

# LANDGUARD BIRD OBSERVATORY

## SYSTEMATIC BIRD LIST 2016

**MUTE SWAN** *Cygnus olor*

A total of 15 records spread over seven months, max. eight north, 11 in off one on October 9th.

**BEAN GOOSE** *Anser fabalis*

One south January 8th, one north 11th, two south February 13th & one south December 20th.

**GREY GOOSE SP.**

One south January 14th was probably a Bean Goose.

**PINK-FOOTED GOOSE** *Anser brachyrhynchus*

12 north November 3rd.

**WHITE-FRONTED GOOSE** *Anser albifrons*

Three south January 12th, one on October 5th, four south nine in off 14th & one south December 20th.

**GREYLAG GOOSE** *Anser anser*

Two south January 12th. Local wanderers noted on 24 dates February 27th to July 9th, max. four north four south March 29th.

**CANADA GOOSE** *Branta canadensis*

Four south February 11th. Noted on seven dates March 15th to April 14th max. six south March 23rd. In June three north 9th & 19 north 11th.

**BARNACLE GOOSE** *Branta leucopsis*

Noted February 23rd to October 5th, max. 228 south February 23rd. Additionally a flock were heard flying north May 16th & one was on site August 7th.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N+out	0	0	27	0	28	6	9	63	7	0	0	0
S+in	0	228	168	2	2	3	0	0	0	12	0	0

**BRENT GOOSE** *Branta bernicla*

Last noted in spring June 7th, max. 283 north 43 south March 21st & 240 out then north May 26th. First autumn record September 16th, max. eight north 2856 south October 4th & 1547 south 5th. Small numbers also occasionally sit on site or offshore.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N+out	255	126	784	23	604	112	0	0	21	447	124	27
S+in	486	77	157	14	4	0	0	0	1326	5669	862	195

**SHELDUCK** *Tadorna tadorna*

Small numbers noted moving offshore most of the year with prospecting on the reserve March 5th to June 30th by at least 16 birds. The largest movements were 98 south January 2nd, 20 north June 6th & 20 south November 12th.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N+out	0	0	11	3	18	32	6	8	1	3	7	1
S+in	215	85	24	34	10	2	0	12	47	43	51	14

**WIGEON** *Anas penelope*

Early in the year noted up to March 24th, max. three north 178 south January 2nd. In autumn noted from August 24th onwards, max. 660 south October 4th.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N+out	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	63	11	66	0
S+in	260	11	1	0	0	0	0	8	1646	1716	318	46

**GADWALL** *Anas strepera*

Noted up to May 30th & from September 6th to November 24th, max. 19 south, two in off October 29th.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
S+in	8	2	0	3	2	0	0	0	3	27	12	0

**TEAL** *Anas crecca*

Early in the year noted up to February 7th, max.420 south January 3rd. In spring two south March 16th & four north April 12th. One flew south June 11th. Autumn passage July 5th onwards, max. 429 south September 6th.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N+out	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	17	7	6	0
S+in	530	2	2	0	0	1	2	466	1144	445	199	3

**MALLARD** *Anas platyrhynchos*

Noted in seven months, max. nine south one out October 27th. Two were on site November 16th.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N+out	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0
S+in	3	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	5	2

**PINTAIL** *Anas acuta*

Noted up to March 9th & from August 29th to November 20th, max. 23 south January 7th & 26 south September 22nd.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N+out	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
S+in	45	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	58	47	9	0

**GARGANEY** *Anas querquedula*

One south September 16th (W.J.Brame, C.Mee *et al*). Ninth site record.

**SHOVELER** *Anas clypeata*

Two north seven south January 2nd & nine south 7th. None in spring. In autumn 39 south August 19th to November 9th, max. 12 south August 19th.

**POCHARD** *Aythya ferina*

One north three south January 2nd.

**TUFTED DUCK** *Aythya fuligula*

One south January 1st, two south 2nd, one on April 15th, one south July 5th, two south September 6th, one north November 7th, three south 8th & four south 9th.

**EIDER** *Somateria mollissima*

12 south January 2nd to 22nd, max. nine south 4th. Singles offshore April 25th, May 27th & one north June 10th. In autumn 99 north 19 south one offshore October 4th to November 27th, max. 62 north five south November 25th. Later on two south December 20th.

**LONG-TAILED DUCK** *Clangula hyemalis*

One south January 2nd & three south 5th. In autumn two north October 13th, one north 19th, one south November 6th, two south 8th, one north 9th & one up river 10th.

**COMMON SCOTER** *Melanitta nigra*

Seen up to June 6th & from August 16th. Peak counts 153 north 148 south November 27th. Two noted offshore September 13th & nine November 4th.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N	14	16	3	11	3	2	0	0	11	66	739	26
S	16	1	2	1	1	7	0	6	23	36	817	30

**VELVET SCOTER** *Melanitta fusca*

One south November 20th, two north 28th, two south December 16th & one south 21st.

**GOLDENEYE** *Bucephala clangula*

Three south February 4th & one south 12th. In autumn a total of one north 16 south one offshore November 2nd to December 3rd, max. five south November 8th.

**RED-BREASTED MERGANSER** *Mergus serrator*

11 south January 2nd to February 18th, max. five south January 18th. In spring three south March 26th. In autumn 26 south September 16th to November 29th, max. eight south November 12th.

**GOOSANDER** *Mergus merganser*

Two south January 11th, three north March 17th, one south April 6th, six south October 27th, one north November 7th, one south 10th & one south 20th.

**RED-LEGGED PARTRIDGE** *Alectoris rufa*

Singles March 17th to 20th, April 19th & August 22nd to 23rd with one (presumably this bird) found dead 29th.

**PHEASANT** *Phasianus colchicus*

Male October 25th to 26th.

