







PANTANAL TRIP REPORT July 18 – 27, 2022 By Dan Berard





Photos: Hyacinth Macaw, Red-legged Seriema, Spectacled Owl, Band-tailed Manakin, Jaguar



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TRIP HIGHLIGHTS & FAVORITES:

- JAGUARS! JAGUARS! JAGUARS!
- Hospitality, drinks and food, company, The Guides!!
- Seeing Eduardo get excited for the Yellow-faced Parrot
- Tapirs!
- Bare-faced Curassow
- Guira Cuckoo
- Band-tailed Nighthawks following the boats
- Scissor-tailed Nightjar
- Horned Sungem
- Swallow-tailed Hummingbird
- Sungrebe & Sunbittern
- Maguari Stork
- Pale-bellied Tyrant-Manakin
- Subtropical Doradito
- Crested Black-Tyrant
- Curl-crested Jay
- Scarlet-headed Blackbird
- Sayaca Tanager
- Crab-eating Fox
- Giant Otter

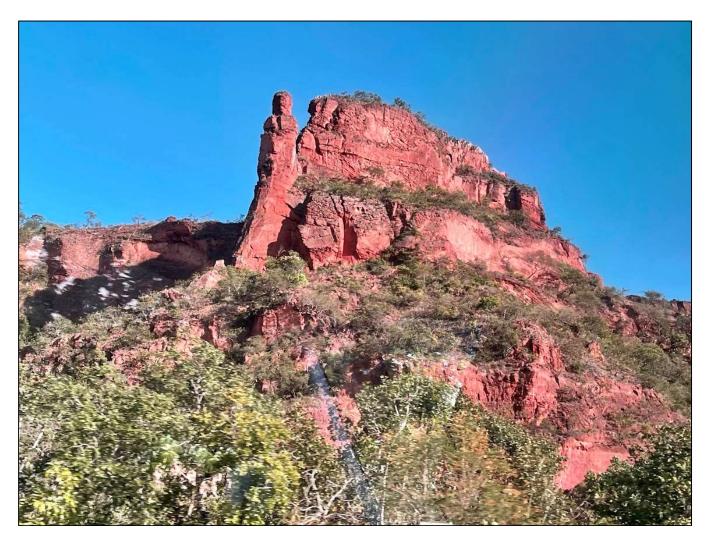
- Jabiru!!
- Zigzag Heron
- Whistling Heron & Capped Heron
- Green Ibis
- King Vulture
- Long-winged harrier
- Spectacled Owl
- Black-banded Owl
- American Pygmy-Kingfisher
- Lettered Aracari
- Toco Toucan
- Red-legged Seriema
- Aplomado Falcon
- Hyacinth Macaw
- Peach-fronted Parrot
- Collared Crescentchest
- Great Rufous Woodcreeper
- Red-billed Scythebill
- Sharp-tailed Streamcreeper
- Chotoy Spinetail
- Helmeted Manakin
- Blue Finch



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Arrival - Jul 18

Our flights arrived at different times throughout the day, when most of our group was in Brazil, we packed into our Birding and Party Bus (complete with disco lights), settled in, and enjoyed a few hours ride through amazing scenery with our eyes glued to the windows. Getting our first views of Chopi Blackbirds, a quick view of a White-tailed Hawk and other glimpses of excitement to come!



Our van arrived at our first pousada (or inn) of the trip, in Chapada dos Guimarães, and the welcoming committee of Chopi Blackbirds, Rufous Horneros, Purplish Jays, Rustymargined Flycatchers greeted us at reception, and the Ruddy Doves, Saffron Finches and Thrush-like Wrens waited for us by the feeders in the back, as well as an out of place Blue Ground Dove!! That evening, we were treated to our first absolutely stunning sunset and owls of the trip, a pair of Tropical Screech-Owls, one of which our local guide Eduardo expertly spotted, allowing fairly extended views. While viewing the owl, the rest of our group arrived. Now whole, we enjoyed our first evening together, eager for our adventure!

Jul 19 Chapada dos Guimarães Grounds

Our first morning began with a blast! The local species like Rufous Hornero, Narrowbilled Woodcreeper, Chalk-browed Mockingbird, Sayaca Tanager all wowed as they visited the feeders and environs, while Saffron-billed Sparrow and Great Antshrike hopped around in the thicket behind the feeders. We had some of our first toucans this morning with Toco Toucan stopping in to watch, while Thrush-like Wrens, Boat-billed Flycatchers serenaded us.

After breakfast, we explored more of the grounds, venturing up into the cattle fields, to-

wards the observation tower on the hill and through some new habitats. We were quickly greeted by a Golden-crowned Warbler, of the 'white-bellied 'subspecies. This widespread species has several subspecies, with the white-bellied often treated separately. We heard our first Flavescent Warbler's rocking song for the first time, saw our first **Southern Antpipit**, as we reached the summit and greeted by a pair of Planalto Tyrannulets, and a nearby group of Whitewedged Piculets.



Atop the tower, we were rewarded with an absolutely

breathtaking vista of the national park and beyond. Not to be outdone, Chestnut-eared Aracaris, Lettered Aracaris, Channel-billed Toucans, Lineated Woodpecker provided eye level views, and a flock consisting of 'every Sayaca Tanager in Mato Grasso 'with some Gray-headed Tanagers as well.



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After lunch, we relaxed on the grounds, watched a **White Woodpecker** on a Papaya (Carica papaya), viewed menus, and put in our orders for dinner and then back out to explore the pousada grounds! We started down the dirt entry road, carefully walking around Tapir tracks and stopping to scope Black-throated Saltators.

The trail led to a small pond where we found Least Grebe, a Ferruginous Pygmy-Owl being mobbed by Rufous Horneros and a Variable Oriole. The low canopy also provided excellent views of Burnishedbuff Tanager, Silver-beaked Tanager, and a Saffron-billed Sparrow low, in the open.

We were also treated to a gorgeous Sister Butterfly (Adelpha sp) landing on our



scopes. On the walk back for lunch, we saw Black-fronted Nunbird as well as a flock of a dozen Guira Cuckoos!



