



Latin Name *Aegithalos caudatus*

What do they look like?

Where do they live and nest in Healey Dell?

What do they eat?

What do they sound like?



<http://www.rspb.org.uk/birds/guide/m/mallard/index.asp>

What are their eggs and nests like?

Conservation

and are on the **GREEN** list, (the link at the top will tell you more about this),

Sources

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Vital Statistics

Eggs: March to early May 7-12
 Incubation: 14-16 days
 Maximum lifespan: 8 years
 Length: 14cm
 Wingspan: 16-19cm
 Weight: 7-10g
 UK breeding: 220,000 territories