**RED-THROATED DIVER** *Gavia stellata*

Noted up to April 22nd, one June 3rd & from September 12th, max. 98 north 429 south February 13th.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N	155	680	265	14	0	0	0	0	2	3	21	80
S	285	588	51	1	0	1	0	0	0	10	49	109
MAX ON	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	1

**BLACK-THROATED DIVER** *Gavia arctica*

One south October 8th, one in off 27th & one north November 8th.

**GREAT NORTHERN DIVER** *Gavia immer*

One south one in off February 20th, one south 21st, one south April 22nd, one south October 9th & one south 13th.

**FULMAR** *Fulmarus glacialis*

Singles January 22nd & 27th then noted March 16th to September 9th, max four north four south May 31st.

**SOOTY SHEARWATER** *Puffinus griseus*

One north one south (presumed same) January 2nd & two offshore 7th. Singles north August 21st, north 27th & south September 27th.

**MANX SHEARWATER** *Puffinus puffinus*

One north May 30th & one south September 25th.

**LEACH'S PETREL** *Oceanodroma leucorhoa*

One north one south October 4th (P.J.Holmes).

**GANNET** *Morus bassanus*

Noted in all months, max. 61 north March 16th, one north 81 south May 31st.

Monthly totals were:-													
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	
N	7	16	131	13	3	11	4	3	79	49	31	5	
S	25	12	6	1	85	107	0	9	40	29	20	0	
MAX ON	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	2	

**CORMORANT** *Phalacrocorax carbo*

Present all year with winter counts increasing, max. 958 out January 17th early in the year and later on 3,020 out December 25th.

**SHAG** *Phalacrocorax aristotelis*

One north May 15th & one south November 16th.

**LITTLE EGRET** *Egretta garzetta*

Total of three north, nine south March 29th to May 23rd, max. three south April 20th. Total of 20 south July 3rd to 14th, max. 16 south 3rd. Total of eight south November 4th to December 16th.

**GREAT WHITE EGRET** *Ardea alba*

One north December 3rd (T.Holland, N.Odin, R.Spiers). Fifth site record.

**GREY HERON** *Ardea cinerea*

In spring seven noted March 24th to April 18th. One May 16th preceded 20 birds June 2nd to November 6th, max. three July 6th & October 4th.

**LITTLE GREBE** *Tachybaptus ruficollis*

One September 17th (W.J.Brame, P.J.Holmes, N.Odin). Sixth site record.

**GREAT CRESTED GREBE** *Podiceps cristatus*

Noted in all months, max. ten south November 14th.

Monthly totals were:-													
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	
N	0	2	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
S+in	3	4	4	1	2	3	1	1	2	1	18	4	
MAX ON	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	

**RED-NECKED GREBE** *Podiceps grisegena*

One south February 12th & one north 13th.

**SLAVONIAN GREBE** *Podiceps auritus*

Singles south January 5th (W.J.Brame, D.T.Langlois, M.May et al) & March 21st (W.J.Brame et al). Ninth & tenth site record.

**BLACK-NECKED GREBE** *Podiceps nigricollis*

One north October 5th (P.Oldfield). Eighth site record.

**BLACK KITE** *Milvus migrans*

One south July 26th (C.J.Bridge, D.T.Langlois, N.Odin). First site record.

**MARSH HARRIER** *Circus aeruginosus*

Singles south January 13th, north March 17th, north April 2nd, south 12th, north 17th, south May 23rd, south July 12th, south August 12th, west September 1st, south 28th, south 30th, south October 2nd, south 5th, south 19th & south November 5th.

**HEN HARRIER** *Circus cyaneus*

Ringtail south October 29th.

**SPARROWHAWK** *Accipiter nisus*

One or two regularly noted January to May 9th with four April 14th. Visible movements of six south/in March 25th to April 18th. Singles noted June 10th & 21st. Up to two again July 8th to years end. Visible movements in autumn were one north October 19th.

**COMMON BUZZARD** *Buteo buteo*

Singles west January 16th, south September 11th, south October 22nd, south November 3rd & one on 11th.

**OSPREY** *Pandion haliaetus*

One south September 1st.

**MOORHEN** *Gallinula chloropus*

One dead remains on riverbank October 21st.

**AVOCET** *Recurvirostra avosetta*

Six north March 24th, one north May 7th, three south 16th, two west June 10th, two west 14th, two east 15th, six south 25th, one on the beach August 13th, two south September 7th, one south October 5th & eight south November 12th.

**OYSTERCATCHER** *Haematopus ostralegus*

Up to three were occasionally on the reserve especially in the spring and summer with seven April 30th. Largest spring movement 55 north one south March 22nd and in autumn 83 south August 11th.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N+out	0	1	83	36	22	5	1	3	6	4	3	3
S+in	8	16	26	38	36	17	22	204	59	2	3	2

**GOLDEN PLOVER** *Pluvialis apricaria*.

Early in the year noted up to March 8th. Autumn passage July 18th to December 24th, max. 22 south September 10th. Singles on the reserve September 22nd, October 4th to 7th, December 6th & 17th. Movements early in the year are heading to Hamford Water to roost early morning, max. 1897 south January 1st.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N+out	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	0	0
S+in	3824	1485	48	0	0	0	1	31	47	2	4	7

**GREY PLOVER** *Pluvialis squatarola*

11 south January 3rd. Spring passage March 16th to June 1st, max. four south May 18th. Autumn passage July 29th to October 8th. One on reserve September 9th.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0
IN/S	16	3	0	1	5	0	1	19	62	0	0	0

**LAPWING** *Vanellus vanellus*

Noted in eight months, max. 29 south January 13th. Singles on the reserve on 13 dates during the year.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
IN/S	47	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	23	32	0

**LITTLE RINGED PLOVER** *Charadrius dubius*

Singles April 14th, May 2nd, 26th & July 24th.

