

## Port Fairy Pelagic Report - 28 February 2021

# Birdswing Birding & Wildlife Tours



**Date:** 28/02/2021

**Departure Time:** 0700Hrs

**Out of the river:** 0706Hrs

**Return Time:** 1612Hrs

**Boat Speed:** 11Knots

**Course:** 189°

**Water Temperature:** At the shelf 19°C

**Conditions:** Overcast early then sunny. Swell up to 5mtr. mainly around 3mtrs. Glassy conditions that chopped up slightly on return trip.

**Leaders:** Neil Macumber and Kevin Bartram

**Notes:** Total Sea Bird Species Seen: 19  
Total Mammals Species Seen: 1

Stops	Time	Depth	Coordinates	
1st Stop - arrive	1009Hrs	705Mtrs	38°55.664S	142°07.75E
1st Stop - depart	1257Hrs	772Mtrs	38°55.95S	142°07.90E

Birds Seen	In the River on way out	Inshore	Offshore 0915Hrs	1st Stop	Return Trip
Little Penguin					4
Southern Royal Albatross			1	2	
Shy Albatross	10		2	25	10
Black-browed (type)Albatross	7		3		2
Black-browed Albatross				10	
Campbell (Island) Albatross				1	
Indian Yellow-nosed Albatross	1		2	2	1
Buller's Albatross			4	5	5
Grey-faced Petrel			1	4,2	
White-chinned Petrel			2	12	
Flesh-Footed Shearwater			2	15	5
Short-tailed Shearwater	600		215	200	80
Fluttering (Type)Shearwater	3				

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Fluttering Shearwater		1			
Sooty Shearwater				2	
White-Faced Storm-Petrel			1	10	
Common Diving-Petrel		2			1
Australasian Gannet		60	2	5	200
Arctic Jaeger			1		1
Silver Gull	1	5			
Crested Tern		6	2	5	20

Mammals Seen	In the River on way out	Inshore	Offshore 0915Hrs	1st Stop	Return Trip
Australian Fur Seal		1	1		6