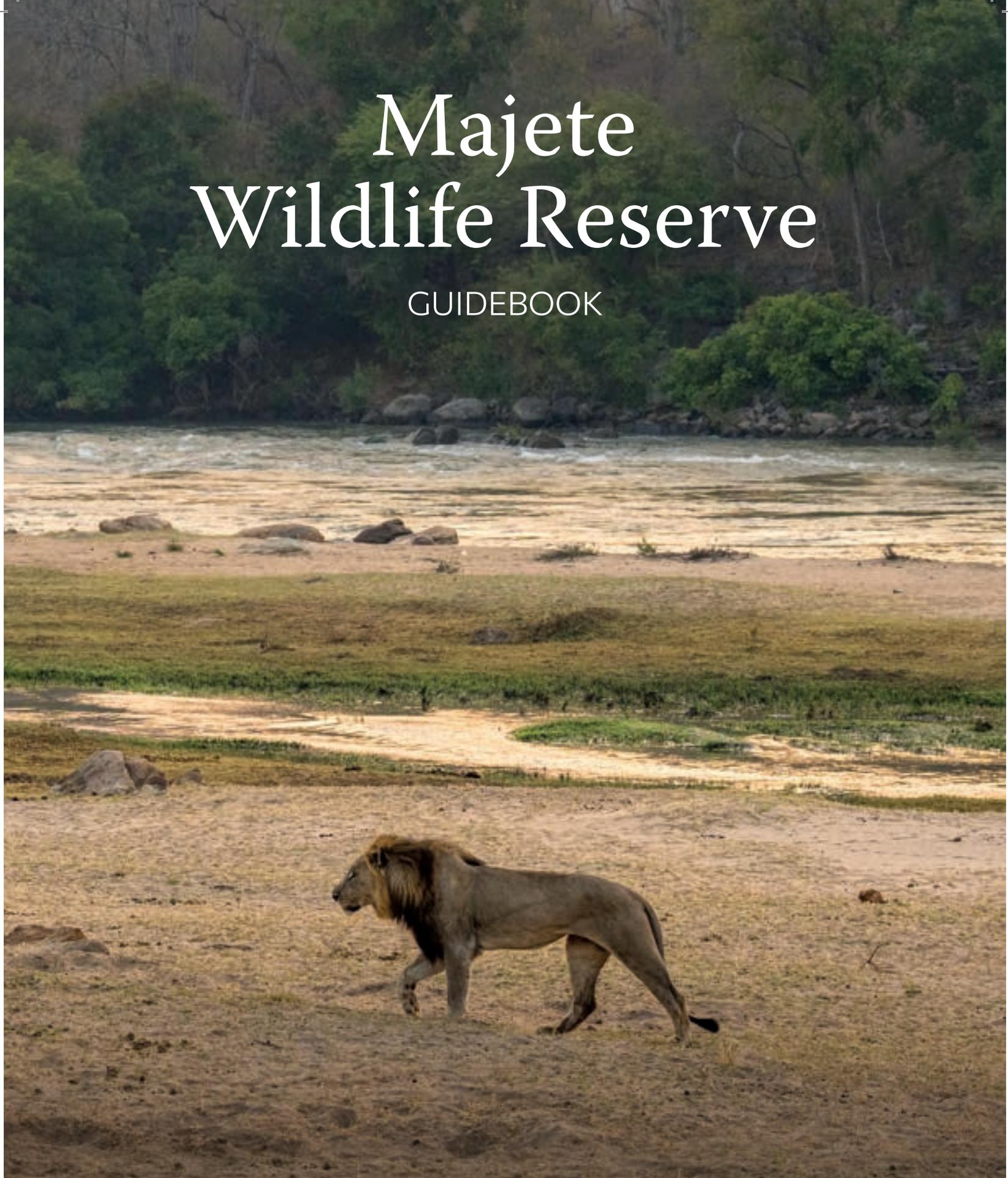


Majete Wildlife Reserve

GUIDEBOOK



Bird Checklist

More than 390 bird species have been identified in Majete, but the actual number of species in the Reserve is likely to be much higher. Here are just a few. Tick them off as you identify them. If you spot some that are not on this list, record them in the notes section at the back.



