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MEMBERS' MONTHLY SIGHTINGS

January/February 2015

Compiled by Darryl Goldrick

Species	Number	Date	Location	Habitat	Observer
Pink-eared Duck	2	08-Feb-15	Moss Vale	Cecil Hoskins Lagoon	Tom Wylie
White-headed Pigeon	4	20-Feb-15	Thirroul	Garden	Mike Morphett
White-headed Pigeon	2	09-Feb-15	Thirroul	Garden	Richard Miller
White-headed Pigeon	2	28-Jan-15	Albion Park Rail	Casuarinas - lakeside	B & B Hales
Brown Cuckoo-Dove	1	31-Jan-15	Jerrara Dam	Revegetation areas	Anne/Alan Cousins
Brown Cuckoo-Dove	1	14-Jan-15	Jamberoo	Garden	Betty Hudson
Brown Cuckoo-Dove	1	04-Feb-15	Jamberoo	Garden	Betty Hudson
Brown Cuckoo-Dove	2	28-Jan-15	Balgownie	Creekside	Joan Zealey
Brown Cuckoo-Dove	2	09-Feb-15	Albion Park Rail	Casuarinas - lakeside	B & B Hales
Topknot Pigeon	4	28-Jan-15	Balgownie	Duncan Park - creek	Joan Zealey
Topknot Pigeon	30	06-Feb-15	Bulli Pass	O'head	Max Davies
Tawny Frogmouth	2	07-Jan-15	Lake Conjola	Casuarina	Charles Dove
Tawny Frogmouth	2	31/2/2015	Balgownie	Residential-Tree	Terry Edwell
Nankeen Night-Heron	1	06-Feb-15	Wollongong University	Lagoon/Pond	S&C&A Macleod
Square-tailed Kite	1	0/2/2015	Lake Conjola	Overhead	Charles Dove
Square-tailed Kite	2	07-Feb-15	Wollongong University	Woodland Garden	S&C&A Macleod
White-bellied Sea-Eagle	1	0/2/2015	Kioloa	O'head -beach/residential	A. Macleod
Collared Sparrowhawk	1	07-Feb-15	Balgownie	O'head	Pam Hazelwood
Nankeen Kestrel	2	03-Feb-15	Killalea State Rec Park	O'head	Anne/Alan Cousins
Buff-banded Rail	1	06-Feb-15	Burrill lLake	Reeds	Charles Dove
Hooded Plover	4 3a 1j	06-Feb-15	Ulladulla	Tidal Rock	Charles dove
Whimbrel	2	23-Feb-15	Narrawallee	Sandbar	Charles Dove
White-rumped Sandpiper	1	01-Feb-15	Lake Wollomboula	Sandbar	Charles Dove
White-headed Pigeon	2	27-Jan-15	Jamberoo	Roadside Powerlines	Betty Hudson
Little Tern	100+	21-Jan-15	Lake Conjola	Sandbar	Charles Dove
Musk Lorikeet	20+	04-Feb-15	Lake Conjola	Flowering Gum	Charles Dove
Eastern Koel	1m + 1f	05-Feb-15	Bulli Pass	Curry Leaf Trees	Richard Miller
Channel-billed Cuckoo	1	9/2/215	Jamberoo	O'head	Betty Hudson
White-browed Treecreeper	2	01-Feb-15	Lake Conjola	Forest Trees	Charles Dove
Green Catbird	2	26-Jan-15	Thirroul	Coast Street	Mike Morphett
Satin Bowerbird	3m	31-Jan-15	Bulli Pass	Curry Leaf Trees	Richard Miller
White-browed Scrubwren	2	09-Feb-15	Jerrara Dam	Revegetation areas	Anne/Alan Cousins
White-browed Scrubwren	2	31-Jan-15	Jamberoo	Garden	Betty Hudson
Yellow Thornbill	5	16-Jan-15	Penrose	Garden Shrubs	Neil Wheway
Noisy Friarbird	1	07-Feb-15	Jamberoo	Garden-Casuarinas	Betty Hudson
Little Friarbird	1	15-Jan-15	Tarrawanna	Garden	Anne/Alan Cousins
Cicadabird	1m	18-Jan-15	Marshall Mount	Rainforest edge	Anna Knowlson
Grey Butcherbird	3 1 a/2j	02-Feb-15	Lake Conjola	Forest Trees	Charles Dove
Grey Butcherbird	2 Ad +3 Juv	07-Feb-15	Penrose	Garden	Tera Wheway
Grey Fantail	1	06-Feb-15	Jamberoo	Park Rainforest	Betty Hudson
Leaden Flycatcher	2 1m 1f	30-Jan-15	Narrawallee	Forest Trees	Charles Dove
Black-faced Monarch	1	28-Jan-15	Narrawallee	Gum Tree	Charles Dove