After lunch, we birded a nearby road that Eduardo had staked out. It was very productive with excellent views of Amazon Motmot, Pale-crested Woodpecker, and extended scope views of **Band-tailed Manakin**. The road was also lined with diverse vegetation extended scope views of **Band-tailed Manakin**. The road was also lined with diverse vegetation that would make a houseplant enthusiast's day - Monstera, Philodendron, Syngonium, Anthurium, and large Calathea.

Another stunning sunset, delicious meal, caipirinhas and good company was a fitting end to a perfect first full day!

Jul 20 - Agua Fria Rd - Caixa D'Agua (Rodriguez Gilberto), forest patch, and GeoDesic Viewpoint

Before breakfast, we birded the grounds and the feeders catching up with Yellowchevroned Parakeets, Pale-breasted Thrush, and Ruddy Ground-Dove. After breakfast, we ventured to the chapada ecoregion. It was immediately apparent by the sand and lush vegetation that we were certainly in a new habitat!

Immediately out of the van, it sounded like a different world. White-rumped Tanagers sounded the alarm, Chapada Flycatchers called from tops of shrubs, and **Curl-crested Jay**s soared overhead, stopping atop a shrub now and again. Curl evident in every view! When we began our trek down the road, we saw our first Yellow-headed Caracara of the trip, an immature bird that was harassed by Curl-crested Jays with each pass.



Being not only a new habitat for the trip, the chapada is a unique habitat in general. Because of this, many birds can be found only here. As we explored this road further, we continued to add specialties like White-eared Puffbird, Rusty-backed Antwren, Suiriri Flycatcher, and Plain-crested Elaenia. At a section of road, where the vegetation began to differ slightly, Eduardo thought it might be a good place to try for Collared Crescentchest, it didn't take long for one to pop up and began singing. This handsome creature prefers to stay hidden, and so time, effort and luck are often required to see one. We had all three, as we enjoyed stunning views of it sing and even able to see it in the scope!

We continued further into the Chapada, alternating between walking and riding in the van, often keeping an eye on flowering trees like the stunning yellow flowers of the Ipe (Handroanthus sp). We also were rewarded with stunning views of **Coal-crested Finch**, another specialty of the ecoregion, and not at all an easy bird to find!



We all know no birding trip is complete without a vehicle issue, so we thought we'd get it out of the way at the beginning of the trip. With our van 'parked 'on the side of the road, we took some shelter in the shade of a nearby small building, and continued to scan the flowers.

Our perseverance paid off and diligent scanning picked up White-vented Violetear, Blue-tufted Starthroat, as well as two of our targets for the area, Swallow-tailed Hummingbird and **Horned Sungem**. The Horned Sungem lived up to its name, while putting on a stunning, point-blank showing, it seemed to cheer us on while the vehicle was sorted out.

Eventually, our group became the highlight of the area and several locals stopped by to assist and share some words of encouragement. After a few attempts to free the



van, we were invited to a nearby home, where we were greeted with immense hospitality, cold coke, fresh coffee and 'statue 'Seriemas that joined us as we waited. We were treated to a tour of the farm, where pineapples, dragon fruit, passionfruit were grown as well as a fruit new to us all we were able to try - inga, or known in English as Ice-creambean. We also picked up our only Rufous-collared Sparrows of the trip and saw yard Seriemas walk into a kitchen, good thing to have on our kitchen list!

After the tour of the farm, a new van came to pick us up and brought us to a nearby restaurant where we enjoyed lunch and ice cream while we awaited the return of our van.

Once reunited with our original van, we went to some secret areas Eduardo has that can be productive. The first, an unassuming road was active but we felt efforts would be better suited nearby. Just as we were getting in the van, a Crested Black Tyrant put a delay on that. We enjoyed scope views of this species, which would be a write in for our list at the end of the day.

The next secret spot was by the geodesic center of South America. This breathtaking overlook had some excellent species like **Blue Finch**, Cliff Flycatcher, and Red-crested Finch. A flock of hundreds of White-collared Swifts circled in the distance, as we overlooked the Pantanal.

Since it was becoming dark as we approached the lodge, we decided to make a stop for a Scissor-tailed Nightjar that frequents the area, and stop we did, in the middle of the road as the nightjar sat in the road and flew up into view. We pulled over and were treated to excellent views of it flying as well as perched through the scope. A fantastic end to the day!!





Jul 21 - Chapada dos Guimarães Grounds, waterfall trail; Pousada Pouso Alegre

This would be our last morning in Chapada dos Guimarães National Park before driving south for a few hours to the Pantanal. We made good use of our last morning here as we soaked in the sunrise and watched a Crab-eating Fox patrol the pousada grounds.



We explored another trail on site, one that goes by a seasonal waterfall, creating a much different, more lush habitat than the trail we had previously explored. Being the dry season, we sat where the waterfall would normally be rushing and watched Swallow Tanagers in the canopy and a Flavescent Warbler hopped around on the ground, sang, and made some quick fly through appearances.

A portion of trail by running water looked like a good place to set up shop for a bit, and we had great views of Helmeted Manakin, and an unexpected **Sharp-tailed Streamcreeper!** This little species has a very disjunct range, where it is uncommon and can be difficult to detect, let alone finding one out of normal-range!

After lunch, we packed into the van and began a several hour trip to our first Pantanal pousada, working our way to the Transpantaneira, the road in and out of the Pantanal.

This dirt road was lined with countless birds and caimans! Our eyes glued out the window as we saw Maguari Storks, Jabiru, Rufescent Tiger-Heron, Cocoi Heron, Barefaced Ibis, Plumbeous Ibis and Buff-necked Ibis with some familiar faces like Wood Stork, Roseate Spoonbill, Great Egret, and Snowy Egret. Roadside Hawk, Savanna Hawk and Snail Kite perched atop snags and wires that were not already occupied by a Ringed Kingfisher.



When we arrived at Pousada Pouso Alegre, we found a Scaled Dove that would be rooming nearby and **Bare-faced Curassow** inspecting the grounds.

