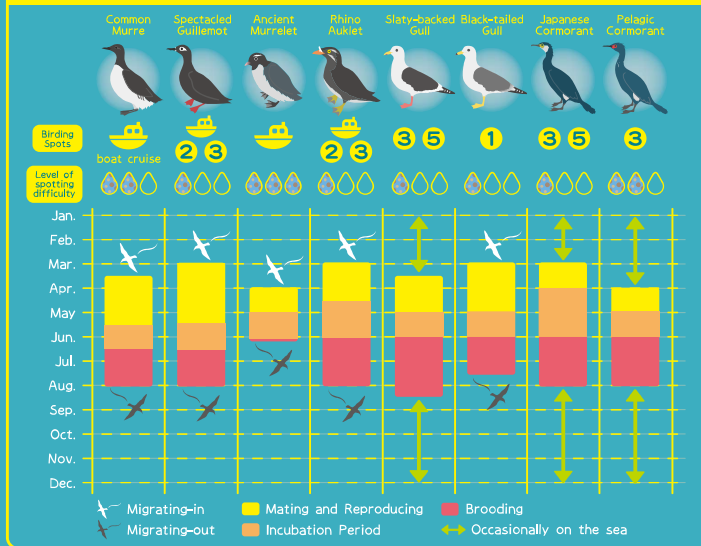


## Teuri Island Seabirds Seasonal Calendar



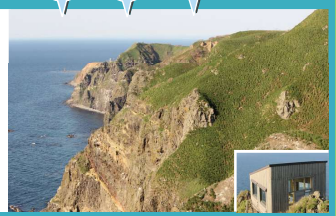
| Distinctive features in breeding season |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Landscapes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Best time of a day | Early morning | Daytime | Daytime | Daytime | Daytime | Daytime | Daytime | Daytime |
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### 3 Seabird Observatory

Great location with stationary binoculars on top of the cliffs. Enjoy an impressive view of the cliffs with Cormorants and Slaty-backed gulls.



### 2 Akaiwa Observatory

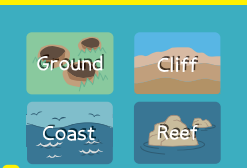
Great view of seabird nesting sites. Countless burrows of auklet, guillemots on cliff, and haul-out areas of spotted seals. In the evening, hundreds of thousands of auklets can be seen flying back and returning to their burrow-nests.



## Level of spotting difficulty

- 1 ... Relatively easy
- 2 ... Occasional spotting
- 3 ... Relatively difficult

## Landscapes



**Ancient Murrelet**  
Spends daytime on the ocean, and returns to nesting sites at night.

**Spectacled Guillemot**  
Breeds on bird-cliffs of the island. Occasionally seen on the ocean during daytime.

**Spotted Seal**  
Good spotting opportunities in Akaiwa, especially when sunny and calm. Sleeps on the reefs.

**Japanese Cormorant**  
Many birds breed and brood on the cliffs on the west-side of island.

**Peregrine Falcon**  
Jan.-Dec.

**Slaty-backed Gull**  
Jan.-Dec.

**Pelagic Cormorant**  
Jan.-Dec.

### 4 Chidorigaura



Pacific swifts breeding site. Large numbers of swifts can be seen flying over this observation point. (May.-Sep.)

**Pacific Swifts**  
May.-Sep.

**Long-eared Owl**  
A few pairs breed on the island and search for food during the night.

**Great Spotted Woodpecker**  
Listen carefully for rapping sounds peck peck peck.

**Woodcock**  
With long bill. Hides in the forest during the day. Appears on roads in the middle of the night.

**Blue Rock Thrush**  
Apr.-Aug.

**Black-tailed Gull**  
Mar.-Jul.

# WALKING & BIRDWATCHING On TEURI ISLAND

Binoculars make birdwatching easy.



**Transportation /**  
Access to Teuri Island is from Haboro by ferry that takes about 95 minutes, or about 60 minutes by jet ferry.



**Pacific White-sided Dolphin**  
Lucky passengers may see dolphins from the ferry.

## Teuri Island Wildlife Walk /

A walk around the island through spots ① to ⑥ provides impressive views of wild fauna and flora.

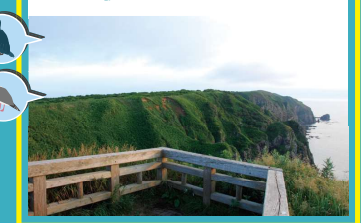
Approx. 12 km for a round-trip walk that takes about 5 to 6 hours.

Rental vehicles and bicycles available at Oloron Rental.



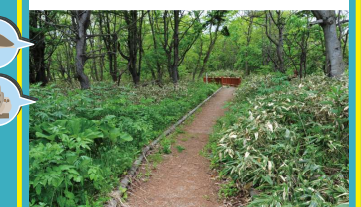
### 5 Kannon-Misaki

Another great view of bird cliffs. After foraging along the coast, Japanese cormorants and Slaty-backed gulls can be observed returning to their nests at dusk.



### 6 Forest Footpath

Forest trails are found in the center of the island. Many migratory birds can be spotted in the forest during spring and fall. At night, there are opportunities to see Woodcock and Long-eared owls.



**Spotted Seal**  
Jan.-Dec.

**Japanese Cormorant**  
Good chance to observe at the seaport, on reefs or cliffs, and at other areas.

**Latham's Snipe**  
Their evening display flights are one of the most magical natural sights in the breeding season.

**Narcissus Flycatcher**  
Apr.-Jun.

**Dusky Thrush**  
Mar.-May.

**Blue-and-white Flycatcher**  
Apr.-May.

**Chestnut-cheeked Starling**  
May.-Sep.

**White-tailed Eagle**  
A small number of Eagle pairs breed on the island. Eagles prey upon gulls at Kurosaki Beach.

### 1 Kurosaki Beach

A perfect spot to see a colony of the Black-tailed gull. Easy to observe their brooding, feeding, and flight activities of gull chicks. (Mar.-Jul)



**Rhino Auklet**  
In the evening (19:00-20:00), hundreds of thousands return to their nests.

**Common Murre**

**Auklet's chick**

**Auklet's nesting area**

**Common Murre**  
Breeds on Bird-cliffs under the Akaiwa observatory. Boat cruising may have a opportunity for observation.

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Mar.-Jul.