

## QUINGHAI from 02 to 13 October 2005

(with Jesper Hornskov as guide)

- 02 October : Arrival and night at Xinning
- 03 October : Visit to Koko Nor Lake. Night at Chaka
- 04 October : Er La Pass – Night at Wenquan
- 05 October : Wenquan Pass (stop) and road to Madoi – Night at Madoi
- 06 October : Road to south of Madoi. Night at Wenquan
- 07 October : Er La Pass – Night at Wenquan
- 08 October : Wenquan Pass – Night at Wenquan
- 09 October : Night at Dulan
- 10 October : Night at Golmud
- 11 October : Naij Gol Valley (4200 m.)– Night at Xiaonanchuan
- 12 October : Road to 125 km to the South. Lunch at Wudaoliang. Night at Tuotuoheyan
- 13 October : Back to Golmud. Night at Golmud

### List of Mammals:

- Red Fox (*Vulpes vulpes*): 1 on October 5<sup>th</sup> at Wenquan Pass
- Tibetan Fox (*Vulpes ferrilata*): 1 on October 5<sup>th</sup> along the road
- **Pallas' Cat (*Felis manul*)**: 4 different individuals on October 5<sup>th</sup> at Wenquan Pass including 1 hunting Pikas at 4800 m, 1 on October 8<sup>th</sup> at the same place
- Kiang (*Equus (hemionus) kiang*): some on October 5<sup>th</sup> 30 km north east of Madoi, many on October 6<sup>th</sup> south of Madoi, 14 on October 11<sup>th</sup> in Naij Gol Valley. Many on October 12<sup>th</sup> between Xiaonanchuan and Tuotuoheyan. Total : about 1200 individuals
- **Yak (*Bos grunniens*)**: About 600 wild Yaks in Naij Gol Valley on October 11<sup>th</sup> including one very big male isolated with Argalis and Kiangs
- **Tibetan Antelope (Chiru) (*Pantholops hodgsoni*)**: 17 + 1 +1 males and about 200 females and youngs on October 12<sup>th</sup>, 120 km south of Xiaonanchuan
- Goitred Gazelle (*Gazella subgutturosa*): 2 on October 10<sup>th</sup> 170 km after Dulan on the road to Golmud
- Tibetan Gazelle (*Procapra picticaudata*): between Wenquan Pass and Madoi on October 5<sup>th</sup>, many on October 6<sup>th</sup> south of Madoi, many on October 12<sup>th</sup> between Xiaonanchuan and Tuotuoheyan
- **Przewalski's Gazelle (*Procapra przewalski*)**: 9 (2 males with 4 females and 4 youngs) on October 9<sup>th</sup> 90 km before Dulan coming from Wenquan
- Blue Sheep (*Pseudois nayaur*): 1 on October 4<sup>th</sup> near Er La Pass , 2 on October 5<sup>th</sup> at Wenquan Pass

- Argali (*Ovis ammon*): 67 on October 11<sup>th</sup> in Naij Gol Valley including a group of 30 together with 14 Kiangs and 1 big male of Yak
- Black-lipped Pika (*Ochotona curzoniae*): some on October 5<sup>th</sup> at Wenquan Pass