**RINGED PLOVER** *Charadrius hiaticula*

Breeding birds started returning January 31st with four pairs breeding rearing eight young. Autumn passage at least August 2nd to September 22nd, max. 17 south September 6th. Only records after this were two October 15th & one November 27th.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N+out	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0
S+in	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	19	32	0	0	0
MAX ON	2	3	7	8	9	12	14	2	5	2	1	0

**KENTISH PLOVER** *Charadrius alexandrinus*

Male June 2nd (P.J.Holmes *et al*). Fifth site record.

**WHIMBREL** *Numenius phaeopus*

In spring a total of 106 noted April 9th to June 2nd max. 18 north May 7th. In autumn a total of 73 noted July 5th to September 23rd, max. ten south July 5th.

**CURLEW** *Numenius arquata*

Two south January 7th. Spring passage February 18th to May 13th plus later singles south May 22nd & 28th, max. 40 north April 12th & 50 north 17th. Singles or flocks were heard going over on six dates March 5th to April 19th. Autumn passage June 11th to September 28th & again from October 24th to November 27th, max. 100 south July 5th. One was on the reserve August 22nd.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
E+N	0	2	6	108	3	2	2	0	0	4	6	0
IN/S	4	1	1	0	1	106	135	8	7	1	8	0

**BLACK-TAILED GODWIT** *Limosa limosa*

One south January 29th & one west August 26th.

**BAR-TAILED GODWIT** *Limosa lapponica*

11 south January 2nd to 7th. Spring passage April 6th to May 30th, max four south April 19th. Autumn passage July 9th to September 27th, max. ten south September 27th. A later bird south December 20th.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
S	11	0	0	5	2	0	4	4	24	0	0	1

**TURNSTONE** *Arenaria interpres*

Noted up to May 25th & from July 27th, max. 14 south September 6th. 30 briefly on the beach October 11th.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	7	0
S	3	0	3	0	0	0	4	27	25	10	6	0
MAX ON	2	3	5	1	1	0	0	1	3	30	5	3

**KNOT** *Calidris canutus*

Noted up to February 6th. In spring one south May 20th & three north June 1st. Autumn passage of two on the beach July 7th then from August 3rd to November 27th, max. 48 south November 20th. One flew north November 27th & one was on the jetty December 26th.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
S	5	1	0	0	1	0	0	16	64	7	122	0

**RUFF** *Calidris pugnax*

Singles south July 9th, 11th & August 20th.

**CURLEW SANDPIPER** *Calidris ferruginea*

Two south September 13th & one south 18th.

**SANDERLING** *Calidris alba*

Spring passage May 6th to 27th. Autumn passage June 29th to September 29th, max. 18 July 25th & six south 14 on September 5th. Later on one south October 30th & up to two on the beach in November.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
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N	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
S+in	0	0	0	0	11	1	0	0	13	1	0	0
MAX ON	0	0	0	0	10	0	18	1	14	0	2	0

**DUNLIN** *Calidris alpina*

Early in the year 75 south January 3rd to 10th, max. 46 south 3rd. Two south February 3rd. Spring passage March 2nd to May 28th. Autumn passage July 11th to November 24th, max. 115 south September 27th. Singles on the beach March 18th, May 16th, July 25th, August 18th, September 16th & October 25th.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N+out	0	0	3	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	9	0
S+in	75	2	26	5	12	0	5	37	200	52	258	0

**PURPLE SANDPIPER** *Calidris maritima*

One south January 5th. Singles on 18 dates October 12th to December 30th plus two October 30th & November 8th.

**LITTLE STINT** *Calidris minuta*

One south August 9th.

**BUFF-BREASTED SANDPIPER** *Calidris subruficollis*

One September 12th (W.J.Brame, T.Holland, R.Spiers). First site record.

**COMMON SANDPIPER** *Tringa hypoleucos*

In spring two May 10th & three 11th. In autumn one July 29th, one August 5th, two 24th & one 30th.

**GREEN SANDPIPER** *Tringa ochropus*

One north March 16th.

**GREENSHANK** *Tringa nebularia*

One May 15th. In autumn singles July 29th, August 6th, 11th, 24th & September 4th.

**WOOD SANDPIPER** *Tringa glareola*

One south August 4th (N.Odin). Tenth site record.

**REDSHANK** *Tringa totanus*

In spring one heard April 4th. Autumn passage June 27th to September 6th, max. 25 south July 1st & 27 south August 30th. 12 additional birds heard going over during this period. A later record of one south November 7th.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N+out	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
S+in	0	0	0	0	0	1	27	40	2	0	1	0

**JACK SNIFE** *Lymnocyptes minimus*

One October 7th.

**WOODCOCK** *Scolopax rusticola*

Singles January 21st, 24th & 25th. In spring 13 noted March 13th to 27th, max. three March 18th. In autumn 16 noted October 6th to November 24th, max. three November 3rd.

**SNIFE** *Gallinago gallinago*

None in spring. In autumn 24 noted September 1st to November 11th, max. three November 3rd. Later on two December 28th.

**POMARINE SKUA** *Stercorarius pomarinus*

One February 3rd, one August 19th, one September 9th, three October 4th & two November 24th.

**ARCTIC SKUA** *Stercorarius parasiticus*

15 noted August 18th to October 5th, max. four October 4th & 5th.

**GREAT SKUA** *Stercorarius skua*

Early in the year noted on 13 dates January 2nd to March 1st, max. four January 10th. In spring one south April 22nd. In autumn nine noted October 16th to November 28th.

**RAZORBILL** *Alca torda*

Singles January 10th, 26th, 27th, 29th, two February 2nd, one 3rd, three 4th, singles August 29th, November 14th & 20th.

