

## Cyprus in Spring

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## Introduction

The main focus of this spring tour was to enjoy a good sample of the diversity of plants and other wildlife for which Cyprus is famous. The following is an outline of the week with a daily diary, followed by a gallery and species list.

### Day 1: 5th March

The first guests arrived with the early afternoon flight, Marie-Jose having arrived the day before. After collecting people from the airport a short stop was made at Timi beach to see our first plants and also butterflies. The season was early and the weather unusually warm so there were many flowers out. We saw *Matthiola tricuspidata*, *Centaurea aegialophila*, *Echium angustifolium*, *Helichrysum stoechas* and *Phagnalon rupestre*. Greenfinch and Spanish sparrows were in the nearby trees and Hooded crows in the fields. We also saw the first Sardinian Warbler.

We then boarded our mini-bus and made another stop to see Spur-winged Plover. White wagtails were present as well. We then headed for Paphos and our hotel, going out to dinner.

The late arrivals were met by our driver Astero and joined us later.

### Day 2: 6th March

A day of archaeology, plants and birds today. We didn't have long to travel, so after picking up our picnics we disembarked at the Tombs of the Kings. The site is excellent for plants so we set about identifying the first plants we found. We saw *Ephedra fragilis*, *Allium neapolitanum*, *Gladiolus italicus* and *Cyclamen persicum* everywhere, but especially growing in crevices in the rocks. Other common plants were *Thymus capitatus* and *Sarcopoterium spinosum*. We also found the first orchids of the trip, *Anacamptis collina* which had gone over and *Ophrys flavomarginata*, still in good flower.

After looking at some of the tombs we then went to the beach area where a number of interesting plants were in flower. Amongst them were *Medicago marina*, *Senecio glaucus* ssp. *cyprius* and the endemic *Papaver cyprium*. Other plants seen at the site included *Convolvulus coloesyriacus* and *Bellevalia trifoliata*.

At lunchtime we moved to the Paphos archaeological site. *Glebionis coronarium* was everywhere. After looking at the mosaics we gathered again and walked through the site. We focused on birds and saw Kestrel, Hoopoe, Black Redstart, Red-throated Pipit, Chukar and Isabeline wheatear.

Butterflies for the day included Swallowtail, Clouded Yellow, Large and Small whites, Common blue and Small copper which we saw egg-laying on *Emex spinosa*.

### Day 3: 7th March

Today is transfer day to our second base on the Akamas peninsula. After boarding our bus we headed for Episkopi to see the environmental centre there, which people found an worthwhile visit. After the short film we looked at the displays of photographs of the fauna and flora and then walked outside in the garden to see some interesting plants.

Our next stop was a field with typical phrygana plants, amongst which we started finding many species of orchids. We saw *Orchis italica* in good numbers, whilst *Anacamptis collina* and *Himantoglossum robertianum* were going over. Many species of *Ophrys* too with *O. sicula*, *O. cinereophila*, *O. omegaifera* and superb *O. iricolor* being seen.

The forest at Pegeia was our next, longer stop where we spent the afternoon. A lowland forest consisting of *Pinus brutia* and *Juniperus foetidissima* and other shrubs, but also with other interesting habitat types. We were able to add *Ophrys levantina*, *Ophrys aphrodite* (*O. bornmuelleri*), *Ophrys elegans* and *Serapias aphrodite* to the list. Other plants such as *Cistus parviflorus*, *C. salviifolius* and *Ranunculus paludosus* were added to the list. The habitat of the rock pools held a different set of plants such as *Sedum microcarpum*, *Crassula vailantii* and *Ranunculus peltatus*. Two adult Bonellis eagles gave us good views. We arrived at our hotel in the late afternoon.

#### **Day 4: 8th March**

Early morning walk for birds, we saw Black Redstart and Sardinian warbler and Chukkar was heard. After breakfast we set off from our hotel towards the Bath of Aphrodite looking at roadside plants such as *Erodium malacoides* and *E. cicutarium*, *Pistacia lentistus* and *Ceratonia siliqua*.

