



BIODIVERSITY RECORD 2023 by Mrs. Maresa Aldridge, Environmental Officer.

A system of observations have been put in place for all staff to note any species of birds, insects, or other wildlife here at Eagle Heights.

The system was random and not specifically set to any particular day of the month.

The following sightings have been recorded monthly throughout the year of 2023.

JANUARY 2023

Blackbird (*Turdus merula*)

Black headed gull (*Chroicocephalus ridibundus*)

Blue tit (*Cyanistes caeruleus*)

Carrion Crow (*Corvus brachyhynchos*)

Chaffinch (*Fringilla coelebs*)

Collared Dove (*Streptopelia decaocto*)

Common Kestrel (*Falco tinnunculus*)

Dunnock (*Prunella modularis*)

Feral pigeon (*Columba livia domestica*)

Field fare (*Turdus pilaris*)

Goldfinch (*Carduelis carduelis*) Great Tit (*Parus major*)

Green Woodpecker (*Picus viridis*)

House Sparrow (*Passer domesticus*)

Magpie (*Pica pica*)

Pied wagtail (*Mortacilla alba*)

Redwing (*Turdus iliacus*)

Robin (*Erithacus rubecula*)

Starling (*Sturnus vulgaris*)

Wood pigeon (*Columba palumbus*)

Crane Fly

Orb spider (*Araneidae*)

Egg shell slime mold

FEBRUARY 2023

Blackbird (*Turdus merula*)
Blue tit (*Cyanistes caeruleus*)
Bullfinch (*Pyrrhula pyrrhula*)
Carrion Crow (*Corvus brachyhynchos*)
Chaffinch (*Fringilla coelebs*)
Common Kestrel (*Falco tinnunculus*)
Field fare (*Turdus pilaris*)
Green Woodpecker (*Picus viridis*)
Great Tit (*Parus major*)
House Sparrow (*Passer domesticus*)
Long Tailed tit (*Aegithalos caudatus*)
Magpie (*Pica pica*)
Pied wagtail (*Mortacilla alba*)
Redwing (*Turdus iliacus*)
Robin (*Erithacus rubecula*)
Skylark (*Alauda arvensis*)
Wood pigeon (*Columba palumbus*)
Wren (*Troglodytes troglodytes*)
Yellowhammer (*Emberiza citrinell*)
White tailed bumblebee (*Bombus lucorum*)
2 spot ladybird (*Adalia bipunctata*.)

MARCH 2023

Blackbird (*Turdus merula*)
Blue tit (*Cyanistes caeruleus*)
Canada Goose (*Branta canadensis*)
Carrion Crow (*Corvus brachyhynchos*)
Chaffinch (*Fringilla coelebs*)
Common Buzzard (*Buteo buteo*)

Common Kestrel (*Falco tinnunculus*)
Field fare (*Turdus pilaris*)
Great Tit (*Parus major*)
House Sparrow (*Passer domesticus*)
Magpie (*Pica pica*)
Pied wagtail (*Mortacilla alba*)
Red Kite(*Milvus milvus*)
Redwing (*Turdus iliacus*)
Rook (*Corvus frugilegus*)
Wren (*Troglodytes troglodytes*)
Yellowhammer (*Emberiza citrinell*)

APRIL 2023

Blackbird (*Turdus merula*)
Blue tit (*Cyanistes caeruleus*)
Carrion Crow (*Corvus brachyhynchos*)
Chaffinch (*Fringilla coelebs*)
Common Buzzard (*Buteo buteo*)
Common Kestrel (*Falco tinnunculus*)
Dunnock (*Prunella modularis*)
Goldfinch (*Carduelis carduelis*)
Great Tit (*Parus major*)
House Sparrow (*Passer domesticus*)
Long tailed tit (*Aegithalos caudatus*)
Pied wagtail (*Mortacilla alba*)
Red Kite(*Milvus milvus*)
Red legged partridge (*Alectoris rufa*)
Robin (*Erithacus rubecula*)
Skylark (*Alauda arvensis*)
Sparrowhawk (*Accipiter nisus*)

Swallow (*Hirundo rustica*)

Wheatear (*Oenanthe Oenanthe*)

Wood pigeon (*Columba palumbus*)

INSECT

6 spot ladybird (*coccinella septempunctata*)

Shield bug (*Pentatomidae*)