**LITTLE AUKELET** *Alle alle*

Eight November 3rd, two 7th & one 9th.

**GUILLEMOT** *Uria aalge*

Noted on 20 dates January 7th to February 27th, max. ten north 38 south February 6th. One June 1st. Later on noted on eight dates September 27th to November 26th, max. three November 7th.

**AUK SP.**

Noted on four dates January 7th to February 13th, max. 13 January 29th.

**LITTLE TERN** *Sterna albifrons*

Noted April 21st to August 19th, max two south 16 on June 18th.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N+out	0	0	0	18	16	0	0	6	0	0	0	0
S+in	0	0	0	0	8	4	0	5	0	0	0	0
MAX ON	0	0	0	0	12	16	6	1	0	0	0	0

**BLACK TERN** *Chlidonias niger*

Four north May 11th, one north August 18th, two on 27th, one south September 1st & one north October 7th.

**SANDWICH TERN** *Sterna sandvicensis*

Noted March 28th to October 23rd with a peak movement 16 north three south September 16th. Small numbers occasionally feed offshore & in the river, max. 12 September 10th.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N+out	0	0	0	5	25	27	24	50	113	8	0	0
S+in	0	0	1	11	4	0	6	10	44	10	0	0
MAX ON	0	0	0	1	4	3	6	10	12	6	0	0

**COMMON TERN** *Sterna hirundo*

Noted April 14th to October 11th, max. 33 north one south May 6th. The max. offshore was 50 May 15th.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N+out	0	0	0	19	63	30	2	22	34	0	0	0
S+in	0	0	0	0	13	13	5	18	37	0	0	0
MAX ON	0	0	0	0	100	30	8	30	17	3	0	0

**ROSEATE TERN** *Sterna dougallii*

One May 30th (C.J.Bridge), two out then north June 4th (C.J.Bridge) & one out then north July 23rd (N.Odin).

**ARCTIC TERN** *Sterna paradisaea*

In spring singles May 18th & 31st. In autumn singles on six dates August 3rd to October 7th plus two September 7th.

**SABINE'S GULL** *Xema sabini*

Juv north October 5th (C.J.Bridge, E.W.Patrick) & juv north 7th (J.Bowen, D.Elliot, S. Howells).

**KITTIWAKE** *Rissa tridactyla*

Noted up to March 2nd, April 30th to June 14th, September 12th, October 5th & from November 7th, max. 1,000 south January 26th.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N	4	7	0	1	14	8	0	0	0	0	2	1
S+in	1383	69	4	0	10	1	0	0	1	10	1	81
MAX ON	84	140	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	15

**BLACK-HEADED GULL** *Chroicocephalus ridibundus*

Present all year with peak counts of 150 January 26th, 147 north 30 on March 18th & 285 south July 13th. Some movements all year with spring passage from March 11th and in autumn from early July.

**LITTLE GULL** *Hydrocoloeus minutus*

286 south January 2nd to 11th, max 85 south 5th & 88 south 7th.

**MEDITERRANEAN GULL** *Larus melanocephalus*

Present all year, max. eight September 25th.

Monthly max:-

Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
5	4	1	3	2	2	4	4	8	6	3	4

**COMMON GULL** *Larus canus*

Present all year except although only two records June 28th to August 5th, max. 1,600 January 27th (inc. 800 south) early in the year & later on 102 December 23rd. Only very small numbers noted moving at passage times, max. 43 south three out April 14th & 47 south October 5th.

**LESSER BLACK-BACKED GULL** *Larus fuscus*

Noted all year although only in very small numbers early & late in the year with none at all after November 14th. Nested in the adjoining docks. Count of 50 March 20th.

**HERRING GULL** *Larus argentatus*

Present all year and nesting in the adjoining docks. 1,500 January 27th, 28th, 30th, March 20th, 21st & December 11th were the largest counts.

**YELLOW-LEGGED GULL** *Larus michahellis*

One February 8th, 20th, two 21st, one 28th, two March 23rd & one August 11th.

**GLAUCOUS GULL** *Larus hyperboreus*

First-winter November 14th, 18th, 25th & December 3rd (W.J.Brame, D.T.Langlois, N.Odin *et al*) & second-winter December 21st (W.J.Brame, P.J.Holmes, N.Odin).

**GREAT BLACK-BACKED GULL** *Larus marinus*

Present all year although few present in the summer months, max. 300 January 26th to 30th, March 21st & 26th & 400 December 11th.

**FERAL PIGEON** *Columba livia*

Present all year with peak count of 70 November 17th.

**STOCK DOVE** *Columba oenas*

Singles February 10th & 14th. In spring 23 noted March 13th to June 5th, max. six north March 14th. Seven south July 3rd is unusual. In autumn singles August 28th, 29th, September 3rd & 4th preceded 26 noted October 20th to November 19th, max. 11 November 15th.

**WOODPIGEON** *Columba palumbus*

Up to 40 present all year. 12 to 15 pairs bred. A total of 43 north 636 south March 16th to April 30th plus later records of 12 south June 16th & two south 28th, max. 185 south March 30th. In autumn 137 south October 20th to November 19th, max. 76 south November 19th.

**COLLARED DOVE** *Streptopelia decaocto*

Present all year with three pairs nesting including bird on eggs from December 2015 that failed when female plucked off nest by Sparrowhawk mid-January and young chicks freezing to death. Extra birds are often present on site peaking at ten August 31st.

**TURTLE DOVE** *Streptopelia turtur*

Singles on 15 dates May 11th to June 7th. In autumn one November 1st.

**CUCKOO** *Cuculus canorus*

Singles May 20th & June 8th & juveniles August 1st & 3rd.

