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Dark-breasted Barn Owl in Lincolnshire

In late February Josh Jones found a Dark-breasted Barn Owl (*Tyto alba guttata*) hunting on Bourne South Fen in southern Lincolnshire. The Dark-breasted Barn Owl is a subspecies found in central and eastern Europe, distinguished by its darker, buff to brown underparts with heavy speckling. Although *guttata* occasionally appears as a vagrant in Britain, extensive interbreeding between the two subspecies in overlapping ranges produces hybrids of variable appearance, making field identification outside core breeding areas challenging. It is generally agreed that the Bourne bird is a good candidate for the subspecies *guttata*....



Dark-breasted Barn Owl on 24th March 2025 © Toby Carter

Dark-breasted Barn Owls in Lincolnshire.

There have been a total of seven recorded occurrences of Dark-breasted Barn Owls, *T.a.guttata*, in Lincolnshire since the first in 1962 to the present day. Of these two were in autumn, September-October, one mid winter, January, and four in spring March-April. All have been found on the coastal strip between Tetney and Anderby Creek with three of the seven at Donna Nook. Somewhat surprisingly only one bird was recorded on more than one day that being the bird seen at North Cotes from March 1st - 23rd 1975. This is the bird featured in the



attached photo. I was fortunate to get the chance to photograph this individual on a calm Sunday afternoon. Driving up Sheepmarsh Lane, from Horseshoe Point, with the late Derek Robinson, we came across the owl perched on a gate-post on the side of the road. The photograph was taken with an old Soligor 350mm lens and amazingly through the windscreen of an aged Ford Cortina. The resultant slide was much better than I had dreamed.

Since 1979 when there were two records of possibly the same individual at Donna Nook on March 19th and Tetney on April 12th there were no accepted records of this very distinctive race, in the county until 2009 (see below). Was this due to the decrease in regular coastal coverage, particularly in the quiet early spring period, which seems to be a key occurrence window? These early spring birds may well be individuals that have wintered somewhere in England or Europe and are making the return journey to the continent via the east coast a regular occurrence with Short-eared Owls that often peak there in March and early April.

Graham Catley

Lincolnshire records 1962 - 1979:

Tetney Oct 6th 1962
Donna Nook March 20th 1969
Anderby Creek Jan 19th 1974
North Cotes March 1-23rd 1975 (photod)
Donna Nook Sept 15th 1976
Donna Nook March 19th 1979
Tetney April 12th 1979

The most recent record prior to 2025 is detailed below: sadly it was a bird found dead but with a ring providing a definitive area of origin.

Goxhill found dead November 2009 ringed July 10th 2009 as pullus L122724 at Wommersom Vlaams Brabant, Belgium BL30 50.49N 005.00E 483km from ringing site.

While trawling images of potential Dark-breasted Barn Owls in Britain for a chapter in his Birding Frontiers Challenge Series Martin Garner found shots of the bird shown below that wintered in Worlaby Carrs in early 2008. Images of the bird featured in the Winter Series volume on pages 46 and 49. It was considered to be a probable intergrade between *guttata* and *alba* or a dark female *alba*.

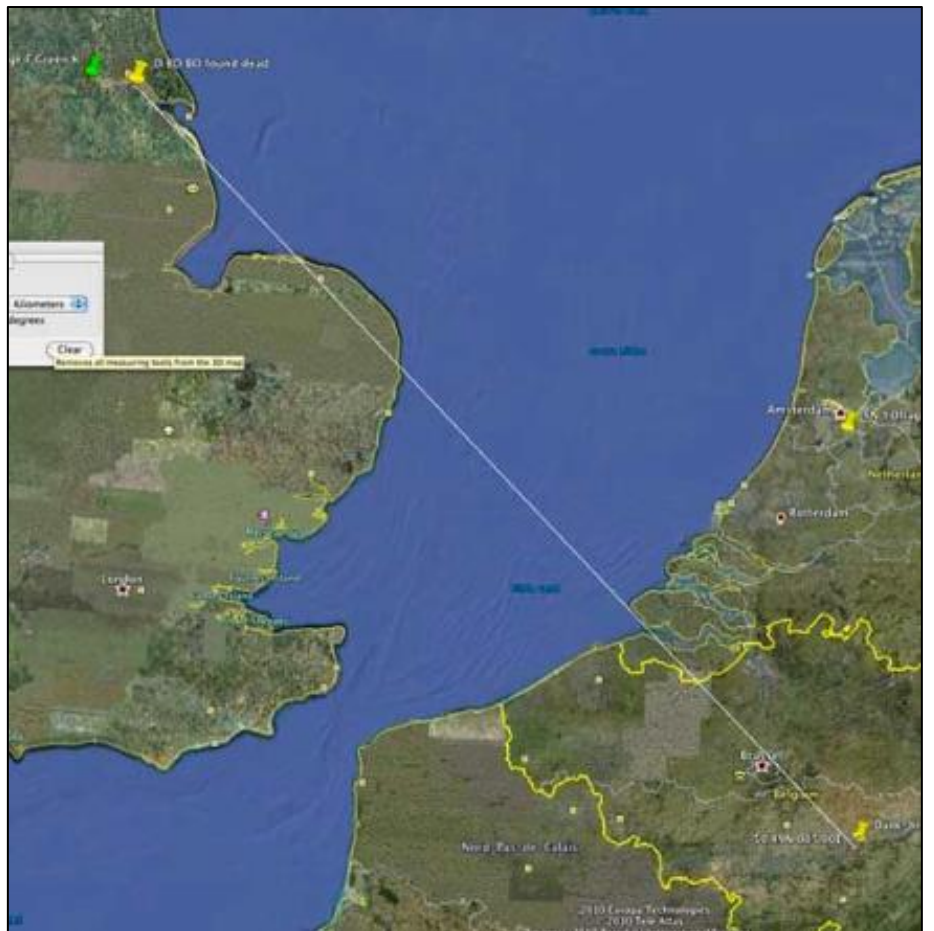
Images were also use in the British Birds Paper pages 499 with the following comments:

This interesting bird is either a fairly dark *alba*, almost certainly a female, or an intergrade. The darker remiges have quite prominent barring, while the darker buff of the neck sides extends onto the upper breast and then fades into pale buff across the lower breast. Small dark spots extend down the flanks and onto the underwing-coverts. Note the obvious contrast between the white thighs and undertail-coverts with the rest of the underparts in the top photo. In the lower photo, with a slightly different background and light conditions, note how the underparts appear deeper and more uniformly buff. Although hard to see from this angle, this bird also showed extensive grey markings to the crown and mantle. This individual might even have been identified as *guttata* by inexperienced observers in brief views. It illustrates the difficulties in applying a name to every individual.

On page 500 is another interesting bird photographed in Lincolnshire by Kev DuRose in March 2009.

Identification of Dark-breasted Barn Owl in Britain BB 2009 Vol.102: Pages 494-503







The bird in the above photograph wintered in Worlaby Carrs in early 2008. It was considered by BBRC to be a probable intergrade between *alba* and *guttata* or a dark female *alba*. For direct comparison the image below of a pale bird taken the same afternoon an hour earlier with the same camera and lens combination

Both images © Graham Catley



More intergrade type birds....

The bird in the photo on the right has been provided by Alan Ball, who said;

This chick was ringed in 2024 and was less than two miles away from the site at South Fen Bourne, and clearly has some *guttata* genes.

We encounter some with these genes every few years or so. Dark breasted Barn Owls in the UK probably originate from Holland... and so are probably intergrade between *alba/guttata*...

While, Ian Gordon photographed the flying bird at Willow Tree Fen on 23rd February 2023, about 3 miles from the South Fen Bourne bird... in the original image you can see that this bird is ringed.



A bird ringed in 2024 near to Bourne © Alan Ball



Dark-breasted Barn Owl type seen Willow Tree Fen on 23rd February 2023 © Ian Gordon

Identification of Dark-breasted Barn Owl (a summary taken from British Birds paper published in September 2009 by Paul French)



Dark-breasted Barn Owl at Bourne South Fen 24th March 2025 © Toby Carter

Introduction

The dark-breasted form of the Barn Owl, *Tyto alba guttata* (hereafter *guttata*), has long been recorded in Britain as a vagrant. While no population of Barn Owls worldwide is known to be truly migratory, *guttata* exhibits greater dispersal tendencies than its British counterpart, the white-breasted *Tyto alba alba* (hereafter *alba*). Studies in Germany have shown that over 54% of ringed *guttata* chicks were recovered more than 50 km from their natal site (Bairlein 1985), whereas *alba* individuals typically disperse only around 12 km on average (Wernham et al. 2002). In years of high breeding success followed by a crash in vole (*Microtus*) populations—a key prey species—*guttata* dispersal increases significantly. Such years are even referred to in Germany as ‘Wanderjahren’ (wandering years)!

Identification

A ‘classic’ *guttata* is highly distinctive and should pose no real identification challenges. The upperparts have a deep, rich buff base colour, most pronounced on the scapulars, wing coverts, and remiges, contrasting with the more yellowish hues typical of many *alba*. Dark grey marbling covers at least half—often two-thirds or more—of the upperparts, particularly dense on the crown, where it may be the dominant colour (a rarity in all but the

darkest *alba*). Individual variation is significant, with some birds displaying an almost solid grey mantle, scapulars, and coverts.

A dark buff extends around the sides of the head and across the breast, continuing uniformly over the entire underparts, including the belly, feathered tarsi, undertail, and underwing-coverts. This buff shading is generally even, though it may be slightly darker on the breast. Any bird showing a stark contrast between a dark breast and a pale belly is not *guttata*. The underparts of both sexes are heavily spotted, unlike most *alba*, though the size and intensity of the spotting can vary.

Facial patterning consistently differentiates the two races. *Guttata* features a prominent dark ring around the eye, often with a purplish tinge, which radiates outward to cover parts of the facial disc. This marking is present to some extent in all *guttata* but is less pronounced in individuals from the western part of the range. The facial disc's edge is also darker on average.

Another distinguishing feature is the pattern of the remiges. The primaries of *guttata* have distinct dark grey tips, forming a well-defined dark line on the closed wing—far more prominent than in *alba*. Additionally, the crossbars on the primaries are darker and more extensive in *guttata*, often spanning the entire feather, whereas this pattern is rarely seen in *alba*. This distinction is often apparent in flight photographs.

Currently, no known differences exist between the vocalisations of *alba* and *guttata*.

Is there likely to be a split...

Given the extensive interbreeding between *Tyto alba alba* (*alba*) and *Tyto alba guttata* (*guttata*) across a broad range, with highly variable intergrades being common, a future taxonomic split appears unlikely. Even the recent classification update of Barn Owls by König & Weick (2008) retained *guttata* as a subspecies of *alba*.

Research in central Europe has shown that pairings between the two races occur randomly, and mixed pairs can produce offspring resembling pure individuals of either form (Mátics & Hoffmann 2002). This explains the wide intergrade zone previously described. Furthermore, the discovery of at least one pair of apparently pure *alba* in Britain producing dark-breasted offspring (French 2006) raises questions about the true status of *guttata* and whether it can be reliably identified outside its core breeding range.

Dietary differences between the two subspecies, as highlighted by Roulin (2004), may help maintain their distinct distributions. In both overlapping and separate populations, *guttata* primarily preys on Common Voles (*Microtus arvalis*), while *alba* favours *Apodemus* mice. Additionally, *guttata* appears to be more strictly nocturnal than *alba*, possibly reflecting the activity patterns of its preferred prey (Alan Ball, pers. comm.). Similar patterns are observed in other species where different colour morphs maintain distinct feeding strategies, such as Pacific Reef Herons (*Egretta sacra*) (Rohwer 1990).

Whether these ecological and behavioural differences are enough to justify subspecies status, rather than classifying them as colour morphs, remains open to debate!



Dark-breasted Barn Owl at Bourne South Fen 24th March 2025 © Toby Carter



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A suitable subject for the big screen? Conor Jameson's absorbing talk at LBC's annual meeting

WHAT would Hollywood do with the life of the great British naturalist and campaigner, W.H. Hudson?

At the Lincolnshire Bird Club's AGM at Whisby education centre, the question was put by guest speaker Conor Jameson (pictured) in his fascinating presentation, Finding W H Hudson - The Writer Who Came To Britain to Save The Birds.

If some movie mogul should, at any time, choose to follow this route, the Norfolk-based former RSPB staffer would definitely be the man to go to.

Not only is he an authority on this enigmatic man but, in his younger days, he studied Film and Media at university.

Conor noted that Hudson is rightly celebrated for his detailed and vibrant accounts of birds, nature and remote rural life in general wildlife, but he was very different from the conventional collector-naturalists of his generation, not least in that that he deplored taxidermy and oology (egg-collecting)

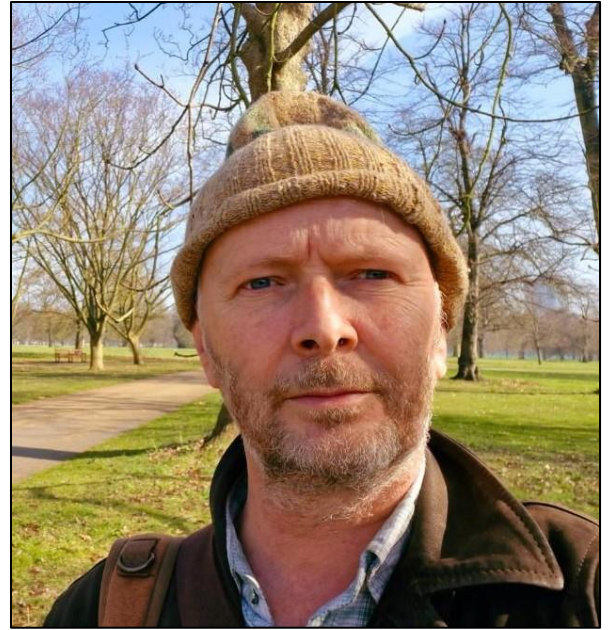
He regarded them as morally reprehensible activities, all too often carried out under the guise of scientific research.

Having been exhilarated by the spectacle of hummingbirds while growing up in Argentina Hudson was evidently disgusted, almost sickened, when, during a visit to the home of artist-writer John Gould, he encountered hundreds of specimens that had been stuffed and mounted.

Conor described how Hudson campaigned with vigour for a range of conservation initiatives - the foremost of them being to ban the import of exotic birds whose feathers were customarily used to adorn women's hats.

He was the only man allowed into the meetings of the group of like-minded women whose feisty organisation was to become the RSPB.

Conor, who originally hails from just outside Glasgow, was thanked by LBC chairman Phil Espin for his fascinating presentation and warmly applauded by his audience (pictured) which, incidentally, included a barrister, a bomb disposal operative, a former fireman, a consultant from New York City on governmental transparency and the club's esteemed president, Prof Ian Newton.



One final question: has anyone got contact details for Steven Spielberg?

Jim Wright

Peregrine News Update – Exciting Developments in Lincolnshire!

St Wulfram's, Grantham

After years of challenges and near misses, we have fantastic news—peregrines are back on the spire at St Wulfram's! As of March 31, 2025, the pair has laid three eggs. Stay up to date with their progress here:

 [St Wulfram's Peregrine Project](#)

A huge thank you to Bob Sheppard, Alan Ball, and the St Wulfram's Team, with special appreciation for Elaine Chambers for their dedication to this project!

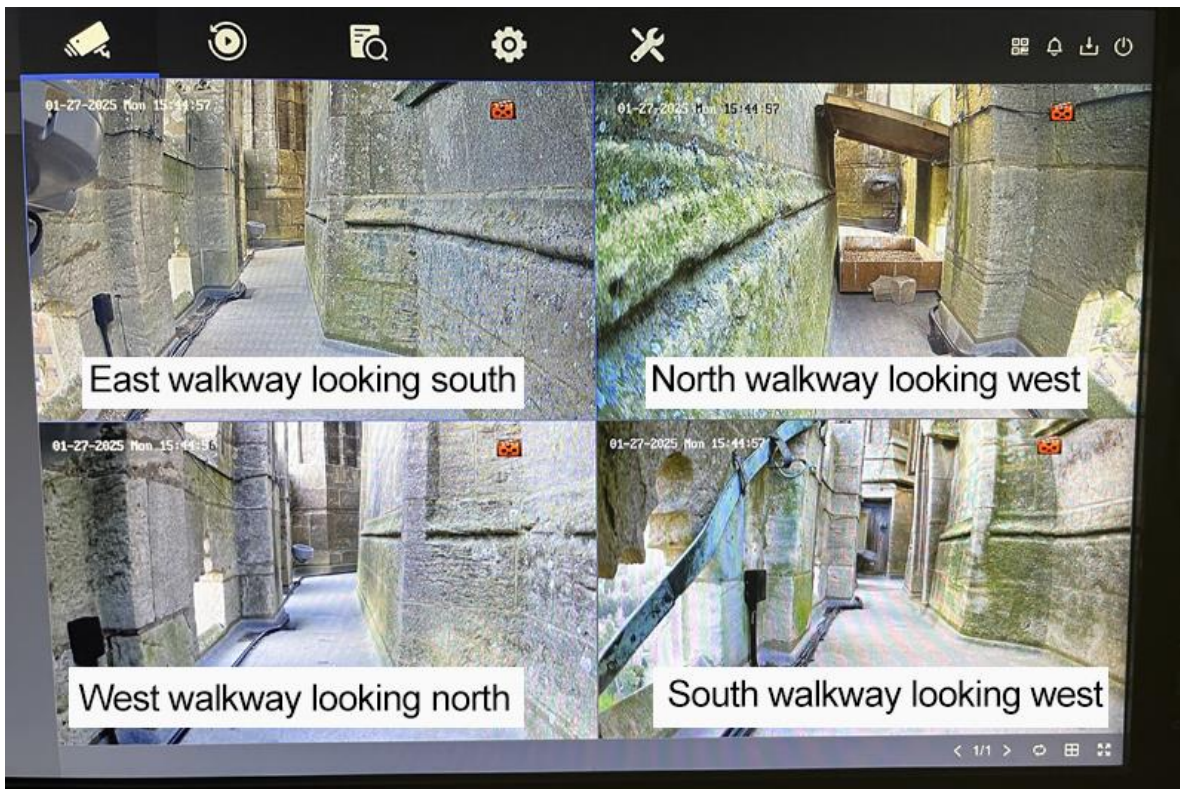
St James', Louth

A new nest tray was installed in January 2025, and all cameras are up and running, including a live-stream to the church coffee shop and a new south walkway camera, funded by Mike Tarrant and Julia Mullett in memory of Julia's late brother, Barry Clarkson, a passionate bird-watcher.

 **Follow live peregrine activity and get updates here:**

 [St James' Peregrine Project](#)

From 2015 to 2024, peregrines at St James' laid 38 eggs, with 36 hatching and 31 successfully fledging—a remarkable achievement! Thank to Geoff Mullett for all this hard work!



Thank you to everyone supporting these incredible birds! Stay tuned for more updates.

A SWIFT STORY FULL - a presentation for Local Planning Authorities

For full story – Click here - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KELR0ue87HQ>

Much of the decline in swift numbers, 60% at least in only 20 years, is due to the loss of nesting sites because of roof repair and renovation. Swifts for many years have favoured council house roofs presumably because of their structural design, where the roof meets the house exterior walls. What's happening is that many council houses are being brought up by housing associations like Lincolnshire Housing Partnership and they themselves are undergoing a programme of roof renovation. From one particular site in Grimsby at Cromwell Road, it was reported by a resident that swifts were trying to access their traditional nesting site. The police Wildlife Crime Officer arrived but could not contact the complainant or anyone else who might have seen what happened. I have spoken to the WCO and he is keen to take things further perhaps when swifts arrive for the new season.

If any member is able to take a look at the Cromwell road site, or any others undergoing similar work, and see activity as described please inform the police and ask for a WCO.

It's known that swifts, unable to access their traditional nest site will probably not breed that season and it's also documented that many birds die after repeated attempts to access their nest sites. Swifts are being evicted from traditional sites, never to return because their access holes have been blocked off.

Kindest regards

Barry Hancock



Cut End Hide Lock Change: No access without a new key!

Due to several incidents involving difficulties with the hide door lock which was presenting health and safety concerns, Environment Agency has replaced the old lock. The new lock has a handle to open the door from the inside. Your old key will not work and will have to be replaced. A new one can be ordered at www.lincsbirdclub.co.uk/sales. You will have to log in as a member to order. We have a limited stock of new keys and are looking at getting more cut. The new key is complex and will likely be more expensive than the old one. At the moment we are selling them at the old price of £5 plus £1.20 post and packaging. The price will go up when we get new stock. There may be a short delay in getting more keys for which we apologise. Five members who provided the most records from Cut End have been given a new key to ensure continuity of recording. Nine members who purchased keys in the last two years which they may not have been able to use will get a free replacement. Everyone else will have to buy a new one.