Brimstone butterfly (*Gonepteryx rhamni*)

Common Carder bee (*Bombus pascuorum*)

Painted lady butterfly (*vanessa cardui*)

Buff tailed bumblebee (*Bombus terrestris*)

White tailed bumblebee (*Bombus lucorum*)

Red mason Bee (*Osmia rufa*)

MAMMAL

Rabbit (***Oryctolagus cuniculus***)

Grey Squirrel (*Sciurus carolinensis*)

Mouse (not sure which species)

MAY 2023

Blackcap (*Sylvia Atricapilla*)

Collared dove (*Streptopelia Decaocto*)

Carrion Crow (*Corvus brachyhynchos*)

Dunnock (*Prunella modularis*)

Hobby (*Falco subbuteo*)

House Martin (*Delichon urbicum*)

House Sparrow (*Passer domesticus*)

Magpie (*Pica pica*)

Osprey (*Pandion haliaetus*)

Peregrine Falcon x 2 (*Falco peregrinus*)

Pheasant (***Phasianus colchicus***)

Pied wagtail (*Mortacilla alba*)

Red legged Partridge (*Alectoris rufa*)

Swallow (*Hirundo rustica*)

Swift (*Apodidae*)

Wood pigeon (*Columba palumbus*)

INSECT:

Common Red Soldier Beetle (*Rhagonycha fulva*)

Shiny Sun Beetle (*Amara aenea*)

Brimstone butterfly (*Gonepteryx rhamni*)

Large White (*Pieris brassicae*)

Painted lady butterfly (*vanessa cardui*)

Red Admiral (*Vanessa Atalanta*)

Ashy Mining Bee (*Andrena cineraria*)

Buff tailed bumblebee (*Bombus terrestris*)

Common Carder bee (*Bombus pascuorum*)

Red mason Bee (*Osmia rufa*)

Red tailed Bumblebee (*Bombus lapidarius*)

White tailed bumblebee (*Bombus lucorum*)

MAMMAL

Grey Squirrel (*Sciurus carolinensis*)

Rabbit (***Oryctolagus cuniculus***)

JUNE 2023

Blackbird (*Turdus merula*)

Common Buzzard (*Buteo Buteo*)

Carrion Crow (*Corvus brachyhynchos*)

Goldfinch (*Carduelis carduelis*)

Gull (not sure which species)

House Martin (*Delichon urbicum*)

House Sparrow (*Passer domesticus*)

Pied wagtail (*Mortacilla alba*)

Robin (*Erithacus rubecula*)

Swallow (*Hirundo rustica*)

Swift (*Apodidae*)

Whitethroat (*Sylvia communis*)

Wood pigeon (*Columba palumbus*)

Arachnids:

Zebra Jumping Spider.

Insects:

Common cardinal beetle

Cranefly

5 spot ladybird

Ladybird larva

Oedemera femorata (Beetle)

Butterflies/Moths:

Large white

Large yellow underwing moth

Meadow brown

Mint Moth

Mammals:

Rabbits

Grey Squirrels

JULY 2023

Green Woodpecker (*Picus viridis*)

Grey heron (*Ardea cinerea*)

House Sparrow (*Passer domesticus*)

Pied wagtail (*Mortacilla alba*)

Robin (*Erithacus rubecula*)

Sparrowhawk (*Accipiter nisus*)

Swift (*Apodidae*)

Wood pigeon (*Columba palumbus*)

Wren (*Troglodytes troglodytes*)

INSECTS

Comma Butterfly (*Polygonia c-album*)

small Copper Butterfly *Lycaena dispar*

Marbled White Butterfly (*Melanargia galathea*)

Peacock Butterfly (*Aglais io*)

Red Admiral Butterfly (*Vanessa Atalanta*)

Brown tail Moth (*Euproctis chrysorrhoea*)

Jersey tiger moth (*Euplagia quadripunctaria*)

Mother of pearl moth (*Pleuroptya ruralis*)

Light Emerald moth (*Campaea margaritara*)

Forest bug (*Pentatoma rufipes*) shield bug

Devils Coach Horse (*Ocypus olens*)

Meadow Grasshopper (*Chorthippus parallelus*)

Pea leaf weevil. (*Sitona lineatus*)

MAMMAL

Common Shrew (*Sorex Araneus*)