Once settled, we made a short ride down the entry road to a location known as the 'Tapir Waiting Spot'. No waiting for us, Eduardo spotted a Tapir in the vegetation immediately upon arrival! The Tapir stuck around for a bit but we were distracted by an Undulated Tinamou walking in the open. The Tapir is certainly worthy of naming this spot, however, we also found Great Black Hawk, Golden-green Woodpecker, Cream-colored Woodpecker, a calling Red-billed Scythebill, Pale-legged Hornero, and Rufous Cacholote.

Jul 22 - Pousada Pouso Alegre and Pousada Rio Claro

The stunning sunrises continued in the Pantanal proper, but the dawn chorus was very different with Plumbeous Ibis, Buff-necked Ibis both adding their piping calls with the occasional wing sonation from the Chestnut-bellied Guans.

A small group of horses joined us this morning as we birded the grounds, picking up Chaco Chachalaca roosting in a tree, and catching up with stunning views of **Red-billed Scythebill**, Greater Thornbird, and a huge mixed flock of Grayish Baywings and Shiny Cowbirds flew around the field.



This pousada had a bird feeder viewing area, we were eager to grab a seat and get some close views of some species we'd seen that morning and maybe some new ones. The feeders were very popular with the flock of Shiny Cowbirds and Grayish Baywings as well as Picazuro Pigeons, Buff-throated Saltator, Chestnut-eared Aracari, Chaco Chachalaca, Yellow-billed Cardinal, Great Kiskadee, Giant Cowbird, and a Gray-cowled Wood-Rail that walked by, just to see what was going on.

We then explored the marsh trail and board walk, which was immensely productive with **flyover Hyacinth Macaws**, Monk Parakeets, Peach-fronted Parakeets, perched Lesser Yellow-headed Vulture, Greater Ani, White-tailed Goldenthroat, and the stunning Scarlet-headed Blackbirds, as well as female Unicolored Blackbirds, which are not unicolored.



Our next destination is further south on the Transpantaneira, Pousada Rio Claro, where we would be exploring the Rio Claro by boat! En route, we stopped to view a Tapir roadside!

Some light exploring of the Pousada Rio Claro grounds before boarding the boat turned up White-rumped Monjita, Cattle Tyrant, and Rufous Hornero.

We split the group into two boats and set off on the Rio Claro, immediately adding new species and getter better views of some. Wasn't long before we stopped for a perched Yellow-collared Macaw, White-throated (formerly Blue-throated) Piping-Guan, Striated

Heron, and Black-collared Hawk. A flyover Crane Hawk was also a nice surprise as well as a female Black Howler with a baby.



Our boats stayed close together, allowing to follow and call out species, and they allowed us access to some narrow areas and close views. We spotted what looked like a

heron rookery, and our skilled drivers turned us around and navigated us to a cove where we were surrounded by Boatbilled Herons and Blackcrowned Night-Herons.

With sunset soon upon us, Band-tailed Nighthawks began to appear, seemingly following our boats at times and diving over matts of vegetation. Fisheating bats including Black Mastiff joined the nighthawks and the river became alive with arial predators!



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Jul 23 - Pousada Rio Claro Forest Trail, Secret Potoo Spot, Pantanal Mato Grasso + Pixiam

This morning we had some time to bird the grounds before we traveled further south. The fields surrounding the pousada held a different diversity of species, Picazuro Pigeons, Southern Lapwings and Chestnut-bellied Guans wandered in between horses. A Great Rufous Woodcreeper 'meow'ed and gave its location away, eventually following us as we birded the entry road, even perching on a post.

Also, in the business of following us down the road, was a pair of **Campo Flickers**, perching directly overhead, calling and putting on quite a show! A pair of showy Chotoy Spinetails allowed for scope views, while they tried to hide but were betrayed by their yellow throat and long tail.



After birding roadside, we took our adventure to a forested trail on the grounds. The trail winded by the Rio Claro, offering chances of new species in a different habitat. An American Pygmy-Kingfisher hidden in the shade over the river was an excellent find! We had our first encounter with 'a tree that keeps on giving' that played host to a diverse feeding flock including Rufous-browed Peppershrike, Plain Tyrannulet. A second tree that keeps on giving was nearby, as were the peppershrike and tyrannulet with a motley crew including - Fork-tailed Woodnymph, Barred Antshrike, Large-billed Antwren, Rusty-backed Antwren, White-lored Spinetail, Southern Beardless Tyrannulet,



Stripe-necked today-Tyrant, and Yellow-olive Flycatcher. At the end of the trail, we had more looks at Palelegged Hornero, as well as Buffbreasted Wren and Rusty-fronted Tody-Tyrant. An Undulated Tinamou crossing our path on the way out offered a nice view.

En route to our next pousada, we pulled over to see a **Jabiru on nest**, **shading two chicks from the sun**!! We also stopped for our first Marsh Deer of the trip. We settled in at our next pousada and got ready to bird the Pixiam River by boat.

The Pixiam awarded us with some of our first views of Capybaras, White-winged Swallows and stunning looks at Gray-cowled Wood-Rail, Wattled Jacana, Green Kingfisher, Amazon Kingfisher, and Neotropic Cormorant. We of course stopped several times for **Black-collared Hawk**s, a fish-eating hawk.



Our persistence in scanning and listening for Sungrebe paid off, we had absolutely stunning views of two close, with other distant individuals. "Wait, which Sungrebe are you on?" Is not a sentence you expect to hear.

As the sun began to set, we pulled our boats into a quiet cove and were joined by a Giant Otter! Heading back to the dock, we learned that Snail Kites will roost several to a tree, saw more Band-tailed Nighthawks and one



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and one Nacunda Nighthawk that made a quick pass by both boats. Not wanting to call it quits yet, we tried a few spots for Zigzag Heron, and while sitting quietly waiting, a Zigzag Heron called a distance away, and the chase was on! After some time, we were able to locate and get views of the Zigzag Heron perched!

Pulling back to the dock, we were surrounded by fish eating bats like Black Mastiff, and spent time watching them, Band-tailed Nighthawks feed over the Pixiam River.