Thank you to Barry Hancock who took delivery of the new keys and passed them on for distribution.



VINE HOUSE FARM TOUR - Saturday May 10

Led by Nicholas Watts, award winning farmer and wildlife champion. **This tour has been arranged especially in order to provide something more local for the benefit of members living in the South of the county. There are still places available so please support it if you are able**

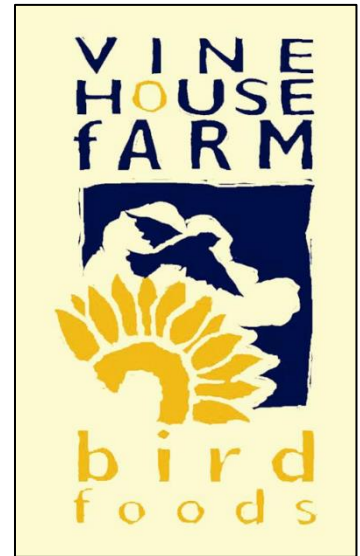
Meet at 8.00 at Vine House Farm, Deeping Fen Farm PE6 9PU for a bird watching tour around the Baston Fen area of the farm followed by a look round the bird seed operation for which the farm is well known.

Following this, the on site cafe will be open for refreshments if required at participant's personal expense.

There will be a **£5 per person** cost for the trip – Use this link to pay <https://www.lincsbirdclub.co.uk/site/index.php/sales-list/649-watts-2025>

As above please contact Sally Prescott to book

<sally.prescott142@btinternet.com> Telephone 01472 840142 and 07796 644380



The Return of Cranes to Lincolnshire - Monday, June 2nd 5:00 - 6:30pm



As part of a programme of events organised by Fens East Peat Partnership and led by Lincolnshire Wildlife Trust; LBC member David Cohen, former Chair of Trustees of LWT and long term Willow Tree Fen volunteer will be giving an illustrated talk over zoom on "The Return of Cranes to Lincolnshire".

This is a free event and can be booked via Eventbrite using the link below.

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/the-return-of-cranes-to-lincolnshire-tickets-1266917417099?aff=oddtcreator>

Missing BBRC records file

Black Stork, Holbeach Marsh, Oct 4th, 2023 - missing BBRC submission

BBRC has this record on file with no submission. Is the finder an LBC member, or does anyone know who saw it? Please get in touch if you know, otherwise the record stays as 'Not proven'. Many thanks.

Phil Hyde, County Recorder (philhyde55@gmail.com)

Forestry England seeks birders to monitor birdlife at five proposed new Lincolnshire woodlands

AN appeal has been made to the Lincolnshire Bird Club for volunteers to survey the birdlife on five sites in the county - four north of Lincoln and one south of Brigg (see accompanying map for specific locations). Forestry England (part of the Forestry Commission) has recently acquired several farms in Lincolnshire totalling around 800 ha (2000 acres). It plans to convert these to woodland and other habitats and has already started initial works.

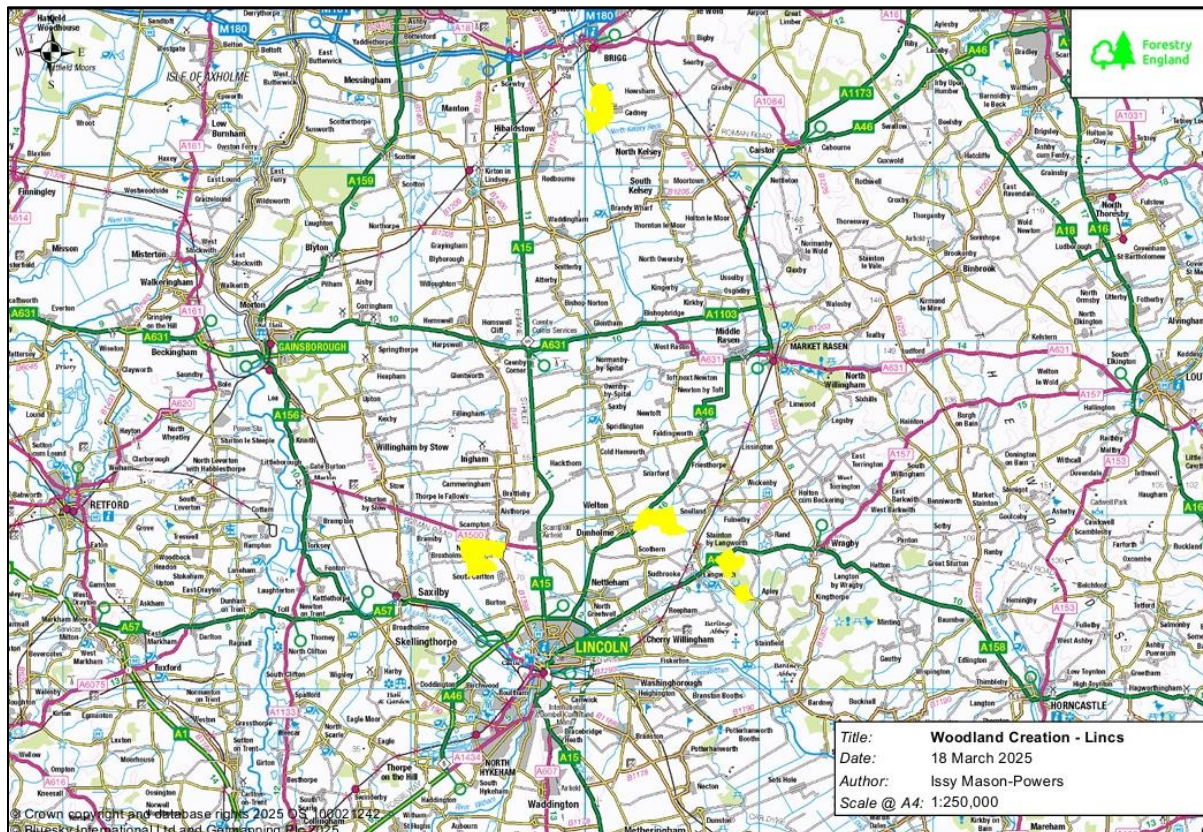
In a message to our club, Forestry England's head of land management Andrew Powers states: "As part of this transition, we are keen to establish relationships with local birders who may be seeking opportunities to secure a 'patch' which they can monitor and record long-term changes in both species and numbers.

"The benefit to us of these long-term relationships is that we gain valuable insight into what is happening on site which informs our future management.

"Furthermore, we would welcome access to 'experts' who can advise on any specific operations we may be planning and how these might impact on birds so that we can take appropriate steps to mitigate any consequences of our activities."

Continues Mr Powers : "I have developed similar relationships in other woodlands, some of which have now been running for almost 40 years, and found them invaluable to us but also rewarding to the birders themselves, especially if they are seeking opportunities for a wider purpose to their birding."

Mr Powers can be contacted at andrew.powers@forestryengland.uk



Book review: The Great Auk by Tim Birkhead

EVEN in extinction, the Great Auk is a bird that keeps giving. . .

It was back on June 3, 1844, that the two last confirmed birds, a probable breeding pair, were slaughtered on Eldey off the coast of Iceland.

Since (and probably even before) that tragic act of wanton destruction, the curious-looking flightless bird has enjoyed an almost mythical status.

It has been the subject of several factual books and possibly even more works of fiction - one of them by children's author Enid Blyton. Like her fellow writer and doubtless many others, she was among those simultaneously horrified and fascinated by the species' demise.

Now there is a new book, *The Great Auk*, by Tim Birkhead - the Sheffield University academic who would have been guest speaker at the LBC's 2020 annual meeting had it not fallen victim to Covid lockdown.

To his credit, Prof Birkhead has managed to dig out plenty of new information, much of it as a result of personal interviews as well as desktop research.

But the fact that he is also a world expert on the Great Auk's smaller cousin, the Guillemot, has imbued his text with an extra layers of scientific authority.

The last British record of the Great Auk was one that was shot in 1813 on an island in The Orkneys, Papa Westray which, curiously enjoyed another moment of fame in November 2021 when it briefly played host to a vagrant bird from the US - a Varied Thrush.

Did Great Auks ever venture from the North Atlantic into waters off the Lincolnshire Coast? If they did, there are no known surviving records.

But Lincolnshire - specifically Grimsby - does get a mention in the new book because it was the birthplace of Vivian Hewitt, an aviator and wealthy collector who became so intrigued by the bird that he went on to acquire no fewer than four Great Auk skins and 13 eggs

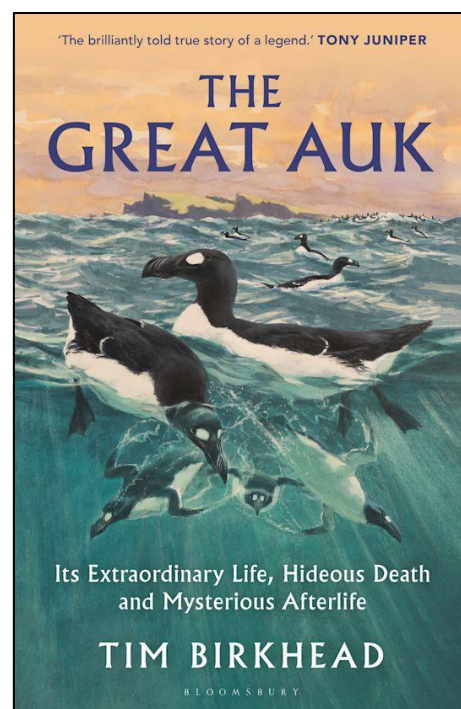
For the latter he paid, paying an estimated £4,000 or, in today's currency, around £235,000.

Indeed, a proportion of Prof Birkhead's remarkable book is almost as much about Hewitt's obsession as it is about the legendary bird. As with his plentiful other books, the author has a conversational jargon-free writing style, and the way he has structured his narrative is often reminiscent of crime fiction.

It is a real page-turner of a tale in which his sense of wonder and almost puppy-like enthusiasm never fails to shine through.

The Great Auk is published in hardback at £20 by Bloomsbury Sigma.

Jim Wright



Lincs Bird Club on the road again - this time to Northumberland

The proposed spring LBC holiday in the Scottish Highlands has, unfortunately, had to be called off. Although there is still plenty of room on the coach, there has been a 'squeeze' on bedrooms at the Duke of Gordon hotel in Kingussie. In other words, there is not enough room at the inn - what the travel industry likes to term 'accommodation constraint'.



On the plus side, a five-day LBC autumn holiday has been set up for Northumberland - different sorts of habitat (plenty of coastline) and not such a long journey.

The setting will be a former coaching inn, The White Swan, in the historic town of Alnwick.

The dates are: Sunday November 2 - Thursday November 6

Included will be:

- Coach travel to and from the hotel with pick-ups in Lincolnshire towns
- Four nights' hotel accommodation with evening meal and breakfast
- At least two excursions - including one to Holy Island (Druridge Bay and Alnmouth are among destinations on the radar)

The price is low for a birding holiday - just £375 per person based on two sharing a room - so there is likely to be lively interest.

There are also six single rooms (again £375 per person) but these are likely to be snapped up fast.

Early November is too late for nesting Puffins, other auks and terns, but there may still be a few Sooty Shearwaters on the move and perhaps some early divers and sea duck species. Shorebirds should be plentiful (with a chance of Shorelarks and Snow Buntings), and, further inland, scarce passerines such as Yellow-browed Warbler and Pallas Warbler could put in an appearance. In recent years, Northumberland has also developed a good record for mega-rares - think Grey-headed Lapwing and Greater Sand Plover. If winds are favourable, there could also be breathtakingly big 'drops' of arriving winter thrushes.

Not all birders' husbands/ wives/ partners are also birders, but Alnwick itself has plenty to offer - the castle (film set for scenes in the Harry Potter films) will be closed for winter, but hopefully the extensive gardens will be open.

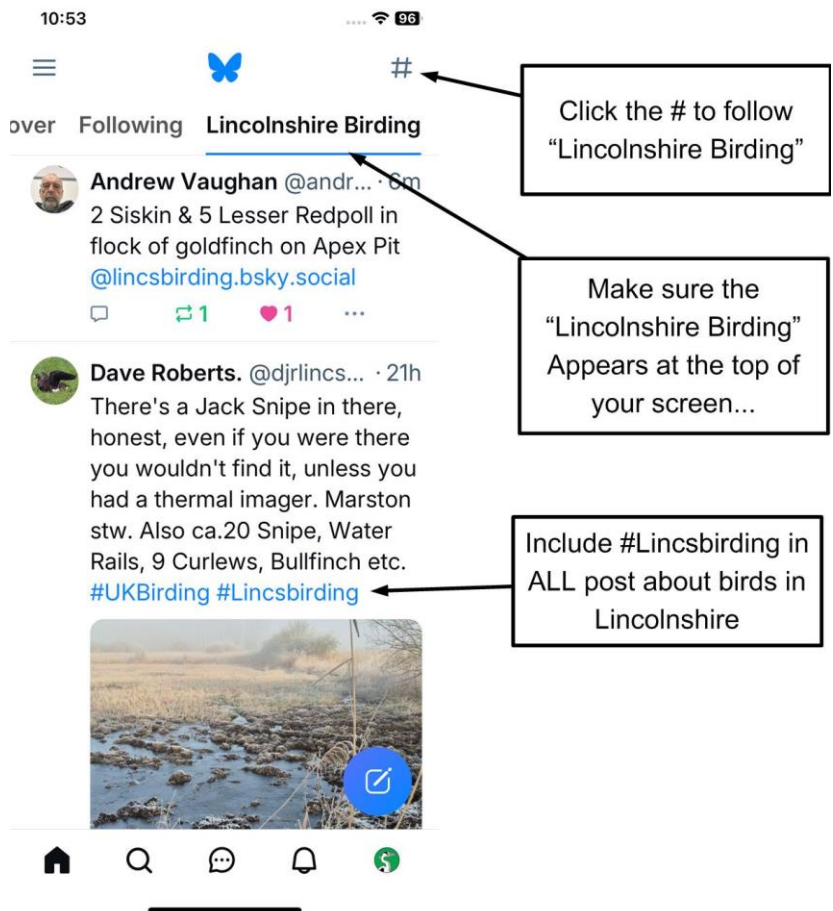
For anyone who wants to get in a bit of Christmas shopping or perhaps to watch a floodlit Premier League football match, there are buses (plus a railway station four miles away at Alnmouth) to places such as Newcastle and Edinburgh. As with previous holidays, the Lincs Bird Club has put together the holiday in conjunction with Cairngorm Travel through whom bookings need to be made (first come, first served) by telephone: 01405 761334.

Jim Wright

We're excited to announce that the Lincolnshire Bird Club (LBC) is now on Bluesky! A big thank you to Matt Dineen for setting up the official LBC Bluesky account.

When sharing Lincolnshire birding news on Bluesky, don't forget to use the hashtag **#Lincsbirding** to ensure it reaches the wider community.

Be sure to follow the **Lincolnshire Birding** feed to stay updated with all the latest sightings and news. When using your phone, it should look like this.....



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Please email info@lincsbirdclub.co.uk



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Lincolnshire Bird News – March 2025

Compiled by Jo Whitley

This page is regularly updated to provide an accessible news service on scarce and rare bird sightings in Lincolnshire. This is a free service. For the most up-to-date information, LBC members are encouraged to check commercial news services. The **Sightings** page, @Lincsbirding Twitter account, and the **BlueSky #LincsBirding** feed aim to notify birders about rare (RED) and scarce (BLUE) species that might be of interest within the county.

For detailed updates about Gibraltar Point, please visit their regularly updated blog at <http://gibraltarpointbirdobservatory.blogspot.com/>, which offers far more information than is included here. The latest bird news is compiled by Jo Whitley, to whom the Bird Club is very grateful.

We strive to share all relevant information, but occasionally, something might be overlooked. If you spot anything missing, please don't hesitate to reach out! Send missing records or photographs to info@lincsbirdclub.co.uk with the subject line: **Lincs Latest Bird News** and we will add them to the page!

While this page highlights rarer species, records of common species are equally valuable. Please submit these to the County Recorder via email at recorder_south@lincsbirdclub.co.uk or use the **BTO BirdTrack** or **eBird** apps. All submitted records will be added to the Lincolnshire Bird Club database and included in the Annual Reports. **Important:** None of the reports displayed on this page have been verified or reviewed by the Lincolnshire Bird Club Records Committee.

31/3/2025

Tongue End

Cattle Egret

Ashbyville Ponds-Scunthorpe

Buzzard (2), Canada Goose, **Cettis Warbler (1)**, Chiffchaff (19), Cormorant, Dunnock (7), Great Crested Grebe (1), Greenfinch (8), House Sparrow, **Lesser Black-Backed Gull**, Moorhen, Reed Bunting (2), Tufted Duck, Wren

Toft Newton Reservoir

Black Headed Gull (3), Buzzard (1), Chaffinch (3), Chiffchaff (1), Coot (4), Cormorant (2), **Curlew (1)**, Fieldfare (1), Gadwall (22), Goldeneye (5), Great Crested Grebe (1), Green Woodpecker (1), Grey Heron (1), Greylag Goose (4), **Lesser Black-Backed Gull (5)**, Linnet (3), Little Egret (1), Meadow Pipit (21), Moorhen (1), Rook (30), Shelduck (6), Skylark (5), **Stock Dove**, Teal (34), Tufted Duck (29)

Anderby Creek

Avocet (4), **Barnacle Goose (1)**, **Cettis Warbler**, Chiffchaff (3), Collard Dove (1), Cormorant (2), **Curlew**, Dunnock, Gadwall, Goldcrest (1), Grey Heron (1), Herring Gull, Kingfisher, Lapwing, Little Egret (6), Little Grebe, **Lesser Black-Backed Gull (2)**, Meadow Pipit, Redshank, Shelduck, **Shoveler**, Sparrowhawk (1), Swallow (1), Teal, Tufted Duck, Wigeon, Yellowhammer (1)

Rimac

Whooper Swan, Shelduck, **Shoveler**, Wigeon, Tufted Duck, Collard Dove, Moorhen, Coot, Lapwing, **Curlew**, Snipe, Little Egret, **Great Egret**, Grey Heron, Marsh Harrier, Buzzard, Kestrel, Rook, Skylark, Willow Warbler, Chiffchaff, Chaffinch, Dunnock, Linnet, Reed Bunting

Dole Wood

Blackcap (1), Bullfinch (2), Chiffchaff (4), Jay (2), **Great Spotted Woodpecker (1)**, Great Tit (2), Jackdaw (35), Pheasant (3), Robin (5), **Stock Dove (3)**, Woodpigeon (7), Wren (2)

Short Ferry

Blackcap (3), Buzzard (2), Canada Goose (6), **Cettis Warbler (3)**, Chiffchaff (13), Cormorant (3), **Curlew (1)**, **Egyptian Goose (5)**, Gadwall (11), Great Crested Grebe (1), Green Sandpiper (1), Grey Heron (17), Greylag Goose (14), Kestrel (1), Linnet (4), Oystercatcher (1), Song Thrush (1), **Stock Dove (6)**, Teal (12), **Water Rail (1)**, Wigeon (30), Willow Warbler (1)

Hobhole Bank-Boston

Shelduck (32), Gadwall (5), Avocet (3), Oystercatcher (6), **Curlew (5)**, Redshank (66), **Mediterranean Gull (2)**, **Lesser Black-Backed Gull (2)**, Cormorant (1), Barn Owl (1), **Merlin (1)**, Skylark (1), Chiffchaff (4), Blackcap (1), Pied Wagtail (2), Meadow Pipit (5), Greenfinch (3), Corn Bunting (28)

Boultham Mere/Swanpool

Blackcap (1), Canada Goose (5), [Cettis Warbler \(1\)](#), Coot (26), Cormorant (4), Dunnock (5), Grey Heron (1), Greylag Goose (33), Kingfisher (2), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull \(3\)](#), Linnet (4), Little Egret (3), [Shoveler \(28\)](#), Skylark (4), Song Thrush (1), [Stock Dove \(6\)](#), Teal (4), Tufted Duck (6), Yellowhammer (4)

Gibraltar Point NR

Avocet (26), Bar-Tailed Godwit, [Black-Tailed Godwit \(1\)](#), [Brent Goose Dark Bellied \(63\)](#), Buzzard (1), Cormorant (41), [Curlew](#), Dunlin, Fieldfare, Gadwall (4), Goldeneye (1), [Great Spotted Woodpecker \(2\)](#), [Great White Egret \(1\)](#), Grey Heron (2), Kestrel (1), Knot, Lapwing, [Lesser Black-Backed Gull \(5\)](#), Linnet (26), Little Grebe (23), [Mediterranean Gull \(2\)](#), Little Egret (2), Oystercatcher, [Pintail \(2\)](#), [Redwing \(1\)](#), Redshank, Ringed Plover, Sanderling, Shelduck (34), [Shoveler \(23\)](#), Snipe (1), Swallow (1), [Stock Dove \(2\)](#), Teal (24), Tufted Duck (44), Turnstone, [Water Rail \(2\)](#), Wigeon (8)