On arrival we visited the botanic gardens and looked at examples of typical Mediterranean plants, as *Origanum marjorana*, *Teucrium micropodioides*, *Salvia fruticosa* and *Cistus*. We then sat at the newly built kiosk where Yiannis talked about the interesting geology of Cyprus and its relationship with its Flora.

Walking on to the Baths we saw one plant of *Arisarum vulgare* still in flower. *Cyclamen persicum* was in flower everywhere. At the baths we saw *Samolus valerandi*, *Anogramma leptophylla* and *Adiantum capillus-veneris*. Walking on the coastal path we were able to admire the masses of *Ranunculus asiaticus* in many shades of yellow. One of the butterflies we were hoping to see was the Paphos blue and it did not disappoint. We saw many including some females. Other butterflies seen included Cleopatra, Large and Small white, Painted Lady and Red Admiral. At the end of the walk a beautiful *Hyles livornica* concluded the day.

#### **Day 5: 9th March**

After breakfast we set off from our hotel for the fields above finding a fine specimen of *Anchusa hispida*. The first fields off the track produced *Ophrys flavomarginata* and two species of *Serapias*, *S. aphrodite* which we had seen before and *S. levantina*.

Going up to the ridge and over we descended into a little valley. Our goal was *Orchis punctulata*, and initially all the specimens we had found had gone over but eventually we found a specimen in perfect condition. We also added *Ophrys alasiatica* and *Ophrys morio* to the list. Our other goal was *Ophrys kotschyi* and after much searching a specimen was found in good conditions. Many butterflies were on the wing and people managed to get some good photos of the endemic Paphos blue. Eastern festoon was also common but none were settling.

After lunch we retraced our steps up the hill and continued through the fields. We then descended towards the road and crossed opposite into a rocky habitat with rock pools with various specialised plants such as *Sedum microcarpum*, *Sedum caespitosum* and *Ranunculus peltatus*. As we started to return we found a group of interesting *Cistus* in flower which were obviously hybrids between *Cistus monspeliensis* and *C. creticus* or *C. parviflorus*.

On our return we went into another field where *Ophrys flavomarginata*, *Ophrys astarte* and *Ophrys umbilicata* were growing together but it was very clear which were which. Another good specimen of *Ophrys kotschyi* was also seen.

### Day 6: 10th March

A day to visit a different habitat today, that of the Paphos forest to sample a different set of plants.

Our first stop was at Peristerona gorge where we searched the hillside opposite for birds and the fields for plants. *Buglossoides tenuifolius* was added to the list as well as *Helianthemum salicifolium* and *H. obtusifolium*.

We then visited the Byzantine museum to see their collection of icons and then boarded our bus again to go higher up.

As we started to go through the various geological formations the geology started to change with pillow-lavas and then moving to the Troodos ophiolite. A short walk produced *Minuartia montana*, *Tuberaria guttata*, *Asterolinon - stellatum*, *Orchis troodi* and *Dactylorhiza romana*. At Stavros tis Psokas we had lunch and then walked round the Moufflon enclosure seeing *Cyclamen cyprium* in leaf, *Viola alba*, *Vicia cassia*, *Acer obtusifolium*, *Quercus alnifolia* and *Platanus orientalis*. We then went higher seeing *Arabis purpurea* on the road sides and then stopped to do another walk where we saw more of the orchids but also *Arabis verna* and *Teesdalia coronopifolia*.

Birds for today including the morning walk included Cetti's warbler, Sardinian warbler, Greenfinch, Zitting Sisticola, Greenfinch, Chukar and Coal Tit.

### Day 7: 11th March

Droushia was the destination this morning. We started our walk below the village, following the contour of the hillside. The huge monoliths are a piece of the African plate left stranded on Cyprus.

*Crataegus azarolus* and *Pyrus syriaca* were well out. *Himantoglossum robertianum* and *O. sicula*, were common on the verges. We explored a field finding *Romulea tempuskyana* and *Anacamptis laxiflora*. *Lathyrus blepharicarpos* and *Vicia hybrida* were common by the track. *Pisum fulvum* and *Pisum sativum* were both seen. Growing in the cracks in the rocks was *Polypodium cambricum*.

