



# Hunter Bird Observers Club

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**Tawny Grassbird found during the Ash Island outing**

Photo by Trevor Cotterill

## **Club Aims**

To encourage and further the study and conservation of Australian birds and their habitat, and to encourage bird observing as a leisure-time activity.

## HBOC Happenings

Don't forget! It's our Christmas Club Night tonight,  
6.30pm, Wednesday 11 December at The Hunter Wetlands Centre.

For upcoming activities, draft program for 2025 and new members:

[Click here](#)

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## Club Activities

Club Night Report, Ash Island field Outing, Galgabba Field outing:

[Click here](#)



Rufous Fantails were seen on the Galgabba outing

Photo by Alwyn Simple HBOC BIL

## Articles

Sister Cities Celebration and on a positive note an article on forests for Gang Gangs:

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Bar-tailed Godwit feeding up before it's long trip north. Featured in the excellent Community Promotion for schools.

Photo by Mick Roderick HBOC BIL

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# Observations

Your observations for October:

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**Best wishes for the festive season and happy birding!**



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