

# Flevo Birdwatching

Tour date:	20 <sup>th</sup> of September 2017
Name of area visited:	Oostvaardersplassen, marshland and mainly willow woods between the towns Almere and Lelystad in the Flevopolder in the Netherlands, cloudy around 13 C
Guide(s):	Taco

- Jan van den Boschpad"; elevated look-out in the most southern part of the nature reserve the Oostvaardersplassen. Species seen here: two Red foxes relaxing in the sun. On a pole an adult White-tailed eagle. Around 30 Lapwings near the shore
- Parking lot along the "Oostvaardersdijk"; viewpoint overlooking the Oostvaardersplassen. Species seen here: Gulls on the rocks: Common gull, greater black-backed gull, herring gull and black-headed gull
- "Praagweg", road through wet grassland area with Konik horses. Species seen here: Good views of Little grebe and Wigeon. A short D-tour to the White storks near Lelystad.
- "Kleine praambult", elevated look-out in the north-eastern part of the nature reserve the Oostvaardersplassen. Overlooking huge area of wet grassland. Species seen here: Around 50 Great egrets ! Many Spoonbills and a Kestrel.
- "Grote praambult", elevated look-out in north-eastern part of the nature reserve the Oostvaardersplassen. Overlooking some forest, ponds and a huge area of wet grassland. Species seen here: On of our first birds of the day a flying Peregrine after a while the bird lands and we have excellent views.

<b>Nederlandse naam</b>	<b>English name</b>	<b>Wetenschappelijke/Scientific name</b>
fuut	great crested grebe	<i>Podiceps cristatus</i>
dodaars	little grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>
geoorde fuut	black-necked grebe	<i>Podiceps nigricollis</i>
aalscholver	great cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>
grote zilverreiger	great egret	<i>Casmerodius albus</i>
blauwe reiger	grey heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>
ooievaar	white stork	<i>Ciconia ciconia</i>
lepelaar	eurasian spoonbill	<i>Platalea leucorodia</i>
knobbelzwaan	mute swan	<i>Cygnus olor</i>
grauwe gans	greylag goose	<i>Anser anser</i>
brandgans	barnacle goose	<i>Branta leucopsis</i>
bergeend	common shelduck	<i>Tadorna tadorna</i>
nijlgans	egyptian goose	<i>Alopochen aegyptiacus</i>
smient	eurasian wigeon	<i>Anas penelope</i>
wilde eend	mallard	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>
krakeend	gadwall	<i>Anas strepera</i>
slobeend	northern shoveler	<i>Anas clypeata</i>
wintertaling	common teal	<i>Anas crecca</i>
tafeleend	common pochard	<i>Aythya ferina</i>
kuifeend	tufted duck	<i>Aythya fuligula</i>
buizerd	common buzzard	<i>Buteo buteo</i>
zeearend	white tailed eagle	<i>Haliaeetus albicilla</i>

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torenvalk  
slechtvalk  
meerkoet  
kievit  
kokmeeuw  
stormmeeuw  
zilvermeeuw  
grote mantelmeeuw  
kleine mantelmeeuw  
visdief  
houtduif

grote bonte specht  
boerenwaluw  
witte kwikstaart  
winterkoning  
roodborst  
zwartkop  
tjiftjaf  
baardman  
pimpelmees  
koolmees  
spreeuw  
gaai  
ekster  
kauw  
zwarte kraai  
huismus  
vink  
putter  
rietgors

common kestrel  
peregrine falcon  
common coot  
northern lapwing  
black-headed gull  
common gull  
herring gull  
greater black-backed gull  
lesser black-backed gull  
common tern  
wood pigeon  
greater spotted  
woodpecker  
barn swallow  
white wagtail  
Wren H  
Robin H  
blackcap  
chiffchaff  
bearded tit  
blue tit  
great tit  
common starling  
eurasian jay  
magpie  
eurasian jackdaw  
carrion crow  
house sparrow  
Chaffinch H  
goldfinch  
reed bunting

*Falco tinnunculus*  
*Falco peregrinus*  
*Fulica atra*  
*Vanellus vanellus*  
*Croicocephalus ridibundus*  
*Larus canus*  
*Larus argentatus*  
*Larus marinus*  
*Larus fuscus*  
*Sterna hirundo*  
*Columba palumbus*

*Dendrocopos major*  
*Hirundo rustica*  
*Motacilla alba*  
*Troglodytes troglodytes*  
*Erithacus rubecula*  
*Sylvia atricapilla*  
*Phylloscopus collybita*  
*Panurus biarmicus*  
*Cyanistes caeruleus*  
*Parus major*  
*Sturnus vulgaris*  
*Garrulus glandarius*  
*Pica pica*  
*Corvus monedula*  
*Corvus corone*  
*Passer domesticus*  
*Fringilla coelebs*  
*Carduelis carduelis*  
*Emberiza schoeniclus*

52 species (H=only heard)



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