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Huttoft Bank

Buzzard (1), Canada Goose, Chiffchaff, Common Gull, [Curlew](#), Grey Partridge (2), Greylag Goose, House Sparrow, Mallard, Marsh Harrier (1), Mistle Thrush (1), Pied Wagtail (7), Redshank (2), Shelduck (1), Skylark, [Stock Dove \(1\)](#), Wigeon (7)

Anderby Creek

[Spoonbill \(1\)](#), [Garganey \(1\)](#), [Cettis Warbler](#), [Curlew](#), Dunlin (1), Dunnock, Gadwall, Greylag Goose, Kestrel (1), Lapwing, Linnet, Little Egret (3), Little Grebe, Marsh Harrier (1), Reed Bunting, Sanderling, [Shoveler](#), Snipe, Teal, Wigeon

Barrow Haven

[Osprey \(1\) - Flew West](#), [Cettis Warbler](#), [Curlew \(2\)](#), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Little Grebe, Marsh Harrier (3), Redshank (4), Canada Goose (2), Greylag Goose (5)

Bourne

[Dark Breasted Barn Owl \(1\) - Still showing at Christmas Tree Farm](#)

Louth

Yellowhammer (5), Tree Sparrow (5), [Stock Dove \(2\)](#), Teal (2), Song Thrush (3), Skylark (6), Nuthatch (1), Mistle Thrush (1), Meadow Pipit (1), Mallard (7), Long-tailed Tit (1), Linnet (3), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull \(4\)](#), Kestrel (3), Grey Heron (1), Goldcrest (4), Gadwall (18), Coal Tit (3), Chiffchaff (15), Canada Goose (7), Buzzard (8), Blackcap (1), Blackbird (10)

Sleaford

Barn Owl (1), Blue Tit (1), Buzzard (1), [Cettis Warbler \(1\)](#), Chiffchaff (1), Chaffinch (1), Marsh Harrier (1), Pied Wagtail (2), Yellowhammer (1), Willow Warbler (1)

Langtoft

[Ring-necked Duck \(Drake\)](#)

Gibraltar Point NR

[Black Redstart \(1\)](#), Avocet (43), Barn Owl (2), [Brent Goose Dark Bellied \(75\)](#), Cormorant (9), [Curlew](#), Dunlin, Gadwall (2), Goldeneye (2), [Great Spotted Woodpecker \(2\)](#), Grey Plover, Kestrel (1), Knot, Lapwing, Little Egret (4), Little Grebe (19), Oystercatcher, [Pintail \(2\)](#), Redshank, Ringed Plover, Shelduck (41), [Shoveler \(38\)](#), Skylark (12), [Stock Dove \(5\)](#), Teal (24), Tufted Duck (38), [Water Rail \(1\)](#), Wigeon (2), Bearded Tit (2)

Pyewipe/Grimsby Docks

Avocet (39), Bar-Tailed Godwit, [Black-Tailed Godwit](#), Buzzard (1), Chiffchaff (2), Canada Goose (2), Cormorant (1), [Curlew](#), Dunlin, Dunnock (1), Gadwall (22), Greenfinch (2), Greylag Goose (11), House Sparrow (3), Kestrel (1), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Linnet (2), Little Egret (2), Mute Swan (2), Redshank, Robin (1), Shelduck, [Shoveler \(5\)](#), Skylark, [Stock Dove \(2\)](#), Teal (12), Tufted Duck (4), Wigeon (1)

Metheringham/Blankney

Blackbird (9), Blue Tit (11), Carrion Crow (4), Chaffinch (10), Chiffchaff (5), Coal Tit (1), Dunnock (8), [Great Spotted Woodpecker \(1\)](#), Great Tit (15), Green Woodpecker (1), Greenfinch (2), Greylag Goose (4), Linnet (12), Mallard (4), Robin (8), Song Thrush (4), [Stock Dove \(2\)](#), Woodpigeon (40), Wren (8)

RSBP Frampton Marsh

[Spoonbill](#)

Willow Tree Fen

[Common Crane \(28\)](#), [Russian White-Fronted Goose \(1\)](#), Fieldfare, Golden Plover (400), [Great White Egret \(3\)](#), Grey Heron (3), Lapwing, [Lesser Black-Backed Gull \(4\)](#), Marsh Harrier (10), Oystercatcher (1), Redshank (2), Shelduck (3), [Shoveler](#), Snipe (20), Sparrowhawk (1), Stock Dove, Teal, Tufted Duck, Water Rail (1), Wigeon

Lincoln

House Martin (3)

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Alkbourgh Flats

Spoonbill (1), Shelduck, Shoveler, Gadwall, Wigeon, Teal, Pochard, Lapwing, Lesser Black-Backed Gull, Little Grebe, Cormorant, Little Egret, Skylark, Bearded Reedling, Bank Swallow, Cettis Warbler, Chiffchaff, Linnet, Goldfinch, Reed Bunting, Greylag Goose, Canada Goose

Anderby Creek

Spoonbill (3), Curlew, Dunlin, Buzzard (1), Gadwall, Golden Plover (19), Grey Wagtail (1), Greenfinch (1), Lapwing, Lesser Black-Backed Gull (1), Linnet, Little Egret (4), Little Grebe (2), Marsh Harrier (1), Meadow Pipit (3), Oystercatcher (1), Redshank, Sanderling (2), Sedge Warbler (1), Shelduck, Shoveler, Stock Dove (1), Teal, Tufted Duck (12), Water Rail (2), Wigeon (8), Yellowhammer (1)

Bourne

Dark-Breasted Barn Owl (1) - Still showing at Christmas Tree Farm

Baston Gravel Pits

Ring-necked Duck (Drake)

Boultham Mere/Swanpool

Blackcap (1), Canada Goose (4), Cettis Warbler (1), Chaffinch (1), Chiffchaff (5), Cormorant (8), Dunnock, Goldfinch (3), Green Woodpecker (2), Greenfinch (2), Grey Heron (1), House Sparrow (1), Lesser Black-Backed Gull (1), Marsh Harrier (1), Oystercatcher, Pochard (2), Shoveler (32), Song Thrush (2), Skylark (2), Sparrowhawk (2), Stock Dove (5), Teal (3), Tufted Duck (7), Yellowhammer (1)

RSPB Frampton Marsh

Spoonbill, Wigeon, Teal, Tufted Duck, Whooper Swan, Shelduck, Shoveler, Sand Martin, Ruff, Ringed Plover, Redshank, Lapwing, Oystercatcher, Meadow Pipit, Mallard, Little Ringed Plover, Gadwall, Dunnock, Coot, Kestrel, Greylag Goose, Grey Heron, Great Crested Grebe, Goldeneye, Buzzard, Chiffchaff, Cettis Warbler, Brent Goose, Brent Goose Dark Bellied, Black-Tailed Godwit, Avocet

Tongue End

Cattle Egret (8), Grey Heron, Barn Owl, Cormorant, Coot

Baston Fen

Common Crane (2), Greylag Goose (50), Oystercatcher (2), Barn Owl (1), Little Egret (2), Mallard (6), Mute Swan (2), Grey Heron (1), Fieldfare (10)

Langtoft

Ring-necked Duck (Drake)

Deeping Lakes

Glossy Ibis (2)

Trent Port

Greylag Goose (3), Mallard (4), Stock Dove (3), Moorhen (2), Cormorant (2), Grey Heron (1), Buzzard (2), Green Woodpecker (1), Rook (18), Great Tit (2), Skylark (3), Chiffchaff (7), Blackcap (1), Wren (5), Fieldfare (12), Linnet (2), Chaffinch (2), Yellowhammer (2)

Molecey Mill Pit

Tufted Duck (12), Stock Dove (1), Mute Swan (7), Avocet (2), Linnet (3), Oystercatcher (1), Golden Plover (50), Ringed Plover (2), Little Ringed Plover (5), Lapwing (5), Snipe (2), Cormorant (2), Grey Heron (1), Red Kite (3), Buzzard (1), Kestrel (1), Bank Swallow (20), Song Thrush (2)

RSPB Frieston Shore

Brant Goose (135), Shelduck (40), Shoveler (25), Gadwall (8), Wigeon (5), Teal (29), Goldeneye (3), Stock Dove (3), Avocet (10), Oystercatcher (11), Curlew (16), Redshank (8), Lesser Black-Backed Gull, Great Spotted Woodpecker (1), Little Grebe (2), Little Egret (1), White Wagtail (2), Meadow Pipit (5), Linnet (2), Skylark (1), Goldfinch (5), House Sparrow (3)

East Halton Skitter

Whooper Swan (1), Shelduck (28), Shoveler (13), Gadwall (11), Teal (58), Tufted Duck (8), Stock Dove (4), Water Rail (1), Avocet (31), Little Ringed Plover (2), Lapwing (14), Curlew (60), Redshank (35), Ruff (2), Dunlin (25), Black-Legged Kittiwake (1), Lesser Black-Backed Gull (8), Little Grebe (4), Cormorant (13), Grey Heron (2), Marsh Harrier (3), Buzzard (2), Great Spotted Woodpecker (1), Kestrel (1), Jay (2), Willow Warbler (1), Blackcap (1), Northern Wheater (1), Dunnock (4), White Wagtail (2), Rock Pipit (1), Linnet (26)

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Anderby Creek

Avocet (4), Blue Headed Wagtail (1), Brent Goose Dark Bellied (1), Cettis Warbler, Cormorant, Curlew, Dunlin, Dunnock, Egyptian Goose (2), Gadwall, Greenfinch (1), Grey Heron (1), Kestrel (1), Lapwing, Lesser Black-Backed Gull, Little

Egret (8), Marsh Harrier (1), Meadow Pipit (1), Redshank, Sand Martin (1), Sanderling (2), Shelduck, [Shoveler](#), Siskin (12), [Spoonbill](#) (3), Teal, Tufted Duck (10), [Water Rail](#) (2), Wigeon (13), [Yellow Wagtail](#) (1), Yellowhammer (1), [Pochard](#), [Garganey](#) ([Drake](#))

Bourne

[Dark-Breasted Barn Owl](#) (1) - Still Showing at Christams Tree Farm

Langtoft

[Ring-necked Duck](#) ([Drake](#))

Huttoft Car Terrace

Chiffchaff, [Curlew](#) (9), Greylag Goose, Herring Gull, Kestrel (1), Mallard (3), Meadow Pipit, Pied Wagtail, Redshank (1), Sanderling (2), Shelduck (2), [Stock Dove](#), Wren

Kirkby Gravel Pits

Greylag Goose (10), Canada Goose (4), Mute Swan (2), [Egyptian Goose](#) (2), Shelduck (8), [Shoveler](#) (25), Gadwall (95), Teal (9), Tufted Duck (18), Goldeneye (2), [Water Rail](#) (2), Coot (25), Avocet (4), Lapwing (2), Snipe (20), Redshank (20), Great Crested Grebe (2), Cormorant (4), Grey Heron (3), Buzzard (3), Treecreeper (1), Reed Bunting (1)

Tattershall Lakes

[Egyptian Goose](#) (1), [Stock Dove](#) (1), Gadwall (2), Greylag Goose (3), Woodpigeon (15), Moorhen (2), Rook (12), Blue Tit (1), Great Tit (2), Starling (12), [White Wagtail](#) (2)

Gibraltar Point NR

[Brant Goose](#), Shelduck, [Shoveler](#), Gadwall, Wigeon, [Pintail](#) (2), Teal, Tufted Duck, Avocet, Ringed Plover (1), Lapwing, [Curlew](#), [Woodcock](#) (1), Redshank, [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Little Grebe, Cormorant, Little Egret, Sparrowhawk (1), Red Kite (4), Buzzard (3), Bearded Reedling (1), Skylark, [White Wagtail](#), Linnet, Greenfinch, Siskin, [Water Rail](#) (1), [Yellow Wagtail](#), [Black Redstart](#) (1), [Woodlark - Flew South](#)

Pyewipe/Grimsby Docks

Avocet (15), [Black-Tailed Godwit](#), Collard Dove (1), Cormorant (4), [Curlew](#), Dunlin, Gadwall (9), Greenfinch (1), Grey Heron (1), Greylag Goose (11), Jackdaw (2), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Linnet, Little Egret (1), Oystercatcher (4), Redshank, Shelduck, Teal (5), Tufted Duck (6), Wigeon (2)

RSPB Frieston Shore

[Spotted Redshank](#) (1)

Far Ings NR

Tufted Duck, Robin, Pied Wagtail, Long-tailed Tit, Greenfinch, Greylag Goose, Great Crested Grebe, Gadwall, Dunnock, Goldfinch, Coot, Chaffinch, Chiffchaff, [Cettis Warbler](#), Canada Goose

Rimac

Buzzard (4), [Cattle Egret](#) (4), Coot (10), [Curlew](#) (3), [Great White Egret](#) (3), Grey Heron (3), Herring Gull (4), Little Egret (6), Greylag Goose (10), Mallard (12), Marsh Harrier (4), Skylark (1), Swallow (1), Teal (30), Tufted Duck (2)

RSPB Frampton Marsh

Wigeon, Whooper Swan, Teal, Tufted Duck, Snipe, Shelduck, [Shoveler](#), Ruff, [Spoonbill](#), Redshank, [Pochard](#), [Pintail](#), Oystercatcher, Little Grebe, Little Egret, Lapwing, Greylag Goose, Grey Heron, Great Crested Grebe, Dunlin, [Curlew](#), Chiffchaff, Canada Goose, [Brent Goose Dark Bellied](#), [Black-Tailed Godwit](#) (156), Avocet (23)

One of the three Spoonbills captured today at Anderby Creek © Andrew Sims

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Anderby Creek

Avocet (3), Buzzard (2), [Cettis Warbler](#), Chaffinch (10), Cormorant (1), [Curlew](#), Dunlin, [Egyptian Goose](#) (2), Gadwall, [Garganey](#) (1), Golden Plover, Grey Heron (1), Lapwing, Linnet (27), Little Egret, Little Grebe, Marsh harrier (2), Redshank, [Redwing](#) (3), Sand Martin (1), Sanderling (3), Shelduck, [Shoveler](#), Siskin (2), Snipe (1), Swallow (11), Tufted Duck, Wigeon (32),



Yellowhammer (1)

RAF Woodhall Spa

Mediterranean Gull

Bourne

Dark-Breasted Barn Owl (1) - Still showing at Christmas Tree Farm

Baston Fen

Common Crane (2), Oystercatcher (2), Barn Owl, Cattle Egret (8), Little Egret, Great White Egret, Marsh Harrier, Wren, Mallard (8), Garganey (1), Mute Swan (30), Gadwall, Greylag Goose (20), Wigeon (6), Golden Plover (30), Goldfinch, Cormorant, Lapwing (20), Coot (10)

South Of Lincolnshire

Great Grey Shrike (1) - At an Undisclosed Private Location

Tattershall Lakes

White Wagtail (6), Linnet (2), Rook (10), Chiffchaff (1), Pink-Footed Goose (1), Black Headed Gull (10), Buzzard (1), Goldfinch (4)

Culverthorpe Lakes

Greylag Goose (21), Canada Goose (14), Teal (4), Tufted Duck (7), Stock Dove (5), Moorhen (7), Great Crested Grebe (2), Jackdaw (28), Skylark (2), Blackbird (5), Dunnock (3), White Wagtail (1), Siskin (2), Reed Bunting (1)

Caistor-Westmoor Ponds, Woods and Fields

Stock Dove (2), Oystercatcher (1), Common Gull (6), Lesser Black-Backed Gull (2), Buzzard (1), Great Spotted Woodpecker (1), Kestrel (2), Jay (1), Rook (4), Great Tit (3), Skylark (10), Blackcap (1), Song Thrush (1), Dunnock (2), House Sparrow (11), White Wagtail (3), Greenfinch (1), Yellowhammer (1)

Gibraltar Point NR

Black Redstart (1)

Killingholme Haven Pits

Avocet (1), Buzzard (1), Curlew (1), Grey Heron (2), Greylag Goose (2), Little Egret (1), Redshank (30), Shelduck (3)

Winters Pond

Canada Goose, Coot, Cormorant, Curlew, Dunnock, Gadwall, Herring Gull, Little Egret, Little Grebe, Moorhen, Mallard, Redshank, Shelduck, Skylark, Teal, Tufted Duck, Yellowhammer

Jobs Lane Pits

Blue Tit (2), Black Headed Gull (300), Chiffchaff (1), Coot (16), Cormorant (1), Egyptian Goose (4), Gadwall (12), Great Crested Grebe (8), Great White Egret (1), Little Grebe (1), Oystercatcher (2), Teal (1), Tufted Duck (30), Wigeon (68)

Belton House NT

Buzzard (3), Carrion Crow (30), Chiffchaff (2), Coal Tit (1), Dunnock (2), Goldcrest (3), Great Spotted Woodpecker (1), Green Woodpecker (3), Grey Wagtail (1), Jackdaw (40), Little Egret (1), Little Grebe (1), Mandarin Duck (2), Nuthatch (2), Song Thrush (1), Stock Dove (3), Teal (4), Treecreeper (1), Tufted Duck (6), Wren (5)



Common Cranes Spotted today at Baston Fen © Clive Doubleday



Cattle Egrets spotted today at Baston Fen © Clive Doubleday

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Rimac

Black Redstart (1), Lapwing (1), Redshank (1)

Anderby Creek

Avocet (3), Black-Tailed Godwit (1), Cettis Warbler, Chiffchaff, Curlew, Dunlin, Fieldfare (1), Gadwall, Garganey (1), Goldcrest (10), Grey Heron (1), Kingfisher (1), Lapwing, Little Egret, Little Grebe (1), Marsh Harrier (1), Redshank, Redwing (3), Ruff (1), Shelduck, Shoveler, Snipe, Teal, Tufted Duck, Tree Sparrow (1), Water Rail (3), Wigeon

Huttoft Bank

Stock Dove (3), Redwing (1), Meadow Pipit (3), Wigeon, Linnet (40), Kestrel (2), Great Tit, Goldcrest (1), Curlew, Chiffchaff (1)

Bourne South Fen (Tongue End)

Barn Owl (2), Buzzard (1), Cattle Egret (8), Cormorant (1), Corn Bunting (1), Dunnock, Kestrel, Long-tailed Tit, Mallard, Mute Swan, Song Thrush, Stock Dove (1), Yellowhammer, Wren

Bourne

Dark-Breasted Barn Owl (1) - Still Showing at Christmas Tree Farm

Molecey Mill Pit

Egyptian Goose, Teal, Tufted Duck, Stock Dove, Oystercatcher, Golden Plover, Ringed Plover, Little Ringed Plover, Snipe, Green Sandpiper, Greenfinch, Cormorant, Grey Heron, Little Egret, Skylark, White Wagtail, Grey Wagtail

Willow Tree Fen

Chaffinch, Meadow Pipit, Dunnock, Fieldfare, Marsh Harrier, Redshank, Snipe, Lapwing, Oystercatcher, Teal, Tufted Duck, Wigeon, Greylag Goose, Shoveler

Gibraltar Point NR

Avocet (30), Black Redstart (1), Barn Owl (1), Brent Goose Dark Bellied (6), Cormorant (5), Corn Bunting (9), Dunnock (8), Fieldfare (1), Gadwall (4), Great Black-Backed Gull, Great Spotted woodpecker (2), Greylag Goose (30), Kestrel (1), Lapwing (20), Lesser Black-Backed Gull (10), Linnet (10), Little Egret (5), Little Grebe (15), Marsh Harrier (1), Merlin (1), Oystercatcher

(20), Pintail (2), Redshank (14), Redwing (16), Shelduck (40), Shoveler (40), Sparrowhawk (1), Teal (50), Tufted Duck (40), Water Rail (1), Wigeon (300)

Boultham Mere/Swanpool

Buzzard (2), Canada Goose (8), Cettis Warbler (1), Chaffinch (3), Chiffchaff (5), Coot (19), Cormorant (9), Dunnock (1), Gadwall (4), Greenfinch (3), Grey Heron (3), Greylag Goose (32), Jay (1), Lesser Black-Backed Gull (1), Little Egret (3), Little Grebe, Pochard (2), Reed Bunting (1), Shoveler (14), Sparrowhawk (2), Tufted Duck (12), Teal (7)

RSPB Frampton Marsh

Brant Goose, Barnacle Goose, Shelduck, Shoveler, Gadwall, Wigeon, Teal, Pintail, Tufted Duck, Goldeneye, Avocet, Oystercatcher, Ringed Plover, Little Ringed Plover, Lapwing, Curlew, Black-Tailed Godwit, Snipe, Ruff, Dunlin, Lesser Black-Backed Gull, Great Crested Grebe, Spoonbill, Great Egret, Little Egret, Skylark, Marsh Harrier, Kingfisher, Swallow

