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Technical Report on one day study tour to Warila Leh

A one day study tour to Warila (Leh) was conducted by the Department of Zoology for the M.Sc. students on 02-07-22. During the tour different species of animals were observed, photographed and identified from the region. The tour was started from the campus at 07:00 am and reached Warila around 11:00 clock. Warila pass is located after Sakti village 72 km to the south of Leh and 17216 ft above sea level. After reaching the site, different animal species were observed through binoculars and photographed using camera and mobile phones by the students. The animals were identified using different field guides available on fauna of Ladakh and available literatures. During the tour students also visited different places like Shey lake, Karste lake, Sakti village and Thiksay village, which comes in the way towards Warila. Around 6 pm the contingent left Warila and reached at university campus around 8pm.. The animals observed during the study tour are as under.

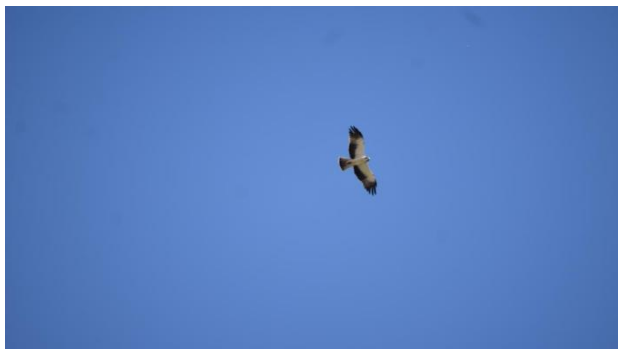
S.No	Common Name of the species	Scientific Name
Mammals		
1.	Himalayan Marmot	<i>Marmota bobak</i>
2.	Tibetan Hare	<i>Lepus oisostolus</i>
3.	Ladakh pica	<i>Ochontonidae</i>
Birds		
4.	Horned Lark	<i>Eremophila alpestris</i>
5.	Black winged redstart	<i>Phoenicurus ochruros</i>
6.	Black billed Magpie	<i>Pica pica</i>
7.	Long tailed shrike	<i>Lanius schach</i>
8.	Chukar partridge	<i>Alectoris chukar</i>
9.	Northern Pintail	<i>Anas acuta</i>
10.	Rock pigeon	<i>Coulmba livia</i>
11.	Common sand piper	<i>Acititis hypoleucos</i>
12.	Mountain Chiffchaff	<i>Phylloscopus sindianus</i>
13.	Common Kestral	<i>Falco tinnunculus</i>



1. Horned lark



2. Himalayan Marmot



3. Common Kestral



4. Mountain chiffchaff

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