 23/7 1 ex., 24/7 3 ex. Pantanal.

**Yellow-rumped Cacique** *Cacicus cela* 20-24/7 1-5 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 29/7 1 ex., 30/7 1 ex. Chapada, 31/7 och 3-4/8 fåtalig Cristalino.

Solitary Cacique Cacicus solitarius 20-23/7 2-3 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 29/7 1 ex. Chapada.

**Crested Oropendola** *Psarocolius decumanus* 19 och 21-24/7 1-3 ex. dagligen Pantanal, 31/7 ca 5 ex. Alta Floresta–Teles Pires, 3/8 1 ex., 5/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

Olive Oropendola Psarocolius yuracares 3/8 1 ex. (HL), 5/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

Yellow-rumped Marshbird Pseudoleistes guirahuro ca 10 ex. Mineiros-Emas, 27/7 ca 10 ex. Emas.

Scarlet-headed Blackbird Amblyramphus holosericeus 21/7 5 ex., 22/7 1 ex., 23/7 5 ex. Pantanal.

Chopi Blackbird Gnorimopsar chopi Tämligen allmän, observerad under 11 dagar.

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Some Swedish words and abbreviations used in the species list:
allmän = common
dag/dagligen = day/daily
ej = notex. = individual
fåtalig = few

hörd = heard

några = a few
och = and
par = pair
sedd = seen
sj. = singing
tämligen allmän = fairly common

# **Mammals**

Nine-banded Armadillo Dasypus novemcinctus 21/7 1 ex. Pantanal, 29/7 1 ex. Chapada.

**Six-banded Armadillo** *Euphractus sexcinctus* 25/7 1 ex. Emas. What a guy!

Giant Anteater Myrmecophaga tridactyla 27/7 6 ex. Emas. Coool!

Silvery Marmoset Callithrix argentata 20/7 4 ex., 21/7 5 ex. Pantanal.

**Dusky Titi** Callicebus moloch 31/7 1 ex. Alta Floresta–Teles Pires.

**Brown Capuchin** *Cebus apella* 24/7 3 ex. Pantanal, 29/7 ca 5 ex., 30/7 hörd Chapada, 1/8 ca 15 ex., 4/8 4 ex., 5/8 4 ex. Cristalino.

**Black Howler Monkey** *Alouatta caraya* 20/7 2 ex., 22/7 5 ex. Pantanal.

**White-whiskered Spider Monkey** *Ateles marginatus* 2/8 ca 20 ex., 3/8 några ex. Cristalino. Nowadays often split from White-bellied Spider Monkey *A. belzebuth* from the west bank of the Teles Pires.

Ocelot Leopardus pardalis 22/7 1 ex. Pantanal. Nice indeed.

Maned Wolf Chrysocyon brachyurus 26/7 1 ex. Emas. Yes!

**Crab-eating Fox** *Cerdocyon thous* 20/7 4 ex. Pantanal, 25/7 1 ex., 27/7 3 ex. Emas.

Neotropical River Otter Lutra longicaudis 4/8 1 ex. Cristalino (SM).

**Giant Otter** *Pteronura brasiliensis* 20/7 1 ex., 21/7 1 ex. Pantanal.

Tayra Eira barbara 20/7 1 ex., 23/7 1 ex. Pantanal. Tyvärr mycket hastiga obsar.

**Crab-eating Raccoon** *Procyon cancrivorus* 22/7 1 ex. Pantanal.

Striped Hog-nosed Skunk Conepatus semistriatus 25 och 27/7 1 ex. Emas. Nice looking.

Paca Agouti paca 3/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

Azara's Agouti Dasyprocta azarae 24/7 1-2 ex. Pantanal.

**Capybara** *Hydrochaeris hydrochaeris* 19-24/7 5-30 ex. dagligen (ej 20/7) Pantanal, 31/7 5 ex., 5/8 2 ex. Alta Floresta, 2/8 2 ex., 4/8 1 ex. Cristalino.

White-lipped Peccary Tayassu pecari 27/7 25 ex. Emas.

Marsh Deer Blastocercus dichotomus 23/7 1 ex. Pantanal, 27/7 1 ♀, 28/7 1 ♂ Emas.

Pampas Deer Ozotocerus bezoarcticus 25/7 4 ex., 26-28/7 ca 10 ex. dagligen Emas.

**Gray-brown Brocket Deer** *Mazama guazoubira* 24/7 1 ex. Pantanal.

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