

**SUMMER WATERBIRDS, SHOREBIRDS & RAPTORS of COASTAL WETLANDS**

**January 2008**

<b>Wetland</b>	<b>THill W</b>	<b>THill E</b>	<b>Kil G</b>	<b>Kil H</b>	<b>Kil I</b>	<b>Saltw</b>	<b>Kil Bch K</b>	<b>Griff Is</b>
<b>Observer</b>	RB&DL							
<b>Survey date</b>	27-Jan							
<b>Water depth (max.)</b>	Mod							
<b>Water % cover</b>	80							
<b>Any waterbirds/shorebirds?</b>	Y							
<b>SHOREBIRDS &amp; WADERS</b>								
Australian Pied Oystercatcher								
Black-fronted Plover								
Black-winged Stilt	6							
Common Greenshank								
Curlew Sandpiper								
Double-banded Plover								
Grey Plover								
Hooded Plover								
Latham's Snipe								
Masked Lapwing	12							
Red-kneed Dotterel								
Red-necked Avocet	1							
Red-capped Plover	9							
Red-necked Stint	390							
Ruddy Turnstone								
Sanderling								
Sharp-tailed Sandpiper								
Sooty Oystercatcher								
<b>GANNETS, PELICAN &amp; CORMORANTS</b>								
Australian Pelican								
Australasian Gannet								
Black-faced Cormorant								
Great Cormorant								
Little Black Cormorant								
Little Pied Cormorant								
Pied Cormorant								
<b>CRANES, CRAKES, DUCKS, GREBES, GEESE, SWANS</b>								
Australasian Grebe								
Australasian Shoveler	8							
Australian Shelduck	107							
Australian Wood Duck								
Australian Spotted Crake								
Black Swan	11							
Black-tailed Native-hen								
Blue-billed Duck	6							
Chestnut Teal	110							
Dusky Moorhen								
Eurasian Coot	1							
Great Crested Grebe								
Grey Teal	70							
Hardhead								
Hoary-headed Grebe	27							
Musk Duck								
Pacific Black Duck	35							
Pink-eared Duck	2							
Purple Swamphen								

<b>HERONS, EGRETS, IBIS, SPOONBILLS</b>							
Australian White Ibis							
Eastern Great Egret							
Little Egret							
Royal Spoonbill							
Straw-necked Ibis	2						
White-faced Heron	27						
White-necked Heron							
Yellow-billed Spoonbill							
<b>GULLS &amp; TERNS</b>							
Caspian Tern							
Crested Tern							
Kelp Gull							
Pacific Gull							
Silver Gull	38						
Whiskered Tern							
<b>RAPTORS</b>							
Black-shouldered Kite							
Brown Falcon							
Brown Goshawk							
Nankeen Kestrel							
Peregrine Falcon	2						
Swamp Harrier	2						
Wedge-tailed Eagle							
Whistling Kite	1						
<b>OTHER SPECIES ASSOCIATED WITH WETLANDS</b>							
Australasian Pipit							
Australian Reed-warbler							
Emu							
Blue-winged Parrot							
Golden-headed Cisticola							
Little Grassbird							
White-fronted Chat							

THill W = Tower Hill West lake surveyed from SE shore, N rim & W rim  
 THill E = Tower Hill East lake (east from entry road levee) – surveyed from ring road, SE rim & N rim  
 Kil G = Killarney G, the small, narrow swamp adjacent (N W) to the oval at Killarney Beach  
 Kil H = Killarney Swamp H, the small Sheedys Rd swamp adjacent to Killarney Beach Rd  
 Kil I = Killarney Swamp I, the large swamp east of the Sheedys Rd swamp (Killarney H)  
 Saltw = Saltwater Swamp extending NE behind the dune from Rutledge Cutting  
 Kil Bch K= Killarney beach from (and including) Rutledge Cutting west to Killarney Boat Ramp  
 Griff Is = Griffith Island and Sandy Cove wetland