Far Ings NR

Cettis Warbler, Chaffinch, Chiffchaff, Cormorant, Great Crested Grebe, House Sparrow, Long-Tailed Tit, Redshank, Reed Bunting, Tufted Duck, Wigeon, Pheasant, Wren, Gadwall

Grainthorpe Haven

Buzzard (2), Kesrel (2), Marsh Harrier, Hen Harrier, Teal (20), Greenshank (2), Dunlin (5), Mallard (6), Redshank, Shelduck (10), Little Egret (12), Curlew (4), Gadwall (2), Skylark, Reed Bunting, Meadow Pipit (3), Pied Wagtail (2), Wren (2), Woodpigeon, Stock Dove, Chaffinch, Greenfinch

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Willow Tree Fen

Common Crane (22) - Came into Roost

Anderby Creek

Avocet (5), Black-Tailed Godwit (1), Buzzard (1), Blackbird (10), Cettis Warbler, Chiffchaff (3), Collard Dove (4), Curlew, Dunlin, Gadwall, Golden Plover (200), Great White Egret (1), Green Sandpiper (1), Greenfinch, Grey Heron (2), Kestrel (2), Kingfisher (1), Lesser Black-Backed Gull (4), Little Egret (6), Little Grebe (1), Magpie (49), Meadow Pipit (11), Oystercatcher (1), Redshank (6), Redwing (2), Rock Pipit (1), Teal, Wigeon, Sanderling (2), Shoveler, Siskin (3), Snipe (2), Sparrowhawk (1), Tufted Duck, Yellowhammer (3)

Molecey Mill Pit

Tufted Duck, Stock Dove, Ringed Plover, Little Ringed Plover, Snipe, Green Sandpiper, Herring Gull, Little Egret, Red Kite, Rook, Jackdaw, Skylark, Bank Swallow, White Wagtail, Yellowhammer

Bourne

Dark-Breasted Barn owl (1) - Still Showing at Christmas Tree Farm

Deeping Lakes

Glossy Ibis (2), Barn Owl, Buzzard, Cattle Egret, Cettis Warbler, Collard Dove, Cormorant, Dunnock, Egyptian Goose, Gadwall, Goldeneye, Greater Black-Backed Gull, Great Spotted Woodpecker, Great Crested Grebe, Great White Egret, House Martin, Kestrel, Lapwing, Little Egret, Little Owl (1), Oystercatcher, Pochard, Red-Breasted Merganser, Sand Martin, Swallow, Tufted Duck, Wigeon, Whooper Swan

Gibraltar Point NR

Black Redstart (1), Hen Harrier (Male)

RSPB Frampton Marsh

Spoonbill, White Wagtail, Sand Martin (5)

Kirkby La Thorpe

Little Egret (1), Green Woodpecker (1), Greylag Goose (22), Buzzard (2), Bullfinch (1), Great Crested Grebe (2), Lesser Black-Backed Gull (8), Song Thrush (1)

Sturton By Stow

Barn Owl, Buzzard, Chaffinch, Cormorant, Dunnock, Great Tit, Greenfinch, Greylag Goose, Jackdaw, Kestrel, Mallard, Meadow Pipit, Redwing, Reed Bunting, Rook, Skylark, Stock Dove, Woodpigeon, Yellowhammer

Caistor-Westmoor Ponds, Woods and Fields

Coot (3), Lapwing (2), Oystercatcher (1), Black Headed Gull (6), Herring Gull, Lesser Black-Backed Gull (2), Great Crested Grebe (2), Cormorant (5), Buzzard (1), Great Spotted Woodpecker (1), Jay (1), Blackcap (1), Skylark (7), Chiffchaff (3), Redwing (5), House Sparrow (10), White Wagtail (1), Yellowhammer (1), Greenfinch (2)

Elm House Farm

Pink-Footed Goose (1), Shelduck (8), Shoveler (30), Wigeon (180), Teal (30), Lapwing (28), Skylark (15), Northern Wheater (2), White Wagtail (4), Meadow Pipit (1)

Pyewipe/Grimsby Docks

Avocet (22), Black-tailed Godwit, Collard Dove (2), Cormorant (2), Curlew, Dunlin, Gadwall (10), Greylag Goose (3), Lesser Black-

Backed Gull, Linnet (2), Little Egret (1), Mute Swan (7), Oystercatcher (2), Redshank, Shelduck, [Shoveler \(5\)](#), Skylark, Song Thrush (1), [Stock Dove \(2\)](#), Teal (6), Tufted Duck (2), Wigeon (17), Wren (1)

Saltfleetby/theddlethorpe Dunes NNR

Shelduck (6), [Shoveler \(65\)](#), Wigeon (140), Teal (65), Kestrel (1), Tufted Duck (30), [Stock Dove \(2\)](#), Lapwing (8), [Curlew \(12\)](#), Skylark (19), Redshank (35), Little Egret (1), [Cattle Egret \(3\)](#), [Great Egret \(1\)](#), Marsh Harrier (4), [Black Redstart \(1\)](#), Chiffchaff, Linnet (12), [White Wagtail \(2\)](#), Chaffinch (20)

RSPB Frieston Shore

[Brant Goose Darked Bellied \(7\)](#), Shelduck (95), [Shoveler \(50\)](#), Gadwall (8), Wigeon (297), Teal (58), Goldeneye (2), Avocet (6), Oystercatcher (18), Lapwing (1), [Curlew \(32\)](#), Redshank (11), Dunlin (1), Little Grebe (7), Little Egret (5), [White Wagtail \(3\)](#), Starling (122), Great Tit (3), Linnet (2), Reed Bunting (1), Meadow Pipit (1)



One of the Two Buzzards seen today at Kirkby La Thorpe © Stewart Wilson

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Cleethorpes Showground

[Purple Sandpiper \(2\)](#), Sanderling, Turnstone (4), Redshank (1), Oystercatcher (6), Knot, Linnet (3), Greenfinch (4), Herring Gull, Skylark (1)

Bourne

[Dark-Breasted Barn Owl \(1\)](#) - Still showing at Christmas Tree Farm, [Black Redstart](#) - Seen in Private Garden

Huttoft Bank

Buzzard (1), [Cettis Warbler \(1\)](#), Chiffchaff (1), [Curlew \(40\)](#), Golden Plover (40), Little Egret (1), Meadow Pipit (5), Pied Wagtail (3), Redshank (2), Rook (1), Tufted Duck (1), Wigeon (35)

Caistor- Westmoor Ponds, Fields and Woods

Lapwing (2), [Stock Dove \(1\)](#), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull \(2\)](#), Great Crested Grebe (2), [Great Spotted Woodpecker \(1\)](#), Jay (1), Great Tit (2), Skylark (7), Chiffchaff (2), Dunnock (1), House Sparrow (8), White Wagtail (3), Linnet (6), Greenfinch (1), Goldfinch (4), Reed Bunting (2), Mallard (3)

Messingham Sand Quarry

Greylag Goose (10), Gadwall (6), [Pochard \(4\)](#), Tufted Duck (8), Mute Swan (2), Avocet (12), [Bittern \(1\)](#), Coal Tit (2), Chiffchaff (10), [Cettis Warbler \(1\)](#), Treecreeper (1), Dunnock (1)

Trent Port

Mallard (4), [Stock Dove \(1\)](#), Woodpigeon (22), Moorhen (1), Cormorant (8), Buzzard (5), Kingfisher (1), Green Woodpecker (1), Rook (16), Skylark (3), Long-tailed Tit (6), [Redwing \(2\)](#), Fieldfare (9), Robin (7), Dunnock (5), Linnet (18), Yellowhammer (10)

Langtoft Gravel Pits (Greatford Lakes)

Canada Goose (1), [Egyptian Goose \(2\)](#), [Shoveler \(30\)](#), Gadwall (30), Wigeon (2), [Red-Crested Pochard \(1\)](#), [Pochard \(14\)](#), [Red-Necked Duck \(Drake\)](#), Tufted Duck (40), Goldeneye (6), Great Crested Grebe (1), Cormorant (3), Little Egret (3), Grey Heron (1), Buzzard (1), Treecreeper (1)

Middlemarsh Farm

Wigeon (280), Teal (80), Tufted Duck (17), [Stock Dove \(2\)](#), Snipe (5), [Shoveler \(32\)](#), Shelduck (18), Redshank (4), [Pochard \(3\)](#), Oystercatcher (10), Little Grebe (1), Little Egret (4), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull \(1\)](#), Dunlin (1), [Curlew \(29\)](#), Cormorant (15), Coot (22), Buzzard (4), Black Headed Gull (120)

Willow Tree Fen

Buzzard (1), Collard Dove (2), Dunnock (1), Fieldfare (50), [Great White Egret \(1\)](#), Grey Heron (1), Greylag Goose (20), House Sparrow (3), Lapwing (80), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Linnet (4), Little Owl (1), Marsh Harrier (5), Meadow Pipit (1), Oystercatcher (2), Redshank (1), Shelduck (4), [Shoveler \(70\)](#), Snipe (2), [Stock Dove \(2\)](#), Teal (40), Tufted Duck (14), Wigeon (600)

Deeping Lakes

[Glossy Ibis \(2\)](#), [Kittiwake](#), Blackcap, Buzzard, [Cattle Egret \(4\)](#), Cormorant, Gadwall, Goldeneye, [Goosander](#), [Great White Egret](#), Great Crested Grebe, Lapwing, [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Little Egret, Marsh Harrier, Oystercatcher, [Pochard](#), Sand Martin, Sparrowhawk, Teal, Wigeon, Tufted Duck

Boultham Mere/Swanpool

[Stock Dove \(1\)](#), Song Thrush (1), Skylark (1), [Shoveler \(19\)](#), Tufted Duck (9), [Pochard \(6\)](#), Little Egret (4), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull \(2\)](#), Kestrel (1), Green Woodpecker (2), [Great Spotted Woodpecker \(1\)](#), Dunnock (6), Cormorant (10), Chiffchaff (4), Common Gull (12), Black Headed Gull (70)

RSPB Frampton Marsh

[White Wagtail](#), [Little Ringed Plover](#), [Peregrine Falcon](#), [Great Egret \(2\)](#), [Mediterranean Gull](#), [Cettis Warbler](#), [Little Gull](#), [Spoonbill](#), Barn Owl, Red Kite, [Brent Goose](#), Whooper Swan, Shelduck, [Shoveler](#), Gadwall, [Pintail](#), [Pochard](#), Wigeon, Tufted Duck, Goldeneye, [Stock Dove](#), Great Crested Grebe, Oystercatcher, Grey Heron, Redshank, [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Snipe, [Black-Tailed Godwit](#), Lapwing, Ringed Plover, Avocet, Sand Martin

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Cress Marsh

Avocet (7), Cormorant (1), [Curlew \(8\)](#), Gadwall (16), Green Sandpiper (2), Greylag Goose (19), Lapwing (10), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull \(1\)](#), Little Egret (2), Little Grebe (2), [Little Ringed Plover \(1\)](#), Oystercatcher (2), Pink-footed Goose (1), [Ruddy Duck \(6\)](#), Shelduck (7), [Shoveler \(9\)](#), Skylark (2), Teal (14), Tufted Duck (21), Wigeon (90)

Pyewipe/grimsby Docks

Avocet (37), Bar-Tailed Godwit, Buzzard (1), [Cettis Warbler \(1\)](#), Chaffinch (2), Chiffchaff (1), Cormorant (1), [Curlew](#), Dunlin, Dunnock (1), Fieldfare (1), Gadwall (8), Golden Plover (300), Grey Plover (1), Lapwing (11), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Little Egret (2), Meadow Pipit (2), Oystercatcher (4), [Pintail \(1\)](#), Redshank, Ringed Plover (1), [Ruddy Shelduck \(6\)](#), Shelduck, [Shoveler \(4\)](#), Teal (27), Wigeon (27), Wren (4)

Bourne

[Dark-Breasted Barn Owl \(1\)](#) - Still Showing at Christmas Tree Farm

Post Mill Close, North Hykeham

[Mandarin Duck \(1\)](#)

Langtoft Gravel Pits

[Osprey](#), [Ferruginous Duck \(Drake\)](#), [Ring-necked Duck \(Drake\)](#), Tufted Duck (30), [Shoveler \(2\)](#), [Pochard \(6\)](#), Teal (5), Song Thrush (1)

Cleethorpes Beach

Purple Sandpiper

Deeping Lakes

Glossy Ibis (2), White Wagtail, Cettis Warbler, Bank Swallow, Skylark, Raven, Rook, Kestrel, Kingfisher, Little Owl, Red Kite, Marsh Harrier, Sparrowhawk, Cattle Egret, Great Egret, Cormorant, Great Crested Grebe, Snipe, Lapwing, Merganser, Oystercatcher, Goldeneye, Pintail, Tufted Duck, Shoveler, Shelduck, Whooper Swan, Greylag Goose, Long-eared Owl

Waters Edge Country Park

Cettis Warbler, Blackcap, Chiffchaff

Covenham Reservoir

Gadwall (11), Tufted Duck (40), Goldeneye (48), Stock Dove (2), Coot (15), Oystercatcher (1), Redshank (3), Lesser Black-Backed Gull (1), Great Crested Grebe (1), Cormorant (5), Great Spotted Woodpecker (1), Raven (1), Chiffchaff (1), Dunnock (3), Reed Bunting (3), Chaffinch (1)

Trent Port

Shelduck (12), Mute Swan (4), Mallard (20), Teal (8), Stock Dove, Moorhen (3), Oystercatcher (2), Jack Snipe (1), Redshank (4), Lesser Black-Backed Gull (3), Cormorant (16), Grey Heron (1), Great Spotted Woodpecker (1), Redwing (33), Fieldfare (22), Bullfinch (2), Yellowhammer (1), Chaffinch (2)

Molecey Mill Pit

Teal (5), Tufted Duck (2), Greylag Goose (5), Ringed Plover (1), Lapwing (9), Snipe (5), Green Sandpiper (3), Cormorant (1), Little Egret (2), Skylark (9), Dunnock, White Wagtail (3), Linnet (1), Yellowhammer (2)

Saltfleetby-Theddlethorpe Dunes NNR

Shelduck (2), Shoveler (52), Wigeon (110), Teal (35), Tufted Duck (10), Lapwing (4), Curlew (2), Redshank (6), Little Egret (5), Cattle Egret (5), Marsh Harrier (2), Cettis Warbler (1), White Wagtail (1), Greenfinch (6)

Bishopthorpe/Tetney

Curlew (17), Mistle Thrush (1), Yellowhammer (5), Song Thrush (1)

Metheringham/Blankney

Buzzard (2), Chaffinch (11), Chiffchaff (5), Dunnock (8), Goldfinch (17), Great Spotted Woodpecker (2), Greenfinch (9), Jackdaw (12), Jay (2), Kestrel (1), Linnet (6), Long-tailed Tit (4), Redwing (30), Stock Dove (4), Treecreeper (1)



Blackcap captured today at Waters Edge Country Park © Karen Spavin



Cettis Warbler seen today at Waters Edge Country Park © Karen Spavin



Chiffchaff seen today at Waters Edge Country Park © Karen Spavin

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Langtoft

Ferruginous Duck (Drake), Ring-necked Duck (Drake) - Both Still showing at Location

Bourne

Dark Breasted Barn Owl (1) - Still showing at Christmas Tree Farm

West Deeping

Spoonbill (1), Garganey (1) - Both flew towards Maxey Pits

Deeping Lakes

Glossy Ibis (2), Cettis Warbler, Chiffchaff, Chaffinch, Cormorant, Dunnock, Egyptian Goose, Gadwall, Goldeneye, Great Crested Grebe, Greenfinch, Lapwing, Lesser Black-Backed Gull, Pochard, Sand Martin, Shelduck, Shoveler, Snipe, Song Thrush, Teal, Tufted Duck

Willow Tree Fen

Canada Goose, Coot, Gadwall, Greylag Goose, Grey Heron, Kestrel, Lapwing, Marsh Harrier, Pheasant, Mute Swan, Reed Bunting, Shelduck, Shoveler, Stock Dove, Teal, Wigeon

Tallington Lakes

Greater Scaup (Female)

Tattershall Thorpe

Cettis Warbler (1), Chiffchaff (3), Cormorant (27), Goldeneye (2), Great Crested Grebe (2), Great Spotted Woodpecker (1), Great White Egret (1), Grey Heron (1), Greylag Goose (49), Jay (2), Lapwing (12), Linnet (1), Marsh Harrier (1), Oystercatcher (4), Pochard (1), Skylark (2), Teal (6), Tufted Duck (35), Wigeon (150), Yellowhammer (1)

Anderby Creek

Avocet (3), Black Tailed Godwit (5), Buzzard (1), Cettis Warbler, Chaffinch (18), Cormorant (8), Curlew, Dunlin (21), Golden Plover (311), Great White Egret (1), Grey Heron (5), Grey Plover (1), Lapwing, Lesser Black-Backed Gull (5), Little Egret (4), Pied/White Wagtail (1), Redshank, Rock Pipit (1), Ruff (7), Shoveler, Siskin (35), Snipe (8), Sparrowhawk (1), Stock Dove (2), Teal, Water Rail (1), Wigeon, Tufted Duck (1)

Alkborough Flats

Barnacle Goose, Bearded Tit, Black Tailed Godwit (12), Cettis Warbler, Curlew, Golden Plover (30), Goldeneye (3), Great White Egret (1), Grey Heron (2), Lapwing, Linnet, Marsh harrier (2), Pochard, Shelduck, Shoveler, Skylark, Teal, Tufted Duck, Wigeon

Boultham Mere/Swanpool

Yellowhammer (1), Tufted Duck (7), Stock Dove (4), Song Thrush (1), Skylark (2), Shoveler (13), Redwing (2), Pochard (4), Oystercatcher (2), Little Ringed Plover (1), House Sparrow (3), Greylag Goose (43), Grey Heron (2), Great Spotted Woodpecker (1), Dunnock (5), Cormorant (12), Coot (27), Chiffchaff (7), Cettis Warbler (2), Black Headed Gull (30)

Tattershall Bridge

Chaffinch (5), Gadwall (1), Little Egret (11), Little Grebe (2), Redshank (5)

Manby Flashes

Shelduck, Mute Swan, Shoveler, Gadwall, Teal, Moorhen, Avocet, Lapwing, Oystercatcher, Green Sandpiper, Redshank, Lesser Black-Backed Gull, Little Egret, Grey Heron, Red Kite, Buzzard, Great Spotted Woodpecker, Cettis Warbler, Mistle Thrush, Song Thrush, Meadow Pipit, Greenfinch

RSPB Frampton Marsh

Little Gull, Avocet (14), Black Tailed Godwit (2), Brent Goose (2), Curlew, Dunlin (28), Dunnock (1), Gadwall (2), Golden Plover, Goldeneye (10), Great Crested Grebe (2), Great Spotted Woodpecker (1), Great White Egret (1), Grey Heron, Lapwing (104), Little Egret (1), Marsh Harrier (3), Oystercatcher (1), Pintail (2), Pochard (2), Redshank, Rook, Ruff, Shelduck (8), Shoveler, Snipe (1), Spoonbill (1), Whooper Swan, Teal, Wigeon, Tufted Duck, Short-eared Owl (1), Caspian Gull, Water Pipit (1)



Little Ringed Plover seen today at Boultham Mere/Swanpool © Andrew Sims



One of the Eleven Little Egret spotted today at Tattershall Bridge © Stewart Wilson

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Marston Sewage Works

Teal (6), Gadwall (8), Little Grebe (1), Cormorant (1), Marsh Harrier (1), Buzzard (1), Kestrel (1), Green Woodpecker (1), [Cettis Warbler](#) (6), [Redwing](#) (2), Reed Bunting (1), Goldfinch (1)

Messingham Sand Quarry

Shelduck (26), [Shoveler](#) (35), Gadwall (45), Teal (4), [Pochard](#) (12), Tufted Duck (6), Goldeneye (2), Avocet (10), Oystercatcher (2), Lapwing (2), Redshank (2), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#) (2), Cormorant (5), [Bittern](#) (1), Marsh harrier (1), Buzzard (1), [Cettis Warbler](#) (1), Linnet (1), Dunnock (2)

Langtoft

Ferruginous Duck (Drake), Ring-Necked Duck (Drake) - Both still showing at location

Bourne

[Dark-Breasted Owl](#) (1) - Still showing at Christmas Tree Farm

Grantham

[Short-Eared Owl](#) (1), Yellowhammer (4), Skylark (9), Linnet (5), Buzzard (2)

Trent Port Marton

Chaffinch, Chiffchaff, Dunnock, Fieldfare, [Great Spotted Woodpecker](#), Green Woodpecker, Jackdaw, Long-Tailed Tit, Moorhen, [Redwing](#), Rook, Skylark, Song Thrush, Teal, Treecreeper, Yellowhammer

