



TRINIDAD & TOBAGO ~ March 3-13, 2003

Systematic List of SPECIES Seen and Heard

Day 1: Port of Spain Airport to ASA Wright; afternoon at ASA Wright verandah

Day 2: ASA Wright - verandah, Discovery Trail and Manakin Trail

Day 3: ASA Wright - verandah; Arima Valley and edge of Arena Forest

Day 4: ASA Wright - verandah; Aripo Livestock Farm; Manzanilla Beach; Nariva Swamp - Kernaham Trail and Macaw Roost

Day 5: ASA Wright - verandah, Guacharo Trail and Mot Mot Trail; Waller Field Airstrip

Day 6: Early AM flight to Tobago - Bon Accord Sewer Pond; Grafton Estate; Blue Waters Inn

Day 7: Blue Waters Inn; Main Ridge Forest Reserve - Roxborough-Bloody Bay Road, Bloody Bay Overlook and Gilpin Trace (Rain Forest)

Day 8: Blue Waters Inn; Boat to Little Tobago; afternoon return flight to Tobago

Day 9: PAX Guest House - verandah; Point-a-Pierre Wildfowl Trust; Waterloo mudflats and Caroni Swamp Bird Sanctuary

Day 10: PAX Guest House - verandah, Old Donkey Trail and Alben Ride (the tower trail)

Day 11: PAX Guest House - verandah, Old Donkey Trail; PAX to the Port of Spain Airport

Note: Species seen or heard by one person has their initials marked

At the end of each entry - the first number represents the largest number of that species that were seen at one time, and the second number represents the total number of days that the species was recorded

BIRDS:

Little Tinamou	Heard at ASA and PAX - 1/5
Least Grebe	3 at Bon Accord, 1 in Arima Valley - 3/2
Audubon's Shearwater	1 on nest on Little Tobago
White-tailed Tropicbird	1 at Little Tobago
Red-billed Tropicbird	100+ on and around Little Tobago - 40/3
Brown Booby	100+ on and around Little Tobago - 25/3
Red-footed Booby	4 morphs seen - small groups on Little Tobago - 10/3
Brown Pelican	A few at Manzanilla Beach and Blue Waters - 6/4
Neotropic Cormorant	2 at Point-a-Pierre WT - 2/1
Anhinga	Common at Bon Accord; 3 at Point-a-Pierre - 6/2
Magnificent Frigatebird	Common around the coasts - 12/5
Pinnated Bittern	1 at Nariva Swamp
Great Blue Heron	1 at Nariva Swamp and 1 at Caroni - 1/3
White-necked "Cocoi" Heron	2 at Caroni Swamp - 2/1
Great Egret	Several in Aripo; 2 at Nariva Swamp and 3 at Caroni Swamp - 3/5
Snowy Egret	Common at Caroni Swamp and Waterloo - 15/1
Little Blue Heron	Large numbers at Caroni Swamp; 1 at Blue Waters - 20+/3
Tricolored Heron	Common at Bon Accord and Caroni Swamp - 8/2
Cattle Egret	Abundant in the lowlands - seen on 8 of the 11 days
Green Heron	3 at Bon Accord 2/1
Striated Heron	1 in Arima Valley; 7 at Nariva Swamp and 3 at Point-a-Pierre - 4/3
Black-crowned Night-Heron	1 at Bon Accord
Yellow-crowned Night-Heron	1 at Blue Waters; 5 at Caroni; 6 at Waterloo - 5/4
Scarlet Ibis	About a 1000 coming to roost at Caroni - 500+/1
Black Vulture	Abundant - seen on 9 of 11 days
Turkey Vulture	Abundant - seen on 9 of 11 days
Black-bellied Whistling-Duck	40+ at Point-a-Pierre - 30/1