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February/March 2015

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Species	Number	Date	Location	Habitat	Observer
Red-tailed Tropicbird	1	20-Mar-15	Ulladulla Lighthouse	Overhead	Charles Dove
White-headed Pigeon	5	04-Mar-15	Botanic Gardens	Keiraville	Joshua Coyte
White-headed Pigeon	2	04-Mar-15	Gwynville	Electricity Wires	Terry Edwell
Brown Cuckoo-Dove	1	08-Mar-15	Jerrara Dam	Rainforest	David Eddington
Tawny Frogmouth	2	08-Mar-15	Lake Conjola	Casurina	Charles Dove
White-throated Needletail	>20	01-Mar-15	Lake Conjola	Overhead	Charles Dove
Brown Quail	8	11-Mar-15	Woodlands Creek	Footpath grass verge	Mike Morphett
Royal Spoonbill	1	02-Mar-15	Bellambi Lagoon	Lagoon/Pond	Ross/Jann Gowans
Black-shouldered Kite	1	09-Mar-15	Killalea State Rec Park	Grassland	Joshua Coyte
Square-tailed Kite	1	08-Mar-15	Old Erowal Bay	O'head	Peter Salvair
White-bellied Sea-Eagle	1	09-Mar-15	Killalea State Rec Park	Cliffs	Joshua Coyte
Brown Goshawk	1	18-Mar-15	Wollongong Showground	O'head	Mike Morphett
Grey Goshawk	1 w.ph	06-Mar-15	Killalea State Rec Park	Post - carpark	Bruce Coyte
Grey Goshawk	1 w.ph	08-Mar-15	Bellawangarah	Rainforest	Ralph Stadus
Spotted Harrier	1	06-Mar-15	Killalea State Rec Park	O'head	Joshua Coyte
Wedge-tailed Eagle	2	22-Feb-15	Balgownie	Escarpment	Joan Zealey
Little Eagle	1 l.ph +1 d.ph	8-9/3/15	Killalea State Rec Park	Wood/grasslands	Joshua Coyte
Buff-banded Rail	1A 5chics	03-Mar-05	Lions Park Burrill Lake	Foreshore	Charles Dove
Australian Pied Oystercatcher	3	07-Mar-15	IYC	Lakeside lawn	Neil McKinlay
Sooty Oystercatcher	35	20-Mar-15	Ulladulla Lighthouse	Tidal Rock	Charles Dove
Sooty Oystercatcher	2	21-Mar-15	North Beach	Rockshelf	Anne Cousins
Pacific Golden Plover	>150	01-Mar-15	Shoalhaven Heads	Foreshore	Charles Dove
Double-banded Plover	>10	01-Mar-15	Lake Conjola	Foreshore	Charles Dove
Hooded Plover	6	07-Mar-15	Racecourse Beach Ull.	Tidal Rock	Charles Dove
Bar-tailed Godwit	>50	01-Mar-15	Shoalhaven Heads	Foreshore	Charles Dove
Eastern Curlew	>10	01-Mar-15	Shoalhaven Heads	Foreshore	Charles Dove
Caspian Tern	1	08-Mar-15	Werri	Beach	Kara Eddington
Caspian Tern	2	07-Mar-15	IYC	Lakeside lawn	Neil McKinlay
Glossy Black-Cockatoo	5	10-Mar-15	Sanctuary Point	Golf Course	Peter Salvair
Yellow-tailed Black-Cockatoo	3	20-Mar-15	Tarrawanna	O'head	Anne Cousins
Musk Lorikeet	>10	03-Mar-15	Burrill Lake	Flowering Gum	Charles Dove
Eastern Rosella	1	06-Mar-15	Botanic Gardens	Keiraville	Anne Cousins
Channel-billed Cuckoo	1 juv	24-Feb-15	Port Kembla Golf Course	Open Forest	Max Davies
Powerful Owl	1	19-Mar-15	Thirroul	Gum canopy garden	Mike Morphett
Powerful Owl	1 heard	20-Mar-15	Excelsior Mine Site	Rainforest	Mike Morphett
Azure Kingfisher	1	02-Mar-16	Pattimores Lagoon, Lke Conjola	Dead Tree	Charles Dove
Green Catbird	5	04-Mar-15	Botanic Gardens	Keiraville	Joshua Coyte
Variegated Fairy-wren	3m 6f	02-Mar-16	Pattimores Lagoon, Lke Conjola	Dead Tree	Charles Dove
Southern Emu-wren	5	02-Mar-15	Little Forest Porters Crk	Heath	Charles Dove/Chris Brandis
Eastern Bristlebird	2	08-Mar-15	Booderee N.P	Heathland	Ralph Stadus
Eastern Bristlebird	4	08-Mar-15	Barren Grounds	Trackside	Terry Edwell
Yellow-throated Scrubwren	1	14-Mar-15	Grevillea Park	Adjacent Rainforest	Ross/Jann Gowans
Large-billed Scrubwren	3	15-Mar-15	Burrill Lake	Mixed Trees	Charles Dove
Spotted Pardalote	1 heard	21-Mar-15	Tarrawanna	Forest	Anne Cousins
Varied Sittella	>20	01-Mar-15	Lake Conjola	Mixed Trees	Charles Dove
Crested Shrike-tit	1	08-Mar-15	Jerrara Dam	Rainforest	David Eddington
Crested Shrike-tit	1	14-Mar-15	Grevillea Park	Adjacent Rainforest	Ross/Jann Gowans
Golden Whistler	1	01-Mar-15	Killalea State Rec Park	Rainforest	Joshua Coyte
Golden Whistler	1 Imm	23-Mar-15	Thirroul	Garden	Mike Morphett
Black-faced Monarch	1	01-Mar-15	Killalea State Rec Park	Rainforest	Joshua Coyte
Bassian Thrush	8	02-Mar-15	Little Forest Porters Crk	Pathway	Charles Dove/Chris Brandis
Beautiful Firetail	2	02-Mar-15	Little Forest Porters Crk	Heath	Charles Dove/Chris Brandis
Beautiful Firetail	4	08-Mar-15	Barren Grounds	Casuarinas	Terry Edwell