Protected under the wildlife & countryside act 1981

Grey Squirrel (*Sciurus carolinensis*)

invasive non native

Rabbit (***Oryctolagus cuniculus***)

introduced, naturalised

& Common

AUGUST 2023

Dunnock (*Prunella modularis*)

Chaffinch (*Fringilla coelebs*)

Common Buzzard (*Buteo buteo*)

Common Kestrel (*Falco tinnunculus*)

Goldfinch (*Carduelis carduelis*)

House Sparrow (*Passer domesticus*)

Pied wagtail (*Mortacilla alba*)

Raven (*Corvus corax*)

Red Kite (*Milvus milvus*)

Robin (*Erithacus rubecula*)

Sparrowhawk (*Accipiter nisus*)

Wren (*Troglodytes troglodytes*)

INSECTS

Marbled White Butterfly (*Melanargia galathea*)

Peacock Butterfly (*Aglais io*)

Red Admiral Butterfly (*Vanessa Atalanta*)

small Copper Butterfly *Lycaena dispar*

Harlequin ladybird (*Harmonia axyridis*)

Lesser stag beetle (female) (*Dorcus parallelipedus*)

MAMMAL

Grey Squirrel (*Sciurus carolinensis*)

invasive non native

Rabbit (***Oryctolagus cuniculus***)

introduced, naturalised

& Common

SEPTEMBER 2023

Carrion Crow (*Corvus brachyhynchos*)

Chiffchaff (*Phylloscopus collybita*)

Common Buzzard (*Buteo buteo*)

Common Kestrel (*Falco tinnunculus*)

Goldfinch (*Carduelis carduelis*)

House Sparrow (*Passer domesticus*)

Magpie (*Pica pica*)

Pied wagtail (*Mortacilla alba*)

Red Kite(*Milvus milvus*)

Raven (*Corvus corax*)

Red Kite (Milvus milvus)

Robin (Erithacus rubecula)

Skylark (Alauda arvensis)

Wren (Troglodytes troglodytes)

INSECTS

Angel Shades Moth

Garden Spider

MAMMALS

Grey Squirrel (Sciurus carolinensis) invasive non native

Rabbit (**Oryctolagus cuniculus**) introduced, naturalised
& Common

NOVEMBER 2023

Carrion Crow (Corvus brachyrynchos)

Field fare (Turdus pilaris)

Herring Gull (Larus Argentatus)

House Sparrow (Passer domesticus)

Magpie (Pica pica)

Partridge (**Perdix perdix**)

Red Kite(Milvus milvus)

Ring necked parakeet (Psittacula krameria) naturalised parrot

Robin (Erithacus rubecula)

Starling (**Sturnus vulgaris**)

Pied wagtail (Mortacilla alba)

Wood pigeon (Columba palumbus)

INSECTS

Autumnal Moth (**Epirrita autumnata**)

Buff tailed bumblebee (Bombus terrestris)

Caddis Fly (Trichoptera)

Lithophane Moth **family Noctuidae.**

Red Admiral Butterfly (*Vanessa Atalanta*)

MAMMALS

Grey Squirrel (*Sciurus carolinensis*) invasive non native

Pipistrelle bat (*Pipistrellus pipistrellus*)

DECEMBER 2023

Barn Owl (*tyto alba*)

Blackbird (*Turdus merula*)

Blue tit (*Cyanistes caeruleus*)

Chaffinch (*Fringilla coelebs*)

Common Buzzard (*Buteo buteo*)

Common Kestrel (*Falco tinnunculus*)

Field fare (*Turdus pilaris*)

Goldfinch (*Carduelis carduelis*)

Great Tit (*Parus Major*)

Herring Gull (*Larus Argentatus*)

House Sparrow (*Passer domesticus*)

Little Owl (*Athena noctua*)

Magpie (*Pica pica*)

Peregrine Falcon (*Falco peregrinus*)

Red Kite (*Milvus milvus*)

Redwing (*Turdus Iliacus*)

Ring necked parakeet (*Psittacula krameria*) naturalised parrot

Robin (*Erithacus rubecula*)

Song thrush (*Turdus Philomelo*).

Sparrowhawk (*Accipiter nisus*)

Wood pigeon (*Columba palumbus*)

Wren (*Troglodytes troglodytes*)

MAMMAL

Grey Squirrel (*Sciurus carolinensis*) invasive non native