Jul 24 - Pantanal Mato Grosso to Porto Jofre

We started the morning birding the grounds of the pousada, focusing on an area utilized as a runway, and a nearby trail. We added colorful local species like Orange-backed Troupial to our list, and found some uncommon species like Greenbacked Becard and Palebellied Tyrant-Manakin both giving amazing views!

A good portion of the day was spent traveling with pull over birding to our next destination, Porto Jofre the furthest point south on the Transpantaneira.

The day was very productive with Brazilian Teal, Whiteheaded Marsh-Tyrant, Blackand-white Water-Tyrant, Black-capped Donacobius, and Black-necked Stilt (this population is known as White-backed Stilt and some consider a separate species).



At one bridge, we spent a fair amount of time, rewarded with Gray-breasted Crake and Subtropical Doradito! A Long-winged Harrier flying by was not only a new one for the list, but a rarity for the area!!

Stopping to scan a pool, we noted a Nacunda Nighthawk roosting on the ground, then another, another... two more... a group of four over here... With the sun beginning to

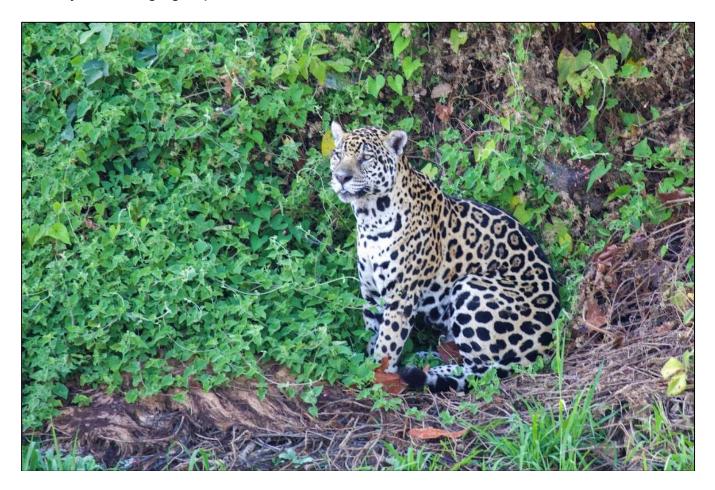
set, the Nacunda Nighthawks began to put up into the air, going the Large-billed Terns also circling overhead. The sky soon becoming peppered with nighthawks.

Pulling in to Porto Jofre, we had a quick debate if the Jabiru standing there was real or a statue, when it began to move the debate ended. Not believing that a Jabiru is just walking around, we were soon distracted by the Hyacinth Macaws that were on the ground just outside our rooms! The macaws roosted outside our rooms all night, often calling reminding us they're there. Quite a unique sound to fall asleep to.

Jul 25 - Porto Joffre - Cuiaba River (first Jaguar), to Black Channel (2 Cubs), river known as "three brothers"

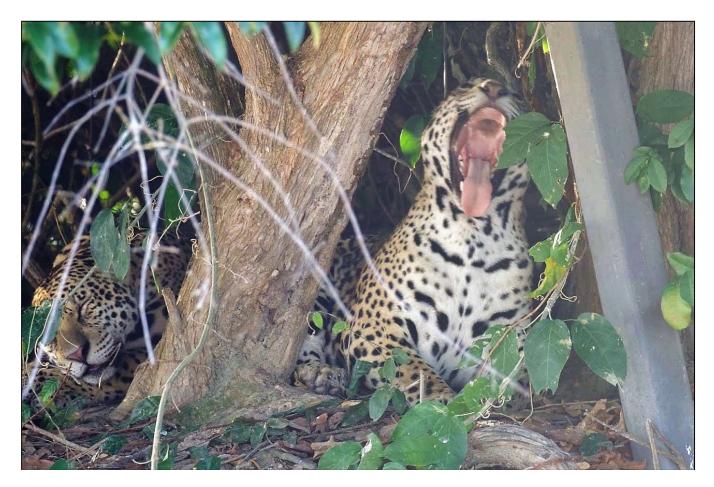
Today began early because today was the day we look for Jaguars! We donned our life jackets and boarded the boat in the dark, at a rare time when it's chilly. The adrenaline was enough to keep us warm.

It didn't take long for us to come across our first Jaguar! Just as the sun was still warming the land, we watched as a Jaguar yawned, cleaned itself, and began its day. An absolutely life changing experience!



We left the adult Jaguar and boats also viewing it to search for others. A report of two cubs nearby was a good bet. They were easily found by the other boats viewing them. Amid "oohs" "aah" and camera shutters we befriended a boat next to us, and shared our photos of the Jaguars.

The cubs seemed quite happy to watch us watch them, occasionally yawning stretching, with one taking a nap. As a reminder that we were also looking for birds, a Black Skimmer skimmed past and a flock of Pied Lapwings stood on a sandy spit of land.



After some time, we ventured to another section of the Three Brothers River, where we found our own Jaguar! Time melted away as we quietly watched this Jaguar walk along the river, move through vegetation, and swim in search of prey. Just the sounds of the

river, and the Jaguar moving through the reeds.

Eventually, our private visit with the Jaguar was over, and we moved on as other boats arrived. Aside from the Jaguars, we had stunning views of Southern Screamer, Rufescent Tiger-Heron, and Capped Heron.



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Southern Screamer, Rufescent Tiger-Heron, and Capped Heron.

A **Neotropic Cormorant** fighting with an armored catfish made for a harrowing watch, but the cormorant proved successful!



Just as we were pulling in to the dock for the morning, a group of Giant Otter on the



river bank made use turn the boat around. These huge otters were like seals as the group watched us watch them.

After lunch and downtime, we boarded the boat to look for more Jaguars and excitement! Before doing so, a Large Elaenia was a new one for our list!

After boarding, we joined others in watching a Jaguar, our fifth of the day!! The Jaguar sauntered into the forest, as satisfied with our views, we

moved on to bird the narrow channels branching off the river.