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Nankeen Night-heron	2	12-Apr-15	Burrill lake	Creek	Charles Dove
Peregrine Falcon	1	12-Apr-15	Burrill lake	Overhead	Charles Dove
Lewin's Rail	1	12-Apr-15	Burrill lake	Creek	Charles Dove
Buff-banded Rail	5	12-Apr-15	Burrill lake	Creek	Charles Dove
Black-fronted Dotterel	15	08-Apr-15	Wilton Lane Milton	Wetland	C Dove C Brandis
Red-kneed Dotterel	4	08-Apr-15	Wilton Lane Milton	Wetland	C Dove C Brandis
Ground Parrot	1	02-Mar-15	Jervis Bay	Heath	C Dove C Brandis
Eastern Bristlebird	5	02-Mar-15	Jervis Bay	Heath	C Dove C Brandis
Jacky Winter	2	17-Apr-15	Burrill lake	Fence	Charles Dove
Australian Wood Duck	16	31-Mar-15	Bulli	Old Bulli Bowling Club Greens	Mike Morphett
White-headed Pigeon	2	25-Mar-15	Jamberoo	Garden/o'head	Betty Hudson
White-headed Pigeon	3	29-Mar-15	Jamberoo	Camphor Laurel's Croquet Club	Betty Hudson
Tawny Frogmouth	2	07-Apr-15	Cordeaux Heights	Garden	Mike Morphett
Nankeen Night-Heron	1	20-Mar-15	Jamberoo	Hyams Creek/Churchill Stbridge	Betty Hudson
Straw-necked Ibis	~ 100	15-Mar-15	Croome	Rural	Darryl Goldrick
Royal Spoonbill	1	06-Apr-15	Towradgi Surf Leisure Resort	Creek	Mike Morphett
White-bellied Sea-Eagle	2	25-Mar-15	Tarrawanna	O'head- audible honking	Alan+Anne Cousins
Whistling Kite	1	27-Mar-15	Balgownie	O'head	Pam Hazelwood
Brown Goshawk	1	24-Mar-15	Bulli	Showground towers	Mike Morphett
Little Eagle	1	25-Mar-15	Balgownie	O'head	Pam Hazlewood
Rainbow Lorikeet	>20	07-Apr-15	Albion Park	Garden	Garth Rankin
Lewin's Honeyeater	1	23-Apr-15	Albion Park	Garden	Garth Rankin
Golden Whistler	1	07-Apr-15	Albion Park	Garden	Garth Rankin
Magpie-lark	2	08-Apr-15	Albion Park	Garden	Garth Rankin
Eastern Yellow Robin	3	02-Apr-15	Thirroul	Garden	Mike Morphett

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April/May 2015

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Species	Number	Date	Location	Habitat	Observer
Black Swan	24	05-May-15	Swamp Rd,Dunmore	Wetland	David Eddington
White-headed Pigeon	~13	04-May-15	West Wollongong	Privet Trees-residential	Peter Butler
Brush Bronzewing	1	06-May-15	Porters Creek	Side of road	Charles Dove
Bar-shouldered Dove	6	16-May-15	Tallawarra	Ash Pond 1-2 Access Track	Darryl Goldrick
Black-browed Albatross	5	15-May-15	Wardens Head	Ocean	Charles Dove
Shy Albatross	2	15-May-15	Wardens Head	Ocean	Charles Dove
Yellow-nosed Albatross	1	15-May-15	Wardens Head	Ocean	Charles Dove
Northern Giant-Petrel	1	15-May-15	Wardens Head	Ocean	Charles Dove
Australasian Gannet	2a7imm	15-May-15	Wardens Head	Ocean	Charles Dove
Eastern Reef Egret	2	02-May-15	Killalea State Rec Park	Rock Platform	Bruce Coyte
Straw-necked Ibis	~200	11-May-15	Meroo/Bombaderry	Wetland	Patsy Noble
Black-shouldered Kite	1	08-May-15	Shellcove	O'head residential	Joshua Coyte
Black-shouldered Kite	2	May	Balgownie Public School	Trees-roosting	Amelie Macleod
White-bellied Sea-Eagle	1	11-May-15	Dunmore	O'head	Patsy Noble
White-bellied Sea-Eagle	2	01-May-15	Bellambi	O'head	Tom/Joan Wylie
Brown Goshawk	1	16-May-15	Bulli Showground	Top of Floodlight	Mike Morphett
Brown Goshawk	1	16-May-15	Thirroul	Garden	Mike Morphett
Wedge-tailed Eagle	1	02-May-15	Balgownie	O'head/Escarpment	Terry Edwell
Peregrine Falcon	1	06-May-15	Porters Creek	Over Dam	Charles Dove
Black-fronted Dotterel	2	11-May-15	Bellambi Lagoon	Water Edge	Ross/Jann Gowans
Glossy Black-Cockatoo	4	20-May-15	Lake Conjola	Casurinas	Charles Dove
Yellow-tailed Black-Cockatoo	4	6.11/05/2015	Tarrawanna	O'head	Joan Zealey
Eastern Rosella	2	15-May-15	Ulladulla	Grass	Charles Dove
Southern Boobook	1	10-May-15	Burrill Lake	Rain forest	Charles Dove
White-eared Honeyeater	10+	03-May-15	Lake Conjola	Forest	Charles Dove
Noisy Miner	2	10-May-15	Tarrawanna	Yard- bird bath	Alan/Anne Cousins
Red Wattlebird	50+	17-May-15	Lake Conjola	Forest	Charles Dove
Scarlet Honeyeater	1m	17-May-15	Lake Conjola	Flowering Gum	Charles Dove
White-cheeked Honeyeater	10+	03-May-15	Lake Conjola	Forest	Charles Dove
White-naped Honeyeater	10+	03-May-15	Lake Conjola	Forest	Charles Dove
White-naped Honeyeater	10+	06-May-15	Porters Creek	Flowering Gum	Charles Dove
White-bellied Cuckoo-shrike	1	19/052015	Lake Conjola	Forest	Charles Dove
Leaden Flycatcher	1 fem	30-Apr-15	Balgownie	Yard	Terry Edwell
Rose Robin	1m	09-May-15	Kings Point	Forest	Charles Dove
Rose Robin	1f	09-May-15	Burrill Lake	Forest	Charles Dove
Rose Robin	1f	13-May-15	Lake Conjola	Forest	Charles Dove
Bassian Thrush	2	20-May-15	Lake Conjola	Forest floor	Charles Dove
Mistletoebird	1 m	10-May-15	Jamberoo	Powerline wires	Kara Eddington
Red-browed Finch	~30	16-May-15	Bulli Showground/Grevillea Pa	Scrub	Mike Morphett
House Sparrow	31	01-May-15	Corrimal	Telegrph wires	Mike Morphett

