The garden provides habitat for an array of wildlife. With a variety of food sources and nesting areas, many birds stop by or call the garden home. This is a small selection of birds commonly seen or heard at the UCLA Mildred E. Mathias Botanical Garden.

**Allen's Hummingbird**  
*Selasphorus sasin*  
Food: Nectar  
This is male, the female is more green.

**Anna's Hummingbird**  
*Calypte anna*  
Food: Nectar  
This is a male, the female is more green.

**Bushtit**  
*Psaltriparus minimus*  
Food: Insects

**California Towhee**  
*Melozone crissalis*  
Food: Seeds

**Dark-eyed Junco**  
*Junco hyemalis*  
Food: Seeds

**Hooded Oriole**  
*Icterus cucullatus*  
Food: Insects and nectar

**House Finch**  
*Haemorhous mexicanus*  
Food: Seeds

**Lesser Goldfinch**  
*Spinus psaltria*  
Food: Seeds  
Specimen on the left is female, right is male.

**Northern Mockingbird**  
*Mimus polyglottos*  
Food: Insects and fruits

**Nuttall’s Woodpecker**  
*Picoides nuttallii*  
Food: Insects

**Spotted Towhee**  
*Pipilo maculatus*  
Food: Insects, fruits, and seeds

**Yellow Chevroned Parakeet**  
*Brotogeris chiriri*  
Food: Fruits, seeds, and nectar