

## BUTTERFLIES 1981

**Skipper** *Hesperia comma*. Two on 27th September.

**Large White** *Pieris brassicae*. 19th April to 2nd September with a maximum of about thirty during August.

**Small White** *Pieris rapae*. 19th April first one, c.25 on 12th June, last one 9th September.

**Green-veined White** *Pieris napi*. First one on 25th May, singles in June and one on 11th August.

**Small Copper** *Lycaena phlaeas*. First one on 20th May, up to six in June up to ten in September, last three on 26th.

**Common Blue** *Polyommatus icarus*. One on 10th June, one on 22nd June and two on 5th September.

**Red Admiral** *Vanessa atalanta*. Found from 10th April to 18th October with a maximum of 40 on 18th October.

**Painted Lady** *Vanessa cardui*. 3rd July first, up to ten in July, last three on 5th October.

**Small Tortoiseshell** *Aglais urticae*. First single on 9th April then a single on 25th July, five on 30th August then singles until the last one 22nd September.

**Peacock** *Iachis io*. Two on 9th April but none then until one or two from 5th to 9th September.

**Speckled Wood** *Parage geria*. Two on 9th July and one on 11th September.

**Grayling** *Eumenis semele*. A single on 9th and 11th July.

**Meadow Brown** *Maniala jurtina*. Two on 1st July and then up to 35 during July and up to 60 in August, last one on 25th September.

**Ringlet** *Aphantopus hyperantus*. One on 1st July, four on 25th July and one on 1st September.

**Small Heath** *Coenonympha pamphilus*. Only one on 11th July.

**Monarch** *Danaus plexippus*. One or two from 25th September to 2nd October.

## SHARKS

**Basking Shark** *Cetorhinus maximum*. Singles on 18th, 21st, 25th August, about six on 26th August, singles five times in September with three on 5th.

## ADDITIONAL RECORDS OF INSECTS AND SPIDERS

**Dragonflies** *Anax imperator*. One on 22nd July.

*Sympetrum striolatum*. Common on East side 22nd September.

**Moths: Emperor Moth** *Saturnia pavonia*. One on 22nd July.

**Spiders: Purs-Web Spider** *Atypus affinus*. On Rat Island on 11th July.

**Mammals: Hares**. Two present throughout the year.

**Goats**. In spring nine and one kid. 14 on 25th July, twelve on 15th December.