

Potteric Carr Nature Reserve

All-time Top-ten Bird Listers



A Spotted Crake was enjoyed by all top-ten listers

Compiled by Dave Carroll
(Keeper of the Potteric Carr Bird Checklists)

Top-Ten Potteric Carr Listers

Species Checklist	Roger Bird	Sue Bird	Dave Carroll	Lance Degnan	Pete Greaves	John Hancox	Tony Rhodes	Richard Scott	Nick Whitehouse
~ Mute Swan <i>Cygnus olor</i> AC	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Bewick's Swan <i>Cygnus columbianus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Whooper Swan <i>Cygnus cygnus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Pink-footed Goose <i>Anser brachyrhynchus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ White-fronted Goose <i>Anser albifrons</i> A			✓						
~ Greylag Goose <i>Anser anser</i> AC	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
†~ Snow Goose <i>Anser caerulescens</i> AC							✓		
~ Canada Goose <i>Branta canadensis</i> C	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Barnacle Goose <i>Branta leucopsis</i> AC	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Brent Goose <i>Branta bernicla</i> A									✓
~ Egyptian Goose <i>Alopochen aegyptiaca</i> C		✓	✓					✓	
†~ Ruddy Shelduck <i>Tadorna ferruginea</i> BD		✓							
~ Shelduck <i>Tadorna tadorna</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Mandarin Duck <i>Aix galericulata</i> C	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓
~ Wigeon <i>Anas penelope</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Gadwall <i>Anas strepera</i> AC	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Teal <i>Anas crecca</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Green-winged Teal <i>Anas carolinensis</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓
~ Mallard <i>Anas platyrhynchos</i> AC	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Pintail <i>Anas acuta</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Garganey <i>Anas querquedula</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Blue-winged Teal <i>Anas discors</i> A		✓	✓						
~ Shoveler <i>Anas clypeata</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Red-crested Pochard <i>Netta rufina</i> AC	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Common Pochard <i>Aythya ferina</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Ring-necked Duck <i>Aythya collaris</i> A								✓	
~ Ferruginous Duck <i>Aythya nyroca</i> A								✓	
~ Tufted Duck <i>Aythya fuligula</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Scaup <i>Aythya marila</i> A				✓			✓	✓	✓
~ Lesser Scaup <i>Aythya affinis</i> A		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓
~ Eider <i>Somateria mollissima</i> A								✓	
~ Common Scoter <i>Melanitta nigra</i> A		✓	✓				✓	✓	
~ Goldeneye <i>Bucephala clangula</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Smew <i>Mergellus albellus</i> A	✓	✓	✓			✓			
~ Red-breasted Merganser <i>Mergus serrator</i> A				✓		✓			

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~ Goosander <i>Mergus merganser</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Ruddy Duck <i>Oxyura jamaicensis</i> C	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Red-legged Partridge <i>Alectoris rufa</i> C	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Grey Partridge <i>Perdix perdix</i> AC	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Quail <i>Coturnix coturnix</i> A									
~ Pheasant <i>Phasianus colchicus</i> C	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Little Grebe <i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Great Crested Grebe <i>Podiceps cristatus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Slavonian Grebe <i>Podiceps auritus</i> A		✓		✓					✓
~ Black-necked Grebe <i>Podiceps nigricollis</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Gannet <i>Morus bassanus</i> A									
~ Cormorant <i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Shag <i>Phalacrocorax aristotelis</i> A							✓		
~ Bittern <i>Botaurus stellaris</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Little Bittern <i>Ixobrychus minutus</i> A	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Little Egret <i>Egretta garzetta</i> A	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Grey Heron <i>Ardea cinerea</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Purple Heron <i>Ardea purpurea</i> A		✓							
† ~ White Stork <i>Ciconia ciconia</i> A						✓			
~ Spoonbill <i>Platalea leucorodia</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓
~ Honey-buzzard <i>Pernis apivorus</i> A	✓	✓	✓			✓		✓	
~ Red Kite <i>Milvus milvus</i> AC		✓						✓	
~ White-tailed Eagle <i>Haliaeetus albicilla</i> AC							✓		
~ Marsh Harrier <i>Circus aeruginosus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Hen Harrier <i>Circus cyaneus</i> A		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓
~ Goshawk <i>Accipiter gentilis</i> AC					✓		✓		
~ Sparrowhawk <i>Accipiter nisus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Common Buzzard <i>Buteo buteo</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Osprey <i>Pandion haliaetus</i> A	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	
~ Kestrel <i>Falco tinnunculus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Red-footed Falcon <i>Falco vespertinus</i> A	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Merlin <i>Falco columbarius</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Hobby <i>Falco subbuteo</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Peregrine <i>Falco peregrinus</i> A	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Water Rail <i>Rallus aquaticus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