Muscovy Duck	Small numbers (wild?) at Point-a-Pierre - 6/1
Osprey	3 at Blue Waters; 2 at Waterloo and Manzanilla - 2/5
Grey-headed Kite	1 briefly at the Arena Forest
Pearl Kite	1 at Nariva and 1 at Manzanilla - 1/1
Double-toothed Kite	1 seen at ASA and a 1 on a nest at ASA - 1/2
Plumbeous Kite	1 perched near Nariva Swamp and 1 over Arena Forest - 1/1
White Hawk	Great shows at ASA and PAX - 3/5
Grey Hawk	2 at Nariva Swamp - 1/1
Common Black Hawk	Good views at ASA and PAX - 2/7
Great Black Hawk	1 juv (basic1) at Blue Waters and 1 adult on Rox to Bloody Bay Rd - 1/1
Savannah Hawk	Small numbers at Aripo Farm and Nariva; 1 at airport and Arena - 2/7
Broad-winged Hawk	Up to 3 seen over Blue Waters Inn - 2/3
Short-tailed Hawk	Individuals on the way to ASA, at ASA and at PAX, all light morphs - 2/4
Zone-tailed Hawk	1 seen at PaX on 2 days
Ornate Hawk-Eagle	1 leaving the grounds at ASA
Yellow-headed Caracara	2 at Wallerfield and PAX; 3 at Nariva - 2/4
Merlin	Singles at Wallerfield and Waterloo - 1/2
Peregrine Falcon	2 on the way runway at Wallerfield - 1/1
Rufous-vented Chachalaca	Common at Blue Waters and the Main Ridge - 9/3
Purple Gallinule	About 10 at Point-a-Pierre; 1 heard at Nariva - 4/2
Common Moorhen	15+ at Bon Accord; 8 at Point-a-Pierre - 7/2
Southern Lapwing	Small numbers in the lowlands; 30 at Wallerfield; 40+ at Waterloo - 40/5
Black-bellied Plover	30+ at Waterloo
Wilson's Plover	2 at Waterloo
Semipalmated Plover	About 20 juveniles at Waterloo
Wattled Jacana	Common in wetlands - 20/4
Greater Yellowlegs	2 at Bon Accord; 20+ at Waterloo - 20/2
Solitary Sandpiper	10+ at Nariva Swamp
Willet	20 at Waterloo - 18 of the western race and 2 of the eastern race
Spotted Sandpiper	Individuals at Bob Accord, Nariva, BWI and small numbers at Caroni - 2/5
Whimbrel	2 at Bon Accord; 8 at Waterloo - 8/2
Ruddy Turnstone	15 at Blue Waters and 10 at Waterloo - 15/4
Red Knot	15 at Waterloo
Semipalmated Sandpiper	Common at Waterloo
Western Sandpiper	About 20 Waterloo
Long-billed Dowitcher	3 juveniles at Waterloo
Short-billed Dowitcher	About 30 at Waterloo
Laughing Gull	100+ at Turtle Bay; common at Waterloo - 100/3
Gull-billed Tern	1 at Waterloo
Royal Tern	6 at Waterloo
Sandwich Tern	6 at Turtle Bay
Black Skimmer	1 at Waterloo
Rock Dove	What would a trip be without pigeons!
Pale-vented Pigeon	Common on Tobago - 3/3
Scaled Pigeon	1 or 2 at ASA Wright and PAX - 2/5
Eared Dove	Common on Tobago; 9 at Point -a-Pierre - 6/3
Common Ground-Dove	Individuals in the Arima Valley - 1/2
Ruddy Ground-Dove	Abundant - seen daily
White-tipped Dove	1 ASA Wright, heard at PAX; more common on Tobago - 3/7
Gray-fronted Dove	Small numbers at ASA Wright - 2/5
Ruddy Quail-Dove	1 brief look in flight at ASA
Red-bellied Macaw	50+ at Nariva Swamp, 20+ at Waller Field - 50/3
Green-rumped Parrotlet	Small flocks in the Arima Valley - 6/3
Blue-headed Parrot	2 flying over ASA - 2/1
Orange-winged Parrot	Common - seen every day
Squirrel Cuckoo	Individuals at ASA Wright - 1/4
Striped Cuckoo	1 at Aripo Livestock Farm
Greater Ani	2 in the mangroves at Caroni Swamp - 2/1
Smooth-billed Ani	Common - seen on 8 days