Anderby Creek

[Woodcock](#) (1), [Snow Bunting](#) (1), Snipe (6), Siskin (1), Teal, Wigeon, Tufted Duck, [Shoveler](#), Sanderling (1), [Rock Pipit](#) (2), Redshank, [Pintail](#) (1), Meadow Pipit (6), Little Grebe (1), Little Egret (6), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#) (1), Marsh Harrier (2), Lapwing, Kingfisher (1), Jackdaw (75), Golden Plover (600), Dunlin (7), [Curlew](#), Cormorant (1), Chiffchaff (3), [Cettis Warbler](#), [Brambling](#) (1), [Black-Tailed Godwit](#) (1), Bar-Tailed Godwit (1), Avocet (3)

Whisby Nature Reserve

[Mediterranean Gull](#) (1)

Thorpe Landfill Site

[Smew](#) (Drake), [Great White Egret](#), [Egyptian Goose](#) (3), [Cormorant](#) (8), Gadwall (5), Great Crested Grebe (9), Grey Heron (3), Kestrel (1), [Shoveler](#) (12), Oystercatcher (2)

Pyewipe/Grimsby Docks

Wigeon (34), Teal (6), [Stock Dove](#) (1), [Shoveler](#) (4), Redshank, [Pintail](#) (1), Oystercatcher (1), [Little Ringed Plover](#) (2), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Jackdaw (2), Gadwall (6), Curlew, Cormorant (2), Chiffchaff (1), Buzzard (1), [Brent Goose](#) Darked Bellied, Avocet (6)

Molecey Mill Pit

Canada Goose, Greylag Goose, Tufted Duck, Pheasant, Oystercatcher, Golden Plover, [Little Ringed Plover](#), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Cormorant, Little Grebe, Green Woodpecker, Skylark, Chiffchaff, [Cettis Warbler](#), Long-Tailed Tit, [Redwing](#), Song Thrush, Dunnock, Goldfinch, Greenfinch, Yellowhammer, Reed Bunting

RSPB Frampton Marsh

[Cattle Egret](#) (4), [Merlin](#), Whooper Swan (54), Sand Martin (2), [Great White Egret](#) (1), [Brent Goose](#) (180), Avocet (30), Black-Tailed Godwit (2), [Cettis Warbler](#) (2), [Curlew](#) (3), Grey Plover (1), Great Crested Grebe (1), Grey Heron (1), Lapwing (16), Marsh Harrier (2), Oystercatcher (4), [Pintail](#) (2), Ruff (1), Shelduck (4), [Shoveler](#) (9), Skylark (5), Teal (67), Tufted Duck (12), Wigeon (300), [Spoonbill](#), [Greater Scaup](#)



Short Eared Owl spotted today in Grantham © Stewart Wilson



Mediterranean Gull spotted today at Whisby Nature Reserve © Andrew Sims

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Bourne

Dark-Breasted Barn Owl (1) - Still Showing at Christmas Tree Farm

Rimac

Cattle Egret (1), Chaffinch (1), Grey Heron (7), Little Egret (10), Marsh Harrier (2), Shelduck (6), Shoveler (18)

Belton Estate

Greater Scaup (Drake)

Langtoft

Ferruginous Duck (Drake), Ring-necked Duck (Drake)

Anderby Creek

Avocet (6), Black Tailed Godwit (7), Buzzard (1), Cettis Warbler, Cormorant (9), Curlew, Dunlin, Dunnock, Gadwall, Goldcrest (3), Goosander (1), Great White Egret (1), Grey Heron (2), House Sparrow, Kestrel (1), Lapwing, Little Egret (4), Linnet, Little Grebe (1), Marsh Harrier (1), Meadow Pipit (10), Pintail (1), Ruff (1), Sanderling (1), Shoveler, Siskin (2), Snipe (9), Spoonbill (1), Teal, Tufted Duck (3), Water Rail (1), Woodcock (1)

Cleethorpes North Shore

Chaffinch, Coot, Dunlin, Goldfinch, Greenfinch, Greylag Goose, Herring Gull, Lesser Black-Backed Gull, Oystercatcher, Purple Sandpiper (3), Redshank, Turnstone

Cress Marsh

Buzzard (1), Chaffinch (1), Curlew (17), Dunlin (1), Gadwall (10), Green Sandpiper (2), Herring Gull (30), Lapwing (8), Lesser Black-Backed Gull (5), Linnet (4), Little Egret (30), Little Grebe (15), Little Ringed Plover (3), Redshank (1), Shelduck (40), Shoveler (9), Teal (22), Tufted Duck (2), Wigeon (78)

Cleethorpes Country Park

Pintail (1) - Still showing on Lakes

Deeping Lakes

Long-Eared Owl (3)

RSPB Frampton Marsh

Cattle Egret (2), Merlin (Male), Hen Harrier (Male), Spoonbill, Woodcock, Little Ringed Plover

Willow Tree Fen

Common Crane (3), Shoveler, Wigeon, Pintail, Tufted Duck, Greylag Goose, Canada Goose, Lapwing, Grey Heron, Marsh Harrier, Red Kite, Skylark, Chiffchaff, Chaffinch

Pyewipe/Grimsby Docks

Avocet (30), Black Tailed Godwit, Canada Goose (2), Chiffchaff (1), Cormorant (2), Curlew, Dunnock (2), Gadwall (6), Goldfinch (14), Greenfinch (2), Herring Gull, Kestrel (1), Lesser Black-Backed Gull, Linnet (2), Little Egret (3), Meadow Pipit (2), Mute Swan (4), Oystercatcher (4), Redshank, Reed Bunting (2), Shelduck, Shoveler (9), Teal (4), Tufted Duck (5), Wigeon (11)

Far Ings NR

Water Rail (1), Tree Sparrow, Song Thrush, Snipe, Reed Bunting, Redwing, Redshank, Oystercatcher, Moorhen, Marsh Harrier, Little Grebe, House Sparrow, Greylag Goose, Greenfinch, Great Crested Grebe, Dunnock, Dunlin, Curlew, Cormorant, Common Sandpiper, Chiffchaff, Cettis Warbler, Bullfinch, Blackcap

Messingham Sand Quarry

Avocet (17), Buzzard (2), Cettis Warbler (2), Chiffchaff (10), Cormorant (2), Curlew (8), Gadwall (74), Goldeneye (4), Great Spotted Woodpecker (1), Grey Heron (20), Lapwing, Lesser Black-Backed Gull (2), Little Grebe (1), Marsh Harrier (2), Oystercatcher (3), Pochard (6), Shoveler (24), Sparrowhawk (1), Teal (5), Tufted Duck (28)

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Langtoft

Ferruginous Duck (Drake)

North Wall Cleethorpes

Purple Sandpiper (3)

Cleethorpes Country Park

Blackbird (2), Blue Tit (3), Cettis Warbler (2), Chaffinch (20), Chiffchaff (1), Coot (4), Dunnock (3), Gadwall (9), Great Crested Grebe (2), Great Tit (3), Greenfinch (2), Linnet (2), Lesser Black-Backed Gull, Mallard (2), Mute Swan (1), Rook (1), Tufted Duck (6), Water Rail (1), Wren (2)

Anderby Creek

Avocet (3), Black Tailed Godwit (3), Cettis Warbler, Chaffinch (1), Cormorant (11), Curlew, Dunlin, Dunnock, Eider (1), Grey Heron (1), Lapwing, Linnet (18), Little Egret (1), Little Grebe (1), Little Ringed Plover (1), Meadow Pipit (14), Pintail (1), Redshank, Ruff (2), Shelduck, Shoveler, Teal, Tufted Duck (4), Water Rail (1), Wigeon

Post Mill Close, North Hykeham

Black Headed Gull (200), Chaffinch (2), Chiffchaff (7), Dunnock (1), Jay (1), Mallard (5), [Mandarin Duck \(1\)](#), Robin (6), Rook (1), Tufted Duck (5)

Kirkby Gravel Pits

[Willow Warbler](#), [Cettis Warbler](#), Treecreeper, Shelduck, [Shoveler](#), Gadwall, Teal, Goldeneye, Moorhen, Lapwing, Redshank, Cormorant, [Great Egret](#), Grey Heron, Buzzard

Caythorpe

[Hawfinch](#)

Deeping Lakes

[Long-eared Owl \(3\)](#)

RAF Woodhall Spa

Whooper Swan, [Egyptian Goose](#), [Shoveler](#), Wigeon, Shelduck, Gadwall, Teal, [Pochard](#), Goldeneye, Lapwing, [Curlew](#), Redshank, Great Crested Grebe, [Great Egret](#), Cormorant, Buzzard, Skylark, Long-Tailed Tit, Greenfinch

RSPB Frieston Shore

[Spotted Redshank](#), [Brant Goose](#), [Shoveler](#), Wigeon, [Pintail](#), Teal, Tufted Duck, Avocet, Goldeneye, [Curlew](#), Green Sandpiper, Oystercatcher, Redshank, Cormorant, Marsh Harrier, Skylark, Song Thrush, [White Wagtail](#), Linnet

RSPB Frampton Marsh

[Brant Goose](#), Shelduck, [Shoveler](#), [Spoonbill](#), [Pintail \(2\)](#), Whooper Swan, Teal, [Pochard](#), Goldeneye, Ringed Plover, [Curlew](#), Lapwing, Snipe, Redshank, Ruff, Great Crested Grebe, Cormorant, [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Kingfisher, Oystercatcher, [Cettis Warbler](#), Reed Bunting, [Black Tailed Godwit](#)

Donna Nook

Buzzard (1), Chaffinch (2), Chiffchaff (2), [Curlew \(3\)](#), Dunnock (3), [Great White Egret \(1\)](#), Linnet (20), Little Egret (20), Meadow Pipit (11), Redshank, [Redwing \(1\)](#), Reed Bunting (8), Skylark (20), Yellowhammer (2)

Park Street to Cleethorpes Leisure Centre

Turnstone (14), Redshank, [Purple Sandpiper \(3\)](#), Oystercatcher, Little Egret (1), Little Grebe (1), Linnet (2), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Knot, Herring Gull, House Sparrow (5), Dunnock (2), [Curlew](#), Collard Dove (6), Chaffinch (1), [Cettis Warbler \(1\)](#), Blackbird (2)

Manby Flashes

Wigeon (2), Teal (30), [Shoveler \(3\)](#), Shelduck (4), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull \(1\)](#), Lapwing (1), Grey Wagtail (1), [Great Spotted Woodpecker](#), Common Gull (78), Cettis Warbler (1), Buzzard (1), Avocet (17)



Three of the Purple Sandpipers seen today on the North Wall Cleethorpes (Back of Fuller Street) © Roy Harvey



Male and Female Pintails Spotted today at RSPBFrampton Marsh © Stewart Wilson

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RSPB Frampton Marsh

Spoonbill (1), Avocet, Black-Tailed Godwit, Brent Goose, Cormorant, Curlew, Dunlin, Gadwall, Golden Plover, Goldeneye, Great White Egret, Grey Heron, Grey Plover (1), Kestrel, Lapwing, Marsh Harrier, Mediterranean Gull (1), Oystercatcher, Pink-footed Goose (3), Pintail, Pochard, Redshank, Ringed Plover, Ruff, Shoveler, Snipe, Whooper Swan (19), Teal, Tufted Duck, Wigeon

Langtoft

Ferruginous Duck (Drake), Ring-necked Duck (Drake)

Bourne

Dark-breasted Barn Owl (1) - Still present at Christmas Tree Farm

North Wall, Cleethorpes

Purple Sandpiper (2)

RSPB Frieston Shore

Water Pipit (1), Brent Goose (150), Bullfinch (2), Chaffinch (2), Curlew (67), Dunnock (1), Herring Gull (4), Lapwing (1), Linnet (1), Little Egret (1), Little Grebe (4), Little Ringed Plover (2), Oystercatcher (15), Pochard (2), Shelduck (2), Shoveler (17), Skylark (11), Stock Dove (1), Teal (2), Tree Sparrow (1), Wigeon (2)

Deeping Lakes

Caspian Gull (2), Egyptian Goose, Shoveler, Wigeon, Teal, Tufted Duck, Pintail, Goldeneye, Oystercatcher, Lapwing, Snipe, Great Crested Grebe, Cormorant, Grey Heron, Red Kite, Buzzard, Little Owl, Kestrel, Bank Swallow, Cettis Warbler, Song Thrush, Dunnock, Greenfinch, Merganser, Goldfinch, Reed Bunting

Willow Tree Fen

Common Crane (6), Shoveler, Wigeon, Teal, Oystercatcher, Black-Tailed Godwit, Snipe, Little Egret, Grey Heron, Marsh Harrier, Red Kite, Buzzard, Fieldfare, White Wagtail

Hartsholme Country Park

Black Headed Gull (20), Buzzard (1), Canada Goose (23), Chaffinch (1), Coal Tit (1), Cormorant (1), Great Crested Grebe (1), Great Spotted Woodpecker (1), Great Tit (1), Grey Heron (9), Greylag Goose (56), Jay (1), Nuthatch (1), Tufted Duck (13)

Anderby Creek

Canada Goose, Cettis Warbler, Chiffchaff (2), Curlew, Dunlin, Gadwall, Grey Partridge (2), Grey Wagtail (1), Lapwing, Linnet, Magpie, Meadow Pipit (1), Redshank, Rook (40), Shelduck, Shoveler, Snipe (3), Teal, Tufted Duck (4), Wigeon, Woodpigeon, Wren, Sanderling (2)

New Waltham

Blue Tit (4), Chaffinch (3), Collard Dove (5), Dunnock (3), Great Crest (2), Goldfinch (14), Greenfinch (6), Lesser Black Backed Gull (3), Marsh Harrier (1), Meadow Pipit (1), Robin (5), Stock Dove (3), Yellowhammer (1)

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Donna Nook

Brent Goose (42), Black-Tailed Godwit (10), Red Knot (3), Oystercatcher (2), Curlew, Redshank, Cormorant, Wigeon, Shelduck,

Teal

RSPB Frampton Marsh

Spoonbill, Spotted Redshank

Bourne

Dark Breasted Owl (1) - Still showing at christmas Tree Farm

Molecey Mill Pit

Teal (8), Tufted Duck (4), Stock Dove (5), Ringed Plover (2), Lapwing (9), Snipe (9), Great Black-Backed Gull, Lesser Black-Backed Gull (1), Cormorant (1), Skylark (6), Song Thrush (1), Dunnock (1), Grey Wagtail (2), White Wagtail (9), Meadow Pipit (15), Yellowhammer (1), Reed Bunting (3)

Anderby Creek

Black-Tailed Godwit (1), Cettis Warbler, Chiffchaff (1), Curlew, Dunlin, Gadwall, Greenfinch, Grey Heron (1), Lapwing, Linnet, Little Egret (1), Long-tailed Tit, Marsh Harrier (1), Meadow Pipit (3), Red Throated Diver (1), Redshank, Sanderling, Shelduck, Shoveler, Teal, Tufted Duck (30), Wigeon

Woodthorpe

Redwing (40)

North Wall Cleethorpes

Purple Sandpiper (3)

Willow Tree Fen

Teal (38), Tufted Duck (4), Wigeon (1000), Buzzard (1), Cettis Warbler, Fieldfare (100), Gadwall (6), Great Tit (10), Great White Egret (1), Grey Heron (1), Jack Snipe (1), Lapwing (50), Lesser Black-Backed Gull (1), Linnet, Mallard (36), Marsh Harrier (7), Oystercatcher (2), Redshank (1), Shelduck (4), Shoveler (40), Snipe (2)

Tongue End

Cattle Egret (8), Barn Owl (1)

Cress Marsh

Ruddy Shelduck (6)

Deeping Lakes

Caspian Gull (1), Cettis Warbler, Cattle Egret (4), Egyptian Goose, Gadwall, Cormorant, Great Crested Grebe, Greenfinch, Kestrel (1), Lapwing (10), Lesser Black-Backed Gull, Little Egret, Little Grebe, Oystercatcher (2), Pintail (2), Redwing (3), Shoveler, Skylark, Stock Dove, Teal, Tufted Duck, Whooper Swan

Baston and Langtoft Gravel Pits

Russian White-Fronted Goose (2) - In feild North of Baston Outfield

Belton House NT

Buzzard (3), Dunnock (4), Goldcrest (4), Great Spotted Woodpecker (1), Greenfinch (2), Jackdaw (40), Jay (1), Nuthatch (1), Redwing (5), Stock Dove (4), Treecreeper (2)

Tetney Marsh

Brent Goose (6), Chaffinch (1), Curlew (1), Herring Gull (8), Linnet (2), Oystercatcher (40), Redshank (2), Reed Bunting (1), Skylark (1), Turnstone (8)

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Bourne

Dark-Breasted Owl (1) - Still showing at Christmas Tree Farm

Willow Tree Fen

Russian White-Fronted Goose (1)

Deeping Lakes

Long-eared Owl (1), Egyptian Goose, Shoveler, Pintail, Teal, Tufted Duck, Wigeon, Merganser, Stock Dove, Oystercatcher, Lapwing, Snipe, Lesser Black-Backed Gull, Great Crested Grebe, Cormorant, Grey Heron, Great Spotted Woodpecker, Cettis Warbler, Greenfinch, Goldfinch, Reed Bunting

Huttoft Bank

Curlew, Golden Plover (1200), Canada Goose, Grey Heron (1), Kestrel (1), Linnet, Marsh Harrier (1), Meadow Pipit (2), Redshank (2), Skylark, Wren, Pied Wagtail (1)

Holbeach Marsh

Short-eared Owl (1)

Cleethorpes Country Park

Pintail (1)

Baston Pits

Red-Crested Pochard (1)

Anderby Creek

Avocet (4), **Black-Tailed Godwit (2)**, **Cettis Warbler**, Common Scoter (2), Cormorant (1), **Curlew**, Dunlin (22), Gadwall, Goldcrest, Golden Plover (2), **Great Northern Diver (1)**, Green Woodpecker, Grey Heron, House Sparrow, **Lapland Bunting (1)**, Lapwing, Little Egret (1), Oystercatcher (2), **Pintail (1)**, **Red Throated Diver (2)**, **Rock Pipit (4)**, **Shoveler**, Snipe, Teal, **Water Pipit (1)**, Wigeon, Yellowhammer

Branston Fen

Woodpigeon (20), **Stock Dove (8)**, Skylark (2), Reed Bunting (30), Mute Swan (2), Mallard (5), Little Owl (1), Linnet (25), Lapwing (80), Greylag Goose (13), Fieldfare (100), Corn Bunting (2), Canada Goose (12), Buzzard (1)

Pyewipe/Grimsby Docks

Avocet (80), Bar-Tailed Godwit, Buzzard (1), Cormorant (2), **Curlew**, Dunlin, Dunnock (4), Gadwall (9), Golden Plover (25), Greater Black-Backed Gull, **Lesser Black-Backed Gull**, Linnet (2), Little Egret (2), Meadow Pipit (1), Redshank, Reed Bunting (4), Shelduck, **Shoveler (4)**, Sparrowhawk (1), Stock Dove (1), Stonechat (1), Teal (15), Tufted Duck (5), Wigeon (26)

Marston STW

Canada Goose (5), **Cettis Warbler (3)**, Chiffchaff (1), **Curlew (1)**, Fieldfare (120), Gadwall (50), Grey Heron (1), Greylag Goose (132), Jay (1), Marsh Harrier (1), Teal (23)

Walesby Moor Woods

Bullfinch, Dunnock, Green Woodpecker, Moorhen, Rook, Skylark, **Stock Dove**

RSPB Frampton Marsh

Spoonbill, **Merlin**, **Peregrine Falcon (Female)**, Whooper Swan (4)

Toft Newton Reservoir

Canada Goose (2), Chaffinch (6), Fieldfare (1), Gadwall (18), Goldeneye (15), Great Crested Grebe (5), Grey Heron (1), Jackdaw (8), Little Egret (1), Little Grebe (3), Meadow Pipit (24), Oystercatcher (2), Pheasant (2), Rook (90), Shelduck (5), **Shoveler (1)**, **Stock Dove (4)**, Starling (27), Teal (35), Tufted Duck (39), Yellowhammer (3)

Cress Marsh

Chaffinch, Cormorant (2), **Curlew (10)**, Gadwall (15), Green Sandpiper (3), Greylag Goose (14), Lapwing (12), Little Egret (93), Little Egret (3), Linnet, Mute Swan (2), Shelduck (5), **Shoveler (13)**, Siskin (1), Skylark (2), Teal (35), Tufted Duck (7), Wigeon (130)

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Baston and Langtoft Gravel Pit

Russian White-Fronted Goose (2) - In the field North of Wader Pit with Greylag Geese

Alkborough Flats

Spoonbill (1), **Cettis Warbler**, Grey Heron, Little Egret, Snipe, Stonechat, Reed Bunting, Marsh Harrier