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~ Spotted Crake <i>Porzana porzana</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Moorhen <i>Gallinula chloropus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Coot <i>Fulica atra</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Common Crane <i>Grus grus</i> A	✓	✓	✓						
~ Oystercatcher <i>Haematopus ostralegus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Avocet <i>Recurvirostra avosetta</i> A	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Stone-curlew <i>Burhinus oedipnemus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓
~ Little Ringed Plover <i>Charadrius dubius</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Ringed Plover <i>Charadrius hiaticula</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Golden Plover <i>Pluvialis apricaria</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Grey Plover <i>Pluvialis squatarola</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Lapwing <i>Vanellus vanellus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Knot <i>Calidris canutus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓
~ Sanderling <i>Calidris alba</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓
~ Little Stint <i>Calidris minuta</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓	✓
~ Temminck's Stint <i>Calidris temminckii</i> A	✓	✓			✓			✓	✓
~ Pectoral Sandpiper <i>Calidris melanotos</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓
~ Curlew Sandpiper <i>Calidris ferruginea</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓
~ Dunlin <i>Calidris alpina</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Ruff <i>Philomachus pugnax</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Jack Snipe <i>Lymnocyptes minimus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Snipe <i>Gallinago gallinago</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ dowitcher <i>Limnodromus</i> sp. A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓
~ Woodcock <i>Scolopax rusticola</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Black-tailed Godwit <i>Limosa limosa</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Bar-tailed Godwit <i>Limosa lapponica</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Whimbrel <i>Numenius phaeopus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Curlew <i>Numenius arquata</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Spotted Redshank <i>Tringa erythropus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Redshank <i>Tringa totanus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Greenshank <i>Tringa nebularia</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Green Sandpiper <i>Tringa ochropus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Wood Sandpiper <i>Tringa glareola</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Common Sandpiper <i>Actitis hypoleucos</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Turnstone <i>Arenaria interpres</i> A	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓	✓	✓

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~ Red-necked Phalarope <i>Phalaropus lobatus</i> A									
~ Arctic Skua <i>Stercorarius parasiticus</i> A							✓	✓	
~ Mediterranean Gull <i>Larus melanocephalus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Little Gull <i>Larus minutus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Black-headed Gull <i>Larus ridibundus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Common Gull <i>Larus canus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Lesser Black-backed Gull <i>Larus fuscus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Yellow-legged Gull <i>Larus michahellis</i> A	✓	✓	✓		✓			✓	
~ Herring Gull <i>Larus argentatus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Iceland Gull <i>Larus glaucooides</i> A				✓				✓	✓
~ Glaucous Gull <i>Larus hyperboreus</i> A						✓		✓	✓
~ Great Black-backed Gull <i>Larus marinus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Kittiwake <i>Rissa tridactyla</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓
~ Little Tern <i>Sternula albifrons</i> A		✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓
~ Whiskered Tern <i>Chlidonias hybrida</i> A	✓	✓			✓			✓	
~ Black Tern <i>Chlidonias niger</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Sandwich Tern <i>Sterna sandvicensis</i> A	✓	✓	✓					✓	
~ Common Tern <i>Sterna hirundo</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Roseate Tern <i>Sterna dougallii</i> A									
~ Arctic Tern <i>Sterna paradisaea</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Little Auk <i>Alle alle</i> A									
~ Feral Pigeon <i>Columba livia</i> C	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Stock Dove <i>Columba oenas</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Wood Pigeon <i>Columba palumbus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Collared Dove <i>Streptopelia decaocto</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Turtle Dove <i>Streptopelia turtur</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
† ~ Ring-necked Parakeet <i>Psittacula krameri</i> C		✓							
~ Cuckoo <i>Cuculus canorus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Barn Owl <i>Tyto alba</i> A	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Little Owl <i>Athene noctua</i> C	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Tawny Owl <i>Strix aluco</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Long-eared Owl <i>Asio otus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Short-eared Owl <i>Asio flammeus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Nightjar <i>Caprimulgus europaeus</i> A							✓		
~ Swift <i>Apus apus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Kingfisher <i>Alcedo atthis</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

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~ Wryneck <i>Jynx torquilla</i> A				✓	✓	✓			
~ Green Woodpecker <i>Picus viridis</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Great Spotted Woodpecker <i>Dendrocopos major</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Lesser Spotted Woodpecker <i>Dendrocopos minor</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Skylark <i>Alauda arvensis</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Sand Martin <i>Riparia riparia</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Swallow <i>Hirundo rustica</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ House Martin <i>Delichon urbicum</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Tree Pipit <i>Anthus trivialis</i> A				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Meadow Pipit <i>Anthus pratensis</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Rock Pipit <i>Anthus petrosus</i> A									
~ Yellow Wagtail <i>Motacilla flava</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Grey Wagtail <i>Motacilla cinerea</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Pied Wagtail <i>Motacilla alba</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Waxwing <i>Bombus garrulus</i> A	✓	✓	✓						
~ Wren <i>Troglodytes troglodytes</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Dunnock <i>Prunella modularis</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Robin <i>Erithacus rubecula</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Nightingale <i>Luscinia megarhynchos</i> A	✓	✓							
~ Black Redstart <i>Phoenicurus ochruros</i> A				✓					✓
~ Redstart <i>Phoenicurus phoenicurus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Whinchat <i>Saxicola rubetra</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Stonechat <i>Saxicola torquata</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Wheatear <i>Oenanthe oenanthe</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Ring Ouzel <i>Turdus torquatus</i> A		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Blackbird <i>Turdus merula</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Fieldfare <i>Turdus pilaris</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Song Thrush <i>Turdus philomelos</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Redwing <i>Turdus iliacus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Mistle Thrush <i>Turdus viscivorus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Cetti's Warbler <i>Cettia cetti</i> A	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓		
~ Grasshopper Warbler <i>Locustella naevia</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Sedge Warbler <i>Acrocephalus schoenobaenus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Marsh Warbler <i>Acrocephalus palustris</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Reed Warbler <i>Acrocephalus scirpaceus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

