Wildlife and bird checklist: Tower Hill and the Fingal Valley

Primal Pastures Tasmania. E = Tasmanian endemic, R = rare or occasional, I = introduced, H = historic, Farm (William) = farm sighting, not an ALA record. Date: _____ Observer: _____

Birds

Aerial (swallows and swifts)

☐	Fork-tailed Swift *Apus pacificus*	R
☐	Tree Martin *Petrochelidon nigricans*	
☐	Welcome Swallow *Hirundo neoxena*	
☐	White-throated Needletail *Hirundapus caudacutus*	R

Cuckoos

☐	Fan-tailed Cuckoo *Cacomantis flabelliformis*	
☐	Horsfield's Bronze-cuckoo *Chalcites basalis*	R
☐	Pallid Cuckoo *Heteroscenes pallidus*	
☐	Shining Bronze-cuckoo *Chalcites lucidus*	

Eucalypt forest and woodland

☐	Bassian Thrush *Zoothera lunulata*	
☐	Beautiful Firetail *Stagonopleura bella*	
☐	Black-faced Cuckoo-shrike *Coracina novaehollandiae*	
☐	Brown Thornbill *Acanthiza pusilla*	
☐	Dusky Robin *Melanodryas vittata*	E
☐	Flame Robin *Petroica phoenicea*	
☐	Golden Whistler *Pachycephala pectoralis*	
☐	Grey Fantail *Rhipidura albiscapa*	
☐	Grey Shrike-thrush *Colluricincla harmonica*	
☐	New Zealand Fantail *Rhipidura fuliginosa*	H
☐	Olive Whistler *Pachycephala olivacea*	
☐	Pacific Robin *Petroica multicolor*	H
☐	Pink Robin *Petroica rodinogaster*	
☐	Rose Robin *Petroica rosea*	R
☐	Satin Flycatcher *Myiagra cyanoleuca*	
☐	Scarlet Robin *Petroica boodang*	
☐	Scrubtit *Acanthornis magna*	E
☐	Silvereye *Zosterops lateralis*	
☐	Spotted Pardalote *Pardalotus punctatus*	
☐	Spotted Quail-thrush *Cinclosoma punctatum*	
☐	Striated Fieldwren *Calamanthus fuliginosus*	
☐	Striated Pardalote *Pardalotus striatus*	
☐	Superb Fairy-wren *Malurus cyaneus*	
☐	Tasmanian Scrubwren *Sericornis humilis*	E
☐	Tasmanian Thornbill *Acanthiza ewingii*	E
☐	Yellow-rumped Thornbill *Acanthiza chrysorrhoa*	

Honeyeaters

☐	Black-headed Honeyeater *Melithreptus affinis*	E
☐	Crescent Honeyeater *Phylidonyris pyrrhopterus*	
☐	Eastern Spinebill *Acanthorhynchus tenuirostris*	
☐	Little Wattlebird *Anthochaera chrysoptera*	R
☐	New Holland Honeyeater *Phylidonyris novaehollandiae*	
☐	Noisy Miner *Manorina melanocephala*	
☐	Strong-billed Honeyeater *Melithreptus validirostris*	E
☐	White-fronted Chat *Epthianura albifrons*	
☐	Yellow Wattlebird *Anthochaera paradoxa*	E
☐	Yellow-throated Honeyeater *Nesoptilotis flavicollis*	E

Open pasture and grassland

☐	Australian Pipit *Anthus novaeseelandiae*	
☐	Banded Lapwing *Vanellus tricolor*	
☐	Black-fronted Dotterel *Elseyornis melanops*	R
☐	Masked Lapwing *Vanellus miles*	
☐	Tasmanian Swamp Quail *Synoicus ypsilophora*	

Parrots and cockatoos

☐	Blue-winged Parrot *Neophema chrysostoma*	
☐	Eastern Ground Parrot *Pezoporus wallicus*	R
☐	Eastern Yellow-tailed Black-cockatoo *Zanda funerea*	
☐	Galah *Eolophus roseicapilla*	R
☐	Green Rosella *Platycercus caledonicus*	E
☐	Sulphur-crested Cockatoo *Cacatua galerita*	
☐	Swift Parrot *Lathamus discolor*	R
☐	Tasmanian Eastern Rosella *Platycercus eximius*	

Pigeons and doves

☐	Brush Bronzewing *Phaps elegans*	
☐	Common Bronzewing *Phaps chalcoptera*	

Raptors and owls

☐	Brown Falcon *Falco berigora*	
☐	Collared Sparrowhawk *Accipiter cirrocephalus*	
☐	Grey Goshawk *Accipiter novaehollandiae*	R
☐	Masked Owl *Tyto novaehollandiae*	
☐	Peregrine Falcon *Falco peregrinus*	
☐	Southern Brown Goshawk *Accipiter fasciatus*	
☐	Swamp Harrier *Circus approximans*	
☐	Tasmanian Boobook *Ninox leucopsis*	E
☐	Tawny Frogmouth *Podargus strigoides*	
☐	Wedge-tailed Eagle *Aquila audax*	
☐	White-bellied Sea-eagle *Haliaeetus leucogaster*	