Deeping Lakes

Glossy Ibis (2) - On West Pit

Willow Tree Fen

Fieldfare (43), Greylag Goose (6), Lapwing (60), Little Egret (1), Marsh Harrier (4), Mistle Thrush (3), **Redwing (15)**, **Shoveler (57)**, Wigeon (200)

Anderby Creek

Avocet (5), **Cettis Warbler**, Chaffinch (1), **Curlew**, Dunlin (14), Dunnock, Gadwall, Goldcrest (1), Golden Plover (40), Goldfinch (1), Grey Heron (2), Lapwing, **Lesser Black-Backed Gull (1)**, Linnet, Little Egret (2), Meadow Pipit (2), **Red Throated Diver (4)**, Redshank (4), Rock Pipit (3), Sanderling (13), Shelduck (7), **Shoveler**, Siskin (2), Snipe (2), Tufted Duck (2), **Water Rail (1)**, Teal, Wigeon, Yellowhammer (1)

RAF Woodhall Spa

Little Ringed Plover (2)

Langtoft

Red Crested Pochard (4)

Bourne

Dark-Breasted Owl (1) - Seen this Morning at Christmas Tree Farm

Jobs Lane Pits

Smew (Drake)

Tongue End

Cattle Egret (8), Buzzard, Mute Swan, Whooper Swan, Kestrel

Baston Fen and Lakes

Grey Heron, Marsh Harrier, **Great White Egret**, Barn Owl (2), Goldeneye (30), Lapwing (200), Wigeon (100)

Metheringham/Blankney

Blue Tit (18), Buzzard (1), Chaffinch (12), Chiffchaff (3), Coal Tit (5), Dunnock (8), Fieldfare (40), Goldcrest (2), [Great Spotted Woodpecker \(2\)](#), Great Tit (7), Greenfinch (6), Grey Heron (1), Kestrel (2), Linnet (6), [Redwing \(5\)](#), Song Thrush (7), [Stock Dove \(5\)](#)

Molecey Mill Pit

Reed Bunting, Yellowhammer, Linnet, Meadow Pipit, [White Wagtail](#), Dunnock, Song Thrush, Wren, Skylark, Kestrel, Green Woodpecker, Red Kite, Marsh Harrier, Sparrowhawk, Grey Heron, Cormorant, Green Sandpiper, Snipe, Lapwing, [Little Ringed Plover](#), [Stock Dove](#), Tufted Duck, Teal, [Egyptian Goose](#)

RSBP Frampton Marsh

[Spoonbill](#), [Cattle Egret](#), [Cettis Warbler](#), Snipe, Pink-footed Goose (2), Whooper Swan, Great Crested Grebe, Oystercatcher, [Curlew](#), [Black-Tailed Godwit](#), Redshank, [Mediterranean Gull](#), Lapwing, Avocet, Sparrowhawk, Marsh Harrier, [Merlin](#), [Peregrine Falcon](#), Kingfisher, Buzzard, Kestrel, Goldeneye, [Pintail](#), [Pochard](#)

Whisby Nature Park

[Mediterranean Gull \(2\)](#), Cormorant (2), Kestrel (1), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull \(1\)](#), Little Egret (1), Little Grebe (1), [Pochard \(10\)](#), Teal (5), Tufted Duck (34), Wren (3)



Dark Breasted Barn Owl spotted early this morning at Bourne near Christmas Tree Farm © Matt Dineen

14/3/2025

Bourne

Dark-Breasted Barn Owl (1) - Still Present near Christmas Tree Farm

RSPB Frampton Marsh

Avocet, Bearded Tit (2), Black-Tailed Godwit (200), Ringtail Hen Harrier, Brent Goose Dark Bellied, Cettis Warbler, Chiffchaff (1), Curlew, Dunlin (300), Great White Egret (1), Kestrel (1), Lapwing, Linnet, Little Egret (8), Little Grebe (8), Marsh Harrier (1), Mediterranean Gull (3), Oystercatcher, Pink-Footed Goose (2), Pintail, Pochard (11), Redshank, Ruff, Shelduck, Shoveler, Snipe (1), Spoonbill (1), Teal, Tufted Duck (30), Whooper Swan (1), Wigeon

Baston Gravel Pits

Great White-Fronted Goose, Pink-footed Goose, Green Sandpiper, Redshank, Great White Egret, Raven

Bradley Woods

Blue Tit (2), Chaffinch (2), Coal Tit (2), Dunnock (1), Great Spotted Woodpecker (1), Jay (1), Nuthatch (3)

Jacksons Marsh

Bearded Tit (4), Cettis Warbler (2), Curlew (18), Gadwall (3), Jackdaw (90), Little Egret (3), Little Grebe (4), Shelduck (2), Shoveler (24), Teal (146), Water Rail (2), Wigeon (20)

Baston and Langtoft Gravel Pit

Russian White-Fronted Goose (2) - On North Shore of Wader Pit

Deeping Lakes

Long-eared Owl (1) - Opposite gully at main gates

Huttoft Bank

Brent Goose Darked Bellied (2), Common Scoter (5), Cormorant (1), Dunlin (2), Kittiwake (2), Linnet (1), Red Throated Diver (230), Shelduck (1), Pied Wagtail (1), Meadow Pipit (1)

Tattershall Thorpe

Egyptian Goose (5), Great White Egret (1), Shoveler (7), Tufted Duck (35), Wigeon (100)

Winters Pit

Black-Tailed Godwit, Canada Goose, Chaffinch, Curlew, Dunnock, Gadwall, Great Tit, Linnet, Little Egret, Little Grebe, Marsh Harrier, Oystercatcher, Shelduck, Shoveler, Teal, Tufted Duck, Wren

Toft Newton Reservoir

Chaffinch (2), Fieldfare (4), Gadwall (17), Goldeneye (11), Great Crested Grebe (3), Kestrel (1), Little Egret (2), Little Grebe (5), Meadow Pipit (25), Oystercatcher (2), Pochard (5), Redwing (1), Shelduck, Shoveler, Skylark (4), Stock Dove (3), Teal (40), Wigeon (4), Yellowhammer (4)

Alkborough Flats

Spoonbill (4), Cettis Warbler, Skylark, Kestrel, Barnacle Goose, Buzzard, Marsh Harrier, Sparrowhawk, Grey Heron, Great Egret, Bittern, Cormorant, Dunlin, Redshank, Curlew, Lapwing, Water Rail, Goldeneye, Pochard, Teal, Pintail, Wigeon, Gadwall, Shoveler

RSPB Frieston Shore

Little Ringed Plover, Avocet, Pintail, Wigeon Shelduck, Shoveler, Oystercatcher, Lapwing, Curlew, Redshank, Spotted Redshank, Dunlin, White Wagtail, Reed Bunting, Goldfinch, Chaffinch, Linnet, Mistle Thrush

Willow Tree Fen

Cattle Egret (8) - On the Banks of the River Glen Tounge End, Grey Heron (2), Red Kite (2), Cormorant, Kestrel, Buzzard, Mute Swan (20), Barn Owl (2), Lapwing (300), Wigeon (300), Snipe, Common Crane (5), Fieldfare (50), Marsh Harrier (2), Goldeneye, Oystercatcher, Tufted Duck, Black Headed Gull, Canada Goose

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Greatford Cut, Stamford Road

Teal (6), Tufted Duck (2), Lapwing (30), Green Sandpiper (1), Black Headed Gull (40), GreenFinch (1)

RSPB Frieston Shore

Pintail (50), Eider (6), Red Breasted Merganser (12), Merlin (1), Snipe (20), Marsh Harrier (1)

East Holton Skitter

Greylag Goose (6), Canada Goose (2), Shoveler (1), Gadwall (12), Wigeon (60), Mallard (20), Teal (8), Tufted Duck (30), Oystercatcher (2), Lapwing (12), Curlew (5), Little Grebe (10), Cormorant (2), Marsh Harrier (3), Kestrel (1), Goldfinch (1), Skylark (2)

Long Plantation (Stubton)

Stock Dove (4), Curlew (1), Snipe (1), Kestrel (2), Rook (78), Raven (2), Dunnock (3), White Wagtail (3), Meadow Pipit (2), Chaffinch (5), Redpoll (6)

Holton Marshes

Ringtail Hen Harrier (1)

Anderby Creek

Barn Owl (1), [Barnacle Goose](#) (8), [Cettis Warbler](#), Chiffchaff (1), Cormorant (8), [Curlew](#), Dunlin, Golden Plover (860), Lapwing, Little Egret (3), Meadow Pipit (1), Oystercatcher (2), [Red Throated Diver](#) (2), [Redwing](#) (1), [Rock Pipit](#) (3), Sanderling, Shelduck, [Shoveler](#), Teal, Tufted Duck, Wigeon

Holton Hologate, Spilsby

Barn Owl, [Black-Tailed Godwit](#) (20), Blue Tit (8), Buzzard, Chaffinch (5), Chiffchaff, Dunnock (12), Fieldfare (40), Great Tit (10), Green Woodpecker (2), Linnet, Rook (50), Skylark (2), Tawny Owl, Wren (2), Yellowhammer (3)

Deeping Lakes

[Egyptian Goose](#), [Shoveler](#), Gadwall, Wigeon, Mute Swan, Teal, Tufted Duck, Lapwing, Snipe, [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Great Crested Grebe, Cormorant, Little Egret, Red Kite, Green Woodpecker, Kestrel, Chiffchaff, [Cettis Warbler](#), Greenfinch, Reed Bunting

Sleaford

[Cettis Warbler](#) (1), Goldfinch (1), Linnet (1), Moorhen (1), Reed Bunting (36), Rook

Manby Flashes

Shelduck, [Shoveler](#), Gadwall, Wigeon, Teal, Avocet, Oystercatcher, Green Sandpiper, Redshank, Buzzard, Kestrel, Great Tit, Chiffchaff, [Cettis Warbler](#), Grey Wagtail, [White Wagtail](#), Greenfinch, Reed Bunting

RSPB Frampton Marsh

Avocet, [Black-Tailed Godwit](#), [Brent Goose](#), [Cattle Egret](#), Cormorant, [Curlew](#), Dunlin, Whooper Swan, Teal, [Spoonbill](#), Snipe, [Shoveler](#), [Pochard](#), [Pintail](#), Lapwing, Greenshank, [Hen Harrier](#), [Cettis Warbler](#), [Merlin](#), [Bearded Tit](#)

Horseshoe Point

[Brent Goose](#) (30), Cormorant (1), [Curlew](#) (12), Golden Plover (10), Kingfisher (1), Little Egret (5), Meadow Pipit (2), Redshank (7), Reed Bunting (3), Shelduck (6), [Short-eared Owl](#) (2), Skylark (1), Stonechat (1)

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Saltfleetby-Theddlethorpe Dunes NNR

[Little Ringed Plover](#) (2) - On wet grassland South of Crook Bank

Bourne

[Dark-breasted Owl](#) (1) - On near Christmas Tree Farm

Tetney Lock

Bizzard (1), Chaffinch (1), [Curlew](#) (2), [Goosander](#) (1), Great Tit (1), Greenfinch (3), Kestrel (1), Linnet (1), Little Egret (2), Marsh Harrier (1), Redshank (1), Skylark (1), Teal (4), Tufted Duck (4)

Lincolnshire CCP

Avocet (2), [Barnacle Goose](#) (8), [Black-Tailed Godwit](#) (1), [Brambling](#) (1), [Cettis Warbler](#) (3), Chaffinch (4), Cormorant (1), [Curlew](#) (23), Dunlin (14), Dunnock (4), Gadwall (110) Grey Heron (2), [Lapland Bunting](#) (1), Lapwing (22), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#) (2), Little Egret (2), Redshank (13), Rook (200), Sanderling (1), Shelduck (13), [Shoveler](#) (42), Skylark (3), Snipe (12), Teal (136), [Water Pipit](#) (1), [Water Rail](#) (1), Wigeon (326), Yellowhammer (3)

Molecey Mill Pit

[Egyptian Goose](#), Teal, Tufted Duck, Ringed Plover, Pheasant, Lapwing, Snipe, Green Sandpiper, Black Headed Gull, Song Thrush, [White Wagtail](#), Goldfinch

Anderby Creek

Avocet (2), [Barnacle Goose](#) (8), Buzzard, [Cettis Warbler](#), Chiffchaff (1), Cormorant (1), [Curlew](#), Dunlin, Dunnock, Gadwall, Golden Plover (35), Grey Heron (3), House Sparrow, Kestrel, Lapwing, Linnet, Little Egret (3), Little Grebe (1), Marsh Harrier (1), Meadow Pipit (3), Oystercatcher (2), Redshank, [Rock Pipit](#) (2), Shelduck, [Shoveler](#), Siskin (4), Sparrowhawk (1), Starling (1000), Tufted Duck (3), Wigeon

Baston and Langtoft Gravel Pit

[Russian White-Fronted Goose](#) (1), - In the field North of Wader Pit

Messingham Sand Quarry

Avocet (10), [Cettis Warbler](#), Chiffchaff, Coal Tit, Cormorant, [Curlew](#) (8), Gadwall, Goldcrest, Goldeneye, [Great White Egret](#) (2), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Oystercatcher (4), Pochard, Shelduck, [Shoveler](#), Song Thrush (2), Treecreeper (1), Tufted Duck, Wren

Sturton By Stow

Buzzard, Chaffinch, Collard Dove, Dunnock, Fieldfare, Greylag Goose, House Sparrow, Kestrel, [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Linnet, Mallard, Moorhen, Reed Bunting, Skylark, [Stock Dove](#), Yellowhammer

Normanton, Grantham

Buzzard (1), Chiffchaff (1), Dunnock (1), Fieldfare (17), Great Tit (1), Jackdaw (11), Little Owl (1), Long-tailed Tit (5), Sparrowhawk (1), [Stock Dove](#) (2)

Fiskerton Fen

Wigeon (350), Teal (11), Tufted Duck (11), [Merganser \(2\)](#), Oystercatcher (1), Cormorant (2), Grey Heron (1), Buzzard (1), Kingfisher (1), Kestrel (1), [Cettis Warbler \(1\)](#), Long-Tailed Tit (2), Chaffinch (2), Bullfinch (1), Greenfinch (1), Green Woodpecker (1)

RSPB Frampton Marsh

Avocet (20), [Black-Tailed Godwit \(50\)](#), [Brent Goose Darked Bellied \(700\)](#), [Cettis Warbler \(1\)](#), [Curlew \(2\)](#), Dunlin (2), Gadwall, Golden Plover (600), Goldeneye (7), Great Crested Grebe (2), Grey Heron (1), Kestrel, Lapwing (350), Little Egret (4), Little Grebe (2), Oystercatcher (2), [Pintail \(17\)](#), [Pochard \(8\)](#), Redshank (9), Ruff (8), Shelduck (26), [Shoveler \(18\)](#), Teal (20), Tufted Duck (80), Wigeon (400), [Spoonbill](#), [Peregrine Falcon](#)

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Deeping Lakes

[Cattle Egret \(5\)](#), [Cettis Warbler \(1\)](#), [Egyptian Goose \(2\)](#), Gadwall, Goldeneye (1), [Goosander \(3\)](#), Great Crested Grebe (6), Kestrel, Lapwing, [Lesser Black-Backed Gull \(1\)](#), Little Egret (1), Oystercatcher (2), [Pintail \(1\)](#), [Shoveler](#), Shelduck, Snipe (3), [Stock Dove \(3\)](#), Teal, Tufted Duck, Wigeon, Whooper Swan

Baston Fen

Barn Owl (1), [Cattle Egret \(1\)](#), Golden Plover (200), Grey Heron (1), Lapwing, [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Little Grebe (3), Redshank (1), Wigeon, Tufted Duck, Whooper Swan (80)

Covenham Reservoir

Gadwall (2), Wigeon (20), Tufted Duck (35), Goldeneye (54), Redshank (1), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull \(2\)](#), Little Grebe (1), Rook (60)

Baston and Langtoft Gravel Pit

[Russian White Fronted Goose \(2\)](#) - Opposite Baston Fen Farm

Molcey Mill Pit

Shelduck, [Little Ringed Plover](#), Lapwing, Cormorant, Red Kite, [White Wagtail](#), Greenfinch, Ringed Plover

Trent Port

Buzzard, [Cettis Warbler](#), Chaffinch, Chiffchaff, Cormorant, Dunnock, Fieldfare, Great Tit, Green Woodpecker, Mute Swan, [Redwing](#), Skylark, Song Thrush, Treecreeper, Wren, Yellowhammer

Belton Woods, Hotel and Golf Course

Blue Tit (8), Chaffinch (4), Chiffchaff (2), Coal Tit (1), Dunnock (1), Goldfinch (6), [Great Spotted Woodpecker \(1\)](#), Great Tit (2), Greenfinch (4), Jackdaw (14), Mistle Thrush (2), Nuthatch (1), Song Thrush (1), Treecreeper (2)

Boultham Mere/Swanpool

[Cettis Warbler \(2\)](#), Chiffchaff (4), Chaffinch (1), Cormorant (22), Green Woodpecker, Grey Heron (1), Jay (1), Kestrel (1), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull \(3\)](#), Little Egret (2), [Pochard \(4\)](#), Skylark (2), Song Thrush (2), Sparrowhawk (1), Tufted Duck (11), Wren (5), Yellowhammer

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Avocet (2), [Barnacle Goose \(20\)](#), [Black-Tailed Godwit \(1\)](#), [Brent Goose Dark Bellied \(4\)](#), Buzzard (1), [Cettis Warbler \(2\)](#), [Curlew \(16\)](#), Dunlin (11), Gadwall (94), Golden Plover (700), [Goosander \(1\)](#), Great Black-Backed Gull (4), Grey Heron (1), Kestrel (3), [Kittiwake \(1\)](#), Lapwing (38), Little Egret (1), [Pintail \(2\)](#), Redshank (6), Sanderling (1), Shelduck (6), [Shoveler \(50\)](#), Snipe (1), Teal (154), Tufted Duck (4), Wigeon (270), Wren (2)

Belton Park NT

Blue Tit (9), Chaffinch (6), Goldcrest (1), [Great Spotted Woodpecker \(1\)](#), Great Tit (6), Greenfinch (4), Grey Wagtail (2), Long-tailed Tit (8), Nuthatch (1), [Redwing \(1\)](#), Rook (13), Tufted Duck (3), Moorhen (3)

Pyewipe/Grimsby Docks

Avocet (60), [Black-Tailed Godwit](#), Collard Dove (5), Cormorant (6), [Curlew](#), Dunlin, Dunnock (2), Gadwall (15), Greenfinch (3), Oystercatcher (2), Kingfisher (1), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Mallard, Redshank, Shelduck, [Shoveler \(10\)](#), Teal (11), Tufted Duck (4), Wigeon (15)

RSPB Frampton Marsh

[Spoonbill](#), [Hen Harrier \(2\)](#) - 1 male, [Mediterranean Gull](#)

North Killingholme Haven

Shelduck, Avocet, [Curlew](#), Cormorant, Little Egret, Buzzard, Dunnock, Great Tit, Chaffinch

Cleethorpes Country Park

Bullfinch, Collard Dove, [Curlew](#), Dunnock, Gadwall, Herring Gull, Greenfinch, [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Mallard, Moorhen, Linnet, Pintail, Song Thrush, Tufted Duck, Woodpigeon

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Lincolnshire CCP

Avocet (2), [Barnacle Goose \(13\)](#), [Cettis Warbler \(2\)](#), [Curlew \(2\)](#), Dunlin (7), Gadwall (92), Green Sandpiper (1), Greylag Goose (60), Kestrel (2), Lapwing (27), Little Egret (2), Little Grebe (1), [Pintail \(1\)](#), Redshank (6), Shelduck (14), [Shoveler \(60\)](#), Snipe (12), Teal (161), Wigeon (220), Yellowhammer (3)

Deeping Lakes

[Egyptian Goose \(7\)](#), [Shoveler \(2\)](#), Wigeon (150), Gadwall (2), [Pintail \(1\)](#), Teal (10), Tufted Duck (250), Goldeneye (8), [Merganser \(1\)](#), Lapwing (38), Snipe (8), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull \(5\)](#), Herring Gull (14), Great Crested Grebe (6), Cormorant (15), [Cattle Egret \(5\)](#), [Great Spotted Woodpecker \(1\)](#), [Cettis Warbler \(3\)](#), Bank Swallow (3), Greenfinch (6)

Anderby Creek

[Barnacle Goose \(13\)](#), [Cettis Warbler](#), Chiffchaff (1), [Curlew](#), Dunlin, Gadwall, Linnet, Greylag Goose, Little Egret (1), Redshank, Reed Bunting, Shelduck, [Shoveler](#), Teal, Wigeon

Saltfleetby-Theddlethorpes Dunes NNR

[Short-eared Owl \(3\)](#)

Marston STW

Canada Goose (5), [Cettis Warbler \(1\)](#), [Curlew \(2\)](#), Greylag Goose (23), Lapwing (7), Pink-footed Goose (1)

