

MISCELLANEOUS RECORDS AT LANDGUARD 2014

The following is a summary of miscellaneous casual records of a variety of species in the Landguard recording area during 2014. Many sightings, particularly of common species, go undocumented and the species list and dates should be treated as an absolute minimum.

Plants

STINKING GOOSEFOOT *Chenopodium vulvaria*

Six just south of Manor Terrace car park.

GOOSEBERRY *Ribes uva-crispa*

One bird observatory compound July 6th.

SALMONBERRY *Rubus spectabilis*

One bird observatory compound July 23rd.

CUT-LEAVED BRAMBLE *Rubus laciniacus*

One bird observatory October 8th.

DOGWOOD *Cornus sanguinea*

Singles on icky ridge July 9th & bird observatory compound October 8th.

PYRAMIDAL ORCHID *Anacamptis pyramidalis*

One, same as last years, on the Butts TM2832 July 4th onwards.

Fungi

(Noted = recorded by Chris Ryde or Bird Observatory personnel during the year.

Records dated 15th November are from a site visit by Neil Mahler).

ROOTING BOLETE *Boletus Radicans (=B.albidus)*

Noted 3rd November.

LURID BOLETE *Boletus luridus*

Noted 23rd July.

SHAGGY PARASOL *Chlorophyllum (Macrolepiota) rhacodes*

Noted 3rd November.

Lepiota oreadiformis

Noted.

CHESTNUT DAPPERLING *Lepiota castanea*

Noted.

GRISSETE *Amanita vaginata*

Noted.

DUNE WAXCAP *Hygrocybe conicoides*

Noted.

SNOWY WAXCAP *Hygrocybe virginea*

Noted + 15th November.

FRAGRANT FUNNEL *Flammulina velutipes*

Noted 3rd November.

VELVET SHANK *Flammulina velutipes*

Noted 3rd November + 15th November.

FAIRY RING CHAMPIGNON *Marasmius oreades*

Common on the reserve + 15th November.

Arrhenia retiruga

15th November.

WOOD BLEWIT *Lepista nuda*

Noted + 15th November.

COMMON BONNET *Mycena galericulata*

15th November.

YELLOWLEG BONNET *Mycena epipterygia*

Noted.

COLLARED MOSSCAP *Rickenella swartzii*

Noted.

Entoloma undatum

Noted.

THE MILLER *Clitopilus prunulus*

Noted.

STUBBLE ROSEGILL *Volvariella gloiocephala* (= *V. speciosa*)

Noted + 15th November.

BROWN ROLL-RIM *Paxillus involutus*

Noted.

SULPHUR TUFT *Hypholoma fasciculare*

Noted in the observatory compound.

SHAGGY SCALYCAP *Pholiota squarrosa*

Noted + 15th November.

DUNG ROUNDHEAD *Stropharia semiglobata*

15th November.

GARLAND ROUNDHEAD *Stropharia coronilla*

15th November.

PETTICOAT MOTTLEGILL *Panaeolus papilionaceus* (= *P. sphinctrinus*)

Noted.

FIELD MUSHROOM *Agaricus campestris*

Noted.

YELLOW STAINER *Agaricus xanthodermus*

Noted.

BROWN MOTTLEGILL *Panaeolina foenisecii*

Noted.

Psathyrella ammophila

15th November.

SHAGGY INKCAP *Coprinus comatus*

Noted.

HARE'SFOOT INKCAP *Coprinopsis lagopus*

Noted + 15th November.

FIRERUG INKCAP *Caprinellus domesticus*

Noted 5th March + 15th November.

FAIRY INKCAP *Caprinellus disseminatus*

Noted.

PLEATED INKCAP *Parasola plicatilis*

Noted.

GOLDEN SPINDLES *Clavulinopsis fusiformis*

Noted.

APRICOT CLUB *Corniculata luteoalba*

15th November.

WET ROT *Coniophora puteana*

Noted.

TURKEYTAIL *Trametes versicolor*

Noted.

FIELD BIRD'S NEST *Cyanthus olla*

15th November.

MOSAIC PUFFBALL *Lycoperdon utriforme*

Noted.

GRASSLAND PUFFBALL *Lycoperdon lividum*

15th November.

MEADOW PUFFBALL *Lycoperdon (Vascellum) pretense*

Noted + 15th November.

GREY PUFFBALL *Bovista plumbea*

Noted + 15th November.

WINTER STALKBALL *Tulostoma brumale*

Noted + 15th November. 200+ counted bird observatory compound 20th November.

JELLY EAR *Auricularia auricula-judae*

Noted + 15th November.

ELDER WASH *Hyphodontia sambucii*

15th November.

Geoglossum cookeanum

Noted.

Octospora rutilans

Noted.