Other new plants were seen such as *Geranium tuberosum* and *G. molle*. Long-legged buzzards were seen at lunchtime. Eastern kestrel was flying but gave us no chance of photography.

### Day 8: 12th March

Our bus picked us up and took us higher up into the Akamas. Our first target was the local tulip which we found in good flower. After that we explored an area of serpentinite to see the endemics *Alyssum akamasicum* and *Centaurea veneris*, as well as some other plants such as *Thymus integer* and *Minuartia picta*. We then started to walk towards Neochorio, looking for orchids on the

verge. We soon had *Anacamptis syriaca* and *Ophrys elegans*. and lower down new species were seen such *Dactylorhiza romana*. *Neotinea maculata*, *Ophrys lapethica*, *Ophrys cinereophila* and *Ophrys israelitica*. Passing by a pool we saw the local fresh-water crab, *Adinatum capilus-veneris* fern growing by the sides and *Equisetum ramosissimum* in the stream. Lunch today was at a local restaurant where we sampled the cypriot cuisine and then walked back to our hotel.

### Day 9: 13th March

We departed our hotel early, making a stop for flowers and then visiting the Agios Neophytos Monastery. The first departures were taken to Paphos airport and the rest spend a couple of hours at Asprokrmmos reservoir, where we added *Crupina crupinastrum*, *Lomelosia prolifera* and *Fagonia cretica* to the list.



Photo Gallery





*Limonium sinuatum* © James Robertson



*Arabis verna* © Yiannis C



*Ophrys kotschy* © Yiannis C



*Orchis punctulata* © Yiannis C



*Ophrys astarte* © Yiannis C



*Ophrys bornmuelleri* © Yiannis C



*Ophrys cinereophila* © Yiannis C



Tomb of the Kings © Yiannis C



*Hyles Livornica* © Yiannis C









*Thomisus onustus* © Alex H



*Arabis verna* © Alex H



*Arabis verna* © Alex H



*Glaucopsyche paphos* © Alex H



*Mesobuthus cyprius* © Alex H



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### CHECKLIST

	DATE	Notes
1	5th	Arrival
2	6th	Paphos archaeological areas
3	7th	Episkopi environmental centre, Minthis hills and Pegeia forest warm and sunny
4	8th	Warm and sunny with some cloud. Baths of Aphrodite, Botanical garden and coastal trail
5	9th	Warm and sunny. Fields above the hotel
6	10th	Cloudy and cool at height. Peristerona gorge, Peristerona, Stavros tis Psokas
7	11th	Warm and sunny. Droushia
8	12th	Warm and sunny. Smygies
9	13th	Agios Neophytos Monastery
Notes:		