Pyewipe/Grimsby Docks

Avocet, Bar-Tailed Godwit, [Barnacle Goose \(1\)](#), [Black-Tailed Godwit](#), [Curlew](#), Dunlin, Gadwall (6), Golden Plover (1000), Greylag Goose (5), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Little Egret (2), Oystercatcher (2), Redshank, Shelduck, [Shoveler \(2\)](#), Skylark (1), Teal (5), Tufted Duck (4), Wigeon (32)

Willow Tree Fen

Black Headed Gull (65), Buzzard (1), [Cettis Warbler \(1\)](#), Fieldfare (120), Gadwall (5), [Great White Egret](#), Grey Heron (1), Kestrel (1), Lapwing (140), Linnet, Marsh Harrier (3), Meadow Pipit (2), Oystercatcher (2), Redshank (1), Shelduck (6), [Shoveler \(36\)](#), Snipe, Teal (60), Tufted Duck (3), Wigeon (400)

RSPB Frampton Marsh

Avocet (80), [Black-Tailed Godwit](#), [Brent Goose Dark Bellied](#), Cormorant (1), Dunlin (30), Dunnock (1), Golden Plover, Goldeneye (7), Goldfinch (30), Great Crested Grebe (5), [Great White Egret \(2\)](#), Grey Heron (1), Kestrel (1), Lapwing, Little Egret (5), Little Grebe (2), [Mediterranean Gull \(1\)](#), Oystercatcher, [Pintail](#), [Pochard \(15\)](#), Ringed Plover (1), Ruff (4), Shelduck, [Shoveler](#), Snipe (1), [Spoonbill](#), Whooper Swan

Old Place, Sleaford

[Mandarin Duck \(1\)](#)

RSPB Frieston Shore

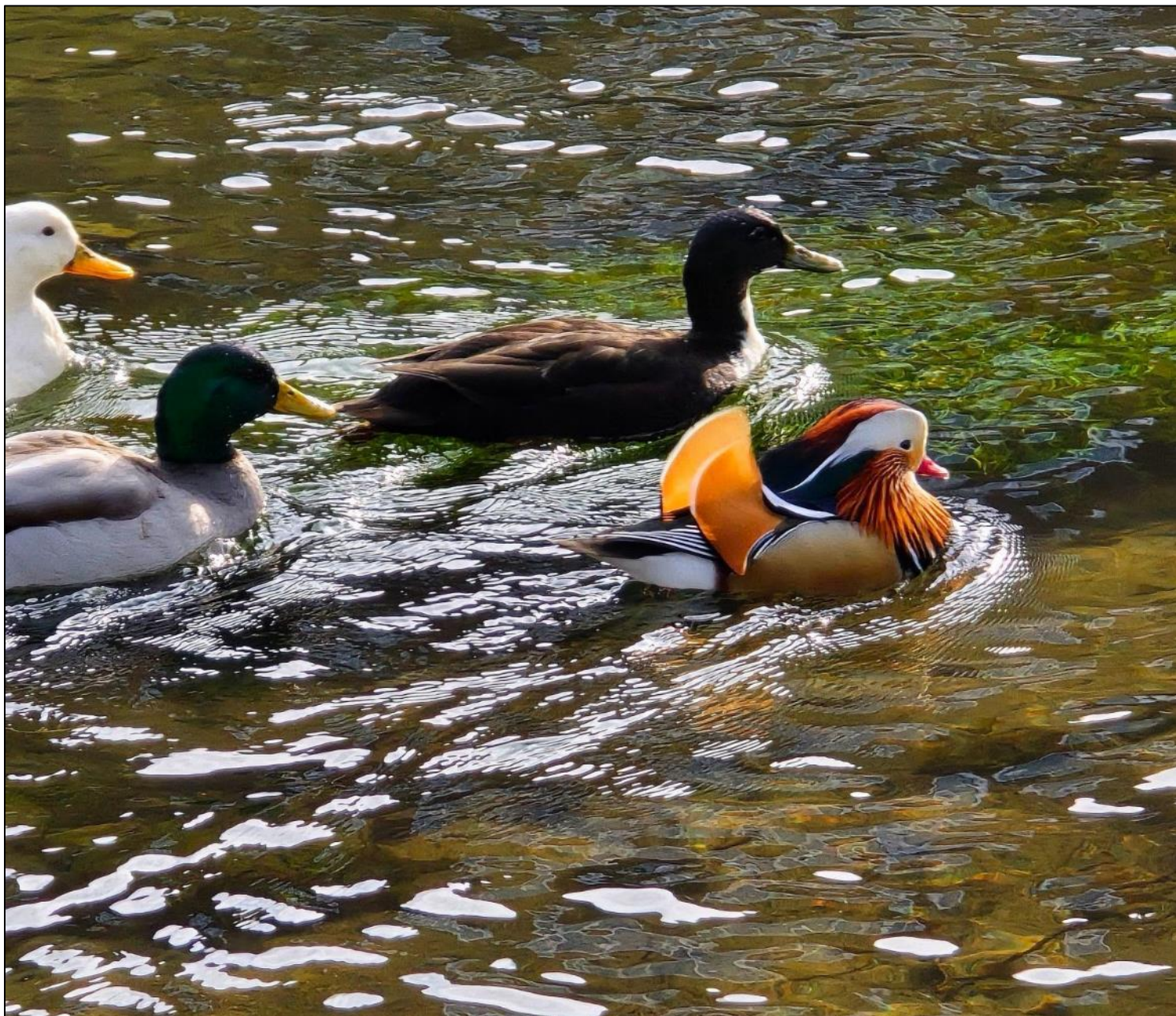
Shelduck, [Shoveler](#), Gadwall, Wigeon, [Pintail](#), Teal, Tufted Duck, Avocet, Oystercatcher, [Curlew](#), Redshank, Cormorant, Kingfisher, Skylark, Dunnock, Linnet, Meadow Pipit, Chaffinch, Reed Bunting

Nocton Fen

Cormorant (1), Greylag Goose (1), Kestrel (1), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull \(1\)](#), Mute Swan (60), Red-Legged Partridge (4), Skylark, Whooper Swan (45)

Cleethorpes Country Park

Black Headed Gull, Bullfinch, [Cettis Warbler](#), Chaffinch, Coot, Cormorant, [Curlew](#), Gadwall, Greenfinch, House Sparrow, [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Tufted Duck, Yellow Wagtail



Mandarin Duck Seen today at Old Plcae Sleaford © Stewart Wilson

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Nebraska Wetlands

Snipe (3), Great Tit (2), Tufted Duck (16), Canada Goose (19), Greylag Goose (61), Pink-footed Goose (1), Gadwall (19), Teal (4), Black Headed Gull (125), [Shoveler](#) (4), Little Grebe (1), Lapwing (25), Linnet (6), Kestrel (1), Woodpigeon (200), Grey Heron (1)

RSPB Frampton Marsh

[Spoonbill](#), [Peregrine Falcon](#), [Little Ringed Plover](#) (3), [Brent Goose](#), [Shoveler](#), Scaup, Great Crested Grebe, Oystercatcher, Ruff, [Curlew](#), Lapwing, Ringed Plover, Avocet, Kestrel, [Mediterranean Gull](#) (4), [Black-Tailed Godwit](#)

Thurlby Fen

[Short-eared Owl](#) (1) - At East End

East Holton Skitter

[Hen Harrier](#) (Ringtail) (1)

Crook Bank

[American Wigeon](#) (Female) - On wet grassland south of car park

Cleethorpes Country Park

[Cettis Warbler \(1\)](#), Canada Goose (2), Chiffchaff, Chaffinch, Gadwall, Dunnoek, [Great Spotted Woodpecker \(1\)](#), Grey Heron (1), Greylag Goose (2), Herring Gull, Linnet, Mallard, Meadow Pipit, Mute Swan (2), Sparrowhawk (1), Tufted Duck, [Water Rail \(1\)](#)

Anderby Creek

Avocet (2), [Black-Tailed Godwit \(1\)](#), [Cettis Warbler](#), Chiffchaff (3), [Curlew](#), Dunlin, Goldcrest (2), Grey Heron (2), Lapwing, Linnet, Little Egret (4), Marsh Harrier (1), Meadow Pipit (11), Redshank, Pied Wagtail (3), [Rock Pipit \(2\)](#), [Shoveler](#), Shelduck, Skylark, Snipe (8), Teal, [Water Rail \(4\)](#), Wigeon

Branston Area

Chiffchaff, Chaffinch, Dunnoek, Fieldfare, [Great Spotted Woodpecker](#), Green Woodpecker, Grey Partridge, Kingfisher, Little Grebe, Nuthatch, Pink-footed Goose, Song Thrush, Tufted Duck

Market Deeping

[Yellow Wagtail \(1\)](#) - Reportedly flew West

Cleethorpes Coast LNR

[Russian White-Fronted Goose \(1\)](#)

Goxhall Haven

[Purple Sandpiper \(1\)](#) - With Ruddy Turnstones the flew North

Toft Newton Reservoir

Black-Headed Gull (20), Canada Goose (4), Chaffinch (4), Coot (8), Gadwall (22), Goldeneye (14), Great Crested Grebe (3), [Great Spotted Woodpecker \(1\)](#), Green Woodpecker, Jackdaw (15), Kestrel (1), Lapwing (6), Little Egret (2), Little Grebe (7), Little Owl (1), Oystercatcher (4), Rook (15), Shelduck (3), [Shoveler \(6\)](#), Skylark, Teal (22), Tufted Duck (30)

Deeping Lakes

[Cattle Egret \(3\)](#), [Cettis Warbler \(2\)](#), Cormorant (1), [Egyptian Goose \(1\)](#), Fieldfare (1), Gadwall (4), Goldeneye (2), Great Crested Grebe (1), [Great White Egret \(1\)](#), Greenfinch (2), Grey Heron (1), Kestrel (1), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull \(3\)](#), Mute Swan (40), Tufted Duck, Whooper Swan (55), Wigeon (2)

Whisby Nature Park

Buzzard, Chiffchaff, Chaffinch, [Crossbill](#), Cormorant, [Egyptian Goose](#), Gadwall, Great Crested Grebe, [Pochard](#), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Long-tailed Tit, Reed Bunting, Rook, Skylark, Tufted Duck, Wigeon

Covenham Reservoir

Coot, Gadwall, Goldeneye, Great Black-Backed Gull, Great Crested Grebe, [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Linnet, Redshank (2), Skylark, Tufted Duck, Wigeon



American Wigeon seen today at Crook Bank on wet grassland South of the Car Park © Dean Nicolson

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Bourne

Short-eared Owl (1)

Baston and Langtoft Gravel Pits

Russian White-fronted Goose (1) - In fields by Stables

Thorpe Landfill Site

Smew (Drake) - Still Present on Site, Egyptian Goose (2), Great Crested Grebe (12), Pochard (3), Shoveler (16), Wigeon (200), Teal (8), Tufted Duck (64)

Deeping Lakes

Long-eared Owl (3), Sand Martin (1) - Flying around Site

Baston Fen

Glossy Ibis (2) - No further signs late morning, Cattle Egret (3), Grey Heron (2), Goldeneye (20), Greylag Goose (50), Buzzard (4), Little Egret (4), Redshank (1), Barn Owl (1)

Anderby Creek

Avocet (2), Bullfinch (1), Cettis Warbler (1), Chaffinch (76), Cormorant (1), Curlew, Dunlin, Gadwall, Goosander (1), Great Black-Backed Gull (2), Great Crested Grebe (1), Grey Heron (2), Lesser Black-Backed Gull (2), Little Egret (2), Meadow Pipit (5), Oystercatcher (2), Marsh Harrier (2), Ringed Plover (2), Rock Pipit (3), Shelduck, Shoveler, Siskin (119), Skylark (3), Teal, Wigeon, Tufted Duck (3), Water Rail (1)

Snipe Dales

Bullfinch (6), Buzzard (1), Chaffinch (7), Coal Tit (2), Great Spotted Woodpecker (2), Jay (4), Rook (28), Robin (16), Sparrowhawk (1), Tawny Owl (1), Treecreeper (1), Yellowhammer (4)

Rippingale Station Street

Blackcap (1), Buzzard (2), Chiffchaff (1), Dunnock (4), Fieldfare (14), Great Spotted Woodpecker (2), House Sparrow (16), Little Egret (1), Starling (52), Wren (3)

Huttoft Car Terrace

Curlew (17), Dunnock (3), Golden Plover (600), Canada Goose, Greylag Goose, Kestrel (1), Linnet (2), Meadow Pipit (10), Redshank (2), Sanderling (2), Skylark, Wigeon (120)

Molecey Mill Pit

Egyptian Goose, Shelduck, Shoveler, Greylag Goose, Ringed Plover, Lapwing, Cormorant, Little Egret, Red Kite, Great Spotted Woodpecker, Green Woodpecker, Skylark, Cettis Warbler, Long-tailed Tit, Great Tit, White Wagtail, Greenfinch, Yellowhammer, Fieldfare, Redwing

Far Ings NR

Common Tern (1), White Wagtail (1), Dunnock (1), Great Crested Grebe (1), Goldeneye (2), Tufted Duck (1), Teal (1), Gadwall (3), Wigeon (11)

Thorpe St Peters

Cattle Egret - Showing in the fields NW of Wainfleet

Willow Tree Fen

Shelduck, Shoveler, Wigeon, Oystercatcher, Lapwing, Marsh Harrier

Dunholme

Woodcock (1)

RSPB Frampton Marsh

Avocet, Bearded Tit, Brent Goose, Buzzard, Canada Goose, Cettis Warbler, Chiffchaff, Cormorant, Curlew, Dunlin, Gadwall, Golden Plover, Great Crested Grebe, Great White Egret, Greenshank, Lapwing, Linnet, Little Egret, Little Grebe, Marsh Harrier, Pintail, Pochard, Redshank, Ruff, Shelduck, Shoveler, Spoonbill, Whooper Swan Wigeon

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Saltfleetby/Theddlethorpe Dunes NNR

Brant Goose (12), Shelduck, Shoveler, Gadwall (2), Teal, Tufted Duck (96), Oystercatcher, Golden Plover (400), Lapwing, Curlew, Little Grebe (10), Little Egret (8), Grey Heron (2), Cattle Egret (3), Marsh Harrier (2), Kestrel (1), Cettis Warbler (1), White Wagtail (2), Goldfinch (10), Linnet

South Sea Lane

Great Spotted Woodpecker (2)

Humberston

Shoveler (6+) - On the Fitties Pool, Curlew (7+) - On Mitigation Fields near Windfarm

Alkborough Flats

Pink-footed Goose, Barnacle Goose, Whooper Swan, Shelduck, Shoveler, Pintail, Teal, Pochard, Goldeneye, Water Rail, Golden

Plover, [Curlew](#), Redshank, Great Black-Backed Gull, Great Crested Grebe, [Bittern](#), Great Egret, [Great Spotted Woodpecker](#), Chiffchaff, [Cettis Warbler](#), Redwing, Fieldfare, Linnet

Gibraltar Point

Chaffinch (8), Corn Bunting (20), Cormorant (1), Collard Dove (1), [Curlew](#) (2), [Great Spotted Woodpecker](#) (1), Greenfinch (2), Kestrel (1), Linnet (4), Little Egret (1), Marsh Harrier (1), Pied Wagtail (4), Shelduck (3), Siskin (12), Whooper Swan (16), [Stock Dove](#) (4), [Stonechat](#) (2), Wood Pigeon (100), [Short-eared Owl](#)

Anderby Creek

Avocet (3), [Cettis Warbler](#), Chaffinch (24), [Curlew](#), Dunlin (15), Gadwall, Golden Plover, [Goosander](#) (3), Grey Wagtail (1), Kestrel (1), Lapwing, Linnet (14), Little Grebe (1), Marsh Harrier (1), Oystercatcher (1), Pink-footed Goose (10), [Pintail](#) (1), [Red Crested Pochard](#) (2), [Red Throated Diver](#) (3), Redwing (11), Ringed Plover (1), [Shoveler](#), Siskin (61), Snipe (3), Sparrowhawk, [Stock Dove](#) (1), Teal, Yellowhammer (2)

Baston Gravel Pits

[Egyptian Goose](#), [Red Crested Pochard](#), Oystercatcher, Redshank, [Lesser Black-Backed Gill](#), Great Crested Grebe, Red Kite, Sparrowhawk, Yellowhammer, Kestrel, Buzzard, Greylag Goose

RSPB Frieston Shore

[Spotted Redshank](#) - Calling

Boultham Mere

[Cettis Warbler](#), Chiffchaff (1), Canada Goose, Collard Dove (1), Gadwall (6), [Goosander](#) (2), Kestrel (1), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#) (1), Linnet, Little Egret (2), Oystercatcher (1), Redwing (15), [Pochard](#) (5), [Shoveler](#) (6), Skylark (2), [Stock Dove](#) (4), Tufted Duck (11), Yellowhammer (3)

Trent Port

Mallard, [Stock Dove](#), Moorhen, Cormorant, Little Egret, [Great Spotted Woodpecker](#), Kestrel, Rook, Great Tit, Skylark, Goldcrest, Dunnock, Redwing, Song Thrush, Linnet, Yellowhammer

Pyewipe/Grimsby Docks

Avocet (20), [Black-Tailed Godwit](#), [Curlew](#), Dunlin, Dunnock (1), Gadwall (11), Grey Heron (1), Herring Gull, [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#) (1), Little Egret (2), Long-tailed Tit (1), Oystercatcher (3), Mute Swan (2), Redshank, [Shoveler](#) (4), Teal (7), Tufted Duck (4), Wigeon (41)

RSPB Frampton Marsh

[Black-Tailed Godwit](#), [Brent Goose Darked Bellied](#), Little Ringed Plover, [Spoonbill](#), Chiffchaff (1), Avocet, [Curlew](#), Dunlin, Goldeneye, [Cettis Warbler](#), Great Crested Grebe (2), [Great White Egret](#) (2), Kingfisher (1), Lapwing, Linnet, Little Grebe (2), Little Egret (8), Oystercatcher, [Pintail](#), [Pochard](#), Redshank, Ringed Plover (4), Ruff, [Shoveler](#), Shelduck, Whooper Swan (1)

Thorpe Landfill Site

[Smew](#) (Drake) - Still on Lake at Quarry



One of the Two reported Great Spotted Woodpecker seen today on South Sea Lane © Jim Wright



Curlews seen today on the Mitigation Fields Humberston © Jim Wright

6/3/2025,

Alkborough Flats

Whooper Swan (50), Water Rail, Tawny Owl (1), Stonechat (5), Stock Dove, Spotted Redshank (2) Snipe (1), Shoveler, Shelduck, Redshank, Pochard (4), Pintail, Nuthatch (2), Oystercatcher (2), Little Owl (1), Little Grebe, Little Egret (2), Lapwing, Grey Heron, Great White Egret (1), Great Spotted Woodpecker, Goldeneye (8), Curlew, Cettis Warbler, Bullfinch (4), Bearded Tit, Barnacle Goose

Healing

Shelduck (4), Stock Dove, Curlew (26) - On the Playing Fields then Flew NE, Lesser Black-Backed Gull (8), Sparrowhawk (3), Red Kite (1), Skylark (7), White Wagtail (3), Reed Bunting (2), Kestrel (1)

Baston Fen

Whooper Swan (25), Egyptian Goose (3), Shelduck, Gadwall, Wigeon (140), Teal, Stock Dove, Common Crane (4) - 2 Flying east / 2 West of reserve, Oystercatcher, Lapwing, Redshank, Cattle Egret (6) - 5 Juveniles, Grey Heron (3), Marsh Harrier (3), Red Kite (3), Buzzard (4), Great Spotted Woodpecker (1), Tree Creeper (3), White Wagtail, Linnet, Chaffinch, Fieldfare (30)

Thorpe Landfill Site

Smew (Drake)

Gibraltar Point

Hen Harrier (Male) - Over Fishwater Marsh

Cleethorpes County Park

Pintail (1)

Deeping Lakes

Long-eared Owl (2), Sand Martin (1) - At East Pits, Cattle Egret (2), Cettis Warbler (2), Cormorant (51), Egyptian Goose (3), Gadwall (6), Goosander (4), Great Crested Grebe (6), Great Spotted Woodpecker (1), Great White Egret (1), Greylag Goose (40), Kestrel (1), Lapwing (14), Lesser Black-Backed Gull (6), Marsh Harrier (1), Pintail (1), Pochard (9), Shoveler (2), Snipe (15), Tawny Owl (1), Teal (30), Tufted Duck (54), Wigeon (41)

Willow Tree Fen

Buzzard (1), Cettis Warbler (1), Common Crane (14) - roosting, Fieldfare (1), Golden Plover (120), Great White Egret (1), Grey Heron (1), Lapwing, Kestrel (1), Marsh Harrier (4), Oystercatcher (2), Mute Swan (20), Pintail (2), Shelduck (4), Shoveler, Starling (122), Stock Dove (15), Teal, Tufted Duck, Wigeon

