

PORT FAIRY PELAGIC REPORT - 1ST JUNE 2019

Date: 1st June 2019

Departure Time: 0732Hrs

Out of the river: 0737Hrs

Return Time: 1617Hrs

Boat Speed: 11+knots

Course: 202°

Almost 100% cloud cover early, wind SSW to 10KPH Swell to 4 mtrs mostly 2-3mtrs, a very slight chop

Conditions: to the waves, flattened out and sunny in afternoon. Water Temp. 17.4°C**Leaders:** Neil Macumber, Kevin Bartram**Notes:** Total Sea Bird Species Seen: 21

Total Mammals Species Seen: 2

Stop 1 was on the way to the Continental Shelf - still in Inshore Waters and was for 7 minutes. At 1252Hrs at Stop2 we motored for 2 minutes back up the berley slick and stopped again - I have left this as Stop 2.

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| 1st Stop - arrive | 0906Hrs | 59mtrs | 38°37.279S | 142°08.185E |
| 1st Stop - depart | 0913Hrs | 58.6mtrs | 38°37.233S | 142°08.202E |
| 2nd Stop - arrive | 1051Hrs | 740mtrs | 38°52.586S | 141°58.712E |
| 2nd Stop - depart | 1320Hrs | 583mtrs | 38°52.934S | 142°02.164E |

| Birds Seen | Inshore | Offshore 0955Hrs | 1st Stop | 2nd Stop | Return Trip |
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| Shy Albatross | 5 | 5 | 1 | 10 | |
| Black-browed Albatross | 25 | | | 40 | |
| Campbell Island Albatross | | | | 5 | |
| Grey-headed Albatross | | | | 1 Imm. | |
| Indian Yellow-nosed Albatross | | | 15 | 15 | |
| Buller's Albatross | | | | 3 | |
| Northern Giant Petrel | | | | | 1 |
| Cape Petrel | | 1 | | 4 | |
| Southern Fulmar | | | | 1 | |
| Fairy Prion | | 1 | | 30 | |
| Great-Winged Petrel | | | | 30 | |
| Sooty Shearwater | | | 1 | | |
| Fluttering Shearwater Type | 6 | | | | 4 |
| Grey-Backed Storm-Petrel | | | | 20 | |



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| Wilson's Storm-Petrel | | | | 15 | |
| Common Diving-Petrel | 1 | 1 | | | |
| Australasian Gannet | 25 | 2 | | | |
| Brown Skua | | | | 1 | |
| Silver Gull | 1 (in the river) | | | | |
| Crested Tern | 1 (in the river) 6 | | 8 | | 15 |
| White-Fronted Tern | 4 | 3 | | | |

| Mammals Seen | Inshore | Offshore 0955Hrs | 1st Stop | 2nd Stop | Return Trip |
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| Common Dolphin | 1 | | | | |
| Australian Fur Seal | 1 | 1 | | 1 | |
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