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## An interesting glimpse of Gargany in Nalban Jheel

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Friends!!

This week saturday - i got company of Sudipto Roy and my wife to explore Nalban and surrounding during the return migration period. Well, we were lucky to find five - six gargany among a small flock of gadwals in the nalban jheel. After this trip - I had a mail conversation with Sumit da; He mentioned - that sometimes large flocks of Great Crested Grebe , Common shelduck come & stay here for some time on the way to return migration; This year - i found two rarities like Eurasian Wigeon and Gargany here in Nalban. In one of last post - i mentioned that birding at Nalban is always interesting during march month - and really it is happening.

This time what we found - the list i am sharing..

- 1) Plaintive cuckoo
- 2) Common moorhen
- 3) Gargany
- 4) Gadwal
- 5) Grey Heron
- 6) Barn swallow
- 7) Red wattled lapwing (a single)
- 8) Common snipe (flying around)
- 9) Bengal bush lark
- 10) Clamorous reed warbler
- 11) Plain prinia
- 12) Brown shrike
- 13) Common kingfisher and white throated kingfisher
- 14) Large egret
- 15) Striated grassbird

and other common birds - egrets, cormorant, asian pied starling etc

\*\*Sudipto - If anything i missed out - please add.

Thanks,

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