**LITTLE OWL** *Athene noctua*

Pair present all year reared no young. Three birds present several dates April 1st to 10th.

**LONG-EARED OWL** *Asio otus*

One January 7th.

**SHORT-EARED OWL** *Asio flammeus*

In spring two April 17th. In autumn noted on eight dates October 8th to November 11th, max. two October 27th.

**ASIO OWL Sp.**

Singles quartering after dark November 16th, 21st & December 15th.

**SWIFT** *Apus apus*

Noted April 30th to September 3rd, max. 420 south July 11th. Small numbers occasionally fed on site.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
IN/N	0	0	0	1	29	190	219	2	0	0	0	0
S	0	0	0	0	56	175	1071	125	1	0	0	0

**KINGFISHER** *Alcedo atthis*

Singles April 8th, August 26th, September 21st & November 23rd.

**WRYNECK** *Jynx torquilla*

Singles September 12th & 24th to 25th when taken by a Sparrowhawk.

**GREEN WOODPECKER** *Picus viridis*

Singles April 5th & in autumn on eight dates July 23rd to September 23rd, max. two August 15th.

**GREAT SPOTTED WOODPECKER** *Dendrocopos major*

One April 7th. In autumn noted on six dates July 2nd to September 23rd, max. two July 14th.

**KESTREL** *Falco tinnunculus*

Present all year with the local pair nesting in the near adjoining dock rearing two young. In autumn singles north August 11th, south September 25th & north November 23rd.

**MERLIN** *Falco columbarius*

In spring singles March 4th, April 29th & 30th. In autumn two October 5th.

**HOBBY** *Falco subbuteo*

Singles on nine dates April 19th to July 2nd & on five dates September 2nd to October 10th.

**PEREGRINE** *Falco peregrinus*

Pair present and bred in near adjoining dock but failed and became elusive July 8th to years end. Three were present March 30th & two wandering juveniles June 24th.

**GREAT GREY SHRIKE** *Lanius excubitor*

Singles October 3rd (D.McCarthy) & 5th (C.J.Bridge, R.A.Duncan *et al*).

**MAGPIE** *Pica pica*

Present all year with five or six pairs nesting rearing just one young. Spring max. 20 March 31st & 14 October 17th later in the year.

**JAY** *Garrulus glandarius*

Singles April 21st & May 4th.

**JACKDAW** *Corvus monedula*

One January 15th. In spring a total of ten north 21 south two in off 17 on site February 24th to June 14th, max. five south May 19th. Two August 16th. In autumn a total of four north 12 south one in off September 19th to November 15th, max. seven south September 19th. Later on one north December 22nd & one south 29th.

**ROOK** *Corvus frugilegus*

Spring passage totals of three north 37 in/south two on March 11th to May 13th, max. six south March 31st & six south April 7th. In autumn one south September 30th.

**CARRION CROW** *Corvus corone*

Present all year. Two pairs nested in the near adjoining dock rearing five & three young. Intruders occasionally turn up on site and are soon seen off by the locals with a spring max. of 37 April 2nd, 17 September 21st in autumn & 17 December 12th later on. Spring passage movements of two north 23 south 35 in off March 5th to April 29th, max. 22 in off April 29th. Visible movement in autumn one south November 11th & 12 south December 12th.

**GOLDCREST** *Regulus regulus*

Two overwintered to at least February 13th with one to March 14th. Spring passage March 8th to April 17th, max. 12 March 31st. Autumn passage September 16th to November 19th, max. 40 October 6th.

**FIRECREST** *Regulus ignicapilla*

Spring passage March 18th to June 4th, max. seven April 1st. Autumn passage September 23rd to November 4th, max. four October 15th.

**BLUE TIT** *Cyanistes caeruleus*

Present all year with one pair nesting. Eight birds from previous years survived the winter, the oldest from September 2012. Spring passage March 17th to April 7th, max. six March 23rd. First juvenile May 27th with dispersing juveniles turning up from elsewhere from June 10th to July 27th with a later new bird August 14th. Autumn passage August 24th to October 25th, max. seven September 11th & 14th.

**GREAT TIT** *Parus major*

Present all year with four or five pairs nesting. 18 birds from previous years survived the winter with the oldest from July 2012. Spring passage March 4th to May 9th, max. 15 March 23rd. First juveniles May 28th with dispersing juveniles turning up on site from elsewhere from then to August 7th, max. 15 several dates end May to end June. Autumn passage September 7th to October 25th plus a later new bird December 22nd, max. ten September 4th, 7th & 14th.

**COAL TIT** *Periparus ater britannicus*

Ten noted June 17th to July 28th, max. three June 22nd.

**CONTINENTAL COAL TIT** *Periparus ater ater*

Spring passage March 22nd to April 19th plus two later birds May 6th, max. four March 25th.

**WOODLARK** *Lullula arborea*

Singles March 24th, April 5th, October 10th, 15th & 20th.

**SKYLARK** *Alauda arvensis*

Spring passage January 23rd to May 21st, max. five north four south two on March 17th. Juvenile present June 21st to 22nd. Autumn passage September 30th to November 30th plus a later bird south December 22nd, max. 25 south October 19th with up to four grounded on 16 dates during this period.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N	0	1	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
IN/S	2	4	22	2	0	0	0	0	1	203	73	1
MAX ON	0	0	2	1	3	1	0	0	0	5	4	0

**SHORELARK** *Eremophila alpestris*

One October 20th to 24th.

**SAND MARTIN** *Riparia riparia*

In spring a total of 35 noted April 14th to May 29th, max. 11 south April 14th. In autumn a total of 631 south two on July 2nd to September 24th, max. 167 south July 13th.

