

# MISCELLANEOUS RECORDS AT LANDGUARD 2022

This a summary of miscellaneous casual records in the Landguard recording area during 2022. Many sightings, particularly of common species, go undocumented and the species and dates should be treated as an absolute minimum.

## Plants

### **STINKING GOOSEFOOT** *Chenopodium vulvaria*

Nine in front of Manor Terrace car park next to yellow-horned poppy July 5th. 11 on seaward side the Butts July 22nd. One front of observatory September 13th & two October 9th.

### **JERSEY CUDWEED** *Gnaphalium luteoalbum*

Vast number around & on the Fort.

## Fucales

### **JAPANESE WIREWEED** *Sargassum muticum*

Noted on riverbank December 24th.

## Fungi

No additions to the site list noted this year.

## Amphibians

### **SMOOTH NEWT** *Lissotriton vulgaris*

Noted from March 23rd. 23 Helgoland pond & 27 gun emplacement pond April 24th.

### **FROG** *Rana temporaria*

Spawn Butts Pond from March 14th in a very small quantity. One Cottage Garden July 8th.

## Reptiles

### **COMMON LIZARD** *Zootoca vivipara*

Noted occasionally. One predated by Magpie at Manor Terrace July 24th. One adult crossing Manor Terrace path August 24th.

### **SLOW WORM** *Anguis fragilis*

One observatory May 6th.

3 females (1 adult, 2 sub adult) under mats Cottage Garden May 3rd.

1 adult male under mat Cottage Garden June 5th.

1 adult female in log pile (fenced grassland) June 11th.

1 adult male, 1 adult female, 1 sub adult female under mats Cottage Garden June 1st.

### **GRASS SNAKE** *Natrix natrix*

Single sub adult male in cottage garden April 21st. One gun emplacement pond in observatory July 26th & 27th.

## Araneae

### **WOODLOUSE SPIDER** *Dysdera crocata*

Multiple observed in fenced point area December 11th

### **FALSE WIDOW** *Steatoda nobilis*

Observed regularly in Ranger's garage and bungalow

### Dictyoptera

**LESSER COCKROACH** *Ectobius panzeri*

Noted in moth traps from July 3rd.

### Hemiptera

**HAWTHORN SHIELDBUG** *Acanthosoma haemorrhoidale*

Noted in moth traps or sitting on mist nets May 19th to November 1st.

**BIRCH SHIELDBUG** *Elasmotethus interstinctus*

Seven noted August 17th to November 1st, max. two September 3rd.

**COMMON GREEN SHIELDBUG** *Palomena prasina*

Noted May 8th to November 11th.

**DOCK BUG** *Coreus marginatus*

Noted May 22nd to July 3rd + one October 20th.

**RHOMBIC LEATHERBUG** *Syromastes rhombeus*

Singles July 13th, 30th, August 1st & 5th.

**FOREST BUG** *Pentatoma rufipes*

Noted July 19th to August 25th.

**GIANT WILLOW APHID** *Tuberolachnus salignus*

One August 20th.

### Coleoptera

**HARLEQUIN LADYBIRD** *Harmonia axyridis*

261 noted in the moth traps May 26th to October 7th, max. 16 September 3rd.

**ORANGE LADYBIRD** *Halysia 16-guttata*

One June 18th.

**EYED LADYBIRD** *Anatis ocellata*

One July 20th.

**DEVIL'S COACH HORSE** *Ocypus olens*

Noted around the moth trap behind the kitchen in observatory compound.

**SUMMER CHAFER** *Amphimallon solstitialis*

54 noted in moth traps June 14th to July 19th, max. 11 July 4th.

**COCKCHAFER** *Melolontha melolontha*

Singles in moth traps May 26th & 28th.

**GREAT DIVING BEETLE** *Dytiscus marginalis*

One in moth trap July 19th.

### Diptera

**DUNE VILLA** *Villa modesta*

Noted from July 3rd.

**DARK-EDGED BEE-FLY** *Bombylius major*

One April 2nd.

*Syrphus vitripennis*

Noted April 30th.

*Meliscaeva auricollis*

Noted April 30th.

*Epistrophe eligens*

One April 30th.

*Ornithomya avicularia*

Collected from Linnet July 9th, Green Woodpeckers July 11th & 26th & Sparrowhawk September 8th.

*Ornithmya chloropus*

Collected from Meadow Pipit September 13th.

**Hymenoptera**

**YELLOW-LEGGED MINING BEE** *Andrena flavipes*

One April 30th.

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