	SCIENTIFIC NAME	
1		<b>Ferns</b>
	<i>Adiantum capillus-veneris</i>	day 4
	<i>Anogramma leptophylla</i>	day 4
	<i>Polypodium cambricum</i>	day 7
	<i>Ophioglossum lusitanicum</i>	day 3
	<b>Selaginellaceae</b>	
	<i>Selaginella denticulata</i>	day 3
	<i>Equisetum ramosissimum</i>	day 8
	<b>Gymnosperms</b>	
2	<b>Cupressaceae</b>	
	<i>Cupressus sempervirens</i>	day 7
	<i>Juniperus phoenicea</i>	day 4
3	<b>Ephedraceae</b>	
	<i>Ephedra fragilis</i>	day 2
4	<b>Pinaceae</b>	
	<i>Pinus brutia</i>	day 3
	<i>Pinus pinea</i>	day 2,7
	<i>Cedrus brevifolia</i>	day 6
	<b>DICOTYLEDONS</b>	
5	<b>Aceraceae</b>	
	<i>Acer obtusifolium</i>	day 6
6	<b>Amaranthaceae</b>	
	<i>Bosea cypria</i>	day 3
7	<b>Anacardiaceae</b>	
	<i>Pistacia lentiscus</i>	day 3
	<i>Pistacia terebinthus</i>	day 5
8	<b>Apiaceae</b>	
	<i>Daucus carota</i>	day 4
	<i>Ferula communis</i>	day 3
	<i>Foeniculum vulgare</i>	day 8
	<i>Lecokia cretica</i>	day 6
	<i>Scandix pecten-veneris</i>	day 3
	<i>Scaligeria cretica</i>	day 3
	<i>Smyrniium olusatrum</i>	day 4
	<i>Tordylium aegyptiacum</i>	day 3
9	<b>Apocynaceae</b>	
	<i>Nerium oleander</i>	day 4
10	<b>Aristolochiaceae</b>	
	<i>Aristolochia sempervirens</i>	day 5
	<i>Aristolochia parviflora</i>	
11	<b>Asteraceae</b>	
	<i>Anthemis amblyolepis</i>	day 5
	<i>Anthemis palaestina</i>	day 6
	<i>Anthemis rigida</i>	day 4
	<i>Anthemis tomentosa</i>	day 1,2
	<i>Bellis sylvestris</i>	day 7
	<i>Carduus argentatus</i>	day 7
	<i>Calendula arvensis</i>	day 4
	<i>Centaurea aegialophila</i>	day 2
	<i>Centaurea veneris</i>	day 8
	<i>Crepis sancta</i>	day 6
	<i>Crupina crupinastrum</i>	Day 9
	<i>Geropogon hybridus</i>	day 5
	<i>Glebionis coronarium</i>	day 2
	<i>Glebionis segetum</i>	day 5
	<i>Helichrysum conglobatum</i>	day 2
	<i>Helichrysum italicum</i>	day 6
	<i>Leontodon tuberosum</i>	day 3

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	<i>Pallenis spinosa</i>	day 5
	<i>Phagnalon rupestre</i>	day 2
	<i>Rhagadiolus edulis</i>	day 5
	<i>Senecio glaucus cyprius</i>	day 2
	<i>Tragopogon sinuatus</i>	day 2
12	<b>Boraginaceae</b>	
	<i>Anchusa aegyptiaca</i>	day 2
	<i>Anchusa azurea</i>	day 5
	<i>Anchusa strigosa</i>	day 5
	<i>Anchusa undulata</i>	day 9
	<i>Borago officinalis</i>	day 7
	<i>Buglossoides arvensis</i>	day 6
	<i>Buglossoides tenuifolium</i>	day 6
	<i>Echium angustifolium</i>	day 2
	<i>Lithodora hispidula</i>	day 3
13	<b>Brassicaceae</b>	
	<i>Alyssum akamasicum</i>	day 8
	<i>Arabis purpurea</i>	day 6
	<i>Arabis verna</i>	day 6
	<i>Biscutella didyma</i>	day 2
	<i>Capsela bursa-pastoralis</i>	day 7
	<i>Draba verna</i>	day 6
	<i>Matthiola tricuspidata</i>	day 1,2
	<i>Sinapis alba</i>	day 2
	<i>Teesdalia coronopifolia</i>	day 6
	<i>Thlaspi perfoliatum</i>	day 6
	<i>Turritis laxa</i>	day 6
16	<b>Caryophyllaceae</b>	
	<i>Kohlruschia velutina</i>	day 2
	<i>Minuartia hybrida</i>	day 6
	<i>Minuartia picta</i>	day 8
	<i>Minuartia montana</i>	day 6
	<i>Paronychia argentea</i>	day 2
	<i>Silene behen</i>	day 5
	<i>Silene laevigata</i>	day 6
	<i>Silene vulgaris</i>	day 7
	<i>Stellaria cilicica</i>	day 6
17	<b>Cistaceae</b>	
	<i>Cistus creticus</i>	day 5
	<i>Cistus monspeliensis</i>	day 5
	<i>Cistus parviflorus</i>	day 3
	<i>Cistus salviifolius</i>	day 3
	<i>Cistus ladanifer</i>	day 4
	<i>Fumana arabica</i>	day 5
	<i>Fumana thymifolia</i>	day 2
	<i>Helianthemum obtusifolium</i>	day 6
	<i>Helianthemum salicifolium</i>	day 6
	<i>Tuberaria guttata</i>	day 6
18	<b>Convolvulaceae</b>	
	<i>Convolvulus althaeoides</i>	day 2
	<i>Convolvulus coelesyriacus</i>	day 2
	<i>Convolvulus pentapetaloides</i>	day 5
	<i>Convolvulus siculus</i>	day 8
19	<b>Crassulaceae</b>	
	<i>Crassula vaillantii</i>	day 3
	<i>Sedum caespitosum</i>	day 5
	<i>Telmisssa microcarpa</i>	day 3
	<i>Umbilicus rupestris</i>	day 6
20	<b>Ericaceae</b>	