**SWALLOW** *Hirundo rustica*

Noted from March 27th to November 6th. Spring max. 110 south May 20th. Autumn passage from at least early July, max. 500 south September 22nd. Small numbers also occasionally loiter on site, max. 20 October 8th.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N	0	0	1	22	61	13	6	13	39	6	0	0
IN/S	0	0	1	96	405	65	131	1181	2863	247	4	0

**HOUSE MARTIN** *Delichon urbicum*

Noted April 14th to June 16th & July 18th to October 19th. The peak movement was 297 south September 22nd. Small numbers occasionally loiter on site.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N	0	0	0	2	13	1	0	0	101	16	0	0
S+in	0	0	0	6	35	8	6	18	1264	23	0	0

**LONG-TAILED TIT** *Aegithalos caudatus*

In spring noted on 12 dates February 14th to April 8th, max. six February 26th. In autumn noted on ten dates September 6th to November 13th, max. 15 October 21st & 22nd.

**ARCTIC WARBLER** *Phylloscopus borealis*

One September 20th to 21st (C.J.Bridge *et al*). Second site record.

**PALLAS'S WARBLER** *Phylloscopus proregulus*

Singles October 24th to 25th (C.J.Bridge, S.G.Dodd *et al*) with a second bird present 25th (C.J.Bridge *et al*).

**YELLOW-BROWED WARBLER** *Phylloscopus inornatus*

Singles on six dates September 19th to October 10th plus two October 4th, 5th & 7th.

**RADDE'S WARBLER** *Phylloscopus schwarzi*

One October 6th (N.Odin). Fifth site record.

**WOOD WARBLER** *Phylloscopus sibilatrix*

Singles August 8th & 9th.

**CHIFFCHAFF** *Phylloscopus collybita*

One from December 26th 2015 to January 17th. Spring passage March 12th to June 13th with a couple of these birds loitering to the months end, max. ten March 30th & April 13th. At least 12 dispersing juveniles turned up June 25th to July 18th with one of these loitering to July 24th. Autumn passage September 2nd to November 10th, max. 50 September 19th.

**WILLOW WARBLER** *Phylloscopus trochilus*

Spring passage March 30th to May 26th, max. 20 May 2nd. Autumn passage July 28th to October 7th, max. 20 September 11th.

**BLACKCAP** *Sylvia atricapilla*

Spring passage March 29th to June 19th with a later new adult July 5th, max. 35 April 29th. At least seven dispersing juveniles turned up July 4th to 26th with one of these birds noted again August 9th to 10th. Autumn passage August 23rd to November 21st, max. 40 September 19th.

**GARDEN WARBLER** *Sylvia borin*

Spring passage May 11th to June 10th, max. two May 11th. Autumn passage August 7th to October 15th, max. two August 26th & September 16th.

**BARRED WARBLER** *Sylvia nisoria*

One September 20th (E.Lucking, N.Odin, R.Spiers *et al*).

**LESSER WHITETHROAT** *Sylvia curruca*

Spring passage April 11th to June 1st, max. nine May 2nd. Three pairs bred with juveniles noted from July 7th. Autumn passage from at least August 15th to October 20th, max. ten August 25th.

**SIBERIAN LESSER WHITETHROAT** *S.c.blythi*

One October 11th to 20th. One or two other late birds listed above also probably of this race.

**WHITETHROAT** *Sylvia communis*

Spring passage April 11th to June 11th, max. 14 May 7th & 8th. Five pairs bred & juveniles noted from June 16th with up to 15 counted end June & July. Autumn passage from at least end of July to October 1st, max. 13 August 31st.

**DARTFORD WARBLER** *Sylvia undata*

One October 10th (I. Porter *et al*). Sixth site record.

**GRASSHOPPER WARBLER** *Locustella naevia*

One April 19th.

**ICTERINE WARBLER** *Hippolais icterina*

Singles August 25th (C.J.Bridge *et al*) & 29th (C.J.Bridge *et al*).

**SEDGE WARBLER** *Acrocephalus schoenobaenus*

In spring one April 14th, two 28th, two May 2nd & one 9th. In autumn singles on eight dates July 16th to September 7th.

**BLYTH'S REED WARBLER** *Acrocephalus dumetorum*

One October 10th (L.J.Barber, C.J.Bridge *et al*). First site record.

**REED WARBLER** *Acrocephalus scirpaceus*

Spring passage May 2nd to June 7th, max. two May 26th. In autumn noted July 1st to September 27th, max. two July 30th & August 23rd.

**WAXWING** *Bombycilla garrulus*

One November 11th.

**TREECREEPER** *Certhia familiaris*

Singles June 22nd, July 3rd & 27th to 31st.

**WREN** *Troglodytes troglodytes*

At least 17 birds over wintered surviving from previous years although seven of these ringed in autumn 2015 were not recaptured after the spring so presumably only wintered here. Spring passage March 26th to May 19th. Five pairs bred with juveniles appearing from June 17th. Dispersing juveniles from elsewhere turned up on site from then to August 29th. Autumn passage September 16th to November 4th, max. 20 October 9th.

**STARLING** *Sturnus vulgaris*

Present all year although scarce in the winter months, max. 230 roosting in old dock crane January 17th. None nested. The spring max. was 80 March 10th. Mid-summer peak of 1,000 July 10th. Visible movements in autumn of 5,239 in off the sea or flying south October 15th to November 25th, max. 1,375 in off November 8th. Later in the year highest count in December was just three 5th.

**RING OUZEL** *Turdus torquatus*

In spring singles on 19 dates April 21st to May 14th. Autumn passage October 2nd to 21st, max. eight 8th.

