

## Bardsey Bird and field Observatory

1. Monthly highlights. (five points, not necessarily birds)

1. A quiet month!
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August/2007



2. **Weather.** Give brief summary of weather details Generally a warm and sunny month...

3. **Ringling** number of birds ringed during month (excluding pulli). 107 birds of 14 Species (9 birds of 2 species)

Top three species Full Grown 1st 41 Manx Shearwater..2nd 26 Willow Warbler..3rd 12 Wren..

### Unusual Ringing activity

4. Main Movements	Dates and Numbers
6 <sup>th</sup>	72 Curlew, 15 Willow Warbler
7 <sup>th</sup>	1 Teal, 1 Greenshank, 4 Sedge Warbler, 25 Willow Warbler
8 <sup>th</sup>	16 Cormorant, 1 Teal, 3 Snipe, 13 Common Sandpiper, 12 Turnstone, 1 Tree Pipit
9 <sup>th</sup>	1 Teal, 1 Lapwing, 19 Redshank
10 <sup>th</sup>	24 Redshank, 35 Turnstone
11 <sup>th</sup>	1 Greenshank
12 <sup>th</sup>	35 Willow Warbler, 2 Spotted Flycatcher
13 <sup>th</sup>	3 Sanderling
14 <sup>th</sup>	8 Dunlin, 1 Black-tailed Godwit, 7 Whimbrel, 25 Redshank, 4 Goldcrest
15 <sup>th</sup>	1 Golden Plover
16 <sup>th</sup>	1 Lapwing, 1 Spotted Flycatcher
17 <sup>th</sup>	8 Peregrine, 1 Tree Pipit, 2 Spotted Flycatcher
18 <sup>th</sup>	10 Ringed Plover, 34 Turnstone, 22 Pied Wagtail, 20 Willow Warbler
19 <sup>th</sup>	2 Knot, 100 Curlew
20 <sup>th</sup>	38 Turnstone, 1 Cuckoo, 1 Tree Pipit
22 <sup>nd</sup>	2 Golden Plover, 1 Knot, 1 Cuckoo, 100 Swallow
23 <sup>rd</sup>	4 Golden Plover, 1 Greenshank, 75 Swallow, 14 House Martin, 1 Grey Wagtail
24 <sup>th</sup>	1 Knot, 1 Greenshank, 1 Cuckoo, 4 White Wagtail, 1 Whinchat, 3 Grasshopper Warbler, 19 Willow Warbler, 4 Spotted Flycatcher
25 <sup>th</sup>	50 Oystercatcher, 1 Cuckoo
27 <sup>th</sup>	6 Ringed Plover, 130 Linnet
28 <sup>th</sup>	70 Swallow, 8 White Wagtail
29 <sup>th</sup>	1 Knot, 1 Bar-tailed Godwit, 1 Barn Owl
30 <sup>th</sup>	1 Merlin, 2 Knot, 1 Purple Sandpiper, 27 Redshank, 16 Pied Wagtail, 220 Linnet
31 <sup>st</sup>	

5. **Notable absentees and species well below normal strength.**

6. **Give early or late dates for your observatory**

7. **Rarities** Interpret rare fairly liberally for your observatory

No rarities this month

8. **Sea Passage.** List notable movements with dates

6 <sup>th</sup>	4 Common Scoter, 700 Kittiwake
7 <sup>th</sup>	1 Arctic Skua, 1 Mediterranean Gull
8 <sup>th</sup>	1200 Manx Shearwater, 500 Kittiwake
9 <sup>th</sup>	500 Kittiwake
13 <sup>th</sup>	3000 Manx Shearwater, 1 Pomarine Skua, 1 Arctic Skua, 1 Common Gull, 600 Kittiwake
14 <sup>th</sup>	2100 Manx Shearwater, 1 Great Skua, 1000 Kittiwake, 1 Common Tern
15 <sup>th</sup>	2 Arctic Skua, 1 Great Skua
16 <sup>th</sup>	700 Manx Shearwater, 1 Balearic Shearwater, 1 Great Skua
19 <sup>th</sup>	11000 Manx Shearwater, 164 Gannet, 1 Great Skua, 1100 Kittiwake, 29 Sandwich Tern, 2 Common Tern, 3 Arctic Tern
20 <sup>th</sup>	32 Sandwich Tern
22 <sup>nd</sup>	1 Sooty Shearwater, 1 Great Skua, 1000 Kittiwake, 1 Common Tern
24 <sup>th</sup>	1 Arctic Skua, 700 Kittiwake
26 <sup>th</sup>	33 Black-headed Gull
30 <sup>th</sup>	1 Diver sp. 1 Balearic Shearwater,

9. **Other news, notes, requests for help etc.**

