













*Passeridae (Old World Sparrows).*

**HOUSE SPARROW** (*Passer domesticus*) – Very common and widespread.

**SPANISH SPARROW** (*Passer hispaniolensis*) – About a dozen bathing in a road side pool near Cheia Dobrogea Gorge.

**EURASIAN TREE SPARROW** (*Passer montanus*) – Widespread in small numbers; with a total of about 100.

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## **MAMMALS**

**EUROPEAN BROWN HARE** (*Lepus europaeus*) – About 40 in the Hortobagy to Kiskunsag area.

**EUROPEAN SOUSLIK** (*Spermophilus citellus*) – Six on the grassy plains near Cheia Dobrogea Gorge.

**EUROPEAN RED SQUIRREL** (*Sciurus vulgaris*) – Two singles at Sighisoara.

**RED FOX** (*Vulpes vulpes*) – Singles in the San Paul and Mt. Hargita areas.

**EUROPEAN RIVER OTTER** (*Lutra lutra*) – One in the Danube Delta.

**ROE DEER** (*Capreolus capreolus*) – One near San Paul, and then about 50 in the Hortobagy to Kiskunsag area.

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## **ADDITIONAL COMMENTS**

Other notable creatures seen on the tour included;

Edible Frog; hundreds heard and a few seen in the Danube Delta.

Pond Frog; 1 in the Danube Delta.

Yellow-bellied Toad; 1 near Sighisoara.

Alpine Newt; about 10 at Bicaz Gorge.

European Pond Terrapin; 6 at Kiskunsag.

Green Lizard; 1 at our hotel at Kiskunsag.

Grass Snake; 1 in the Danube Delta.

European Adder; some of our group saw a fox kill 1 at Mt. Hargita.

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**Totals for the tour: 196 bird taxa and 6 mammal taxa**