**BLACKBIRD** *Turdus merula*

At least 15 males 8 females survived the winter with the oldest from 2010 although three males & three females ringed late October & November 2015 were not recaptured after March so only wintered here. Present all year with eight to ten pairs nesting. Spring passage March 10th to May 6th plus a later new male 26th & new female June 12th, max. 30 March 20th & 24th. First juveniles noted May 17th with dispersing juveniles turning up on site from then to September 13th. Autumn passage September 22nd to December 15th, max. 100 November 3rd & 110 8th.

**FIELDFARE** *Turdus pilaris*

One January 1st. Spring passage February 24th to April 18th, max. 15 March 24th. A mid-summer bird present June 16th to 17th. Autumn passage October 7th to December 28th, max. 45 in off November 3rd.

**SONG THRUSH** *Turdus philomelos*

At least six successfully over wintered with the oldest from May 2013. Three new birds turned up in January. Spring passage February 28th to April 24th, max. eight March 24th. Later new adults turned up June 19th & 27th. Three pairs bred with limited success and the first juv noted May 20th with dispersing juveniles (or offspring from breeding birds) turned up on site from then to August 7th. Autumn passage September 18th to December 11th, max. 46 September 18th.

**REDWING** *Turdus iliacus*

One January 17th. Spring passage February 22nd to April 13th, max. 1,000 March 24th. Autumn passage October 2nd to December 10th, max. 54 October 2nd.

**MISTLE THRUSH** *Turdus viscivorus*

Singles January 16th & February 22nd. In autumn 16 noted September 22nd to December 12th, max. two September 22nd & October 21st.

**SPOTTED FLYCATCHER** *Muscicapa striata*

Spring passage May 10th to June 15th, max. two May 10th, 15th & 19th. Autumn passage singles on 11 dates July 22nd to September 23rd.

**ROBIN** *Erithacus rubecula*

At least 17 birds successfully over-wintered on site with the oldest from July 2011 although only five of these noted in the summer months. Spring passage March 12th to May 18th plus a later new bird June 4th, max. 12 March 3rd. Four pairs bred with first juveniles noted June 5th with dispersing juveniles from elsewhere arriving on site from then into autumn passage from the end of July to November 27th, max. 60 October 4th & 6th.

**NIGHTINGALE** *Luscinia megarhynchos*

Spring singles on seven dates April 25th to May 6th plus later birds June 7th & 19th. None in autumn.

**PIED FLYCATCHER** *Ficedula hypoleuca*

Singles April 12th, August 20th & 25th.

**BLACK REDSTART** *Phoenicurus ochruros*

Spring passage March 18th to April 16th plus one June 14th & two 17th, max. eight April 5th. In July male plus two juvs 21st, one juv 22nd, two juvs 22nd & one juv 24th suggesting nesting nearby. Autumn passage September 23rd to November 13th, max. two October 7th & 26th.

**REDSTART** *Phoenicurus phoenicurus*

Spring passage April 12th to 30th plus a later bird June 2nd to 4th, max. two April 12th & 13th. Autumn passage August 14th to September 23rd plus a later bird October 28th, max. five September 19th.

**WHINCHAT** *Saxicola rubetra*

Spring passage singles on six dates April 23rd to May 12th. Autumn passage on seven dates August 17th to September 22nd, max. three September 7th.

**SIBERIAN STONECHAT** *Saxicola maurus stejnegeri*

One October 6th to 7th (W.J.Brame, E.Lucking, N.Odin *et al*). Fourth site record of Siberian Stonechat but first confirmed *S.m.stejnegeri*

**STONECHAT** *Saxicola rubicola*

In spring one March 12th. In autumn singles September 23rd, 25th to 26th, October 6th to 7th & 18th to 19th.

**WHEATEAR** *Oenanthe oenanthe*

Spring passage March 25th to May 21st, max. 15 April 30th. In autumn one July 12th then July 27th to October 19th, max. 14 August 30th.

**DUNNOCK** *Prunella modularis*

At least 13 birds successfully survived the winter with the oldest from March 2011. Present all year with at least 12 to 15 pairs nesting. Spring passage March 11th to May 11th. The first juveniles noted June 3rd with many dispersing juveniles turned up on site from then to July 23rd. Autumn passage at least September 11th to October 29th, max. 25 September 19th. Visible migration of two south September 26th, six south October 17th, three south 20th & one south 25th.

**HOUSE SPARROW** *Passer domesticus*

Present all year with c.30 pairs nesting at the cottage and Fort. The years peak counts were 100 June 22nd & 120 August 7th.

**TREE SPARROW** *Passer montanus*

Up to five noted on 12 dates September 22nd to October 4th plus seven 20th & 15 21st.

**YELLOW WAGTAIL** *Motacilla flava*

Total of 83 noted April 8th to May 13th, max. nine south April 28th. Autumn passage total of 241 July 7th to October 3rd, max. 12 south 19 on September 12th.

**BLUE HEADED WAGTAIL** *Motacilla flava flavissima*

Three May 9th.

**GREY WAGTAIL** *Motacilla cinerea*

In spring total of 20 noted February 22nd to April 12th, max. three March 21st. In mid-summer singles noted on six dates May 24th to June 17th plus two 12th. In autumn total of 132 noted September 5th to November 29th, max. 11 September 13th.

**PIED WAGTAIL** *Motacilla alba*

Present all year. At least three pairs nested in the near adjoining dock with these birds and their offspring regularly on site, max 24 July 27th & 25 September 7th to 9th & 11th. In autumn a total of 51 south August 23rd to November 4th, max. 17 south October 18th.

**WHITE WAGTAIL** *M.a.alba*

In spring two April 1st, one 2nd, one 8th, two 10th & one May 9th. In autumn one September 22nd to 23rd.

**TREE PIPIT** *Anthus trivialis*

In spring singles on nine dates April 15th to May 18th, plus four April 29th. In autumn singles on ten dates August 26th to October 11th.