Tropical Screech-Owl	Individuals heard at Waller Field and PAX - 2/2
Ferruginous Pygmy-Owl	3 seen at ASA Wright and heard on 4 days - 2/5
Common Pauraque	Small numbers at Waller Field; Heard daily at PAX - 2/4
White-tailed Nightjar	Common at Waller Field - 3/1
Common Potoo	1 at Waller Field and 1 at Caroni Swamp - 1/2
Oilbird	40+ at Dunstan (the Oilbird) Cave at ASA
Short-tailed Swift	Small numbers at ASA; more common on Tobago - 8/6
Band-rumped Swift	Small numbers at ASA and PAX - 3/6
Gray-rumped Swift	Common at ASA and Gilpin Trace - 30/6
Lesser Swallow-tailed Swift	1 at PAX
Fork-tailed Palm-Swift	Common in Arima Valley - 8/4
Rufous-breasted Hermit	Several at ASA; 2 at Gilpin Trace - 1/5
Green Hermit	Several at ASA; 1 at PAX - 1/5
Little Hermit	1 at ASA - 1/3
White-tailed Sabrewing	2 at Gilpin Trace - 1/1
White-necked Jacobin	Very common at ASA Wright; 1 at Gilpin Trace; 1 female at PAX - 6/9
Green-throated Mango	1 at Caroni Swamp
Black-throated Mango	Seen daily including feeding young at Blue Waters
Ruby-topaz Hummingbird	Singles at Waller Field, Arima Valley & Little Tobago - 1/3
Tufted Cocquette	Male and female at ASA Wright - 1/5
Blue-chinned Sapphire	3 at ASA - 1/3
White-tailed Goldenthrout	1 at Nariva Swamp
White-chested Emerald	Very common at ASA and PAX - 3/9
Copper-rumped Hummingbird	Seen daily in small numbers
Long-billed Starthroat	2 on the Tower Trail at PAX - 2/1
White-tailed Trogon	2 at ASA, 1 at PAX; more commonly heard - 2/6
Violaceous Trogon	Seen well at ASA - 2/3
Collared Trogon	Females at ASA and Gilpin Trace - 1/2
Blue-crowned Motmot	Seen daily at ASA and on Tobago - 4/8
Ringed Kingfisher	A male at Point-a-Pierre Wildfowl Trust
Green Kingfisher	1 at ASA, 1 at Blue Waters and 2 at Caroni Swamp - 1/3
Rufous-tailed Jacamar	1 on Roxborough-Bloody Bay Road; 2 at Gilpin Trace - 1/1
Channel-billed Toucan	Several at ASA Wright - 4/4
Red-crowned Woodpecker	2 at Grafton Estate; 2 at Gilpin Trace - 2/3
Red-rumped Woodpecker	Individuals in Arima Valley and on Tobago - 1/3
Golden-olive Woodpecker	Singles at ASA Wright and Gilpin Trace - 1/3
Chestnut Woodpecker	Up to 2 at ASA Wright - 1/5
Lineated Woodpecker	Singles at ASA Wright - 1/3
Stripe-breasted Spinetail	1 at ASA; 2 at Gilpin Trace - 2/2
Yellow-chinned Spinetail	Several at Nariva Swamp; 1 heard at Caroni - 3/2
Streaked Xenops	Individuals at ASA and PAX
Gray-throated Leaf-tosser	1 at PAX
Plain-brown Woodcreeper	As many as 5 at ASA; 1 at Gilpin Trace - 3/4
Olivaceous Woodcreeper	1 heard at Gilpin Trace
Straight-billed Woodcreeper	1 heard at Caroni Swamp
Buff-throated Woodcreeper	Several seen at ASA Wright, Gilpin Trace and PAX - 1/5
Streak-headed Woodcreeper	1 at Point-a-Pierre Wildfowl Trust
Great Antshrike	Several often seen in pairs at ASA - 2/6
Barred Antshrike	1 or 2 seen on all but one day
Plain Antvireo	1 at ASA; 2 at Gilpin Trace - 1/1
White-flanked Antwren	2 at ASA
White-fringed Antwren	Seen daily on Tobago - 3/3
White-bellied Antbird	1 at ASA; 2 at Arena Forest; heard at PAX - 2/4
Black-faced Antthrush	Heard at ASA - 1/1
Southern Beardless-Tyrannulet	Individuals at ASA at PAX - 1/5
Scrub Flycatcher	1 at ASA
Forest Elaenia	1 at ASA
Yellow-bellied Elaenia	1 at Arima Valley, Nariva and PAX; 5 at Little Tobago - 5/5
Ochre-bellied Flycatcher	1 at ASA

