

# WINGS

## Birding Tours Worldwide

### China: Snow Leopards in Qinghai with Lhasa extension

#### 2021 Route - Prospective List

Column A: Number of regular Qinghai & Tibet tours (out of 6) that we've noted that species

Column B: Likelihood of finding this species on the main tour

Column C: Likelihood of finding this species on the optional extension

1 = 70-90% chance; 2 = 30-70% chance; 3 = 10-30% chance

Globally threatened species as defined by BirdLife International (2004) Threatened birds of the world 2004 CD-Rom are identified as follows:  
 EN = Endangered; VU = Vulnerable; NT = Near-threatened (Endem.) = Chinese Endemic (Endem. Br.) = Chinese Endemic Breeder

<u>A</u>		<u>B</u>	<u>C</u>	
5	Chinese Grouse NT	2		<i>Tetrastes sewerzowi</i>
4	Verreaux's Monal-Partridge	2		<i>Tetraophasis obscurus</i>
	Szechenyi's Monal-Partridge	2		<i>Tetraophasis szechenyii</i>
4	Tibetan Snowcock	2	2	<i>Tetraogallus tibetanus</i>
4	Przevalski's Partridge	2		<i>Alectoris magna</i>
1	Daurian Partridge	2		<i>Perdix dauurica</i>
6	Tibetan Partridge	1	1	<i>Perdix hodgsoniae</i>
	White Eared Pheasant	2		<i>Crossoptilon crossoptilon</i>
6	Tibetan Eared Pheasant NT		1	<i>Crossoptilon harmani</i>
4	Blue Eared Pheasant	2		<i>Crossoptilon auritum</i>
6	Common Pheasant	1		<i>Phasianus colchicus strauschi</i>
6	Bar-headed Goose	1	2	<i>Anser indicus</i>
6	Greylag Goose	1	2	<i>Anser anser</i>
3	Whooper Swan	2		<i>Cygnus cygnus</i>
1	Common Shelduck	3		<i>Tadorna tadorna</i>
6	Ruddy Shelduck	1	1	<i>Tadorna ferruginea</i>
1	Garganey	3		<i>Spatula querquedula</i>
1	Northern Shoveler	3		<i>Spatula clypeata</i>
3	Gadwall	2		<i>Mareca strepera</i>
1	Eurasian Wigeon	2		<i>Mareca penelope</i>
2	Eastern Spot-billed Duck	3		<i>Anas zonorhyncha</i>
1	Indian or Eastern Spot-billed Duck		2	<i>Anas poecilorhynchos</i> or <i>A. zonorhyncha</i>
5	Mallard	2	2	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>
1	Northern Pintail	1		<i>Anas acuta</i>
4	Eurasian Teal	1		<i>Anas crecca</i>
6	Red-crested Pochard	1		<i>Netta rufina</i>
6	Common Pochard	2		<i>Aythya ferina</i>
3	Ferruginous Duck NT	2		<i>Aythya nyroca</i>
6	Tufted Duck	2		<i>Aythya fuligula</i>
5	Common Goldeneye	2		<i>Bucephala clangula</i>