**MEADOW PIPIT** *Anthus pratensis*

Seen all year although very few early and late in the year and mid-summer. Spring passage at least March 2nd to May 12th, max 32 north seven south three on March 21st. None bred for the first time in living memory. Autumn passage September 5th to December 22nd, max. 289 south 35 on September 30th. Max. on was 90 September 17th.

Monthly totals were:-

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
N	1	0	51	24	0	0	1	0	38	0	0	0
IN/S	2	0	85	46	1	3	3	0	1422	449	124	13
Max On	1	1	9	4	2	1	0	1	90	60	19	2

**ROCK PIPIT** *Anthus petrosus*

Singles January 6th, 19th, 31st & February 4th. In spring a total of 14 noted February 23rd to April 23rd. In autumn a total of 83 noted September 22nd to November 26th, max. six south two on October 3rd. In December a singles noted on 12 dates 3rd to 31st.

**BRAMBLING** *Fringilla montifringilla*

In spring eight noted March 13th to April 28th, max. four April 1st. Autumn passage total of 69 noted September 30th to November 19th, max. 11 south October 11th.

**CHAFFINCH** *Fringilla coelebs*

Present all year. Up to seven noted on site early in the year with 12 birds from previous years retrapped with the oldest from February 2014 although seven of these not noted after March so only wintered in the area. Spring passage February 27th to April 6th plus later new female June 10th & new male 19th, max. 37 March 26th. Visible total 67 south March 21st to April 5th, max. 32 south March 21st. Two pairs bred with juveniles noted from May 15th with dispersing juveniles from elsewhere turning up from June to July 12th. Autumn passage September 13th to December 11th with a total of four north 375 south/in off the sea September 22nd to November 17th, max. 109 south October 29th. Autumn max. of grounded birds was 18 October 15th. Up to five noted on site in December.

**HAWFINCH** *Coccothraustes coccothraustes*

Singles May 7th, October 2nd & 7th.

**BULLFINCH** *Pyrrhula pyrrhula*

Singles May 5th, November 8th, 11th & December 9th to 19th.

**GREENFINCH** *Chloris chloris*

Present all year with 46 birds from previous years retrapped during the year. Highest spring count 11 March 8th. Two pairs nested with several additional pairs nearby. Juveniles first noted June 13th. Numbers poor in autumn with a visible migration totals of 71 south October 4th to November 16th, max. 33 south October 17th. Numbers feeding on site peaked at 12 November 3rd. Only noted on four dates in December, max. three 10th.

**LINNET** *Linaria cannabina*

Very few early in the year, max. 12 January 6th. Numbers increased March. Spring visible migration of 35 north March 21st, three south April 8th, three south May 1st,

18 south 4th & nine north 23rd. An estimated 50 pairs nested with several more nearby. First juveniles noted May 30th. Up to 125 were on site mid-summer. In autumn a total of ten north 305 south October 17th to November 7th, max. 180 south October 17th. Numbers declined November with up to six present on five dates in December.

**LESSER REDPOLL** *Acanthis cabaret*

In spring singles March 18th, April 4th, 5th, May 8th, 9th, June 4th & 7th. In autumn a total of 268 noted October 10th to November 10th, max. 50 October 17th.

**COMMON REDPOLL** *Acanthis flammea*

Two November 3rd.

**CROSSBILL** *Loxia curvirostra*

One May 13th.

**GOLDFINCH** *Carduelis carduelis*

Present all year in small numbers. One pair bred. Visible migration total in spring of five north 239 south March 19th to June 15th, max. 16 south April 28th. Spring max of 13 on site May 11th. First juveniles turned up June 14th. Nine flew south July 8th to 16th preceded autumn visible passage total of 110 north 3,192 south August 31st to November 19th, max. 872 south October 19th with an autumn max. of grounded birds 60 October 17th. Later in the year a max. of 22 December 31st.

**SERIN** *Serinus serinus*

One north March 20th (M.May, E.W.Patrick), one south May 5th (C.J.Bridge, N.Odin), one May 17th (T.Holland, E.Lucking, N.Odin *et al*) female June 7th (W.J.Brame, C.J.Bridge, N.Odin *et al*), female with brood patch trapped 15th (E.Lucking, E.W.Patrick, N.Odin), one 26th (N.Odin, E.W.Patrick), one 29th (N.Odin) & one August 24th (N.Odin, E.W.Patrick *et al*).

**SISKIN** *Spinus spinus*

In spring total of 136 noted February 10th to May 11th, max. 22 south February 23rd & one north 18 south March 21st. Singles June 13th, 27th & July 7th. In autumn total of 177 noted September 23rd to December 15th, max. 25 south October 17th.

**SNOW BUNTING** *Plectrophenax nivalis*

One March 8th to 11th. In autumn noted on eight dates October 23rd to December 22nd, max. three November 11th & 25th.

**LAPLAND BUNTING** *Calcarius lapponicus*

Singles September 17th, 18th, 21st, October 13th & 27th.

**YELLOWHAMMER** *Emberiza citrinella*

In spring total of 12 noted March 13th to April 8th, max. four March 21st & 24th. One July 7th. In autumn singles November 1st, 10th, 23rd & December 18th.

**REED BUNTING** *Emberiza schoeniclus*

Singles January 3rd & 16th. In spring singles on seven dates March 13th to May 12th plus two March 29th. In autumn a total of 88 noted August 21st to November 10th, max. ten south October 29th.

**CORN BUNTING** *Emberiza calandra*

One May 23rd.

## ESCAPEES

**RED-BREASTED GOOSE** *Branta ruficollis*

Adult south with Barnacle Geese February 23rd & presumed same March 14th.

**BUDGERIGAR** *Melopsittacus undulatus*

One June 15th to 19th.

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