	SCIENTIFIC NAME	
	Arbutus andrachne	day 4
21	<b>Euphorbiaceae</b>	
	Euphorbia dimorphocaulon	day 6
	Euphorbia helioscopia	day 2
	Euphorbia peplus	day 2
	Mercurialis annua	day 2
22	<b>Fabaceae</b>	
	Anagyris foetida	
	Astragalus lusitanicus	day 6
	Calycotome villosa	day 5
	Ceratonia siliqua	day 4
	Genista sphacelata	day 3
	Hedysarum spinosum	
	Hymenocarpus circinnatus	day 4
	Lathyrus annuus	day 2
	Lathyrus aphaca	day 4
	Lathyrus blepharicarpos	day 2
	Lathyrus gorgonei	day 5
	Lathyrus ochrus	day 5
	Medicago marina	day 2
	Medicago orbicularis	day 4
	Onobrychis caput-galli	day 8
	Ornithopus coronopifolius	day 6
	Physanthyllis tetraphylla	day 4
	Pisum sativum	day 7
	Pisum fulvum	day 7
	Scorpiurus muricatus	day 8
	Tetragonolobus purpureus	day 4
	Trifolium campestre	day 5
	Trifolium clypeatum	day 3
	Trifolium pilulare	day 7
	Trifolium stellatum	day 2
	Trifolium tomentosum	day 5
	Vicia hybrida	day 4
	Vicia cassia	day 6
	Vicia cypria	day 7
	Vicia lunata	day 6
	Vicia narbonense	day 6
	Vicia peregrina	day 5
	Vicia sativa	day 4
23	<b>Fagaceae</b>	
	Quercus coccifera calliprinos	day 5
	Quercus alnifolia	day 6
	Quercus infectoria veneris	day 6
24	<b>Geraniaceae</b>	
	Erodium cicutarium	day 4
	Erodium gruinum	
	Erodium malacoides	day 4
	Geranium dissectum	day 3
	Geranium molle	day 7
	Geranium purpureum	day 4
	Geranium rotundifolium	day 4
	Geranium tuberosum	day 7
25	<b>Lamiaceae</b>	
	Ajuga chamaepitys	
	Lamium amplexicaule	day 5
	Lamium moschatum	day 7
	Micromeria nervosa	day 4
	Phlomis lunariifolia	day 7