4	Common Merganser	2	2	<i>Mergus merganser</i>
6	Common Swift	3		<i>Apus apus</i>
6	Salim Ali's Swift	2	2	<i>Apus salimalii</i>
4	Common Cuckoo	2		<i>Cuculus canorus</i>
1	Tibetan Sandgrouse	3		<i>Syrrhaptes tibetanus</i>
1	Pallas's Sandgrouse	3		<i>Syrrhaptes paradoxus</i>
6	Rock Dove	1	1	<i>Columba livia</i>
6	Hill Pigeon	1	1	<i>Columba rupestris</i>
	Snow Pigeon	2		<i>Columba leuconota</i>
6	Oriental Turtle Dove	1	1	<i>Streptopelia orientalis</i>
6	Eurasian Collared Dove	1		<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>
5	Spotted Dove	1		<i>Spilopelia chinensis</i>
4	Common Moorhen	2		<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>
6	Eurasian Coot	1	3	<i>Fulica atra</i>
	Demoiselle Crane	2	1	<i>Grus virgo</i>
6	Black-necked Crane VU	1	1	<i>Grus nigricollis</i>
1	Little Grebe	3		<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>
6	Great Crested Grebe	1	2	<i>Podiceps cristatus</i>
1	Horned Grebe	3		<i>Podiceps auritus</i>
6	Black-necked Grebe	2		<i>Podiceps nigricollis</i>
1	Ibisbill	2	2	<i>Ibidorhyncha struthersii</i>
3	Black-winged Stilt	2		<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>
1	Pied Avocet	3		<i>Recurvirostra avosetta</i>
2	Northern Lapwing	2		<i>Vanellus vanellus</i>
3	Pacific Golden Plover	2		<i>Pluvialis fulva</i>
1	Common Ringed Plover	3		<i>Charadrius hiaticula</i>
3	Little Ringed Plover	2		<i>Charadrius dubius</i>
6	Kentish Plover	1		<i>Charadrius alexandrinus</i>
6	Lesser Sand Plover	2		<i>Charadrius mongolus schaeferi</i>
3	Greater Sand Plover	3		<i>Charadrius leschenaultii</i>
2	Eurasian Curlew NT	2		<i>Numenius arquata</i>
5	Black-tailed Godwit NT	2		<i>Limosa limosa</i>
1	Ruff	3		<i>Philomachus pugnax</i>
2	Sharp-tailed Sandpiper	3		<i>Calidris acuminata</i>
5	Curlew Sandpiper	2		<i>Calidris ferruginea</i>
6	Temminck's Stint	2		<i>Calidris temminckii</i>
2	Long-toed Stint	3		<i>Calidris subminuta</i>
1	Red-necked Stint	3		<i>Calidris ruficollis</i>
2	Little Stint	3		<i>Calidris minuta</i>
1	Pin-tailed or Swinhoe's Snipe	2		<i>Gallinago stenura</i> or <i>G. megala</i>
1	Common Snipe	2		<i>Gallinago gallinago</i>
1	Terek Sandpiper	3		<i>Xenus cinereus</i>
6	Common Sandpiper	2		<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>
6	Green Sandpiper	1	2	<i>Tringa ochropus</i>



6	Common Redshank	1	2	<i>Tringa totanus</i>
6	Wood Sandpiper	2		<i>Tringa glareola</i>
3	Spotted Redshank	2		<i>Tringa erythropus</i>
6	Common Greenshank	2	2	<i>Tringa nebularia</i>
6	Brown-headed Gull	1	1	<i>Chroicocephalus brunnicephalus</i>
6	Black-headed Gull	2	2	<i>Chroicocephalus ridibundus</i>
1	Little Gull	3		<i>Hydrocoloeus minutus</i>
6	Pallas's Gull	1	1	<i>Ichthyaetus ichthyaetus</i>
2	Vega Gull	3		<i>Larus vegae</i>
1	Caspian Tern	3		<i>Hydroprogne caspia</i>
1	Little Tern	3		<i>Sternula albifrons</i>
6	Common Tern	2	1	<i>Sterna hirundo</i>
4	Whiskered Tern	2		<i>Chlidonias hybrida</i>
2	White-winged Tern	3		<i>Chlidonias leucopterus</i>
	Black Stork	2		<i>Ciconia nigra</i>
6	Great Cormorant	1	2	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>
1	Black-crowned Night Heron	2		<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>
2	Chinese Pond Heron	3		<i>Ardeola bacchus</i>
4	Eastern Cattle Egret	2	2	<i>Bubulcus coromandus</i>
6	Grey Heron	1	1	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>
2	Great Egret	2		<i>Ardea alba</i>
6	Bearded Vulture	1	2	<i>Gypaetus barbatus</i>
6	Himalayan Vulture	1	2	<i>Gyps himalayensis</i>
2	Cinereous Vulture NT	3		<i>Aegypius monachus</i>
6	Golden Eagle	2	1	<i>Aquila chrysaetos</i>
4	Eurasian Sparrowhawk	1	2	<i>Accipiter nisus</i>
3	Northern Goshawk	2		<i>Accipiter gentilis</i>
3	Accipter sp.			<i>Accipter sp.</i>
	Western Marsh Harrier	2		<i>Circus aeruginosus</i>
	Eastern Marsh Harrier	3		<i>Circus spilonotus</i>
	Hen Harrier	3		<i>Circus cyaneus</i>
6	Black Kite	2	1	<i>Milvus migrans</i>
6	Pallas's Fish Eagle VU	2		<i>Haliaeetus leucoryphus</i>
6	Upland Buzzard	1	1	<i>Buteo hemilasius</i>
6	Himalayan Buzzard	2	2	<i>Buteo burmanicus</i>
1	Eurasian Eagle-owl	2	2	<i>Bubo bubo</i>
5	Little Owl	1	2	<i>Athene noctua</i>
6	Eurasian Hoopoe	2	1	<i>Upupa epops</i>
6	Eurasian Wryneck	3		<i>Jynx torquilla</i>
1	Grey-capped Pygmy Woodpecker	3		<i>Yungipicus canicapillus</i>
6	Great Spotted Woodpecker	2		<i>Dendrocopos major beicki</i>
4	Black Woodpecker	2		<i>Dryocopus martius</i>
5	Grey-headed Woodpecker	2		<i>Picus canus</i>
5	Common Kestrel	1	1	<i>Falco tinnunculus</i>