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May/June 2015

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Species	Number	Date	Location	Habitat	Observer
Black Swan	40	21-Jun-15	Berkeley	Tuggerah Bay	Mike Morphett
White-headed Pigeon	6	08-Jun-15	West Wollongong	Power lines	Chris Cartledge
Tawny Frogmouth	2	01-Jun-15	Balgownie	Roosting in Palm Tree	Joan Zealey
Black-browed Albatross	4	08-Jun-15	Off Bellambi	Pelagic	Joan Zealey
Buller's Albatross	1	08-Jun-15	Off Bellambi	Pelagic	Joan Zealey
White-necked Heron	2	28-May-15	Old Illawarra H'way Al. Park-Rail	Paddock	Alan/Anne Cousins
Eastern Great Egret	1	19-Apr-15	Lady Denman Park	Shoreline	Stan Brown
Cattle Egret	15	30-May-15	Balgownie	Sports Oval	Terry Edwell
Striated Heron	1	19-Apr-15	Lady Denman Park	Shoreline	Stan Brown
White-faced Heron	1	29-May-15	Woonona	Roosting on IGA roof	Mike Morphett
White-faced Heron	20+	28-May-15	Old Illawarra H'way Al. Park-Rail	Paddock	Alan/Anne Cousins
White-faced Heron	numerous	07-Jun-15	Bomaderry	Wetland	Shev Christian
Little Egret	5	05-Jun-15	Fairy Meadow	Memorial Dr - roadside	Mike Morphett
Eastern Reef Egret	1	30-May-15	Bellambi	Boat Ramp	Robyn Cashman
Eastern Osprey	2 nesting	05-May-15	Wool Road /Basin View	overhead	Stan Brown
Whistling Kite	1	25-May-15	Lake Conjola	overhead	Charles Dove
Grey Goshawk	1 Wh.Phase	04-Jun-15	Wollongong	Yard	Russell Hammond
Grey Goshawk	1	07-Jun-15	Kiama Bends	Electricity Pole	Joshua Coyte
Wedge-tailed Eagle	2	03-Jun-15	Balgownie	O'head	Terry Edwell
Australian Hobby	1	06-Jun-15	Swamp Rd,Dunmore	Power lines	Kara/Dave Eddington
Peregrine Falcon	1	24-Jun-15	Corrimal	O'head	Mike Morphett
Yellow-tailed Black-Cockatoo	2	02-May-15	Lady Denman Park	Shoreline	Stan Brown
Yellow-tailed Black-Cockatoo	8	17-Jun-15	Thirroul	Garden	Mike Morphett
Yellow-tailed Black-Cockatoo	5	17-Jun-15	Lake Illawarra South	Lakeside Casuarinas	Darryl Goldrick
Yellow-tailed Black-Cockatoo	30+	08-Jun-15	Balgownie	O'head	Terry Edwell
Yellow-tailed Black-Cockatoo	5	05-Jun-15	Jamberoo	O'head	Dave Eddington
Gang-gang Cockatoo	7	02-May-15	Lady Denman Park	Shoreline	Stan Brown
Gang-gang Cockatoo	10	12-15/6/15	Balgownie	Garden-residential	Terry Edwell
Gang-gang Cockatoo	8	06-Jun-15	Nerriga	Allum Fire Trail-Eucalypts	Joshua Coyte
Sulphur-crested Cockatoo	7	24-Jun-15	Lake Illawarra South	Grazing on Public Reserve	Darryl Goldrick
Azure Kingfisher	1	19-Apr-15	Lady Denman Park	Shoreline	Stan Brown
Azure Kingfisher	1	02-May-15	Lady Denman Park	Shoreline	Stan Brown
Azure Kingfisher	1	02-May-15	Lady Denman Park	Shoreline	Stan Brown
Superb Lyrebird	1	06-Jun-15	Wallaby Hill Rd Jamberoo	Roadside	Kara Eddington
Red-browed Treecreeper	1	27-May-15	Lake Conjola	Gumtree	Charles Dove
Bell Miner	colony	May/June	Calderwood	Forest /Bushland	Siobhan Christian
Black-faced Cuckoo-shrike	2	10-Jun-15	West Wollongong	Power lines	Chris Cartledge
Grey Butcherbird	3	05-Jun-15	Jamberoo	Fence posts	Kara Eddington
European Goldfinch	16	02-Jun-15	Al.Pk. Rail	Lake Edge/Garden	Brian/Barbara Hales
European Goldfinch	6+	01-Jun-15	Jamberoo	Swamp Rd-Creek-Paddock	Brian/Barbara Hales
European Goldfinch	4	30-May-15	Bellambi Lagoon Environs	Shrubbery	Joan Wylie

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June/July 2015

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Australasian Grebe	~200	21-Jun-15	Oak Flats	Lake Illawarra	Ross Gowans
White-headed Pigeon	5	07-Jul-15	Jamberoo	Croquet Courts-Lilly Pilly	Betty Hudson
Grey-headed Albatross	1	24-Jun-15	Oceanic	Off Austinmere	Tom Wylie
White-bellied Sea-eagle	1juv	13-Jun-15	Gerringong	O'head Beach	Kara Eddington
Brown Goshawk	1	08-Jul-15	Thirroul	Garden	Mike Morphett
Wedge-tailed Eagle	1	08-Jul-15	Balgownie	O'head	Pam Hazlewood
Wedge-tailed Eagle	1	02-Jul-15	Balgownie	O'head Escarpment	Joan Zealey
Australian Hobby	1	Mid June	Balgownie	Roosting TV aerial	Pam Hazlewood
Sooty Oystercatcher	1	27-Jun-15	Waniora Point	Rock Platform	Mike Morphett
Ruddy Turnstone	1	17-Jun-15	Woonona	Rock Platform	R&J Gowans
Brown Skua	1	02-Jul-15	Oceanic	Off Wardens Head	Charlie Dove
Kelp Gull	1	28-Jun-15	Sandon Point	Rock Shelf	Mike Morphett
Yellow-tailed Black-Cockatoo	16	10-Jul-15	Thirroul	O'head	Mike Morphett
Gang-Gang Cockatoo	10	June-daily	Balgownie	O'head	Terry Edwell
Australian King-Parrot	6	01-Jul-15	Dapto	Yard/Lilly Pilly trees	Tera Wheway
Crimson Rosella	numerous	11-Jul-15	Jamberoo	Rural	Kara Eddington
Eastern Rosella	2	10-Jul-15	Jamberoo	Garden	Betty Hudson
Powerful Owl	1 heard	11-Jul-15	Excelsior Mine Site	Forest	Mike Morphett
Superb Lyrebird	1	13-Jul-15	Jamberoo Mtn Rd	Rainforest	David Eddington
Variegated Fairy-wren	2	22-Jul-15	Thirroul	Garden	Mike Morphett
Yellow-rumped Thornbill	6	20-Jul-15	Lake Illawarra South	Pelican Reserve	Darryl Goldrick
Noisy Miner	4	10-Jul-15	Jamberoo	Garden	Betty Hudson
Grey Shrike-thrush	1	23-Jun-15	Jamberoo	Drualla Rd	Betty Hudson
Red-whiskered Bulbul	4	222/7/15	Lake Illawarra South	Garden	Darryl Goldrick
Red-browed Finch	40+	29-Jun-15	Thirroul	Garden	Mike Morphett