We had close approaches of Savanna Hawk, Roadside Hawk, Black-collared Hawk, Yellow-rumped Cacique, Black-capped Donacobius, Pale-legged Hornero, Orangebacked Troupial and we finally caught with a Lesser Kiskadee. The biggest surprise of the afternoon was a Spectacled Owl that flew in right over us, perched in the open for an extended period of time, leaving us speechless!

At dinner, we celebrated the day with caipirinhas and were joined for some of the evening by a very friendly Neotropical Otter that calls the pousada home. Thanks to some help, the otter remained outside the dining area.

Jul 26 - Porto Joffre - Pantanal Highway - Piuval

This morning's sunrise was enjoyed while scanning a marshy field that was covered with birds and mammals. Buff-necked Ibis, Green Ibis, Bare-faced Ibis, White-faced Whistling-Ducks, Black-bellied Whistling-Ducks, Muscovy, Jabiru, Crested Caracara, and up-close Pantanal Snipe. Our Neotropical Otter friend stopped by again for a visit, as did the Hyacinth Macaws. The hospitality here is excellent, as we checked out, the Jabiru was still at the main office, for photo ops and perhaps if we have any questions?

With a few hours' drive ahead of us, we were making our way back north stopping to stay overnight at a pousada we had passed on our way south. Along the way we made some stops to getter photos or better views and added Tawny-bellied Seedeater to our list as well as more views of Rusty-collared Seedeater and Subtropical Doradito. We also had better looks at **Whistling Heron**.



Just before arriving at Pousada Piuval, we pulled over for a Sunbittern on the side of the road. While checking in, the grounds really give the feel of a savannah! In the dis Cattle Tyrants perched atop of course) and on a nearby table a Red-legged Seriema gave a size comparison to a water bottle.

After checking in, we drove the dirt road around the grounds where we added Common

Tapeti to our list, the local species of cottontail. We stopped at a bridge where a Green Ibis stood guard, Rufous Cacholote sang from the reeds, and herons and storks flew back to roost for the night. As the herons were returning, Band-tailed Nighthawks and Nacunda Nighthawks began taking to the sky, making for a dizzying mix of birds and dragonflies when looking through binoculars.

Getting back in to the van, Eduardo noted recent Jaguar tracks. This was certainly exciting! We got out at our next stop to try for nocturnal birds and waved to a van of nature



nerds who drove past. Hearing boops of the Band-tailed Nighthawks but nothing else, we got into the van and tried further down the road. This spot was immediately productive as we had crippling views of **Black-banded Owl** right overhead.

That night at dinner, we spoke to the occupants in the other van, who had turned to not disturb us at the owl, and saw a Jaguar! Likely the one who's prints we had just seen. Great experience to share with others!!

Jul 27 - Piuval - Cuiabá - Jardim de Amazonia

This morning we birded the grounds of the pousada, which offered new species like Bat Falcon, but also specialties to the area like White-fronted Woodpecker. The highlight of the morning was possibly a Yellow-faced Parrot, a species possibly in decline that Eduardo had noted has been more difficult to find. Funny enough, this is not where you'd expect to find one so it added to the excitement!

While viewing the parrot, a Pantaneiro came by on his horse to round up the horses in a nearby field. A fantastic sight to see the horses running, dust lit in the morning sun.

Being our last morning before the Jardim Amazonia extension, we said our goodbyes and enjoyed the last views of rhea, Jabiru, Burrowing Owls, and Seriema before parting ways and moving our adventure to Jardim.



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	BIRD SPECIES	SCIENTIFIC NAME	NOTES
1.	Greater Rhea	Rhea americana	
2.	Little Tinamou	Crypturellus soui	Heard Only
3.	Undulated Tinamou	Crypturellus undulatus	
4.	Small-billed Tinamou	Crypturellus parvirostris	Heard Only
5.	Tataupa Tinamou	Crypturellus tataupa	Heard Only
6.	Southern Screamer	Chauna torquata	
7.	White-faced Whistling-Duck	Dendrocygna viduata	
8.	Black-bellied Whistling-Duck autumnalis	Dendrocygna autumnalis autumnalis	
9.	Muscovy Duck	Cairina moschata	
10.	Brazilian Teal	Amazonetta brasiliensis	
11.	Chaco Chachalaca	Ortalis canicollis	
12.	Chestnut-bellied Guan	Penelope ochrogaster	
13.	White-throated Piping-Guan	Pipile grayi	Formerly subspecies of Blue-throated Piping- Guan
14.	Bare-faced Curassow/Bare-faced	Crax fasciolata fasciolata/grayi	
15.	Least Grebe	Tachybaptus dominicus	
16.	Rock Pigeon/Feral Pigeon	Columba livia Feral Pigeon	
17.	Pale-vented Pigeon	Patagioenas cayennensis	
18.	Scaled Pigeon	Patagioenas speciosa	
19.	Picazuro Pigeon	Patagioenas picazuro	
20.	Ruddy Ground Dove	Columbina talpacoti	
21.	Scaled Dove	Columbina squammata	
22.	Picui Ground Dove	Columbina picui	
23.	Blue Ground Dove	Claravis pretiosa	
24.	Long-tailed Ground Dove	Uropelia campestris	
25.	White-tipped Dove brasiliensis	Leptotila verreauxi [brasiliensis Group]	
26.	Guira Cuckoo	Guira guira	
27.	Greater Ani	Crotophaga major	
28.	Smooth-billed Ani	Crotophaga ani	
29.	Striped Cuckoo	Tapera naevia	Heard Only
30.	Pheasant Cuckoo	Dromococcyx phasianellus	
31.	Squirrel Cuckoo	Amazonian Piaya cayana [cayana Group]	