2	Amur Falcon	3		<i>Falco amurensis</i>
5	Eurasian Hobby	3		<i>Falco subbuteo</i>
6	Saker Falcon EN	1	1	<i>Falco cherrug</i>
4	Brown Shrike	2		<i>Lanius cristatus</i>
6	Isabelline Shrike	3		<i>Lanius isabellinus saidamensis</i>
6	Grey-backed Shrike	1	1	<i>Lanius tephronotus</i>
1	Chinese Grey Shrike	2		<i>Lanius s. sphenocercus</i>
	" " "	2		<i>L. s. giganteus</i>
4	Black Drongo	3		<i>Dicrurus macrocercus</i>
6	Eurasian Jay	2		<i>Garrulus glandarius kansuensis</i>
5	Azure-winged Magpie	1		<i>Cyanopica cyanus</i>
6	Black-rumped Magpie	1	1	<i>Pica bottanensis</i>
6	Oriental Magpie	1		<i>Pica serica</i>
6	Henderson's Ground Jay	2		<i>Podoces hendersoni</i>
6	Red-billed Chough	1	1	<i>Pyrrhocorax pyrrhocorax</i>
	Alpine Chough	2		<i>Pyrrhocorax graculus</i>
3	Daurian Jackdaw	2		<i>Coloeus dauuricus</i>
3	Rook	2		<i>Corvus frugilegus</i>
4	Carrion Crow	1		<i>Corvus corone orientalis</i>
6	Large-billed Crow	1		<i>Corvus macrorhynchos</i>
6	Northern Raven	1	1	<i>Corvus corax</i>
4	Rufous-vented Tit	2		<i>Periparus rubidiventris</i>
	Coal Tit	3		<i>Periparus ater</i>
	Yellow-bellied Tit	3		<i>Pardaliparus venustulus</i>
6	Grey Crested Tit	2		<i>Lophophanes dichrous</i>
6	White-browed Tit	1	2	<i>Poecile superciliosus</i>
1	Marsh Tit	1		<i>Poecile palustris</i>
6	Willow Tit	1		<i>Poecile montanus</i>
6	Ground Tit	1	2	<i>Pseudopodoces humilis</i>
6	Japanese Tit	1	1	<i>Parus minor tibetanus</i>
3	Bearded Reedling	2		<i>Panurus biarmicus russicus</i>
6	Oriental Skylark	1	2	<i>Alauda gulgula</i>
	Eurasian Skylark	2		<i>Alauda arvensis</i>
5	Crested Lark	3		<i>Galerida cristata</i>
6	Horned Lark	1	1	<i>Eremophila alpestris</i>
6	Hume's Short-toed Lark	1	3	<i>Calandrella acutirostris</i>
1	Mongolian Short-toed Lark	2	3	<i>Calandrella dukhunensis</i>
6	Mongolian Lark	2		<i>Melanocorypha mongolica</i>
6	Tibetan Lark	1		<i>Melanocorypha maxima</i>
1	Asian Short-toed Lark	3		<i>Alaudala cheleensis</i>
2	Light-vented Bulbul	1		<i>Pycnonotus sinensis</i>
6	Pale Martin	2	2	<i>Riparia diluta</i>
6	Barn Swallow	2	1	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>
6	Eurasian Crag Martin	2	1	<i>Ptyonoprogne rupestris</i>