Wetlands, dams and streams

☐	Australasian Bittern *Botaurus poiciloptilus*	R
☐	Australasian Purple Swamphen *Porphyrio porphyrio*	R
☐	Australian Reed Warbler *Acrocephalus australis*	R
☐	Australian Shelduck *Tadorna tadornoides*	
☐	Australian Wood Duck *Chenonetta jubata*	
☐	Black Swan *Cygnus atratus*	
☐	Cattle Egret *Bubulcus ibis*	R
☐	Chestnut Teal *Anas castanea*	
☐	Eurasian Coot *Fulica atra*	R
☐	Great Cormorant *Phalacrocorax carbo*	
☐	Great Egret *Ardea alba*	R
☐	Grey Teal *Anas gracilis*	
☐	Hardhead *Aythya australis*	R
☐	Hoary-headed Grebe *Poliocephalus poliocephalus*	R
☐	Lewin's Rail *Lewinia pectoralis*	R
☐	Little Pied Cormorant *Microcarbo melanoleucos*	R
☐	Musk Duck *Biziura lobata*	R
☐	Pacific Black Duck *Anas superciliosa*	
☐	Spotless Crake *Zapornia tabuensis*	R
☐	Tasmanian Native-hen *Tribonyx mortierii*	E
☐	White-faced Heron *Egretta novaehollandiae*	
☐	White-necked Heron *Ardea pacifica*	R

Woodland edge and pasture

☐	Black Currawong *Strepera fuliginosa*	E
☐	Clinking Currawong *Strepera versicolor*	
☐	Dusky Woodswallow *Artamus cyanopterus*	
☐	Forest Raven *Corvus tasmanicus*	
☐	Grey Butcherbird *Cracticus torquatus*	

☐	Tasmanian Australian Magpie *Gymnorhina tibicen*	
Eucalypt forest and woodland		
☐	Common Starling *Sturnus vulgaris*	I
☐	Eurasian Blackbird *Turdus merula*	I
☐	European Goldfinch *Carduelis carduelis*	I
☐	European Greenfinch *Chloris chloris*	I
☐	House Sparrow *Passer domesticus*	I
☐	Laughing Kookaburra *Dacelo novaeguineae*	I
Open pasture and grassland		
☐	Eurasian Skylark *Alauda arvensis*	I
☐	Indian Peafowl *Pavo cristatus*	I
Pigeons and doves		
☐	Rock Dove *Columba livia*	I
☐	Spotted Turtle-dove *Spilopelia chinensis*	I
Mammals		
Dasyuridae		
☐	Dusky Antechinus *Antechinus swainsonii*	R
☐	Eastern Quoll (fawn) *Dasyurus viverrinus*	
☐	Eastern Quoll (black) *Dasyurus viverrinus*	
☐	Spotted-tailed Quoll *Dasyurus maculatus*	
☐	Tasmanian Devil *Sarcophilus harrisii*	E
☐	White-footed Dunnart *Sminthopsis leucopus*	R
Macropodidae		
☐	Red-necked Wallaby *Notamacropus rufogriseus*	
☐	Tasmanian Pademelon *Thylogale billardierii*	E
Muridae		
☐	Long-tailed Mouse *Pseudomys higginsi*	E R
☐	Swamp Rat *Rattus lutreolus*	R
Ornithorhynchidae		
☐	Platypus *Ornithorhynchus anatinus*	
Peramelidae		
☐	Eastern Barred Bandicoot *Perameles gunnii*	R
Phalangeridae		
☐	Tasmanian Brushtail Possum *Trichosurus vulpecula*	
Potoroidae		
☐	Tasmanian Bettong *Bettongia gaimardi*	E H
Pseudocheiridae		
☐	Common Ringtail Possum *Pseudocheirus peregrinus*	H
Tachyglossidae		
☐	Short-beaked Echidna *Tachyglossus aculeatus*	
Vespertilionidae		
☐	Southern Forest Bat *Vespadelus regulus*	R
Vombatidae		
☐	Bare-nosed Wombat *Vombatus ursinus*	
Bovidae		
☐	Goat *Capra hircus*	I
Cervidae		
☐	Fallow Deer *Dama dama*	I
Felidae		
☐	Cat *Felis catus*	I
Leporidae		
☐	Brown Hare *Lepus capensis*	I
☐	Rabbit *Oryctolagus cuniculus*	I
Muridae		
☐	Black Rat *Rattus rattus*	I
☐	House Mouse *Mus musculus*	I
Petauridae		
☐	Krefft's Glider (Sugar Glider) *Petaurus notatus*	I
Reptiles		
Elapidae		
☐	Lowland Copperhead *Austrelaps superbus*	R
☐	Tiger Snake *Notechis scutatus*	R

☐	White-lipped Snake *Drysdalia coronoides*	
Scincidae		
☐	Agile Cool-skink *Carinascincus pretiosus*	E
☐	Alpine Cool-skink *Carinascincus greeni*	E
☐	Glossy Grass Skink *Pseudemoia rawlinsoni*	R
☐	Metallic Cool-skink *Carinascincus metallicus*	E
☐	Ocellated Skink *Carinascincus ocellatus*	E
☐	Southern Grass Skink *Pseudemoia entrecasteauxii*	
☐	Tasmanian She-oak Skink *Cyclodomorphus casuarinae*	E R
☐	Tussock Skink *Pseudemoia pagenstecheri*	R
☐	White's Skink *Liopholis whitii*	R
Farm sightings (William)		
☐	Blotched Blue-tongue Lizard *Tiliqua nigrolutea*	Farm (William)
☐	Mountain Dragon *Rankinia diemensis*	Farm (William)
Frogs		
Limnodynastidae		
☐	Pobblebonk Frog *Limnodynastes dumerilii*	H
☐	Spotted Marsh Frog *Limnodynastes tasmaniensis*	
Myobatrachidae		
☐	Common Eastern Froglet *Crinia signifera*	
☐	Southern Toadlet *Pseudophryne semimarmorata*	R
☐	Tasmanian Froglet *Crinia tasmaniensis*	E
Pelodryadidae		
☐	Ewing's Tree Frog *Litoria ewingii*	

Source: Atlas of Living Australia (ALA) occurrence records within 20 km of the farm, accessed 22 Oct 2026. Blotched blue-tongue lizard and mountain dragon: farm sightings (William). Please don't feed the wildlife.