

BIRD RECORDS SEPTEMBER 2021

Brent Goose	5 past Cullernose Point on 1 st (I&KD).
Pink-footed Goose	70 over Branton on 23 rd (I&KD), several skeins over Yearle & Seahouses late in the month (SV&AJM) (JPL).
Whooper Swan	1 at Budle Bay on 25 th (DGB), 2 at Low Newton on 26 th (PH).
Ruddy Shelduck	1 at Newton Pool on 10 th (JC) & 26 th (PH) was probably an escape.
Pintail	1 at Branton Ponds on 28 th (I&KD).
Common Scoter	9 off Cullernose Point on 2 nd (I&KD).
Red-throated Diver	1 off Cullernose Point on 1 st (I&KD) & 1 off Holy Island on 25 th (A&MG).
Great Northern Diver	1 off Cullernose Point on 1 st (I&KD).
Sooty Shearwater	11 at Cullernose Point on 1 st & 18 on 2 nd (I&KD).
Manx Shearwater	10 at Cullernose Point on 1 st (I&KD).
Little Egret	8 at Budle Bay on 20 th (JPL) & 9 at Fenham Le Moor on 25 th (A&MG), were the largest numbers.
Pacific Golden Plover	1 at Holy Island on 5 th (I&KD).
Golden Plover	600 at Holy Island on 25 th (I&KD).
Black-tailed Godwit	30 at Budle Bay on 14 th (JPL).
Ruff	1 at Monk's House Pool on 6 th (JPL).
Dunlin	1 at Monk's House Pool on 6 th (JPL)
Temminck's Stint	1 at Monk's House Pool on 6 th was a juvenile (JPL).
Little Stint	1 at Monk's House Pool on 6 th (JPL).
Common Sandpiper	1 at Budle Bay on 14 th (JPL).
Redshank	2 at Monk's House Pool on 6 th (JPL).
Little Gull	2 past Cullernose Point on 2 nd (I&KD).
Roseate Tern	1 past Cullernose Point on 2 nd (I&KD).
Great Skua	6 past Cullernose Point on 1 st & 2 nd (I&KD).
Pomarine Skua	1 past Cullernose Point on 1 st & 2 nd (I&KD).
Arctic Skua	3 past Cullernose Point on 2 nd (I&KD).
Cuckoo	1 at Holy Island on 5 th (I&KD).
Long-eared Owl	1 at Holy Island on 5 th (I&KD).
Merlin	1 at Holy Island on 5 th (I&KD).
Raven	1 at Reaveley on 16 th & 3 on 23 rd with 2 on Holy Island on 19 th (I&KD), 1 at Howick on 18 th (PH).
Blackcap	17 at Howick on 3 rd (PH).
Wheatear	5 at Holy Island on 5 th (I&KD), 9 at Dunstanburgh Castle on 22 nd (PH) & 10 at Holy Island on 25 th (A&MG).
Brambling	1 at Low Newton on 26 th (PH).

Observers Graham Bell (DGB), Janet Chubb (JC), Ian & Keith Davison (I & KD), Alan & Margaret Goodall (A&MG), Phil Hanmer (PH), John P Lumby (JPL), Stewart & Alison McCormick(SV&AJM).

October Records: please submit no later than 1st November to the Recorder, John Lumby, Shearwater, 2 St Cuthbert Close, North Sunderland, Seahouses, NE68 7WG. TEL: 01665-720654. e-mail: j.lumby@yahoo.co.uk or .com if any difficulty.

Bird trip by car around Beadnell and Seahouses looking for migrants meet at 10 am in Beadnell Car park (NU235288) on 24th October. Warm gear, bring coffee. Leader John Lumby.