

## 2025 Winter Surveys of Waterbirds, Shorebirds & Raptors of Coastal Wetlands & Killarney Beach

Wetland	Kil W	Kil Mid	Kil E	Kil Beach	Tower H
Observer	RB	RB	RB	DL	DL, RB
Survey date	05/07/2025	05/07/2025	05/07/2025	05/07/2025	06/07/2025
Time started	1110	0920	1010	0905	0905
Duration (mins)	10	10	30	140	195
Water depth	0	v low	low		low
Water % cover	0	20	50	low tide	80
<b>SHOREBIRDS/WADERS</b>					
Australian Pied Oystercatcher				4	
Curlew Sandpiper			1		
Double-banded Plover			2		
Hooded Plover		3(1 imm)		9	
Masked Lapwing		3		3	3
Red-capped Plover			16	2	
Red-necked Stint			2		
Sooty Oystercatcher				5	
<b>GANNETS, PELICAN &amp; CORMORANTS</b>					
Australian Gannet				1	
Australasian Darter					2
Black-faced Cormorant				1	
Great Cormorant				5	
Little Black				2	
Pied Cormorant				15	
<b>COOTS, CRANES, CRAKES, DUCKS, GREBES, GEESE, MOORHENS, SWANS</b>					
Australian Shelduck					35
Australasian Shoveler					71
Black Swan		1	5	2	53
Blue-billed Duck					300
Chestnut Teal					1260
Eurasian Coot					800
Grey Teal			15		90
Hardhead					2
Hoary-headed Grebe					185
Musk Duck					20
Pacific Black Duck			25		30
Purple Swamphen					12
<b>HERONS, EGRETS, IBIS, SPOONBILLS</b>					
White-faced Heron				1	
<b>GULLS &amp; TERNS</b>					
Kelp Gull		1		1	
Pacific Gull				1	
Silver Gull				115	
<b>RAPTORS</b>					
Swamp Harrier					3
Whistling Kite					2
<b>OTHER SPECIES ASSOCIATED WITH WETLANDS</b>					
White-fronted Chat			8	6	

Kil W = Killarney Swamp West, adjacent (NW) to the oval at Killarney Beach

Kil Mid = Killarney Middle Swamp, Sheedys Rd, adjacent to Killarney Beach Rd

Kil E = Killarney Swamp East, the large swamp east of the Middle Swamp on Sheedys Rd

Kil Beach K = Killarney Beach from (and including) Rutledge Cutting beach and west to Killarney Boat Ramp

Tower H = Tower Hill Lakes (West & East combined)