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July / August 2015

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Australasian Shoveler	6 pair	29-Jul-15	Wilton Lane Milton	Wetland	Charles Dove
Grey Teal	50+	29-Jul-15	Wilton Lane Milton	Wetland	Charles Dove
Hoary-headed Grebe	5	28-Jul-15	Burrill Lake	Lake	Charles Dove
Hoary-headed Grebe	2	15-Aug-15	Murrys Road Milton	Wetland	Charles Dove
Black-browed Albatross	5	28-Jul-15	Warden Head	Ocean	Charles Dove
Shy Albatross	3	28-Jul-15	Warden Head	Ocean	Charles Dove
Northern Giant-Petrel	1	28-Jul-15	Warden Head	Ocean	Charles Dove
Fairy Prion	100+	28-Jul-15	Warden Head	Ocean	Charles Dove
Fluttering Shearwater	100+	28-Jul-15	Warden Head	Ocean	Charles Dove
Royal Spoonbill	2	18-Aug-15	Balgownie	O'head	Joan Zealey
Yellow-billed Spoonbill	1	11-Aug-15	Wilton Lane Milton	Wetland	C Dove C Brandis
Great Cormorant	80	31-Jul-15	Manyana	Water	Charles Dove
Eastern Osprey	1	17-Aug-15	Lake Conjola	Overhead	Charles Dove
White-bellied Sea-Eagle	1juv	29-Jul-15	Wilton Lane Milton	Wetland	Charles Dove
Whistling Kite	1 pr	19-Aug-15	Brokers Nose-Mt Pleasant	O'head	Joan Zealey
Buff-banded Rail	5	27-Jul-15	Burrill Lake	Marsh area	Charles Dove
Black-fronted Dotterel	15	29-Jul-15	Wilton Lane Milton	Wetland	Charles Dove
Black-fronted Dotterel	1	15-Aug-15	Murrys Road Milton	Wetland	Charles Dove
Masked Lapwing	30+	29-Jul-15	Wilton Lane Milton	Wetland	Charles Dove
Whimbrel	1	30-Jul-15	Manyana	Sandbar	Charles Dove
Marsh Sandpiper	1	29-Jul-15	Wilton Lane Milton	Wetland	Charles Dove
Curlew Sandpiper	1	08-Aug-15	Wilton Lane Milton	Wetland	Charles Dove
White-fronted Tern	5	28-Jul-15	Warden Head	Ocean	Charles Dove
Yellow-tailed Black-Cockatoo	22	24-Aug-15	Balgownie	O'head	Bill Zealey
Yellow-tailed Black-Cockatoo	6	24-Aug-15	Lake Illawarra South	O'head	Darryl Goldrick
Powerful Owl	1	31-Jul-15	Excelsior No 2 Mine	Forest	Mike Morphett
Lewin's Honeyeater	1	12-Aug-15	Burrill Lake	Creek	Charles Dove
Scarlet Honeyeater	10+	29-Jul-15	Lake Conjola	Various trees	Charles Dove
White-cheeked Honeyeater	4+2nests	11-Aug-15	Lake Conjola	mixed bush	Charles Dove
Varied Sittella	20+	29-Jul-15	Lake Conjola	Various trees	Charles Dove
Scarlet Robin	2 m/f	27-Jul-15	Kioloa NU campus	Open field	C Dove/ C Brandis