32.	Nacunda Nighthawk	Chordeiles nacunda	
33.	Band-tailed Nighthawk	Nyctiprogne leucopyga	
34.	Common Pauraque	Nyctidromus albicollis	
35.	Scissor-tailed Nightjar	Hydropsalis torquata	
36.	White-collared Swift	Streptoprocne zonaris	
37.	White-vented Violetear	Colibri serrirostris	
38.	Horned Sungem	Heliactin bilophus	
39.	White-tailed Goldenthroat	Polytmus guainumbi	
40.	Black-throated Mango	Anthracothorax nigricollis	
41.	Blue-tufted Starthroat	Heliomaster furcifer	
42.	Amethyst Woodstar	Calliphlox amethystina	
43.	Fork-tailed Woodnymph	Thalurania furcata	
44.	Swallow-tailed Hummingbird	Eupetomena macroura	
45.	Glittering-throated Emerald	Chionomesa fimbriata	
46.	Rufous-throated Sapphire	Hylocharis sapphirina	
47.	Gilded Hummingbird	Hylocharis chrysura	
48.	Gray-cowled Wood-Rail/ Gray- cowled	Aramides cajaneus cajaneus	
49.	Gray-breasted Crake	Laterallus exilis	
50.	Sungrebe	Heliornis fulica	
51.	Limpkin Brown-backed	Aramus guarauna guarauna	
52.	Black-necked Stilt/White-backed	Himantopus mexicanus melanurus	
53.	Pied Lapwing	Vanellus cayanus	
54.	Southern Lapwing lampronotus	Vanellus chilensis lampronotus	
55.	Wattled Jacana/Chestnut-backed	Jacana jacana [jacana Group]	
56.	Pantanal Snipe	Gallinago paraguaiae	Formerly South American Snipe
57.	Yellow-billed Tern	Sternula superciliaris	
58.	Large-billed Tern	Phaetusa simplex	
59.	Black Skimmer	Rynchops niger	
60.	Sunbittern	Eurypyga helias	
61.	Maguari Stork	Ciconia maguari	
62.	Jabiru	Jabiru mycteria	
63.	Wood Stork	Mycteria americana	
64.	Anhinga	Anhinga anhinga	
65.	Neotropic Cormorant	Nannopterum brasilianum	
66.	Zigzag Heron	Zebrilus undulatus	
67.	Least Bittern	Ixobrychus exilis	
68.	Rufescent Tiger-Heron	Tigrisoma lineatum	

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69.	Cocoi Heron	Ardea cocoi	
70.	Great Egret/American	Ardea alba egretta	
71.	Snowy Egret	Egretta thula	
72.	Little Blue Heron	Egretta caerulea	
73.	Cattle Egret/Western	Bubulcus ibis ibis	
74.	Striated Heron/South American	Butorides striata striata	
75.	Whistling Heron	Syrigma sibilatrix	
76.	Capped Heron	Pilherodius pileatus	
77.	Black-crowned Night-Heron/ American	Nycticorax nycticorax hoactli	
78.	Boat-billed Heron/Southern	Cochlearius cochlearius cochlearius	
79.	Green Ibis	Mesembrinibis cayennensis	
80.	Bare-faced Ibis	Phimosus infuscatus	
81.	Plumbeous Ibis	Theristicus caerulescens	
82.	Buff-necked Ibis	Theristicus caudatus	
83.	Roseate Spoonbill	Platalea ajaja	
84.	King Vulture	Sarcoramphus papa	
85.	Black Vulture	Coragyps atratus	
86.	Turkey Vulture/Tropical	Cathartes aura ruficollis	
87.	Lesser Yellow-headed Vulture	Cathartes burrovianus	
88.	Ornate Hawk-Eagle	Spizaetus ornatus	Heard Only
89.	Black-collared Hawk	Busarellus nigricollis	
90.	Snail Kite	Rostrhamus sociabilis	
91.	Long-winged Harrier	Circus buffoni	
92.	Crane Hawk/Banded	Geranospiza caerulescens gracilis/flexipes	
93.	Savanna Hawk	Buteogallus meridionalis	
94.	Great Black Hawk/Southern	Buteogallus urubitinga urubitinga	
95.	Roadside Hawk	Rupornis magnirostris	
96.	White-tailed Hawk	Geranoaetus albicaudatus	
97.	Zone-tailed Hawk	Buteo albonotatus	
98.	Tropical Screech-Owl	Megascops choliba	
99.	Spectacled Owl	Pulsatrix perspicillata	
100.	Great Horned Owl	Bubo virginianus	
101.	Ferruginous Pygmy-Owl/ Ferruginous	Glaucidium brasilianum [brasilianum Group]	
102.	Burrowing Owl	Athene cunicularia	
103.	Black-banded Owl	Strix huhula	
104.	Blue-crowned Trogon	Trogon curucui	