Yellow-breasted Flycatcher	Several at ASA, Grafton Estate and PAX - 2/7
Fuscous Flycatcher	1 at Gilpin Trace
Euler's Flycatcher	2 at ASA and 1 at PAX - 1/3
Olive-sided Flycatcher	1 at ASA
Tropical Pewee	1 at ASA
Pied Water-Tyrant	Common at Aripo Livestock Farm and Nariva Swamp; 2 at Caroni - 4/2
White-headed Marsh-Tyrant	Small numbers at Aripo Livestock Farm and Nariva - 4/1
Bright-rumped Attila	1 heard at PAX
Dusky-capped Flycatcher	1 seen and several heard at ASA - 1/3
Brown-crested Flycatcher	2 in Arima Valley; 3 at PAX; 8 on Little Tobago - 6/5
Great Kiskadee	Common to abundant on Trinidad, small numbers on Tobago
Boat-billed Flycatcher	2 in Arima Valley; 1 at ASA Wright; 2 at PAX - 2/4
Streaked Flycatcher	Individuals at ASA, Arima Valley, Rox.-Bloody Bay Road and PAX - 2/4
Piratic Flycatcher	2 at Arena Forest; 1 at Grafton Estate; 2 at Gilpin Trace and PAX - 2/5
Sulphury Flycatcher	9 at the Moriche Palm site at Waller Field Airstrip - 7/2
Tropical Kingbird	Very common - seen daily
Gray Kingbird	1 at Aripo Livestock Farm; small numbers on Tobago - 3/3
White-winged Becard	1 at ASA
Black-tailed Tityra	Singles at ASA - 1/1
Bearded Bellbird	Heard daily at ASA and 2 seen very well on the Discovery Trail - 2/5
Golden-headed Manakin	Good numbers at ASA; 2 on the Old Donkey Trail at PAX - 5/4
Blue-backed Manakin	3 at Grafton Estate and 6 at Gilpin Trace - 5/2
White-bearded Manakin	Up to 15 on a lek on the Manakin Trail at ASA Wright - 12/4
Chivi Vireo	1 and 2 at ASA, Grafton Estate, Gilpin Trace, Little Tobago & PAX - 2/5
Scrub Greenlet	3 at Grafton Estate; 1 at Gilpin Trace - 2/2
Golden-fronted Greenlet	Small numbers at ASA and PAX - 3/4
Rufous-browed Peppershrike	Several seen and numerous heard on 8 days
White-winged Swallow	Good numbers at Aripo Farmland, Waterloo and Bon Accord - 10/3
Caribbean Martin	Common on Tobago - 25/3
Gray-breasted Martin	Common Tobago; small number seen at PAX and Arima Valley - 30/5
South. Rough-winged Swallow	Seen in Arima Valley and at PAX - 10/5
Barn Swallow	1 at Nariva Swamp
Rufous-breasted Wren	Several at ASA and PAX; 1 at Gilpin Trace - 2/8
Southern House Wren	Several seen on all but one day - 2/10
Long-billed Gnatwren	2 at ASA; 2 on the Old Donkey Trail - 2/2
Yellow-legged Thrush	6 at Gilpin Trace
Cocoa Thrush	Common at ASA and PAX - 4/9
Bare-eyed Robin	Common seen daily
White-necked Thrush	1 at ASA; 2 at Gilpin Trace - 2/3
Tropical Mockingbird	Common to abundant - seen daily
Tropical Parula	Up to 2 at ASA and PAX - 1/3
Yellow Warbler	2 at Aripo Farmland and 2 at PAX - 2/2
American Redstart	1 at ASA and 1 in the Arima Valley - 1/2
Northern Waterthrush	1 on Little Tobago; heard at Caroni Swamp and Nariva - 1/4
Golden-crowned Warbler	1 on the Old Donkey Trail
Bananaquit	Abundant with a capital A. Seen everywhere!
White-shouldered Tanager	Small numbers at ASA and PAX - 4/4
White-lined Tanager	Common - seen daily
Red-crowned Ant-Tanager	4 at ASA and 5 leaving ASA - 5/2
Blue-gray Tanager	Common to abundant - seen daily
Palm Tanager	Common to abundant - seen daily
Silver-beaked Tanager	Common at ASA Wright and 8 at PAX - 4/9
Turquoise Tanager	Small numbers at ASA, PAX and the Arima Valley - 5/7
Bay-headed Tanager	Small numbers at ASA and 1 at PAX - 2/6
Trinidad Euphonia	Up to 5 at PAX; 1 on road down the valley from ASA - 3/3
Violaceous Euphonia	Small numbers daily at ASA Wright and PAX - 4/7
Blue Dacnis	Several at ASA Wright, Arima Valley and PAX - 3/6
Green Honeycreeper	Common at the ASA Wright feeders - 4/6
Purple Honeycreeper	Common at ASA Wright and up to 3 at PAX - 5/8