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August/September 2015

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Species	Number	Date	Location	Habitat	Observer
Australian Shelduck	2	10-Aug-15	Moss Vale	Farm Dam	David Eddington
Pink-eared Duck	8	27-Jul-15	Bellambi	Lagoon	Jaan/Ross Gowans
Brown Quail	6	12-Sep-15	Marshall Mount	Rural paddock	Andrew Knowlson
White-headed Pigeon	1 m	08-Sep-15	Woonona	Yard	Terry Edwell
White-necked Heron	1	03-Sep-15	Jamberoo	Hyams Creek	Anne/Alan Cousins
White-necked Heron	1	12-Sep-15	Wollongong Greenhouse Park	Fence	Mike Morphett
Brown Goshawk	1	23-Aug-15	Bendalong	Coastal Trees	Charles Dove
Brown Goshawk	1	17-Sep-15	Thirroul	Garden	Mike Morphett
Grey Goshawk	1	23-Aug-15	Bendalong	Coastal Trees	Charles Dove
Grey Goshawk	1	Sept	Woonona	O'head	Terry Edwell
Peregrine Falcon	1	23-Aug-15	Bendalong	Coastal Trees	Charles Dove
Lewin's Rail	1	28-Aug-15	Burrill Lake	Sandbar	Charles Dove
Australian Pied Oystercatcher	4	23-Aug-15	Manyana	Sandbank	Charles Dove
Sooty Oystercatcher	2	01-Sep-15	Woonona	Pool-rock shelf	Anne/Alan Cousins
Red-capped Plover	9	23-Aug-15	Manyana	Sandbank	Charles Dove
Double-banded Plover	7	23-Aug-15	Manyana	Sandbank	Charles Dove
Eastern Curlew	1	23-Aug-15	Manyana	Sandbank	Charles Dove
Ruddy Turnstone	2	09-Sep-15	Woonona - 1st arrival	Pool-Rockshelf	Jaan/Ross Gowans
Red-necked Stint	2	23-Aug-15	Manyana	Sandbank	Charles Dove
Glossy Black-Cockatoo	7	15-Sep-15	Lake Conjola	Casurina	Charles Dove
yellow-tailed Black-Cockatoo	17	15-Sep-15	Lake Conjola	Coastal Banksia	Charles Dove
Gang-gang Cockatoo	15	09-Sep-15	Woonona	O'head	Terry Edwell
Long-billed Corella	20+	18-Sep-15	Lake Illawarra South	Grassy Reserve	Darryl Goldrick
Red-rumped Parrot	2	15-Jul-15	Wollongong	Cycle Track-WIN Stadium	Jaan Gowans
Channel-billed Cuckoo	1	04-Sep-15	Fairy Meadow - 1st return repo	Residential - o'head	Ross Gowans
Powerful Owl	1 heard	09-Sep-15	Woonona	Residential	Jaan/Ross Gowans
Azure Kingfisher	1	27-Aug-15	Pattimores Lagoon	Tree	Charles Dove
Laughing Kookaburra	1 leucistic	~15 Aug	Killalea SRA	Camp site	Josh Coyte
Green Catbird	1	21-Sep-15	Thirroul	Garden	Mike Morphett
Rockwarbler	2	13-Sep-15	Darawal Nat Park - Maddens F	Rock Outcrops	Mike Morphett
White-eared Honeyeater	1	13-Sep-15	Dharawal Nat Park - Firetrail 1(	Woodand	Mike Morphett
Scarlet Honeyeater	14	01-Sep-15	Narrawallee	mixed trees	Charles Dove
Scarlet Honeyeater	1m	all Sept	Woonona	Yard-flowering gum	Terry Edwell
Tawny-crowned Honeyeater	1	13-Sep-15	Darawal Nat Park - Firetrail 10/	Heath	Mike Morphett
Noisy Friarbird	1	21-Sep-15	Woonona - 1st arrival	Yard	Terry Edwell
Noisy Friarbird	1	23-Sep-15	Woonona	Yard- bottlebrush	Pam Hazelwood
Cicadabird	1 heard	14-Sep-15	Marshall Mount	Creek/rainforest	Anna Knowlson
Grey Shrike-thrush	1	28-Aug-15	Burrill Lake	Grass	Charles Dove
Australasian Figbird	30+	20-Aug-15	Mt Kembla	Fig Trees	Chris Blatch
Australasian Figbird	30+	01-Sep-15	Figtree	Fig Trees	Chris Blatch
Olive-backed Oriole	1	12-Sep-15	Tom Thumb Lagoon	Casuarinas	Mike Morphett
Grey Currawong	1	13-Sep-15	Dharawal Nat Park - Firetrail 1(	Heath	Mike Morphett
Leaden Flycatcher	1m	19-Sep-15	Woonona	Yard	Terry Edwell
Black-faced Monarch	1	21-Sep-15	Woonona - 1st arrival	Yard	Terry Edwell
Rose Robin	1m	21-Aug-15	Unanderra	Nan Tien Temple	Meri Stefanidakis
Golden-headed Cisticola	2	12-Sep-15	Tom Thumb Lagoon	Rank Grasses	Mike Morphett
Rufous Songlark	2	13-Sep-15	Jamberoo	Rural Grasslands	Kara Eddington

Clearly the seasons have changed with a return of some of the usual migrants. The albino Kookaburra is the original or offspring of the pair originally reported in Blackbutt Reserve in 2009.

