

Port Fairy Pelagic Report - 23rd July 2023

Birdswing Birding & Wildlife Tours



Date: 23rd July 2023

Departure Time: 0713Hrs

Out of the river: 0718Hrs

Return Time: 1543Hrs

Boat Speed: 1550Hrs

Course: 190°

Conditions: Swell to 2.5Mtrs with peaks to 3Mtrs, choppy, mostly cloudy with some sunny breaks

Leaders: Neil Macumber & Kevin Bartram

Notes: Total Sea Bird Species Seen: 14

Total Mammals Species Seen: Nil

Stops	Time	Depth	Coordinates	
1st Stop - arrive	1017Hrs	555Mtrs	38°52.042S	142°00.971E
1st Stop - depart	1250Hrs	323Mtrs	38°51.811S	142°03.815E

Birds Seen	Inshore	9Mtrs Offshore 0922Hrs	1st Stop	Return	Return Trip
Royal Type Albatross			1		
Northern Royal Albatross			1		
Southern Royal Albatross			2		
Shy Albatross	25	11	50		16
Black-browed Albatross			4		1
Black-browed Type Albatross	1				
Indian Yellow-nosed Albatross	2		3	1	
Northern Giant Petrel			1		
Fairy Prion		5	3		
Great-winged Petrel			3		
Fluttering Shearwater			10		
Fluttering Type Shearwater	8000	20		20	100
Grey-backed Storm-Petrel			1		
Australasian Gannet	1	15	4		10
Silver Gull	1				25 In the river
Crested Tern	40	15	25		45