

Beside a beaten track, discover places less travelled; a place where birds of the east meet birds of the west...



Scarlet Honeyeater

From Nundle to Tamworth to Manilla and Barraba, bird routes consist of sites over a 180km area where many of the 238 species of the Tamworth region's native birds can be seen.

Many of these sites are part of old drovers' trails known as Travelling Stock Routes (TSRs) which may contain remnants of native vegetation.



Fan-tailed Cuckoo

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The concept of Bird Routes was initiated and developed in the Barraba area by Russell Watts (AM) and his late wife Jenny Watts.

Manilla Bird Routes were compiled by the late John Thomas Wheeler. Geoff Mitchell compiled the Bird Routes of the Tamworth/Nundle area.

A special tribute to Jack Peattie and the other dedicated members of Tamworth Birdwatchers who have collated records of birds seen in the Tamworth region over many years.

Thank you to the photographers who have captured the beauty of the birds of The Tamworth region.

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