

PORT FAIRY PELAGIC REPORT - 29 MAY 2016

**BIRD SWING
BIRDING
& Wildlife
TOURS**



Date: 29/05/2016

Departure Time: 0700hrs

Out of the river: 0713hrs

Return Time: 1622hrs

Boat Speed: 11.5 knots

Course: 210°

Conditions: Calm, Slight breeze 100% cloud cover but bright. Swell 1-1.5mtr peaking at 2mtrs

Leaders: Neil Macumber

Notes: Total Sea Bird Species Seen: 26

Total Mammals Species Seen: 2

Stops	Time	Depth	Coordinates	
1st Stop - arrive	0955 hour	109 fathom	38° 47.748 S	141° 51.067 E
1st Stop - depart	1145hours	103 fathom	38°47.823S	141°53.353E
2nd Stop - arrive	1204hours	104 fathom	38°47.972S	141°53.511E
2nd Stop - depart	1221 hours	130 fathom	38° 38.481 S	141° 53.900 E
3rd Stop - arrive	1238 hours		38° 50.228 S	141° 54.309 E
3rd Stop - depart	1358 hours	230 fathom	38° 51.58 S	141° 55.389 E

Birds Seen	Inshore	Offshore	1st Stop	2nd Stop	3rd Stop		Return Trip
Little Penguin	4						4,2
Wandering Albatross Exulans			2				
Wandering Albatross Gibsoni			4	3 on water			
Shy Albatross	1,2,1,1,1,1,	2,1,1,2,1	90		20		2,1,
Black-browed Albatross			10		3		
Campbell Island Albatross			4				
Grey-headed Albatross			1				
Indian Yellow-nosed Albatross	1						
Sooty Albatross			1 Imm?	1 Adult			
Light-mantled Sooty Albatross			1	1			
Northern Giant Petrel	1				1		

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Cape Petrel			1			
Blue Petrel					1	
Fairy Prion	1,1,2,2,1,2,2,1,1,35,50,5,6,1,2,4,1,	1,	10		5,2	10,35
Great-Winged Petrel			6		60+, 1 Gouldi,2	
Sooty Shearwater						1
Fluttering Type Shearwater						20,23,35,25
Grey-Backed Storm-Petrel			4		2	
Wilson's Storm-Petrel	1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,	2,	15		3	3,1,1` ,
Australasian Gannet	3,1,8,1,5,9,8,2					1
Black-faced Shag						1 in river
Pacific Gull						1 in river
Kelp Gull						1,(1 in river)
Silver Gull						2,1,(1 in river)
Crested Tern	1,1					1,1,1,
Arctic Tern						
Tern Species					3 Poss. Arctic	2 Poss. Arctic
Hardhead						3 flying near river

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