6	Asian House Martin	2	2	<i>Delichon dasypus cashmeriense</i>
2	Red-rumped Swallow	3		<i>Cecropis daurica</i>
1	Silver-throated Bushtit	2		<i>Aegithalos glaucogularis</i>
6	White-browed Tit-warbler	1	2	<i>Leptopoecile sophiae</i>
	Crested Tit-warbler	3		<i>Leptopoecile elegans</i>
5	Buff-barred Warbler	3		<i>Phylloscopus pulcher</i>
6	Hume's Leaf Warbler	2		<i>Phylloscopus humei</i>
3	Yellow-browed Warbler	2		<i>Phylloscopus inornatus</i>
2	Chinese Leaf Warbler	3		<i>Phylloscopus yunnanensis</i>
6	Gansu Leaf Warbler	2		<i>Phylloscopus kansuensis</i>
	Pallas's Leaf Warbler	3		<i>Phylloscopus proregulus</i>
6	Yellow-streaked Warbler	2		<i>Phylloscopus armandii</i>
6	Tickell's Leaf Warbler		2	<i>Phylloscopus affinis</i>
6	Alpine Leaf Warbler	2		<i>Phylloscopus occisinensis</i>
6	Smoky Warbler	2		<i>Phylloscopus fulgiventis weigoldi</i>
6	Greenish Warbler	2		<i>Phylloscopus trochiloides obscuratus</i>
5	Large-billed Leaf Warbler	3		<i>Phylloscopus magnirostris</i>
5	Spotted Bush Warbler	2		<i>Locustella thoracica</i>
6	Elliot's Laughingthrush	1		<i>Trochalopteron elliotii</i>
6	Brown-cheeked Laughingthrush		1	<i>Trochalopteron henrici</i>
6	Plain Laughingthrush	2		<i>Pterorhinus davidi</i>
6	Giant Babax	2		<i>Pterorhinus waddelli</i>
	Tibetan Babax	2		<i>Pterorhinus koslowi</i>
1	Lesser Whitethroat	3		<i>Sylvia curruca margelanica</i>
1	Goldcrest	2		<i>Regulus regulus</i>
6	Eurasian Wren	1	2	<i>Troglodytes troglodytes</i>
6	Chinese Nuthatch	2		<i>Sitta villosa</i>
6	Przevalski's Nuthatch	2		<i>Sitta przewalskii</i>
2	Wallcreeper	2	2	<i>Tichodroma muraria</i>
6	Eurasian Treecreeper	2		<i>Certhia familiaris bianchii</i>
	Hodgson's Treecreeper	2		<i>Certhia hodgsoni</i>
1	Crested Myna	3		<i>Acridotheres cristatellus</i>
2	White-cheeked Starling	2		<i>Spodiopsar cineraceus</i>
2	Rosy Starling	3		<i>Pastor roseus</i>
	Chinese Blackbird	2		<i>Turdus mandarinus</i>
6	Tibetan Blackbird		1	<i>Turdus maximus</i>
5	Chestnut Thrush	2		<i>Turdus rubrocanus</i>
5	Kessler's Thrush	2	2	<i>Turdus kessleri</i>
2	Chinese Thrush	3		<i>Turdus mupinensis</i>
2	Grey-streaked Flycatcher	3		<i>Muscicapa griseisticta</i>
1	Asian Brown Flycatcher	3		<i>Muscicapa dauurica</i>
4	White-bellied Redstart	3		<i>Luscinia phaenicuroides</i>
1	Chinese Rubythroat	3		<i>Calliope tschebaiewi</i>
5	Siberian Rubythroat	3		<i>Calliope calliope</i>



