

Species in York recording area since 1966

Mute Swan **B**  
Bewick's Swan **W**  
Whooper Swan **W**  
**Bean Goose** \*  
Pink-footed Goose **P**  
**White-fronted Goose**  
(**Lesser White-fronted Goose**) **R**  
Greylag Goose **B**  
(**Snow Goose**)  
Canada Goose **B**  
Barnacle Goose  
**Brent Goose**  
(**Egyptian Goose**) \*  
(**Ruddy Shelduck**) \*  
Shelduck **B**  
(**Wood Duck**)  
(**Mandarin Duck**) \*  
Wigeon (**B**)?  
**American Wigeon** **R**  
Gadwall **B**  
Common Teal **B**  
**Green-winged Teal** \*  
Mallard **B**  
Pintail (**B**)?  
Garganey **B**  
**Blue-winged Teal** **R**  
Shoveler **B**  
**Red-crested Pochard** \*  
Pochard (**B**)  
**Ring-necked Duck** \*  
**Ferruginous Duck** **R**  
Tufted Duck **B**  
**Scaup**  
**Eider**  
**Long-tailed Duck** \*  
**Common Scoter**  
**Velvet Scoter** \*  
(**Barrow's Goldeneye**) **R**  
Goldeneye **W**  
**Smew**  
**Red-breasted Merganser**  
Goosander (**B**)?  
Ruddy Duck **B**  
Red-legged Partridge **B**  
Grey Partridge **B**  
**Quail (B)**  
Pheasant **B**  
(**Golden Pheasant**) \*  
**Red-throated Diver** \*  
**Black-throated Diver** \*  
**Great Northern Diver** \*  
Little Grebe **B**  
Great Crested Grebe **B**  
**Red-necked Grebe** \*  
**Slavonian Grebe** \*  
Black-necked Grebe (**B**)  
**Fulmar**  
**Manx Shearwater**  
**European Storm-petrel** \*  
**Leach's Storm-petrel** \*  
**Gannet**  
Cormorant **B**  
**Shag**  
**Bittern (B)?** \*  
**Night Heron** **R**  
**Cattle Egret** **R**  
**Little Egret** \*  
**Great White Egret** **R**  
Grey Heron **B**  
**Purple Heron** \*  
**White Stork** \*  
**Spoonbill** \*  
**Honey Buzzard** \*  
**Black Kite** **R**  
**Red Kite**  
**Marsh Harrier**  
**Hen Harrier**  
**Montagu's Harrier** \*  
**Goshawk** **B**  
Sparrowhawk **B**  
Common Buzzard **B**  
**Rough-legged Buzzard** \*  
**Osprey** \*  
Kestrel **B**  
**Red-footed Falcon** **R**  
Merlin  
**Hobby (B)?**  
**Peregrine**  
Water Rail **B**  
**Spotted Crake (B)** \*  
**Corncrake (B)** \*  
Moorhen **B**  
Coot **B**  
**Common Crane** \*  
Oystercatcher **B**  
**Black-winged Stilt** **R**  
Avocet  
**Stone Curlew** \*  
Little Ringed Plover **B**  
**Ringed Plover**  
**Kentish Plover** \*  
**Dotterel** \*  
**American Golden Plover** **R**  
Golden Plover **W**  
**Grey Plover**  
Lapwing **B**  
**Knot**  
**Sanderling**  
Little Stint **P**  
**Temminck's Stint** \*

**White-rumped Sandpiper** R  
**Baird's Sandpiper?** R  
**Pectoral Sandpiper** \*  
**Curlew Sandpiper**  
Dunlin **W & P**  
**Buff-breasted Sandpiper** \*  
Ruff (**B**)  
Jack Snipe **W**  
Snipe **B**  
Woodcock **B**  
**Black-tailed Godwit** (**B**)  
**Bar-tailed Godwit**  
Whimbrel **P**  
Curlew **B**  
Spotted Redshank **P**  
Redshank **B**  
Greenshank **P**  
Green Sandpiper **P & W**  
Wood Sandpiper **P**  
Common Sandpiper **B?**  
**Turnstone**  
**Red-necked Phalarope** \*  
**Grey Phalarope** \*  
**Pomarine Skua** \*  
**Arctic Skua**  
**Great Skua**  
**Mediterranean Gull**  
**Little Gull**  
**Sabine's Gull** \*  
Black-headed Gull **B**  
**Ring-billed Gull?** \*  
Common Gull **W & P**  
Lesser Black-backed Gull **S & P**  
Herring Gull **W & P**  
**Yellow-legged Gull** \*  
**Iceland Gull** \*  
(**Kumlien's Gull?**) R  
**Glaucous Gull** \*  
Great Black-backed Gull **W**  
**Kittiwake**  
**Caspian Tern** R  
**Sandwich Tern**  
**Roseate Tern** \*  
Common Tern (**B**)?  
**Arctic Tern**  
**Little Tern**  
**Whiskered Tern** R  
**Black Tern**  
**Guillemot**  
**Little Auk** \*  
**Puffin**  
'Feral Pigeon' **B**  
Stock Dove **B**  
Wood Pigeon **B**  
Collared Dove **B**  
Turtle Dove **B**  
(**Ring-necked Parakeet**) \*  
Cuckoo **B**  
Barn Owl **B**