Covenham Reservoir

Greater Scaup (2), Whooper Swan (11), Red Kite, Shoveler (2), Gadwall (2), Goldeneye (28), Great Crested Grebe (2), Redshank (2), Raven (2), Meadow Pipit (7)

Goosemans Field

Stonechat (6), Linnet (30), Song Thrush (2), Skylark (2), Reed Bunting (4), Song Thrush (2)

RSPB Frampton Marsh

Greater Scaup (1), Hen Harrier, Spoonbill, Avocet (150), Black-Tailed Godwit (200), Brent Goose Dark Bellied (4), Brent Goose Light Bellied (6), Dunlin (22), Goldeneye (4), Great Crested Grebe (2), Great White Egret (1), Lapwing (40), Linnet (3), Little Egret (1), Little Grebe (1), Pintail (18), Pochard (14), Redshank (1), Ruff (1), Scaup (1), Shelduck (4), Shoveler (35), Teal (11), Skylark (1), Whooper Swan (1), Wigeon (107), Tufted Duck (27)

Freshney Valley

Cettis Warbler, Buzzard, Chaffinch, Chiffchaff (5), Coot, Cormorant, Dunnock, Great Spotted Woodpecker, Grey Heron, Kingfisher, Linnet, Greenfinch, Little Grebe, Mallard, Skylark, Wren, Song Thrush

Anderby Creek

Wigeon, Teal, Snipe (5), Skylark (2), Siskin (7), Shoveler, Shelduck, Sanderling, Reed Bunting, Redshank, Meadow Pipit (5), Marsh Harrier (1), Little Egret (1), Lapwing, Linnet, Grey Heron (1), Greenfinch, Gadwall, Dunnock, Dunlin, Curlew, Chiffchaff (3), Chaffinch (14), Cettis Warbler, Black-Tailed Godwit (2), Avocet (2)



Pintail Seen Today At Cleethorpes Country Park © Nick Coulbeck

5/3/2025

Manby Flashes

Cettis Warbler (1), Lesser Black-Backed Gull (1), Redshank (1), Green Sandpiper (3), Snipe (4), Lapwing (6), Avocet (19), Stock Dove (1), Shoveler (3), Shelduck (10), Oystercatcher (3)

Caistor - Westmoor Ponds, Woods and Lakes

Lesser Black-Backed Gull (1), Cormorant (1), Red Kite (1), Buzzard (1), Kestrel (2), Coal Tit (1), Skylark (1), [White Wagtail](#) (2), Chaffinch (4), Yellowhammer (2)

Roxby Carr

[Ringtail Hen Harrier](#) (1) - Hunting, [Short-eared owl](#) (1) - Also Hunting

Pyewipe/Grimsby Docks

Avocet (48), Bar-Tailed Godwit, [Black-Tailed Godwit](#), Cormorant (2), Canada Goose (5), [Curlew](#), Dunlin, Gadwall (2), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Herring Gull, Little Egret (1), Redshank, Pied Wagtail, Shelduck, [Shoveler](#) (7), Skylark (1), [Stock Dove](#) (2), Wigeon (30), Tufted Duck (4)

Snipe Dale Country Park

Bullfinch (3), Buzzard (4), Coal Tit (1), [Greater Spotted Woodpecker](#) (2), Goldfinch (30), Green Woodpecker (1), Long-Tailed Tit (11), Robin (20), Soskin (6), Tawny Owl (1), Treecreeper (1)

Huttoft

Chaffinch, [Curlew](#), Dunnock, [Egyptian Goose](#) (1), Goldfinch, [Greater Spotted Woodpecker](#) (1), Greenfinch, Herring Gull, House Sparrow, Redshank (1), Skylark, Wigeon, Pheasant, Jackdaw, Black-Headed Gull

Anderby Creek

Buzzard (1), Chaffinch (167), [Cettis Warbler](#), [Curlew](#), Dunlin, Goldcrest (1), Golden Plover (800), Greenfinch (3), Grey Heron (1), Kestrel (1) Linnet (3), Lapwing, Little Egret (2), Redshank, Redwing (2), Shoveler, Shelduck, Siskin (31), Snipe (3), [Stock Dove](#) (7), [Stonechat](#) (1)

RSPB Frieston Shore

[Firecrest](#) (1)

Obthorpe

[Short-eared Owl](#) (1)

Trent Port

[White Wagtail](#), Linnet, Bullfinch, Greenfinch, Yellowhammer, Fieldfare, Redwing, Mistle Thrush, [Raven](#), Rook, [Peregrine Falcon](#), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Cormorant, [Stock Dove](#), Teal Gadwall, Shelduck

Belton House NT

Siskin (6), Treecreeper (2), Redwing (30), [Redpoll](#) (10), Nuthatch (1), Tufted Duck (5), Grey Wagtail (1), Jackdaw (40), Coal Tit (4), Goldcrest (7), Black Bird (4)

Deeping Lakes

[Cettis Warbler](#), Chaffinch, Cormorant, [Egyptian Goose](#), Goldeneye, [Goosander](#), Great Crested Grebe, Lapwing, [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Little Egret, Marsh Harrier, Rook, [Shoveler](#), Snipe, Teal, Tufted Duck, Wigeon

Cleethorpes Country Park

[Pintail](#) (1)

RSBP Frampton Marsh

[Spoonbill](#), [Peregrine Falcon](#), [Great White Egret](#), [Scaup](#), [Bearded Tit](#), Whooper Swan (96), [Mediterranean Gull](#), Corn Bunting, Merlin, Red Kite, Brent Goose, Oystercatcher, Great Crested Grebe, Grey Heron, [Curlew](#), Cormorant, Ruff, Knot, Dunlin, Yellowhammer, [Black-Tailed Godwit](#), Skylark, [Cettis Warbler](#), Linnet, [Stonechat](#), [Pintail](#), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), [Shoveler](#), Gadwall, Sparrow Hawk

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RSPB Frampton Marsh

Whooper Swan (8), Wigeon (1200), [Stonechat](#) (1), Teal (400), [Shoveler](#) (15), Scaup (2), Ruff (4), [Pochard](#) (12), [Pintail](#) (42), Kingfisher (1), Grey Plover (1), [Great White Egret](#) (2), Great Crested Grebe (4), Goldeneye (4), Gadwall (20), Golden Plover (1500), Dunlin (220), [Curlew](#) (2), [Cettis Warbler](#) (2), [Brent Goose Dark Bellied](#) (700), [Black Tailed Godwit](#) (13), Avocat (200)

Cleethorpes Promenade

[Brant Goose Dark Bellied](#) (80), [Barnacle Goose](#), Shelduck (4), Oystercatcher (20), Golden Plover (40), [Curlew](#), Bar-Tailed Godwit, Turnstone (8), Sanderling (40), Dunlin (6), [White Wagtail](#), Skylark (1), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#) (20), Herring Gull, Goldfinch, Greenfinch

Deeping High Bank

[Merganser](#) (4), Whooper Swan (30), Little Egret, Barn owl (1), [Short-eared Owl](#) (1), Fieldfare (30)

Donna Nook NR

Brant Goose, [Stock Dove](#) (2), [Curlew](#), [Black-Tailed Godwit](#) (26), Redshank, Knot (1), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#), Red Kite (1), Skylark (1), [White Wagtail](#), Linnet, [Rock Pipit](#), Little Egret

Tongue End

[Short-eared Owl](#) (1) - Over field by South Fen Road

Caythorpe

White Wagtail (2) - On the Football Field

Willow Tree Fen

Common Crane (3), Sand Martin (1)

Thorpe Landfill Site

Smew (Drake)

Anderby Creek

Cettis Warbler, Chaffinch (16), Curlew, Dunlin (13), Gadwall, Goldfinch (16), Lapwing, Linnet (16), Greenfinch (1), Grey Heron (2), Little Egret (2), Pintail (1), Rock Pipit (3), Shelduck, Shoveler, Siskin (13), Skylark (1), Snipe (3), Water Rail (2)

Wooton

Buzzard (1), Chaffinch (1), Dunnock, Fieldfare (1), Grey Heron (2), Linnet (1), Yellowhammer (5), Stock Dove (2), Skylark (10), Song Thrush (1), Reed Bunting (3)

Deeping Lakes

Glossy Ibis, Cettis Warbler, Egyptian Goose, Shoveler, Pochard, Merganser, Chiffchaff, Oystercatcher, Lapwing, Snipe, Lesser Black-Backed Gull, Great Black-Black Gull, Cattle Egret, Great Egret, Sparrowhawk, Marsh Harrier, Red Kite, Little Owl, Redwing, Fieldfare, Long-eared Owl (1)

Cleethorpes Country Park

Pintail (1)

Pyewipe/Grimsby Docks

Black-Tailed Godwit, Bar-Tailed Godwit, Avocet (35), Curlew, Dunlin, Lesser Black-Backed Gull, Lapwing (1), Little Egret (1), Shoveler (3), Shelduck, Wigeon (40), Teal (7), Tufted Duck (6), Skylark (1)

Gibraltar Point

Yellowhammer (1), Whooper Swan (12), Turnstone, Teal (100) Shoveler (5), Sanderling, Rook (4), Shelduck (9), Redshank, Rock Pipit, Ringed Plover, Pochard (1), Pintail (5), Oystercatcher, Little Grebe (16), Little Egret (7), Linnet, Lapwing, Knot, Green Sandpiper (1), Greater Spotted Woodpecker (1), Golden Plover, Curlew, Corn Bunting, Cormorant (35), Chiffchaff (2), Brent Goose Dark Bellied, Black-Tailed Godwit, Barn Owl, Avocet

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Nebraska Wetlands

Pochard (3), Little Egret (1), Greylag Goose (107), Kestrel (3), Gadwall (5), Wigeon (4), Dunnock (1), Long-tailed Tit (1), Buzzard (1)

Gibraltar Point

Greater Spotted Woodpecker (2), Short-eared Owl (1), Whooper Swan (10), Corn Bunting (18), Bar-Tailed Godwit (200), Siskin (41), Marsh Harrier (1), Water Pipit (1), Water Rail (1), Oystercatcher (8), Redshank (2), Skylark (4), Oystercatcher (8), Kestrel (1), Linnet (4)

Fiskerton Fen

Cettis Warbler (1), Green Woodpecker (1), Gadwall (3), Little Egret (1), Great Egret (1), Grey Heron (1), Jackdaw (500), Fieldfare (3), Chaffinch (2)

Manby Flashes

Yellowhammer (1), White Wagtail (1), Woodcock (1), Avocet (12), Stock Dove (4), Gadwall (1), Shoveler, Teal (95), Snipe (2), Green Sandpiper (3)

Withern Mouth

Eider (1), Red-Breasted Merganser (1), Cattle Egret (6), Siskin (8), Rock Pipit (1), Jay (2)

Anderby Creek

Barnacle Goose (1), Black-Tailed Godwit (1), Curlew, Dunlin (10), Greenfinch, Herring Gull, Lapwing, Linnet (1), Redshank, Rook (1), Shelduck, Shoveler (1), Siskin (11), Water Pipit (1), Snipe (10), Pink-footed Goose (53), Little Grebe (1), Grey Heron (1), Gadwall, Chaffinch (1)

Saltfleetby/Theddlethorpe NR

Tundra Bean Goose (2) - Flew over South West, Whooper Swan (122), Pintail (2)

Deeping Lakes

Long-Eared Owl (1)

Saltfleet Haven

Short-Eared Owl (3), Spoonbill

Baston and Langtoft Gravel Pits

Russian White-Fronted Goose (2) - In the Field North East of Wader Pits

RSPB Frampton Marsh

Whooper Swan, Shelduck, [Shoveler](#), [Brant Goose](#), [Pintail](#), [Great Scaup](#), Goldeneye, [Pochard](#), Oystercatcher, Lapwing, [Curlew](#), [Black-Tailed Godwit](#), Redshank, [Ruff](#), Dunlin, Kestrel, [Peregrine Falcon](#), Skylark, Linnet, Avocet, Snipe, Ringed Plover, Golden Plover

Boultham Mere

Yellowhammer (3), Skylark (3), [Shoveler](#) (6), Redwing (1), [Pochard](#) (3), [Pintail](#) (1), Oystercatcher (1), Kestrel (2), House Sparrow (3), Herring Gull (1), Greenfinch (2), [Greater Spotted Woodpecker](#) (1), Cormorant (20), [Lesser Black-Backed Gull](#) (1)

Pyewipe/Grimsby Docks

Bar-Tailed Godwit, [Black-Tailed Godwit](#), [Curlew](#), Dunlin, Great Black-Backed Gull, Redshank, Shelduck, [Shoveler](#) (9), Grey Plover, Gadwall (3), Wigeon (34), Teal (6), Tufted Duck (6), Avocet (23), Cormorant (1)

Tattershall Thorpe

Great Crested Grebe (2), [Great White Egret](#) (1), Lapwing (20), Redshank (1), Shelduck (2), [Shoveler](#) (8), Green Woodpecker (1), Cormorant (27), Wigeon (62), Gadwall (8), Mute Swan (10), Tufted Duck (22)

2/03/2025

Trent Port

Shelduck (4), Oystercatcher (2), Redshank (1), [Great Spotted Woodpecker](#) (4), [Peregrine Falcon](#) (2), Rook (55), Skylark (2), Redwing (7), Linnet (2)

Deeping High Bank

Oystercatcher (3), Lapwing (5), Great Crested Grebe (4), Red Kite (1), [Short-eared Owl](#) (1), [Great Spotted Woodpecker](#) (1), [Peregrine Falcon](#) (1), Rook, Skylark (1), Fieldfare (7), Greenfinch (2), Linnet (20)

Baston and Langtoft Gravel Pits

[Russian White-Fronted Goose](#) (2)

RSPB Frieston Shore

Spotted Redshank

Covenham Reservoir

[Ruddy Shelduck](#) (5)

RSPB Frampton Marsh

[Greater Scaup](#) (1), Whooper Swan (18), [Peregrine Falcon](#), Corn Bunting, [Mediterranean Gull](#) (2), [Stonechat](#), Great Crested Grebe, [Ruff](#)

Crowle Moor

[Common Cranes](#) (2)

Cleethorpes Country Park

Bullfinch (1), Great Crested Grebe (1), Greenfinch (2), Kingfisher (2), Herring Gull, [Pintail](#) (1), Pink-footed Goose (100), Little Grebe

Cleethorpes Leisure Centre to Tetney Marsh

[Barnacle Goose](#) (20), [Brent Goose Dark Bellied](#) (40), [Curlew](#), Dunlin, [Greater Spotted Woodpecker](#) (1), Greenfinch (7), Herring Gull, Linnet (4), Oystercatcher, [Pochard](#) (3), Redshank, Skylark (3), Yellowhammer (2), Shelduck, Sanderling (48), Mute Swan (14)

Anderby Creek

[Curlew](#), Dunlin, Great Black-Backed Gull (1), Greenfinch (3), Herring Gull, Lapwing, Linnet (6), Redshank, Rook (1), Shelduck, [Shoveler](#), Siskin (34), Skylark, [Stonechat](#) (2), [Water Rail](#) (1), [Bearded Tit](#) (2), Grey Heron (1), Little Egret (2), [Rock Pipit](#) (2)

Huttoft Bank

Skylark, Siskin (3), Redshank (1), Oystercatcher (1), Linnet (20), Kestrel (1), Greenfinch, [Curlew](#), Pink-footed Goose (200)

Branston Area

Fieldfare, Greenfinch, Kestrel, House Sparrow, Skylark, Yellowhammer, Whooper Swan, Nuthatch, Jay, Greylag Goose, Mistle Thrush

Boultham Mere/Pig Lane

Herring Gull (1), [Pochard](#) (1), [Shoveler](#) (22), Whooper Swan (6), Yellowhammer (2), [Stonechat](#) (1), Skylark (2), [Pintail](#) (1), Linnet (1), Kingfisher (1), Kestrel (1), Greenfinch (1), Tufted Duck (12), Teal (1), Greylag Goose (38), Gadwall (11), Jay (1)

Gibraltar Point

[Brent Goose Dark Bellied](#), [Curlew](#) (21), [Greater Spotted Woodpecker](#) (1) Greenfinch (1), Kestrel (1), Kingfisher (1), Oystercatcher (4), [Pintail](#) (5), [Pochard](#) (1), Redwing (6), Rook (1), Shelduck (21), [Shoveler](#) (17), Siskin (7), Skylark, [Water Rail](#) (1) Tawny Owl (1), Snipe (1), Little Egret (2), Little Grebe (24), Golden Plover (60), Goldcrest (1), Barn Owl (1), Avocet (7)

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Deeping Lakes

Merganser (3), Shoveler (10), Shelduck (1), Oystercatcher (1), Lapwing (80), Great Crested Grebe (5), Red Kite (1), Redwing (5), Fieldfare (1), Greenfinch (1), Snipe (9), Little Egret (4), Great Egret (1), Little Owl (1)

Thorpe Landfill Site

Smew (Drake) - Remains on Site, Great Crested Grebe (18), Shoveler (6), Cormorant (4), Grey Heron (1), Little Egret (2), Coot (24), Gadwall (2), Egyptian Goose (3)

Baston and Langtoft Gravel Pits

Russian White-Fronted Goose (2) - Flew low west

Cleethorpes Country Park

Bullfinch, Great Crested Grebe (1), Greenfinch, Herring Gull, Sparrowhawk (1), Reed Bunting (1), Tufted Duck, Jackdaw (1), Goldfinch (15)

North Somercoates

Fieldfare (60)

Huttoft Bank

Curlew (40), Dunlin (1), Herring Gull, Kestrel (1), Linnet (6), Redshank (1), Rook, Woodcock (1), Skylark (8), Sanderling (15), Marsh Harrier (1), Grey Heron (1), Golden Plover (1205)

Humberston

Barnacle Goose (78), Curlew (1), Greenfinch (6), Herring Gull (2), Skylark (9), Yellowhammer (3), Snipe (1), Stock Dove (4), Meadow Pipit (13), Jackdaw (251), Dunnock (11), Golden Plover (220)

East Holton Skitter

Water Pipit (2)

Tattershall Bridge

Fieldfare (6), Goosander (4), Kestrel (1), Redshank (14), Redwing (3), Teal (1), Little Grebe (1), Little Egret (1), Egyptian Goose (3)

Metheringham/Blankney

Greater Spotted Woodpecker (1), Greenfinch (5), Redwing (5), Whooper Swan (19), Long-tailed Tit (9), Mistle Thrush (2), Sparrowhawk (1), Woodpigeon (17)

Tattershall Thorpe

Great White Egret (1), Lapwing (17), Oystercatcher (2), Shelduck (2), Shoveler (4), Skylark (7), Pochard (2), Cormorant (23), Wigeon (65), Tufted Duck (42), Teal (28)

Marshchapel

Fieldfare (8), Greenfinch (4), Kestrel (3), Lapwing (25), Linnet, Rook, Skylark, Yellowhammer (30), Marsh Harrier (1), Sparrowhawk (1), Buzzard (6), Barn Owl (1), Little Egret (1)

Boultham Mere

Bullfinch, Greater Spotted Woodpecker (1), Skylark (2), Greenfinch (2), Pochard (1), Cormorant (15), Dunnock (3), Goldcrest, Goldfinch (2), Snipe (3), Grey Heron (2), Wigeon (2), Tufted Duck (19)

Anderby Creek

Water Rail (1), Snow Bunting (2), Skylark (1), Siskin (12), Shelduck (16), Redshank (10), Red-Throated Diver (2), Linnet (2), Lapwing, Greenfinch (5), Goosander (3), Dunlin, Curlew, Black-Tailed Godwit (1), Herring Gull, Snipe (9), Pink-footed Goose (500), Little Egret (1), Sparrowhawk (1), Buzzard (1), Gadwall



Bullfinch seen today at Boultham Mere © Andrew Sims

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Birdguides - <https://www.birdguides.com/>

Rarebird Alert - <https://www.rarebirdalert.co.uk/>

Recording

BTO Birdtrack - <https://app.bto.org/birdtrack/login/login.jsp>

eBird - <https://ebird.org/home>

iRecord - <https://www.brc.ac.uk/irecord/>

Nature Lister - <http://www.naturelister.co.uk>

Wildlife Recorder - <https://www.wildlife.co.uk>

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Butterfly Conservation Lincolnshire Branch

<http://butterfly-conservation.org/300/lincolnshire-branch.html>

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EasyTide

<http://easytide.ukho.gov.uk/EasyTide/EasyTide/index.aspx>

Met Office Severe Weather E-mail Service

<http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/about-us/guide-to-emails>

Environment Agency Flood Information/Floodline

<http://www.environment-agency.gov.uk/default.aspx>

Lyme Disease

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/lyme-disease/>

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Mammal Atlas

You can download and print off a hard copy or view it online.

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