Red-legged Honeycreeper	2 at ASA - 1/2
Bicolored Conebill	1 at Nariva; 9 in the Caroni Swamp - 3/2
Blue-black Grassquit	Common at Aripheo, Nariva, Bon Accord and 1 at Blue Waters - 7/4
Black-faced Grassquit	Small numbers on Tobago - 5/2
Saffron Finch	6 at Point-a-Pierre Wildfowl Trust - 3/1
Grayish Saltator	Several at the ASA Wright and Pax feeders - 2/6
Red-capped Cardinal	1 at Point-a-Pierre Wildfowl Trust - 2/1
Yellow-hooded Blackbird	1 at Aripo Livestock Farm and common at Wildfowl Trust - 12/2
Red-breasted Blackbird	Up to 3 in the Arima Valley - 3/3
Carib Grackle	Common in the lowlands - seen on 4 days
Shiny Cowbird	Small numbers seen on 10 days
Giant Cowbird	1 at ASA and Arima Valley; 35+ on the Rox.-Bloody Bay Rd - 10/3
Moriche Oriole	3 at the Moriche Palm site at Waller Field Airstrip - 3/2
Yellow Oriole	Small numbers at the feeders at ASA and PAX - 2/8
Yellow-rumped Cacique	20 + on the way to Nariva - 20+/2
Crested Oropendola	Common - seen daily
- 220 species	
MAMMALS:	
Silky Anteater	1 sleeping at Caroni
Red-rumped Aqouti	Common at the feeders and on the grounds at ASA Wright
Red-tailed Squirrel	Several seen at ASA, Arima and PAX
White-lined Sacwing Bat	Seen at ASA, Point-a-Pierre Wildfowl Trust and PAX
Fruit Bat sp.	Around ASA and feeding at the feeders at Blue Waters
REPTILES & AMPHIBIANS:	
Caiman	1 at Caroni
Green Turtle	2 seen on the way to Little Tobago
Cook's Tree Boa	1 seen on the canal ride at Caroni Swamp Bird Sanctuary
Tegu Lizard	Common at ASA Wright
Common Ground Lizard	Several around the grounds at ASA
Spiny Tree Lizard	ASA
White-banded Gecko	ASA
Green Iguana	Several in Arima Valley at a ASA
African Woodslave	The Gecko that was on the verandah and bedroom walls at ASA!
Yellow-throated Frog	A number at entrance to Dunstan Cave at ASA
Flying Frog	At PAX fountain pond
Boan's Tree Frog	ASA
Tree Frog sp	ASA
BUTTERFLIES:	
Cattleheart	ASA and Arima
Gold Rim / Polydamas Sw.-tail	ASA and Waller Field
Giant Swallowtail	Wildfowl Trust
King Page	Waterloo
Great Southern White	Arima
Little Yellowie	ASA
Large Yellow-Orange	ASA
Orange Barred	Waller Field

Yellow Sulphur	ASA
Small White	Arima
Silver-spotted Flambeau	ASA and Arima
Heliconia risini	Arima
(Red) Doris	ASA
Coolie / Red Anartia	ASA and Arena
Biscuit / White Peacock	ASA, Arena and Arima
Caribb. Buckeye/ Donkey Eye	PAX
Malachite	ASA
The Emperor	ASA
Jaune d'Abriocot	PAX
Orion	ASA
Large Tiger	Blue Waters Inn
Green Sweet Oil	ASA
Small Postman	ASA
Ringlet / Satyr sp.	ASA
Tropical Checkered-Skipper	ASA and Arima
Long-tailed Skipper	Arima
Dorantes Long-tailed Skipper	ASA
White-barred Skipper?	PAX
OTHER:	
Forest Crab	1 at ASA
Fiddler Crab	Good numbers at Caroni Swamp