CORAL SPOT *Nectria cinnabarina*

Noted.

Rhytisma acerinum

Noted.

CANDLESNUFF FUNGUS *Xylaria hypoxylon*

Noted + 15th November.

Amphibians

SMOOTH NEWT *Lissotriton vulgaris*

Noted observatory pond in all months except February..

FROG *Rana temporaria*

Noted Butts Pond with spawn from February 26th. 100+ adults March 5th & 9th.

Reptiles

COMMON LIZARD *Lacerta vivipara*

Singles April 11th & June 12th.

SLOW-WORM *Anguis fragilis*

Singles April 8th, 25th, May 2nd, 4th, 16th, 19th, June 5th, 21st, 29th, July 17th, August 4th & 8th.

GRASS SNAKE *Natrix natrix*

One April 13th, two May 15th, singles 19th, June 3rd, July 31st & September 28th.

Aranea

FALSE WIDOW SPIDER *Steatoda nobilis*

One in moth trap July 2nd.

NURSEY WEB SPIDER *Pisaura mirabilis*

Female with nest July 20th.

Thysanura

SILVERFISH *Lepisma saccharina*

Noted in the observatory ringing room May 21st & September 5th.

Orthoptera

SHORT-WINGED CONE-HEAD *Conocephalus dorsalis*

Noted on Butts July 16th.

ROESEL'S BUSH-CRICKET *Metrioptera roeselii*

Noted on Butts July 16th.

SPECKLED BUSH-CRICKET *Leptophyes punctatissima*

Singles in the moth trap September 5th & 11th.

OAK BUSH-CRICKET *Melonema thalassinum*

Singles in moth trap August 10th & 28th.

Dictyoptera

LESSER COCKROACH *Ectobius panzeri*

Commonly recorded in the moth traps June 22nd into October.

Dermaptera

COMMON EARWIG *Forficula auricularia*

Noted.

LESNE'S EARWIG *Forficula lesnes*

Noted in moth traps March 19th to September 24th.

Hemiptera

HAWTHORN SHIELDBUG *Acanthosoma haemorrhoidale*

One in moth trap March 16th & a total of 88 in traps August 3rd to November 28th, max. 36 September 19th.

GREEN BIRCH SHIELDBUG *Elasmotethus interstinctus*

365 in moth traps September 6th to October 31st, max 67 September 19th.

WESTERN CONIFER SEED BUG *Leptoglossus occidentalis*

21 noted in and around moth traps September 16th to 29th, max. 13 18th.

RED LEGGED SHIELDBUG *Pentatoma rufipes*

One in moth trap September 4th.

COMMON GREEN SHIELDBUG *Palomena prasina*

14 in moth traps May 14th to October 11th, max. two June 22nd.

GORSE SHIELDBUG *Piezodorus lituratus*

Two May 7th.

RHOMBIC LEATHERBUG *Syromastes rhombeus*

Singles May 15th, June 1st & October 3rd.

Coleoptera

HARLEQUIN LADYBIRD *Harmonia axyridis*

75 noted in the moth traps July 14th to October 2nd, max. 13 September 6th.

DEVIL'S COACH HORSE *Staphylinus olens*

Noted around the moth trap behind the kitchen in observatory compound. One in moth trap August 16th.

SUMMER CHAFER *Amphimallon solstitialis*

100 noted in moth traps June 8th to August 4th, max. 9 June 28th.

FAT LEGGED BEETLE *Oedemera nobilis*

One June 2nd.

GREAT DIVING BEETLE *Dytiscus marginalis*

Larvae noted June 6th.

Necrodes littoralis

One in moth trap September 10th.

ALFALFA WEEVIL *Phytonomus posticus*

One March 19th.

2-SPOT LADYBIRD *Adalia bipuncta*

Singles in moth traps April 23rd, June 12th & August 6th.

10-SPOT LADYBIRD *Adalia 10-punctata*

One in moth trap July 19th.

Diptera

BEE FLY *Villa modesta*

Singles in moth trap June 11th, 18th, 22nd, September 9th & 10th.

HORNET HOVERFLY *Volucella zonaria*

Noted.

COMMON TIGER HOVERFLY *Helophilus pendulus*

One July 19th.

MARMALADE HOVERFLY *Episyrphus balteatus*

One May 15th.

Phytomyza conyzae

Leaf mines on Ploughman's Spikenard June 28th.

Hymenoptera

Cerceris arenaria

Colony by the observatory still present.

PATCHWORK LEAF-CUTTER *Megachile centuncularis*

Female July 7th.

HORNET *Vespo carbo*

Singles September 15th & October 15th.

Syngnathiformes

GREATER PIPFISH *Syngathus acus*

Male dead on beach March 8th.

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