

"We have been on two birdwatching trips with Klaus; his knowledge of birds and friendly easy going manner helped make the tours very rewarding and enjoyable for all."

Arthur and Sheryl Keates, Carindale, Qld.

Kirrama Wildlife Tours

Most tours are for small groups (6 birdwatchers Max.) only, and charters are always welcome.

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Key Birding Areas of Northern Australia

note: some birds are migratory

DARWIN-KATHERINE- KAKADU NATIONAL PARK

Habitats: Riverine and Monsoon Forests, Mangroves, Lakes, Woodland, Escarpments, Coastline.

Highlights: White-throated Grasswren, Sandstone Shrike-thrush, Banded Fruit-Dove, White-lined Honeyeater, Rainbow Pitta, Chestnut Rail, Hooded Parrot, Gouldian Finch.

Tip of Cape York (Pajinka)

IRON RANGE NATIONAL PARK

Habitats: Tropical Rainforest, Woodland, Mangroves.

Highlights: Eclectus Parrot, Magnificent Riflebird, Northern Scrub-robin, Rufous Owl, Red-cheeked Parrot, Black-winged Monarch, Green-backed Honeyeater

TIP OF CAPE YORK

Habitats: Tropical and Monsoon Forests, Woodland, Mangroves.

Highlights: Red-bellied Pitta, Buff-breasted Paradise-Kingfisher, Pale White-eye, Palm Cockatoo, Mangrove Golden Whistler

MUSGRAVE AREA

Habitats: Tropical Woodland, Lagoons, Open Forest.

Highlights: Golden-shouldered Parrot, Black-backed Butcherbird, Black-throated Finch, Banded Honeyeater

NORMANTON - KARUMBA AREA

Habitats: Grassland, Woodland, Mangroves.

Highlights: Zitting Cisticola, White-breasted Whistler, Yellow White-eye, Mangrove Golden Whistler, Red-headed Honeyeater

CAIRNS AND ATHERTON TABLELANDS

Habitats: Tropical Highland Rainforest, Woodland.

Highlights: Golden Bowerbird, Chowchilla, Fernwren, Blue-faced Parrot-Finch, Tooth-billed Bowerbird.

KUNUNURRA-MITCHELL PLATEAU-WYNDHAM

Habitats: Woodland, Escarpments, Grasslands, Coastline

Highlights: Black Grasswren, Partridge Pigeon, White-quilled Rock Pigeon, Yellow Chat, Oriental Plover, Purple-crowned Fairy-wren, Star Finch, Yellow-rumped Mannikin.

MISSION BEACH AREA

Habitats: Lowland Tropical Rainforest, Mangroves

Highlights: Cassowary, Lesser Sooty Owl, Noisy Pitta, Red-necked Crane, Pied Monarch, Beach Stone-curlew

PERTH-DRYANDRA-ALBANY-TWO PEOPLES BAY

Habitats: Coastal Heath, Woodland

Highlights: Noisy Scrub-bird, Rufous Treecreeper, Red-winged Fairy-wren, Western Whipbird, Short- and Long-billed Black-Cockatoo, Red-capped Parrot, Western Bristlebird.

MOUNT ISA AREA

Habitats: Woodland, Spinifex escarpments, Lakes.

Highlights: Carpentarian Grasswren, Kalkadoon Grasswren, Purple-crowned Fairy-wren, Spinifex Pigeon, Painted Finch, Spinifexbird.