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September/October 2015

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Australian Shelduck	3	19-Sep-15	Moss Vale	Pond	David Eddington
Tawny Frogmouth	1	20-Sep-15	Corrimal	Yard	Tom-Joan Wylie
White-necked Heron	15	14-Oct-15	Milton	Paddocks	Charles Dove
Cattle Egret	1	09-Oct-15	Fairy Meadow	Roadside	Mike Morphett
Cattle Egret	150	14-Oct-15	Murrys Road	Paddocks	Charles Dove
Eastern Osprey	1	30-Sep-15	Lake Conjola	Overhead	Charles Dove
Square-tailed Kite	2	12-Oct-15	Lake Conjola	Overhead	Charles Dove
Sooty Oystercatcher	2	27-Sep-15	East Corrimal	Beach	Anne-Alan Cousins
Red-necked Avocet	6	12-Oct-15	Vincentia	Water	Kara Eddington
Red-capped Plover	14	14-Sep-15	Lake Conjola	Beach	Charles Dove
Latham's Snipe	1	14-Oct-15	Murrys Road	Wetland	Charles Dove
Red-necked Stint	5	14-Sep-15	Lake Conjola	Beach	Charles Dove
Kelp Gull	1	27-Sep-15	East Corrimal	Beach	Anne-Alan Cousins
Glossy Black-Cockatoo	8	14-Sep-15	Lake Conjola	Casurina	Charles Dove
Yellow-tailed Black-Cockatoo	3	14-Oct-15	Lake Illawarra South	Yard/o'head - flying Nth	Darryl Goldrick
Yellow-tailed Black-Cockatoo	15	14-Sep-15	Lake Conjola	Banks1a	Charles Dove
Eastern Koel	1	29-Sep-15	Thirroul	Garden	Mike Morphett
Eastern Koel	1	27-Sep-15	Lake Illawarra South	Garden - 1st of season return	Darryl Goldrick
Eastern Koel	1	12-Oct-15	W'Gong Harbour	Foreshore Trees	Anne-Alan Cousins
Eastern Koel	1	12-Oct-15	Dapto	Yard- Jacaranda Tree	Tera Wheway
Channel-billed Cuckoo	1	03-Oct-15	Thirroul	O'head	Mike Morphett
Channel-billed Cuckoo	3	12-Oct-15	Lang St, Balgownie	O'head-calling each other	Bill Zealey
Fan-tailed Cuckoo	1	27-Sep-15	Mt Pleasant Management Trail	Forest	Mike Morphett
Fan-tailed Cuckoo	1 heard	16-Oct-15	Tarrawanna	Escarpment	Anne Cousins
Powerful Owl	1	09-Oct-15	Balgownie	Rainforest	Terry Edwell
Sacred Kingfisher	3	12-Oct-15	Lake Conjola	Forest	Charles Dove
White-throated Treecreeper	4	12-Oct-15	Lake Conjola	Forest	Charles Dove
Green Catbird	2	28-Sep-15	Thirroul	Garden	Mike Morphett
Green Catbird	2	11-Oct-15	Thirroul	Garden	Mike Morphett
Variegated Fairy-wren	4m12f	12-Oct-15	Lake Conjola	Forest	Charles Dove
Yellow-throated Scrubwren	2	27-Sep-15	Mt Pleasant Track	Rainforest	Mike Morphett
Large-billed Scrubwren	1	07-Oct-15	Thirroul	Garden	Mike Morphett
Brown Thornbill	3	07-Oct-15	Thirroul	Garden	Mike Morphett
Varied Sittella	12	12-Oct-15	Lake Conjola	Forest	Charles Dove
Crested Shrike-tit	1	27-Sep-15	Mt Pleasant Track	Rainforest	Mike Morphett
Golden Whistler	7	12-Oct-15	Lake Conjola	Forest	Charles Dove
Rufous Whistler	3m5f	12-Oct-15	Lake Conjola	Forest	Charles Dove
Grey Fantail	20+	12-Oct-15	Lake Conjola	Forest	Charles Dove
Leaden Flycatcher	1m1f	12-Oct-15	Lake Conjola	Forest	Charles Dove
Black-faced Monarch	1	05-Oct-15	Thirroul	Excelsior Forest	Mike Morphett
Double-barred Finch	6	29-Sep-15	Grassland	Mt Annan Botanical Gardens	Mike Morphett
Red-browed Finch	12	27-Sep-15	Bellambi Lagoon	Grassed area	Anne-Alan Cousins
European Goldfinch	2	27-Sep-15	Bellambi Lagoon	Tree canopy	Anne-Alan Cousins

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October/November 2015

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White-headed Pigeon	1	03-Nov-15	Thirroul	Garden	Mike Morphett
Topknot Pigeon	8	17-Oct-15	Kiama Bypass	O'head	Bill/Joan Zealey
Topknot Pigeon	4	08-Nov-15	Jamberoo	Figtree	Kara Eddington
Nankeen Night-Heron	1	05-Nov-15	Puckeys Est	Lagoon	Ken Brown
Black-shouldered Kite	1	10-Nov-15	Fairy Meadow-Rememberance Drive	O'head	Anne Cousins
Brown Goshawk	1	08-Nov-15	Lake Conjola	Beach	Charles Dove
Brown Goshawk	1	22-Nov-15	Bulli Tops-Panorama House	O'head	Mike Morphett
Grey Goshawk	1	22-Nov-15	Pattimores Lagoon	Overhead	Charles Dove
Grey Goshawk	1	17-Oct-15	Kiama Bypass	O'head	Bill/Joan Zealey
Spotted Harrier	1	09-Nov-15	Jerrara Dam	O'head	Kara Eddington
Peregrine Falcon	2	25-Oct-15	Maddens Plains	Illawarra Escarp Forest Track	Mike Morphett
Red-necked Avocet	18	16-Nov-15	Wollumboula Lake	Sand	Charles Dove
Red-necked Avocet	3	22-Nov-15	Pattimores Lagoon	Shoreline	Charles Dove
Grey Plover	1	16-Nov-15	Wollumboula Lake	Sand	Charles Dove
Red-capped Plover	30	16-Nov-15	Wollumboula Lake	Sand	Charles Dove
Ruddy Turnstone	1	06-Nov-15	Bellambi	Rockshelf	Tom/Joan Wylie
Red knot	10	16-Nov-15	Wollumboula Lake	Sand	Charles Dove
Sanderling	1juv	16-Nov-15	Wollumboula Lake	Sand	Charles Dove
Red-necked Stint	12	08-Nov-15	Lake Conjola	Sandspit	Charles Dove
Red-necked Stint	19	16-Nov-15	Wollumboula Lake	Sand	Charles Dove
Little Tern	15	02-Nov-15	Lake Conjola	overhead	Charles Dove
Little Tern	5	16-Nov-15	Wollumboula Lake	Sand	Charles Dove
Fairy Tern	3	02-Nov-15	Lake Conjola	overhead	Charles Dove
Yellow-tailed Black-Cockatoo	2	22-Nov-15	Escarpment	Escarp Track	Mike Morphett
Eastern Koel	1	12-Oct-15	Hyams Ck, Jamberoo	O'head	Betty Hudson
Channel-billed Cuckoo	3	01-Nov-15	Albion Park	O'head	Garth Rankin
Fan-tailed Cuckoo	2	25-Oct-15	Maddens Plains	Illawarra Escarp Forest Track	Mike Morphett
Powerful Owl	1 heard	02-Nov-15	Thirroul	Excelsior Mine Forest	Mike Morphett
Southern Boobook	1	08-Nov-15	Dapto	Garden	Neil Wheway
Sacred Kingfisher	1	Oct/Nov	Jamberoo	Garden	Betty Hudson
Dollarbird	2	07-Nov-15	Ulladulla	Powerline	Charles Dove
Dollarbird	1	26-Oct-15	Thirroul	Forest-residential interface	Mike Morphett
Dollarbird	3	08-Nov-15	Jamberoo	Powerlines	Kara Eddington
Dollarbird	2	05-Nov-15	Tarrawanna	Riparian Trees	Ken Brown
Superb Lyrebird	1	08-Nov-15	Jamberoo Mtn Rd	Rainforest	David Eddington
White-throated Treecreeper	2	25-Oct-15	Maddens Plains	Illawarra Escarp Forest Track	Mike Morphett
Green Catbird	1	08-Nov-15	Jerrara Dam	Figtree	Kara Eddington
White-browed Scrubwren	2	26-Oct-15	Thirroul	Garden	Mike Morphett
Noisy Miner	1 + heard	09-Nov-15	Jamberoo	Garden	Betty Hudson
Eastern Whipbird	1 heard	11-Oct-15	Jamberoo	Garden	Betty Hudson
Golden Whistler	1	13-Oct-15	Bulli	Rainforest	Max Davies
Rufous Whistler	1	05-Nov-15	Puckeys Est	Dune Area	Ken Brown
Olive-backed Oriole	1	09-Nov-15	Thirroul	Garden	Mike Morphett
Black-faced Monarch	1	13-Oct-15	Bulli	Rainforest	Max Davies