Böhm's Bee-eater



Dark Capped Bulbul



African Golden Oriole

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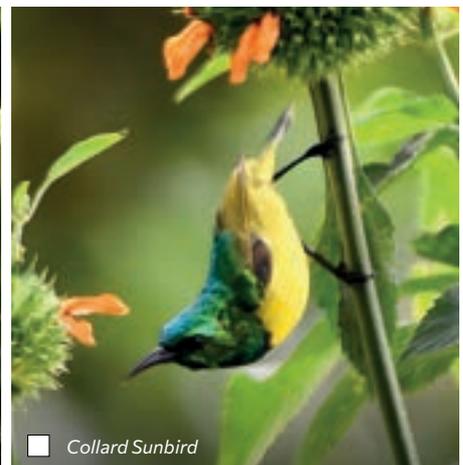
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Racquet-tailed Roller

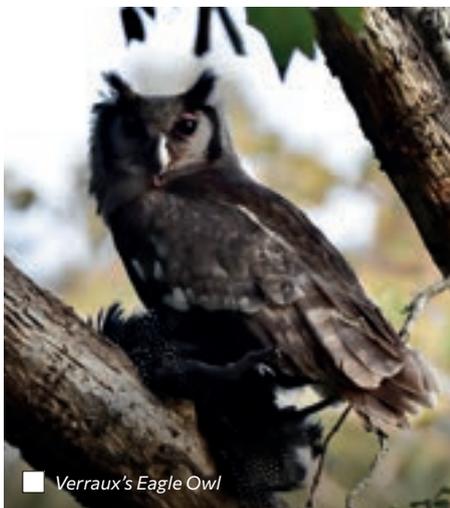


Striped Kingfisher



Collard Sunbird

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Verreaux's Eagle Owl



Collared Palm Thrush



Palmnut Vulture

Sightings Checklist

Tick the box when you see and identify each animal

LARGE MAMMALS

- African Bush Elephant
- Black Rhinoceros
- African Buffalo
- Hippopotamus
- Common Zebra
- Giraffe

PRIMATES

- Blue Monkey
- Vervet
- Yellow Baboon
- Greater Galago
- Southern Galago

CARNIVORES

- Lion
- Leopard
- Serval
- Wild Cat
- Caracal
- Spotted Hyaena
- Wild Dog
- Side-striped Jackal

SMALL CARNIVORES

- Honey Badger
- African Clawless Otter
- Spotted-necked Otter
- African Civet
- Blotched Genet
- Marsh Mongoose
- Bushy-tailed Mongoose
- Dwarf Mongoose
- Egyptian Mongoose
- Slender Mongoose
- Meller's Mongoose
- Banded Mongoose

ANTELOPE

- Common Eland
- Greater Kudu
- Bushbuck
- Bush Duiker
- Sharpe's Grysbok
- Southern Reedbuck
- Waterbuck
- Klipspringer

- Impala
- Lichtenstein's Hartebeest
- Suni
- Sable Antelope

OTHERS

- Bushpig
- Warthog
- Southern Tree Hyrax
- Bush Hyrax
- Savanna Hare
- African Crested Porcupine
- Mutable Sun Squirrel
- Striped Bush Squirrel
- Aardvark
- Temminck's Pangolin
- Crocodile
- Tortoise
- Terrapin
- Puff Adder
- Black Mamba
- Python

DID YOU SEE ANYTHING ELSE?

If you identify a species that is not listed in our checklist, please include it below and let us know. You could possibly be helping us identify a species we did not know was present, and therefore you will be helping with conservation and research at Majete Wildlife Reserve.

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