

Birds of Urabandai

A wide variety of birds live in the Urabandai area. Japanese green woodpeckers (*Picus awokera*), Bohemian waxwings (*Bombycilla garrulus*), ruddy kingfishers (*Halcyon coromanda*), Siberian blue robins (*Luscinia cyane*), and narcissus flycatchers (*Ficedula narcissina*) have all been spotted here. Urabandai is recognized as an Important Bird Area (IBA) by BirdLife International and its bird populations are protected.