

BIRD RECORDS FEBRUARY 2014

Whooper Swan	20 at Hornccliffe on 3 rd , 4 north of Embleton on 8 th still present on 17 th , 8 at Bamburgh on 8 th , 22 at Alnmouth on 10 th , 45 at Beal on 20 th , 9 at Hoppen Kiln Flash on 28 th .
Pink-footed Goose	300 at Fenham le Moor on 4 th , 400 at Hoppen Kiln Flash on 6 th , 30 at Harper's Heugh on 20 th .
Barnacle Goose	130 at Budle Bay on 16 th , 300 at Harper's Heugh on 20 th .
Brent Goose	220 off Emmanuel Head & 130 at Crooked Lonnen on 7 th , 1000 at Harper's Heugh on 20 th .
Shelduck	1300 at Fenham le Moor on 20 th was highest total.
Pintail	4 at Fenham le Moor on 4 th & 200 on 20 th .
Shoveler	1 at Monk's House Pool on 25 th .
Pochard	1 at Branton Ponds on 6 th & 2 on 13 th .
Tufted Duck	25 at Branton Ponds on 13 th & 41 on 16 th .
Long-tailed Duck	10 at Stag Rocks all month & 7 in Beadnell Bay all month.
Common Scoter	450 at Stag Rocks on 6 th & 270 on 17 th , 220 in Beadnell Bay all month.
Goldeneye	8 on River Coquet at Warkworth on 10 th , 5 at Branton Ponds on 13 th , 12 at Branton Ponds on 16 th .
Red-breasted Merganser	4 on River Coquet at Warkworth on 21 st , 1 pair at Stag Rocks on 25 th .
Goosander	6 at Branton Ponds on 13 th , 1 on River Coquet at Warkworth on 21 st .
Red-throated Diver	3 off Stag Rocks on 6 th , 8 off Emmanuel Head on 7 th , 1 at Coquet Estuary on 15 th 1 at Guile Point on 16 th , 3 off Annstead on 25 th .
Black-throated Diver	1 off Holy Island on 7 th , 1 at Coquet Estuary on 15 th 2 off Stag Rocks on 16 th .
Great Crested Grebe	4 at Coquet Estuary on 15 th .
Slavonian Grebe	2 at Stag Rocks on 1 st & 2 on River Coquet at Warkworth on 10 th , 1 near Elwick hide on 16 th .
Fulmar	several pairs nesting at Needle's Eye, Bamburgh Castle, Seahouses, Howick all month.
Little Egret	1 on River Tweed at Norham on 16 th .
Hen Harrier	1 superb male west of Guile Point on 9 th & 1 near Bolton on 16 th , also 1 at Holy Island Snook on 18 th .
Goshawk	1 near Haggerston on 20 th .
Merlin	1 at Lucker all month, 1 at Guile Point on 16 th , 1 at Spindlestone on 17 th .
Peregrine	1 at Holy Island Snook on 2 nd also 1 at Fenham Flats & 1 at Alnmouth both on the 16 th 1 over Lucker on 26 th .
Water Rail	1 at Branton Ponds on 7 th .
Coot	13 at Holy Island Lough on 7 th .
Common Crane	1 flying south at Emmanuel Head on 7 th .
Lapwing	1000 at Budle Bay all month, 200 at Annstead all month.
Knot	950 at Fenham Flats on 16 th .
Jack Snipe	1 at Hoppen Kiln Flash on 28 th .
Woodcock	1 at Alnwick Moor on 2 nd .
Green Sandpiper	1 at Branton Ponds on 3 rd & 1 near Hedgeley Ponds on 16 th .
Grey Phalarope	1 at Stag Rocks on 1 st & on 5/7 th also 9 th .
Little Gull	4 at Stag Rocks on 1 st & 1 on 6 th , 1 adult at Beadnell on 20 th .
Glaucous Gull	2 immatures at Monk's House Pool on 25 th .
Barn Owl	1 at Branton on 3 rd .
Short-eared Owl	1 at Holy Island Snook on 2 nd & 3 on 19 th , 1 at Adderstone on 4 th .
Stonechat	2 at Alnwick Moor on 2 nd , 1 at Warkworth on 10 th & a pair on 15 th , 2 at Bamburgh on 15/17 th .
Fieldfare	40 at Mindrum on 5 th , 40 at Branton on 5 th , 50 at Middleton on 12 th .
Chiffchaff	1 at Warkworth on 21 st .
Brambling	3 at Yearle on 12/14 th .
Siskin	18 at Lucker on 8 th .
Snow Bunting	20 at Holy Island Snook on 2 nd , 25 at Ross Back Sands on 16 th & 5 at Holy Island on 19 th .