

MAMMALS ON LUNDY 2000 & 2001

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2000

Pygmy Shrew, *Sorex minutus* - sightings from 04.06.00 to 13.09.00 (at least 5 different sites)

Long-eared Bat, 21.10.00

Bat sp., 5 sightings from 26.06.00 to 13.10.00 (maximum = 2)

Rabbit, *Oryctolagus cuniculus* - present.

Brown Rat, *Rattus norvegicus* - present.

Black Rat, *Rattus rattus* - no sightings recorded.

Atlantic Grey Seal, *Halichoerus grypus* - largest recorded count was 40. One tagged individual - green tag on left flipper. Pups - total of 10 recorded at 5 sites from 23.08.00 to 13.09.00.

Sika Deer, *Cervus nippon* - maximum recorded was 40 (includes 18 males and 12 females).

Common Dolphin, *Delphinus delphis* - 3 sightings, 16.07.00 to 28.07.00 (maximum = 30).

Harbour Porpoise, *Phocoena phocoena* - 3 sightings, 29.04.00 to 25.08.00 (maximum = 8).

Dolphin/Porpoise sp - 3 sightings, 28.04.00 to 29.08.00 (maximum = 25).

A dead cetacean, approx. 30 feet long, floating 2 miles south of Rat Island on 04.09.00 was possibly a Minke Whale, *Balaenoptera acutorostrata*.

2001

Pygmy Shrew, *Sorex minutus* - sightings from 27.05.01 to 27.08.01

Long-eared Bat, 29.10.01 (1)

Bat sp., 2 sightings on 27.04.01 and 26.08.01

Rabbit, *Oryctolagus cuniculus* - present.

Brown Rat, *Rattus norvegicus* - present.

Black Rat, *Rattus rattus* - one sighting on 22.06.01.

Atlantic Grey Seal, *Halichoerus grypus* - largest recorded count from land was 75. Pups 30.08.01, 2 in Halfway Wall Bay; 24.09.01, 1 at Brazen Ward.

Sika Deer, *Cervus nippon* - maximum recorded was 41 (includes 15 males).

Two fawns recorded on 29.04.01.

Risso's Dolphin, *Grampus griseus* - one sighting of two on 13.10.01, about half an hour from Lundy

Common Dolphin, *Delphinus delphis* - one sighting of 25-30 on 29.08.01

Harbour Porpoise, *Phocoena phocoena* - 1 sighting of 6 on 04.05.01

Dolphin sp. - 2 sightings, 03.07.07 (lots) and 30.07.01 (12-15)