

B beautiful birds are all around us!

The Philippines is gifted with more than 600 bird species living in diverse habitats. Hornbills, doves and malkohas can be found in the forests; wild ducks, egrets and herons in the marshlands; warblers and munias in the grasslands. Migratory season brings in waders and shorebirds to the coastal areas. Even urban landscapes are home to bulbuls, colasisis, starlings, fantails and fly-eaters.

All you need is to know what's out there to see. Learning to birdwatch is like getting a lifetime ticket to the theater of nature.

Come and join our guided trips! Contact us through our website: www.birdwatch.ph.

*We're wild about birds
- are you?*



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Reasons To Go Birdwatching



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10 Reasons to go out Birdwatching:



1 It won't cost you much

All you need for this hobby is a notebook, a pencil, a field guide, a hat and a pair of binoculars. And maybe insect repellent.

2 Exercise

Birding gets you vertical. It gets you outside and walking.

3 Companionship

A birder need never be lonely. You'll never know who you might meet or run into. The joy of seeing a bird is best when shared.

4 Solitude

There's a special pleasure in going out alone to bird. Your head clears, your senses open up and nature becomes your friend.



5 The great outdoors

Being outside under the sun is always a breath of fresh air. Experiencing the outdoors gives you a role in keeping the environment in good shape.

6 Travel

Whether it's your own backyard or jungle wilds, your search for birds will bring you places.

7 Discovery

There's always something new to be learned whether it's about birds, nature, your companions or yourself.

8 The birds!

You'll be amazed at the variety of songs, shapes, sizes, colors and charms of our feathered friends.

9 Fun & Adventure

BIG fun. Something deep seems to get fulfilled. There's an adrenalin rush you get whenever you go out birding.

10 Happiness

Birding is a quest. You set out to see the birds - but the prize you come back with can only be described as happiness.