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Nov 2014 to Jan 2015

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White-headed Pigeon	1	13-Jan-15	Jamberoo	Garden	Betty Hudson
Brown Cuckoo-Dove	1	27-Dec-14	Balgownie	Residential (telegraph pole)	Joan Zealey
Wonga Pigeon	1 calling	30-Nov-14	Old Excelsior Mine Site	Rainforest	Mike Morphett
Topknot Pigeon	1	05-Dec-14	Balgownie	Ohead	Pam Hazelwood
Topknot Pigeon	3	27-Dec-14	Balgownie	Residential (palm tree)	Joan Zealey
Tawny Frogmouth	2 + fledgling	06-Jan-15	Balgownie	Garden	Terry Edwell
Australasian Darter	1	10-Jan-15	Macquarie Rivulet	Riparian	Ian/Peg McKinlay
White-necked Heron	2	25-Nov-14	Old Bulli Brickworks site	Pond	Mike Morphett
Striated Heron	1	11-Jan-15	Berkeley	Boat Harbour	Mike Morphett
Striated Heron	1	12-Nov-14	Warilla	Little Lake	IBOC
Little Egret	1	12-Nov-14	Warilla	Little Lake	IBOC
Nankeen Night-Heron	1	12-Nov-14	Warilla	Little Lake	IBOC
Square-tailed Kite	1	13-Jan-15	Balgownie	Ohead	Pam Hazelwood
Pacific Baza	1 + Juv	11-Jan-15	Balgownie	Garden	Terry Edwell
Wedge-tailed Eagle	1	14-Jan-15	Albion Park	Ohead residential	Darryl Goldrick
Australian Pied Oystercatcher	nest	09-Dec-14	Berrara Beach	Beach	Kevin Mills
Sooty Oystercatcher	1	12-Jan-15	Bellambi	Rockshelf/harbour	Mike Morphett
Red-necked Avocet	49	09-Dec-14	Lake Wollumboola	Lake	Kevin Mills
Lesser Sand Plover	1	03-Dec-14	Lake Conjola	Sandbar	Charles Dove
Bar-tailed Godwit	3	03-Dec-14	Lake Conjola	Sandbar	Charles Dove
Eastern Curlew	1	03-Dec-14	Lake Conjola	Sandbar	Charles Dove
Common Greenshank	1	12-Nov-14	Warilla	Little Lake	IBOC
Sanderling	2	03-Dec-14	Lake Conjola	Sandbar	Charles Dove
Red-necked Stint	20+	03-Dec-14	Lake Conjola	Sandbar	Charles Dove
Little Tern	30	03-Dec-14	Lake Conjola	Sandbar	Charles Dove
Crested Tern	30+	03-Dec-14	Lake Conjola	Sandbar	Charles Dove
Long-billed Corella	4	21-Jan-15	Lake Illawarra South	Grassed Reserve	Darryl Goldrick
Eastern Rosella	2	12-Jan-15	Jamberoo	Garden (rare in residential yard)	Betty Hudson
Eastern Koel	1	21-Jan-15	Lake Illawarra South	Garden	Darryl Goldrick
Channel-billed Cuckoo	4	20-Nov-14	Balgownie	Ohead	Joan Zealey
Azure Kingfisher	1	10-Jan-15	Macquarie Rivulet	Riparian	Ian/Peg McKinlay
Sacred Kingfisher	1heard	13-Jan-15	Jamberoo	Garden	Betty Hudson
Dollarbird	1	22-Nov-14	Balgownie	Ohead	Pam Hazelwood
Dollarbird	1	03-Jan-15	Balgownie	Residential	Bill Zealey
Dollarbird	6	10-Jan-15	Macquarie Rivulet	Riparian	Ian/Peg McKinlay
Superb Lyrebird	1 calling	26-Nov-14	Old Excelsior Mine Site	Rainforest	Mike Morphett
Green Catbird	12	12-Nov-14	Bulli Heights	Rainforest	Ian McKinlay
Satin Bowerbird	3m	14-Dec-14	Thirroul	Garden	Mike Morphett
Superb Fairy-wren	2 (non blue)	13-Jan-15	Jamberoo	Garden	Betty Hudson
White-browed Scrubwren	2	17-Nov-14	Balgownie	Garden	Pam Hazelwood
White-plumed Honeyeater	several	10-Jan-15	Macquarie Rivulet	Riparian	Ian/Peg McKinlay
New Holland Honeyeater	9	17-Dec-14	West Wollongong	Bird Bath-Garden	Chris Cartledge
Australian Logrunner	2	12-Nov-14	Bulli Heights	Rainforest	Ian McKinlay
Olive-backed Oriole	1	10-Jan-15	Macquarie Rivulet	Riparian	Ian/Peg McKinlay
Rufous Fantail	1	11-Jan-15	Balgownie	Garden	Terry Edwell
Magpie-lark	Pr + 2 chics	10-Jan-15	Macquarie Rivulet	Riparian	Ian/Peg McKinlay

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