

Report from the Bird Observers Outing on 17th April 2016 to
187 Lower Landershute Road, PALMWOODS



Laughing Kookaburra.



Silvereye and Red-browed Finch.

Sunday on a lovely Autumn morning we gathered at Lower Landershute Road Palmwoods for a pleasant walk on private property. Extensive revegetation has been done over the past ten to fifteen years on several of the small properties in this area. Because of this the birdlife has been increasing much to the joy of the property owners. On this morning the birds chose to abscond themselves from around the house so those who did not walk saw fewer than the rest of us. We thank Trish and Richard and Gissella for sharing their special place with us. We observed additional species this time. My specials for the day were the female Rose Robin and the Silvereys.



Fan-tailed Cuckoo



White-throated Treecreeper

BIRDS: Pacific Black Duck, Australian Brushturkey, Australian Pelican, Little Pied Cormorant, Wedge-tailed Eagle, Buff-banded Rail, Dusky Moorhen, Masked Lapwing, Crested Pigeon, Peaceful Dove, [H], Bar-shouldered Dove, Pheasant Coucal, Little Bronze Cuckoo, [H], Fan-tailed Cuckoo, Laughing Kookaburra, Forest Kingfisher, Rainbow Bee-eater, Sulphur-crested Cockatoo, Rainbow Lorikeet, Australian King Parrot, White-throated Treecreeper, Variegated Fairywren, Dusky Myzomela, [honeyeater], Scarlet Myzomela, [H. honeyeater], Brown Honeyeater, White-throated Honeyeater, Little Wattlebird, Lewin's Honeyeater, Striated Pardalote, White-browed Scrubwren, Brown Thornbill, Eastern Whipbird, [H], Grey Butcherbird, Australian Magpie, Pied Currawong, Black-faced Cuckooshrike, Australian Golden Whistler, Little Shrikethrush, Olive-backed Oriole, [H], Willie Wagtail, Grey Fantail, Magpie-lark, Torresian Crow, Eastern Yellow Robin, Rose Robin, Welcome Swallow, Silvereys, nominate race lateralis, Mistletoebird, Red-browed Finch.

BUTTERFLIES: Wanderer, Large Grass-yellow, Orchard Swallowtail.

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