

There has been a very good response to the circulation of the Birds of Roebuck list and I wish to thank those residents who sent in their sightings. Five more birds have been added to the list: Cormorant, Collared Dove, Barn Owl, Jay and Treecreeper. A Taney resident, who is an experienced observer, has reported sightings of Pheasant and rare Corncrake. How I wish we could have Corncrake on the Roebuck list! There was at least one Corncrake in Belfield in the 1970s.

THE BIRDS OF ROEBUCK

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Revised List 1975–2020

Brent Goose	Coal Tit
Greylag Goose	Blue Tit
Mute Swan	Great Tit
Mallard	Swallow
Grey Heron	House Martin
Little Egret	Long-tailed Tit
Cormorant	Willow Warbler
Sparrowhawk	Chiffchaff
Buzzard	Blackcap
Oystercatcher	Common Whitethroat
Lapwing	Goldcrest
Curlew	Wren
Snipe	Treecreeper
Black-headed Gull	Starling
Mediterranean Gull	Blackbird
Common Gull	Fieldfare
Great Black-backed Gull	Redwing
Herring Gull	Song Thrush
Lesser Black-backed Gull	Mistle Thrush
Rock Dove/Feral Pigeon	Spotted Flycatcher
Stock Dove	Robin
Wood Pigeon	House Sparrow
Collared Dove	Dunnock
Barn Owl	Grey Wagtail
Swift	Pied Wagtail
Great Spotted Woodpecker	Chaffinch
Kestrel	Brambling
Peregrine	Bullfinch
Jay	Greenfinch
Magpie	Linnet
Jackdaw	Redpoll
Rook	Goldfinch
Hooded Crow	Siskin
Raven	