	SCIENTIFIC NAME	
	<i>Prasium majus</i>	day 3
	<i>Salvia fruticosa</i>	day 4
	<i>Salvia verbenaca</i>	day 2
	<i>Salvia viridis</i>	day 4
	<i>Teucrium kotschyanum</i>	day 6
	<i>Thymus capitatus</i>	day 2
	<i>Thymus integer</i>	day 6
	<i>Vitex agnus-castus</i>	day 4
26	<b>Linaceae</b>	
	<i>Linum bienne</i>	day 3
	<i>Linum trigynum</i>	day 9
	<i>Linum strictum</i>	day 9
27	<b>Malvaceae</b>	
	<i>Lavatera cretica</i>	day 7
28	<b>Myrtaceae</b>	
	<i>Myrtus communis</i>	day 6
29	<b>Oleaceae</b>	
	<i>Olea europaea</i>	day 5
30	<b>Orobanchaceae</b>	
	<i>Orobanche alba</i>	day 6
	<i>Orobanche crenata</i>	day 8
	<i>Orobanche ramosa</i>	day 2
31	<b>Oxalidaceae</b>	
	<i>Oxalis pes-caprae</i>	day 2
32	<b>Papaveraceae</b>	
	<i>Papaver cyprium</i>	day 2
	<i>Papaver hybridum</i>	day 5,7
	<i>Papaver rhoeas</i>	day 2
33	<b>Plantaginaceae</b>	
	<i>Plantago afra</i>	day 4
	<i>Plantago cretica</i>	day 2
	<i>Plantago lagopus</i>	day 3
	<i>Plantago lanceolata</i>	day 7
34	<b>Plumbaginaceae</b>	
	<i>Limonium sinuatum</i>	day 2
35	<b>Polygonaceae</b>	
	<i>Emex spinosa</i>	day 2
36	<b>Primulaceae</b>	
	<i>Asterolinon linum-stellatum</i>	day 6
	<i>Anagallis arvensis</i>	day 2
	<i>Cyclamen cyprium</i>	day 6
	<i>Cyclamen persicum</i>	day 2
	<i>Samolus valerandi</i>	day 4
37	<b>Rafflesiaceae</b>	
	<i>Cytinus hypocistis</i>	day 7
38	<b>Ranunculaceae</b>	
	<i>Anemone coronaria</i>	day 2
	<i>Ranunculus asiaticus</i>	day 4
	<i>Ranunculus peltatus</i>	day 2
	<i>Ranunculus paludosus</i>	day 3
39	<b>Rosaceae</b>	
	<i>Crataegus azarolus</i>	day 4
	<i>Eriobotrya japonica</i>	day 8
	<i>Prunus dulcis</i>	day 7
	<i>Pyrus communis</i>	day 7
	<i>Rubus sanctus</i>	day 7
	<i>Sarcopoterium spinosum</i>	day 2
40	<b>Rubiaceae</b>	
	<i>Asperula cypria</i>	day 8



	SCIENTIFIC NAME	
	Galium aparine	day 5
	Rubia tenuifolia	day 4
	Rubia lauræ	
	Sherardia arvensis	day 6
<b>41</b>	<b>Santalaceae</b>	
	Thesium humile	day 6
<b>43</b>	<b>Scrophulariaceae</b>	
	Linaria chalepensis	day 5
	Misopates orontium	day 2
	Parentucellia latifolia	day 3
	Veronica cymbalaria	day 6
<b>44</b>	<b>Solanaceae</b>	
	Mandragora officinarum	day 2
<b>45</b>	<b>Styracaceae</b>	
	Styrax officinalis	day 7
<b>46</b>	<b>Zygophyllaceae</b>	
	Fagonia cretica	day 9
	<b>MONOCOTYLEDONS</b>	
<b>47</b>	<b>Amaryllidaceae</b>	
	Allium neapolitanum	day 2
	Allium trifoliatum	day 2
<b>48</b>	<b>Araceae</b>	
	Arum hygrophilum	
	Arum sintenisii	day 3,4
	Arisarum vulgare	day 4
<b>49</b>	<b>Asparagaceae</b>	
	Asparagus acutifolius	day 3
	Asparagus horridus	day 2
	Bellevalia trifoliata	day 2
	Bellevalia nivalis	day 3
	Drimys maritima	day 2
	Muscari comosum	day 5
	Ornithogalum pedicellare	day 2
<b>50</b>	<b>Iridaceae</b>	
	Gladiolus italicus	day 2
	Gladiolus triphyllus	day 3
	Moraea sisyrinchium	day 2
	Romulea ramiflora	day 7
<b>51</b>	<b>Liliaceae</b>	
	Gagea graeca	day 3
	Gagea peduncularis	day 6
	Tulipa akamasica	day 8
	<b>Poacea</b>	
	Andropogon distachyos	day 7
	Mailllea crypsoides	day 2
	Lolium temulentum	day 5
	Poa bulbosa	
<b>52</b>	<b>Smilacaceae</b>	
	Smilax aspera	day 6
<b>53</b>	<b>Xanthorrhoeaceae</b>	
	Asphodelus ramosus	day 3
	Asphodelus fistulosus	day 2
<b>54</b>	<b>Orchidaceae</b>	
	Anacamptis pyramidalis	day 5
	Anacamptis collina	day 2,3
	Anacamptis syriaca	day 3,4,5,7,8
	Anacamptis laxiflora	day 7
	Himantoglossum robertianum	day 3,5,6,7,8
	Dactylorhiza romana	day 6,7,8

