



Blackburn Creeklands Spring Bird Survey, 24th October 2015

Time: From 7.45 – 9.30 am

Groups: 2 groups led by Pat Bingham and Ian Moodie

Area covered: Blacks Walk including hill, Pakenham Street to Furness St Bridge (both sides creek).

Weather: sunny, no wind, still cool.

	Species (common name)	H= heard only S= sighted	Number
1	Pacific Black duck	S	Lots
2	Noisy Miner	S, nesting, feeding young	Lots
3	Rainbow Lorikeet	S, 2 nests	Lots
4	Galah	S	4
5	Little Raven	S, 1 nest	Lots
6	Welcome Swallow	S	3
7	Tawny Frogmouth	S, 3 nests	3 + 2 young
8	Magpie	S, nest + young begging	Lots
9	Grey Butcherbird	S on nest with 2 young	5
10	Red Wattlebird	S	Lots
11	Chestnut Teal	S	3 adults, 1 + 2 tiny young, 2 with 2 older young
12	Mudlark	S + nest	5 (3 male, 2 female)
13	Indian Mynah [I]	S	Lots
14	Spotted Dove [I]	S + possible nest	Lots
15	Black-faced Cuckoo Shrike	S	1
16	Eastern Rosella	S	Lots
17	Spotted Pardalote	S + 1 nesting hole	Lots
18	Blackbird [I]	S	3
19	Pied Currawong	S, + 1 on nest	Lots
20	Brown Thornbill	S	Lots
21	Kookaburra	S, 1 nest hollow, parent feeding	2
22	Musk Lorikeet	S –flying overhead	Lots
23	Crested Pigeon	S	3
24	White-faced Heron	S –flying overhead	1
25	Long-billed Corella	S	1

[I] = Introduced species.

Lots=5 or more.

Also a beehive and a Striped Marsh Frog.