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~ Blackcap <i>Sylvia atricapilla</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Garden Warbler <i>Sylvia borin</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Lesser Whitethroat <i>Sylvia curruca</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Whitethroat <i>Sylvia communis</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Wood Warbler <i>Phylloscopus sibilatrix</i> A						✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Chiffchaff <i>Phylloscopus collybita</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Willow Warbler <i>Phylloscopus trochilus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Goldcrest <i>Regulus regulus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Firecrest <i>Regulus ignicapilla</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Spotted Flycatcher <i>Muscicapa striata</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Pied Flycatcher <i>Ficedula hypoleuca</i> A		✓				✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Bearded Tit <i>Panurus biarmicus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Long-tailed Tit <i>Aegithalos caudatus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Blue Tit <i>Cyanistes caeruleus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Great Tit <i>Parus major</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Coal Tit <i>Periparus ater</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Willow Tit <i>Poecile montanus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Marsh Tit <i>Poecile palustris</i> A		✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Nuthatch <i>Sitta europaea</i> A		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Treecreeper <i>Certhia familiaris</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Golden Oriole <i>Oriolus oriolus</i> A						✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Great Grey Shrike <i>Lanius excubitor</i> A	✓			✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Jay <i>Garrulus glandarius</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Magpie <i>Pica pica</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Jackdaw <i>Corvus monedula</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Rook <i>Corvus frugilegus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Carrion Crow <i>Corvus corone</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Hooded Crow <i>Corvus cornix</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Raven <i>Corvus corax</i> A						✓			
~ Starling <i>Sturnus vulgaris</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ House Sparrow <i>Passer domesticus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Tree Sparrow <i>Passer montanus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Chaffinch <i>Fringilla coelebs</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Brambling <i>Fringilla montifringilla</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Greenfinch <i>Carduelis chloris</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

Top-Ten Potteric Carr Listers

Species Checklist	Roger Bird	Sue Bird	Dave Carroll	Lance Degnan	Pete Greaves	John Hancox	Tony Rhodes	Richard Scott	Nick Whitehouse
~ Goldfinch <i>Carduelis carduelis</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Siskin <i>Carduelis spinus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Linnet <i>Carduelis cannabina</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Mealy Redpoll <i>Carduelis flammea</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Lesser Redpoll <i>Carduelis cabaret</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Common Crossbill <i>Loxia curvirostra</i> A					✓		✓		
~ Bullfinch <i>Pyrrhula pyrrhula</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Hawfinch <i>Coccothraustes coccothraustes</i> A				✓	✓				✓
~ Yellowhammer <i>Emberiza citrinella</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Reed Bunting <i>Emberiza schoeniclus</i> A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
~ Corn Bunting <i>Emberiza calandra</i> A		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
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Individual Species Totals	172	186	180	173	168	169	178	187	178
Potteric Carr Top-Ten Bird Lister Rankings on 15th August 2008.	7	2	3	6	9	8	=4	1	=4

10th position has been claimed by Mark Roberts with 157 species seen.

Scientific names and species order in this checklist follows the British Ornithologists' Union's *The British List* (7th edition, 2006). British (English) vernacular names have been used.

The total number of countable species recorded at Potteric Carr to date is 222, including four with the escape proviso, and these have been marked with a † symbol:

Potteric Carr's Ruddy Shelduck identification was accepted by the YNU, and there is now a feral population in northern Europe. A Snow Goose (passing over Potteric Carr with 130 Pinkfeet) may be the best contender for inclusion as a wild bird in Yorkshire (Wilson & Slack, 1996). Although Yorkshire records of White Stork are generally thought to originate from the free-flying Harewood House collection, genuine wild birds have occurred in the county. Ring-necked Parakeet is included in the Yorkshire Naturalists' Union bird report systematic list.

Only eight (3½%) of Potteric Carr's bird species have not been seen by at least one of the top-ten listers. Each individual's list does not include species that they have seen at Doncaster Lakeside which is not within the Potteric Carr recording boundary. The official top-ten lists are periodically updated by Dave Carroll, Keeper of Potteric Carr Bird Lists.