

PORT FAIRY PELAGIC REPORT - 17 FEBRUARY 2019

**BIRD SWING
BIRDING
& Wildlife
TOURS**



Date: 17/02/2019

Departure Time: 0701Hrs

Out of the river: 0709Hrs

Return Time: 1605Hrs

Boat Speed: 11.5Knots

Course: 206°

Conditions: Swell to around 1 Mtr. & moderated in afternoon, very slight breeze, sunny

Leaders: Neil Macumber, Kevin Bartram

Notes: Total Sea Bird Species Seen: 22 and Nankeen Night-heron

Total Mammals Species Seen: 3

Total Turtles Seen: 1

Stops	Time	Depth	Coordinates	
1st Stop - arrive	0925HRS	146Mtrs	38°44.895S	142°02.171E
1st Stop - depart	0955HRS	146Mtrs	38°44.946S	142°02.256E
2nd Stop - arrive	1048HRS	1141+Mtrs	38°52.514S	141°55.321E
2nd Stop - depart	1145HRS	978Mtrs	38°53.045S	141°54.959E
3rd Stop - arrive	12NOON	467Mtrs	38°51.552S	141°57.069E
3rd stop - depart	1252HRS	665Mtrs	38°52.041S	141°56.794E

Birds Seen	Inshore	Offshore 0913Hrs	1st Stop	Travel	2nd Stop	Travel	3rd Stop	Return Trip
Little Penguin							1	
Wandering Albatross Gibsoni							1	
Shy Albatross	1,1,1	4	30		6		2	
Black-browed Albatross			3		7			
Campbell Island Albatross			1					
Indian Yellow-nosed Albatross		1	3		4		1	
Buller's Albatross			7		1			
Great-Winged Petrel							1	
Grey-faced Petrel					2			
White-chinned Petrel	1							
Flesh-Footed Shearwater	1	5	9		4		3	3

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Short-tailed Shearwater	50,2000,10	15	200		50			50
Sooty Shearwater		1	1					
Fluttering Type Shearwater	8,4	1						
Hutton's Shearwater	1	1						
White-Faced Storm-Petrel		1		2	1	1		
Wilson's Storm-Petrel			1					
Australasian Gannet	11,10,15,20		10		2			
Arctic Jaeger			3	2	3			
Pacific Gull	1 (in River)							
Kelp Gull	1 (in River)							
Silver Gull	1 (in River) 1							5
Crested Tern	1		15		1			
Nankeen Night Heron	1 (in River)							

Mammals Seen	Inshore	Offshore	1st Stop	Travel	2nd Stop	Travel	3rd Stop	Return Trip
Sperm Whale					3			
Oceanic Bottlenose Dolphin			10					
Common Dolphin		5+	500+				100	
Australian Fur Seal	3	1			1			

Sea Turtles Seen	Inshore	Offshore	1st Stop	Travel	2nd Stop	Travel	3rd Stop	Return Trip
Leatherback Turtle	1							