105.	Amazonian Motmot	Momotus momota	
106.	Ringed Kingfisher/Northern	Megaceryle torquata torquata/stictipennis	
107.	Amazon Kingfisher	Chloroceryle amazona	
108.	American Pygmy Kingfisher	Chloroceryle aenea	
109.	Green Kingfisher	Chloroceryle americana	
110.	Green-and-rufous Kingfisher	Chloroceryle inda	
111.	White-eared Puffbird	Nystalus chacuru	
112.	Black-fronted Nunbird	Monasa nigrifrons	
113.	Brown Jacamar	Brachygalba lugubris	
114.	Rufous-tailed Jacamar/Spot-tailed	Galbula ruficauda rufoviridis/heterogyna	
115.	Lettered Aracari	Pteroglossus inscriptus	
116.	Chestnut-eared Aracari	Pteroglossus castanotis	
117.	Toco Toucan	Ramphastos toco	
118.	Channel-billed Toucan	Ramphastos vitellinus	
119.	White-wedged Piculet	Picumnus albosquamatus	
120.	White Woodpecker	Melanerpes candidus	
121.	White-fronted Woodpecker	Melanerpes cactorum	
122.	Little Woodpecker	Dryobates passerinus	
123.	Crimson-crested Woodpecker	Campephilus melanoleucos	
124.	Lineated Woodpecker/Lineated	Dryocopus lineatus [lineatus Group]	
125.	Cream-colored Woodpecker	Celeus flavus	
126.	Pale-crested Woodpecker	Celeus lugubris	
127.	Golden-green Woodpecker/ Spot-throated	Piculus chrysochloros laemostictus	
128.	Green-barred Woodpecker/ Green-barred	Colaptes melanochloros melanochloros/nattereri	
129.	Campo Flicker Campo	Colaptes campestris campestris	
130.	Red-legged Seriema	Cariama cristata	
131.	Laughing Falcon	Herpetotheres cachinnans	
132.	Collared Forest-Falcon	Micrastur semitorquatus	Heard Only
133.	Barred Forest-Falcon	Micrastur ruficollis	Heard Only
134.	Crested Caracara/Southern	Caracara plancus plancus	
135.	Yellow-headed Caracara	Daptrius chimachima	
136.	American Kestrel/South American	Falco sparverius [cinnamominus Group]	
137.	Aplomado Falcon	Falco femoralis	
138.	Monk Parakeet/Monk	Myiopsitta monachus [monachus Group]	
139.	Yellow-chevroned Parakeet	Brotogeris chiriri	
140.	Scaly-headed Parrot	Pionus maximiliani	
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141.	Blue-headed Parrot/Blue-headed	Pionus menstruus menstruus/rubrigularis	
142.	Yellow-faced Parrot	Alipiopsitta xanthops	
143.	Turquoise-fronted Parrot	Amazona aestiva	
144.	Orange-winged Parrot	Amazona amazonica	
145.	Hyacinth Macaw	Anodorhynchus hyacinthinus	
146.	Peach-fronted Parakeet	Eupsittula aurea	
147.	Nanday Parakeet	Aratinga nenday	
148.	Blue-winged Macaw	Primolius maracana	
149.	Yellow-collared Macaw	Primolius auricollis	
150.	Red-and-green Macaw	Ara chloropterus	
151.	Blue-crowned Parakeet/ Blue-headed	Thectocercus acuticaudatus acuticaudatus	
152.	Red-shouldered Macaw/Southern	Diopsittaca nobilis	
		cumanensis/longipennis	
153.	White-eyed Parakeet	Psittacara leucophthalmus	
154.	Great Antshrike	Taraba major	
155.	Barred Antshrike/Barred	Thamnophilus doliatus [doliatus Group]	
156.	Planalto Slaty-Antshrike	Thamnophilus pelzelni	
157.	Large-billed Antwren	Herpsilochmus longirostris	
158.	Black-bellied Antwren	Formicivora melanogaster	
159.	Rusty-backed Antwren	Formicivora rufa	
160.	Mato Grosso Antbird	Cercomacra melanaria	
161.	Western Fire-eye	Pyriglena maura	
162.	Collared Crescentchest	Melanopareia torquata	
163.	Planalto Woodcreeper	Dendrocolaptes platyrostris	
164.	Great Rufous Woodcreeper	Xiphocolaptes major	
165.	Buff-throated Woodcreeper/ Lafresnaye's	Xiphorhynchus guttatus guttatoides/dorbignyanus	
166.	Straight-billed Woodcreeper	Dendroplex picus	
167.	Red-billed Scythebill	Campylorhamphus trochilirostris	
168.	Narrow-billed Woodcreeper	Lepidocolaptes angustirostris	
169.	Pale-legged Hornero/Pale-legged	Furnarius leucopus [leucopus Group]	
170.	Rufous Hornero	Furnarius rufus	
171.	Sharp-tailed Streamcreeper	Lochmias nematura	
172.	Rufous-fronted Thornbird/ Rufous-fronted	Phacellodomus rufifrons [rufifrons Group]	
173.	Greater Thornbird	Phacellodomus ruber	
174.	Rusty-backed Spinetail	Cranioleuca vulpina	-
175.	Rufous Cacholote	Pseudoseisura unirufa	
176.	Yellow-chinned Spinetail	Certhiaxis cinnamomeus	
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177.	Chotoy Spinetail	Schoeniophylax phryganophilus	
178.	White-lored Spinetail/White-lored	Synallaxis albilora albilora	
179.	Cinereous-breasted Spinetail	Synallaxis hypospodia	
180.	Pale-bellied Tyrant-Manakin	Neopelma pallescens	
181.	Helmeted Manakin	Antilophia galeata	
182.	Band-tailed Manakin	Pipra fasciicauda	
183.	Masked Tityra	Tityra semifasciata	
184.	Green-backed Becard/ Green-backed	Pachyramphus viridis viridis	
185.	Southern Antpipit	Corythopis delalandi	
186.	Stripe-necked Tody-Tyrant	Hemitriccus striaticollis	
187.	Rusty-fronted Tody-Flycatcher	Poecilotriccus latirostris	
188.	Yellow-olive Flycatcher/ Mato Grosso	Tolmomyias sulphurescens pallescens	
189.	Cliff Flycatcher Swallow	Hirundinea ferruginea	
190.	Southern Beardless-Tyrannulet	bellicosa/pallidior Camptostoma obsoletum	
191.	Suiriri Flycatcher	Suiriri suiriri	
192.	Subtropical Doradito	Pseudocolopteryx acutipennis	Transpantanal individuals maybe unique?
193.	Forest Elaenia	Myiopagis gaimardii	
194.	Plain-crested Elaenia	Elaenia cristata	
195.	Yellow-bellied Elaenia	Elaenia flavogaster	
196.	Large Elaenia	Elaenia spectabilis	
197.	Lesser Elaenia	Elaenia chiriquensis	
198.	Planalto Tyrannulet	Phyllomyias fasciatus	
199.	Fulvous-crowned Scrub-Tyrant	Euscarthmus meloryphus	
200.	Plain Tyrannulet	Inezia inornata	
201.	Chapada Flycatcher	Guyramemua affine	
202.	Vermilion Flycatcher/Austral	Pyrocephalus rubinus rubinus	
203.	Crested Black-Tyrant	Knipolegus lophotes	
204.	White-rumped Monjita	Xolmis velatus	
205.	White-headed Marsh Tyrant	Arundinicola leucocephala	
206.	Black-backed Water-Tyrant	Fluvicola albiventer	
207.	Dull-capped Attila	Attila bolivianus	
208.	Rufous Casiornis	Casiornis rufus	
209.	Short-crested Flycatcher	Myiarchus ferox	
210.	Brown-crested Flycatcher/ South American	Myiarchus tyrannulus tyrannulus/bahiae	
211.	Cattle Tyrant	Machetornis rixosa	

