

**ROSE ROBIN AT BELAIR NATIONAL
PARK**

On the morning of August 13, 1968, the distinctive song of a Rose Robin (*Petroica rosea*) was heard from a eucalypt alongside the dam at Belair National Park. The singer was a male robin, but without binoculars it was not possible to see any specific plumage details except that it was obviously not a Scarlet Robin. It flicked its wings repeatedly. The bird called a number of times then departed and was not heard again.

The call, with which I am very familiar from visits to Eastern Australia, is a rather high-pitched 'ch-ch-ch cheer, chew chew.' I have no hesitation in recording this as a positive record of the Rose Robin.

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