	SCIENTIFIC NAME	
	Neotinea maculata	day 8
	Orchis italica	day 3,5,8
	Orchis punctulata	day 5
	Orchis sezikiana	day 8
	Orchis troodi	day 6
	Serapias aphrodite	day 3,5,7,8
	Serapias levantina	day 5,7,8
	Serapias bergonii	day 3,4,5,7
	<b>Ophrys: apifera group</b>	
	Ophrys apifera	day 9
	<b>Ophrys: elegans group</b>	
	Ophrys elegans	day 3,8
	<b>Ophrys: mammosa group</b>	
	Ophrys alasiatica	day 5,7,8
	Ophrys mammosa	day 3,5,8
	Ophrys morio	day 5,7,8
	<b>Ophrys: umbilicata group</b>	
	Ophrys astarte	day 5,6,7,8
	Ophrys flavomarginata	day 2,3,4,5,8
	Ophrys kotschyi	day 5,8
	Ophrys lapethica	day 8
	Ophrys umbilicata	day 3,4,5,7
	<b>Ophrys: bornmuelleri group</b>	
	Ophrys aphrodite	day 3, 8
	Ophrys levantina	day 3
	Ophrys aphrodite x flavomarginata	day 7
	<b>Ophrys: fusca group</b>	
	Ophrys cinereophila	day 3,5,7,8
	Ophrys iricolor	day 3
	Ophrys sicula	day 3,5,6,7,8
	<b>Ophrys omegaifera group</b>	
	Ophrys israelitica	day 3,8





<b>AMPHIBIANS</b>											
Orange Tip	Anthocharis cardamines		x	x	x	x	x	x	x		
Clouded Yellow	Colias croceus	x	x	x	x					x	
Cleopatra	Gonopteryx cleopatra			x	x			x			
<b>Family Nymphalidae</b>											
Painted Lady	Vanessa cardui	x	x	x	x			x	x		
Red Admiral	Vanessa atalanta		x	x							
<b>Family Satyridae</b>											
Speckled Wood	Pararge aegeria aegeria			x	x						
Cyprus Meadow Brown	Maniola cypricola										
Large Wall	Lasiommata maera	x		x							
Wall									x		
<b>Family Lycaenidae</b>									x		
Small Copper	Lycaena phlaeas	x			x						
Lang's Short-tailed Blue	Leptotes pirithous										
Long-tailed Blue	Lambides boeticus										
Paphos Blue	Glaucopsyche paphos		x	x	x	x	x	x	x		
Brown Argus	Aricia agestis										
Common Blue	Polyommatus icarus	x		x	x			x			
<b>Family Hesperidae</b>											
Mallow Skipper	Carcharodus alceae										
Pygmy Skipper	Gegenes pumilio										

<b>VARIOUS</b>		
Cyprus moufflon	Ovis musimon orientalis	day 6
Hummingbird Hawk Moth	Macroglossum stellatarum	day 6
March Moth	Alsophila aescularia	day 2
Violet Carpenter Bee	Xylocopa violaceae	day 5
Giant Centipede	Scolopendra cingulata	day 5
Freshwater Crab	Potamon potamios	day 8
Giant African Praying Mantis	Sphodromantis viridis	day 3
Anacridium aegyptium	Egyptian grasshoper	day 3
Hyles livornica	Striped Hawk moth	day 4
Steatoda paykullianus	False Widow	day 5
Argiope trifasciata	spider	
Mesobuthus cyprius	scorpion	day 7