6	Red-flanked Bluetail	2		<i>Tarsiger cyanurus albocoeeruleus</i>
2	Slaty-backed Flycatcher	3		<i>Ficedula hodgsonii</i>
2	Taiga Flycatcher	2		<i>Ficedula albicilla</i>
3	Przevalski's Redstart	2		<i>Phoenicurus alaschanicus</i>
6	Black Redstart	2	2	<i>Phoenicurus ochruros rufiventris</i>
6	Hodgson's Redstart	2	2	<i>Phoenicurus hodgsoni</i>
6	White-throated Redstart	2	2	<i>Phoenicurus schisticeps</i>
2	Daurian Redstart	2		<i>Phoenicurus aureoreus</i>
6	Güldenstädt's Redstart	2	2	<i>Phoenicurus erythrogastrus</i>
6	Blue-fronted Redstart	1	2	<i>Phoenicurus frontalis</i>
6	Plumbeous Water Redstart	1		<i>Phoenicurus fuliginosus</i>
6	White-capped Redstart	1		<i>Phoenicurus leucocephalus</i>
3	Common Rock Thrush	3		<i>Monticola saxatilis</i>
6	Siberian Stonechat	2	2	<i>Saxicola maurus przewalskii</i>
6	Isabelline Wheatear	2		<i>Oenanthe isabellina</i>
5	Desert Wheatear	3		<i>Oenanthe deserti</i>
1	Pied Wheatear	3		<i>Oenanthe pleschanka</i>
5	White-throated Dipper	2	3	<i>Cinclus cinclus</i>
3	Russet Sparrow	2		<i>Passer cinnamomeus</i>
6	Eurasian Tree Sparrow	1	1	<i>Passer montanus</i>
6	Rock Sparrow	1		<i>Petronia petronia</i>
6	Tibetan Snowfinch	2		<i>Montifringilla henrici</i>
6	Black-winged Snowfinch	2		<i>Montifringilla adamsi</i>
6	White-rumped Snowfinch	1		<i>Onychostruthus taczanowskii</i>
5	Pere David's Snowfinch	2		<i>Pyrgilauda davidiana</i>
6	Rufous-necked Snowfinch	1		<i>Pyrgilauda ruficollis</i>
6	Blanford's Snowfinch	2	2	<i>Pyrgilauda blanfordi</i>
2	Rufous-necked or Blanford's Snowfinch			<i>Pyrgilauda ruficollis</i> or <i>P. blanfordi</i>
	Alpine Accentor	2		<i>Prunella collaris</i>
6	Robin Accentor	1		<i>Prunella rubeculoides</i>
6	Rufous-breasted Accentor	2	2	<i>Prunella strophiatea</i>
6	Brown Accentor	2	2	<i>Prunella fulvescens</i>
6	Western Yellow Wagtail	2		<i>Motacilla flava</i>
	Eastern Yellow Wagtail	3		<i>Motacilla tschutschensis</i>
2	Western or Eastern Yellow Wagtail			<i>Motacilla flava</i> or <i>M. tschutschensis</i>
6	Citrine Wagtail	2		<i>Motacilla citreola</i>
3	Grey Wagtail	1	2	<i>Motacilla cinerea</i>
6	White Wagtail	1	2	<i>Motacilla alba</i>
4	" " <i>alboides</i>	1	2	" " <i>alboides</i>
1	" " <i>alba</i>	2		" " <i>alba</i>
6	" " <i>leucopsis</i>	2		" " <i>leucopsis</i>
6	Richard's Pipit	2	3	<i>Anthus richardi</i>
2	Blyth's Pipit	2		<i>Anthus godlewskii</i>
6	Olive-backed Pipit	1	2	<i>Anthus hodgsoni</i>