Little Owl **B**  
Tawny Owl **B**  
Long-eared Owl **B**  
**Short-eared Owl**  
**Nightjar** **B**  
Swift **B**  
**Alpine Swift** R  
Kingfisher **B**  
**Bee-eater** \*  
**Hoopoe** \*  
**Wryneck** \*  
Green Woodpecker **B**  
Great Spotted Woodpecker **B**  
Lesser Spotted Woodpecker **B**  
**Wood Lark** **B?**  
Sky Lark **B**  
Sand Martin **B**  
Swallow **B**  
**Red-rumped Swallow** R  
House Martin **B**  
**Richard's Pipit** \*  
Tree Pipit **B**  
Meadow Pipit **B**  
**Rock Pipit**  
**Water Pipit**  
Yellow Wagtail **B**  
(**Blue-headed Wagtail**)  
Grey Wagtail **B**  
Pied Wagtail **B**  
(**White Wagtail**)  
**Waxwing**  
**Dipper** **B?**  
Wren **B**  
Dunnock **B**  
Robin **B**  
**Nightingale** \*  
**Black Redstart** (**B**)?  
**Redstart** (**B**)?  
**Whinchat** (**B**)?  
**Stonechat**  
**Wheatear**  
Ring Ouzel  
Blackbird **B**  
Fieldfare **W**  
Song Thrush **B**  
Redwing **W**  
Mistle Thrush **B**  
**Cetti's Warbler** \*  
Grasshopper Warbler **B?**  
Sedge Warbler **B**  
**Marsh Warbler** \*  
Reed Warbler **B**  
**Barred Warbler** \*  
Lesser Whitethroat **B**  
Whitethroat **B**  
Garden Warbler **B**  
Blackcap **B**  
**Wood Warbler** (**B**)?  
Chiffchaff **B**

(Siberian Chiffchaff)  
 Willow Warbler **B**  
 Goldcrest **B**  
**Firecrest** \*  
 Spotted Flycatcher **B**  
**Red-breasted Flycatcher** \*  
**Pied Flycatcher (B)?**  
**Bearded Tit**  
 Long-tailed Tit **B**  
 Marsh Tit **B**  
 Willow Tit **B**  
 Coal Tit **B**  
 Blue Tit **B**  
 Great Tit **B**  
**Nuthatch B**  
 Treecreeper **B**  
**Golden Oriole** \*  
**Red-backed Shrike** \*  
**Great Grey Shrike** \*  
 Jay **B**  
 Magpie **B**  
 Jackdaw **B**  
 Rook **B**  
 Carrion Crow **B**  
**Hooded Crow** \*?  
**Raven**  
 Starling **B**  
**Rose-coloured Starling** \*  
 House Sparrow **B**  
 Tree Sparrow **B**  
 Chaffinch **B**

Brambling **W**  
 Greenfinch **B**  
 Goldfinch **B**  
 Siskin **B?**  
 Linnet **B**  
**Twite**  
 Lesser Redpoll **B**  
**Mealy Redpoll**  
 Crossbill **B?**  
 Bullfinch **B**  
**Hawfinch (B)?**  
**Lapland Bunting**  
**Snow Bunting**  
 Yellowhammer **B**  
**Cirl Bunting** \*  
 Reed Bunting **B**  
 Corn Bunting **B**

This is a list of species recorded in the YOC area since 1966. Uncommon birds are marked **in bold**. Species included in the YNU Rare and Scarce Birds Report are marked \* with those requiring descriptions underlined. Species considered by BBRC are marked **R** and **all** require descriptions. Regular breeding birds are marked **B** and occasional breeders (**B**). Regular winter visitors are marked **W** and regular passage migrants **P** while regular non-breeding summer visitors are marked **S**. Brackets indicate species of dubious origin or subspecies.

If anyone can think of any species which should have been included in this list then please contact the YOC Recorder.