212.	Lesser Kiskadee	Philohydor lictor	
213.	Great Kiskadee	Pitangus sulphuratus	-
214.	Boat-billed Flycatcher/ South American	Megarynchus pitangua pitangua	
215.	Rusty-margined Flycatcher	Myiozetetes cayanensis	-
216.	Tropical Kingbird	Tyrannus melancholicus	
217.	Rufous-browed Peppershrike	Cyclarhis gujanensis	-
218.	Ashy-headed Greenlet	Hylophilus pectoralis	
219.	Purplish Jay	Cyanocorax cyanomelas	
220.	Curl-crested Jay	Cyanocorax cristatellus	
221.	Black-capped Donacobius	Donacobius atricapilla	
222.	Southern Rough-winged Swallow	Stelgidopteryx ruficollis	
223.	Gray-breasted Martin	Progne chalybea	
224.	White-winged Swallow	Tachycineta albiventer	
225.	Masked Gnatcatcher	Polioptila dumicola	
226.	House Wren/Southern	Troglodytes aedon [musculus Group]	
227.	Thrush-like Wren	Campylorhynchus turdinus	
228.	Moustached Wren	Pheugopedius genibarbis	
229.	Buff-breasted Wren	Cantorchilus leucotis	
230.	Fawn-breasted Wren	Cantorchilus guarayanus	
231.	Chalk-browed Mockingbird	Mimus saturninus	
232.	Pale-breasted Thrush	Turdus leucomelas	
233.	Rufous-bellied Thrush	Turdus rufiventris	
234.	Creamy-bellied Thrush	Turdus amaurochalinus	
235.	House Sparrow	Passer domesticus	
236.	Purple-throated Euphonia	Euphonia chlorotica	
237.	Thick-billed Euphonia	Euphonia Ianiirostris	
238.	Saffron-billed Sparrow/ Gray-backed	Arremon flavirostris polionotus	
239.	Rufous-collared Sparrow/ Rufous-collared	Zonotrichia capensis [capensis Group]	
240.	Crested Oropendola	Psarocolius decumanus	-
241.	Solitary Black Cacique	Cacicus solitarius	
242.	Yellow-rumped Cacique/ Amazonian	Cacicus cela cela	
243.	Variable Oriole/ Chestnut-shouldered	Icterus pyrrhopterus [pyrrhopterus Group]	
244.	Orange-backed Troupial	Icterus croconotus	
245.	Shiny Cowbird	Molothrus bonariensis	
246.	Giant Cowbird	Molothrus oryzivorus	
247.	Scarlet-headed Blackbird	Amblyramphus holosericeus	

248.	Chopi Blackbird	Gnorimopsar chopi	
249.	Grayish Baywing	Agelaioides badius	
250.	Unicolored Blackbird/ Yellow-breasted	Agelasticus cyanopus cyanopus	
251.	Southern Yellowthroat	Geothlypis velata	
252.	Tropical Parula	Setophaga pitiayumi	
253.	Golden-crowned Warbler/ White-bellied	Basileuterus culicivorus hypoleucus	
254.	Flavescent Warbler	Myiothlypis flaveola	
255.	Red-crested Cardinal	Paroaria coronata	
256.	Yellow-billed Cardinal	Paroaria capitata	
257.	White-banded Tanager	Neothraupis fasciata	
258.	Gray-headed Tanager/ Gray-headed	Eucometis penicillata [penicillata Group]	
259.	White-lined Tanager	Tachyphonus rufus	
260.	Silver-beaked Tanager	Ramphocelus carbo	
261.	Sayaca Tanager	Thraupis sayaca	
262.	Palm Tanager	Thraupis palmarum	
263.	Burnished-buff Tanager/ Stripe-bellied	Stilpnia cayana [flava Group]	
264.	Swallow Tanager	Tersina viridis	
265.	Blue Dacnis	Dacnis cayana	
266.	Chestnut-vented Conebill	Conirostrum speciosum	
267.	Blue Finch	Rhopospina caerulescens	
268.	White-rumped Tanager	Cypsnagra hirundinacea	
269.	Saffron Finch/Pelzeln's	Sicalis flaveola pelzelni	
270.	Blue-black Grassquit	Volatinia jacarina	
271.	Tawny-bellied Seedeater	Sporophila hypoxantha	
272.	Rusty-collared Seedeater	Sporophila collaris	
273.	Coal-crested Finch	Charitospiza eucosma	
274.	Red-crested Finch	Coryphospingus cucullatus	
275.	Bananaquit/Continental	Coereba flaveola [luteola Group]	
276.	Black-throated Saltator	Saltatricula atricollis	
277.	Buff-throated Saltator	Saltator maximus	
278.	Bluish-gray Saltator	Saltator coerulescens	Recently split from Greyish Saltator
279.	Green-winged Saltator	Saltator similis	

OTHER SPECIES	Scientific Name
Black Mastiff Bat	Molossus rufus
Lesser Bulldog Bat	Noctilio albiventris
Black-tailed Marmoset	Mico melanurus
Azara's Capuchin	Sapajus cay
Black-and-gold Howler Monkey	Alouatta caraya
Crab-eating Fox	Cerdocyon thous
Neotropical River Otter	Lontra longicaudis
Giant Otter	Pteronura brasiliensis
Jaguar	Panthera onca
South American Tapir	Tapirus terrestris
Common Brown Brocket	Mazama gouazoubira
Marsh Deer	Blastocerus dichotomus
Capybara	Hydrochoerus hydrochaeris
Azara's Agouti	Dasyprocta azarae
Tapeti	Sylvilagus brasiliensis
Yacare Caiman	Caiman yacare
Whiptails and Tegus	Teiidae
Asian House Gecko	Hemidactylus frenatus
Atta Leaf-cutter Ants	Atta
Julia Heliconian	Dryas iulia
Red Postman	Heliconius erato
Red Cracker	Hamadryas amphinome
Numberwings	Callicore
Sisters	Adelpha
	Zaretis
White Peacock	Anartia jatrophae
Owl-Butterflies	Caligo
Morphos	Morpho