6	Rosy Pipit	2		<i>Anthus roseatus</i>
4	Water Pipit	3		<i>Anthus spinoletta blakistoni</i>
6	Przevalski's Finch	2		<i>Urocynchramus pylzowi</i>
6	White-winged Grosbeak	2	2	<i>Mycerobas carnipes</i>
6	Grey-headed Bullfinch	2		<i>Pyrrhula erythaca</i>
6	Mongolian Finch	2		<i>Bucanetes mongolicus</i>
5	Plain Mountain Finch	2		<i>Leucosticte nemoricola</i>
4	Brandt's Mountain Finch	3		<i>Leucosticte brandti</i>
6	Common Rosefinch	2	2	<i>Carpodacus erythrinus</i>
6	Streaked Rosefinch	2	1	<i>Carpodacus rubicilloides</i>
6	Chinese Beautiful Rosefinch	1		<i>Carpodacus davidianus</i>
6	Stresemann's Rosefinch	1	1	<i>Carpodacus waltoni</i>
1	Pale Rosefinch	3		<i>Carpodacus synoicus</i>
5	Tibetan Rosefinch	2		<i>Carpodacus roborowskii</i>
6	Chinese White-browed Rosefinch	1		<i>Carpodacus dubius</i>
1	Red-fronted Rosefinch	3		<i>Carpodacus puniceus</i>
1	Crimson-browed Finch		3	<i>Carpodacus subhimachalus</i>
6	Grey-capped Greenfinch	1		<i>Chloris sinica</i>
1	Desert Finch	3		<i>Rhodospiza obsoleta</i>
6	Twite	1	1	<i>Carduelis flavirostris miniakensis</i>
3	Red Crossbill	2		<i>Loxia curvirostra</i>
2	Eurasian Siskin	3		<i>Spinus spinus</i>
6	Pine Bunting	2		<i>Emberiza leucocephalos</i>
6	Godlewski's Bunting	1	1	<i>Emberiza godlewskii</i>
1	Meadow Bunting	2	2	<i>Emberiza cioides</i>
1	Yellow-breasted Bunting EN		3	<i>Emberiza aureola</i>
	Tibetan Bunting			<i>Emberiza koslowi</i>
4	Black-faced Bunting	2		<i>Emberiza spodocephala</i>

**MAMMALS, REPTILES & AMPHIBIANS**

1	Long-eared Jerboa			<i>Euchoreutes naso</i>
6	Himalayan Marmot			<i>Marmota himalayana</i>
	Daurian Ground Squirrel			<i>Spermophilus dauricus</i>
2	Siberian Chipmunk			<i>Tamias sibiricus</i>
1	Gansu Pika			<i>Ochotona cansus</i>
6	Plateau Pika			<i>Ochotona curzoniae</i>
4	Glover's Pika			<i>Ochotona gloveri</i>
	Chinese Red Pika			<i>Ochotona erythrotis</i>
1	Pika sp.			<i>Ochotona sp.</i>
6	Woolly Hare			<i>Lepus oiostolus</i>
	Pallas's Cat			<i>Felis manul</i>
	Eurasian Lynx			<i>Lynx lynx</i>



	Snow Leopard	<i>Uncia uncia</i>
6	Tibetan Fox	<i>Vulpes ferrilata</i>
6	Red Fox	<i>Vulpes vulpes</i>
3	Fox sp.	<i>Vulpes sp.</i>
1	Asian Badger	<i>Meles leucurus</i>
1	Hog Badger	<i>Arctonyx collaris</i>
6	Mountain (Alpine) Weasel	<i>Mustela altaica</i>
2	Steppe Polecat	<i>Mustela eversmannii</i>
6	Kiang	<i>Equus kiang</i>
3	Red Deer	<i>Cervus elaphus kansuensis</i>
2	Siberian Roe	<i>Capreolus pygargus</i>
1	Goitered Gazelle	<i>Gazella subgutturosa</i>
6	Tibetan Gazelle	<i>Procapra picticaudata</i>
6	Tibetan Antelope	<i>Pantholops hodgsonii</i>
2	Blue Sheep	<i>Pseudois nayaur</i>
2	Wolf	<i>Canis lupus</i>
2	Yak	<i>Bos grunniens</i>
4	Qinghai Toad-headed Lizard	<i>Phrynocephalus vlangalii</i>
6	Toad sp.	<i>Bufo sp.</i>
5	Rana Frog sp.	<i>Rana sp.</i>