

Stanford Ringing Group



STANFORD RINGING GROUP RECOVERIES and CONTROLS Reported in 2004

The symbols and conventions used are listed below:

Age when ringed: The figures do not represent years. Interpretation is as follows:

- 1 pullus (nestling or chick)
fraction in brackets indicates total number of pullus ringed from those present
- 1J just fledged and found very close to nest
- 2 fully grown, year of hatching quite unknown
- 3 hatched during calendar year of ringing
- 3J hatched during calendar year of ringing, still partly or completely in juvenile body plumage
- 4 hatched before calendar year of ringing, but exact year unknown
- 5 hatched during previous calendar year
- 6 hatched before previous calendar year, but exact year unknown

Sex: M = male, F =female.

Condition at recovery:

- R caught and released by ringer
- RR alive and probably healthy, ring or colour marks read in the field by ringer
- V alive and probably healthy, caught and released but not by a ringer
- X found dead
(X_{glass} hit glass; X_{cat} killed by cat, X_{rta} road casualty, X_{pred} taken by predatory bird)

RECOVERIES

Sand Martin	4F	27/5/04	Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottinghamshire
T 178139	R	14/8/04	Dishley Pool, Loughborough, Leics: 79 days, 9 km
Sand Martin	4M	27/5/04	Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottinghamshire
T 178194	R	20/8/04	Icklesham, East Sussex: 85 days, 255 km
Sand Martin	4	27/5/04	Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottinghamshire
T 178207	R	30/7/04	Sandwich, Kent: 64 days, 251 km
Sand Martin	4	3/6/04	Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottinghamshire
T 178223	R	3/7/04	Willington Gravel Pits, Bedfordshire: 30 days, 100 km
Sand Martin	4F	8 /6/04	Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire
T 178338	X _{pred}	29/6/04	(Sparrowhawk) Huncote Gravel Pit,: 21 days, 0 km
Sand Martin	4F	27/7/04	Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottinghamshire
T 178607	R	20/8/04	Icklesham, East Sussex: 24 days, 255 km
Blackbird	3J	9/5/01	Fleckney, Leicestershire
CL 10576	X	17/3/04	Fleckney, Leicestershire: 1043 days, 0 km

Blackbird CL 10751	3F X	24/11/01 22/4/04	Fleckney, Leicestershire Fleckney, Leicestershire: 880 days, 0 km
Blackbird CL 87303	3F X	16/10/04 19/12/04	Stanford Reservoir Welford, Northamptonshire: 64 days, 4 km
Reed Warbler R 180086	4 R	6/7/02 11/5/04	Stanford Reservoir Abbotsbury Swannery, Dorset: 675 days, 222 km
Reed Warbler R 181553	3J RF	6/9/03 13/6/04	Stanford Reservoir Wilstone Res., Tring, Hertfordshire: 281 days, 75 km
Chiffchaff 9M7352	3 X	24/8/02 14/4/04	Stanford Reservoir Calvados, Caen, FRANCE : 599 days, 341 km
Blue Tit R 181373	3J X box	23/8/03 27/11/04	Stanford Reservoir Stanford Reservoir, Leicestershire: 462 days, 0 km
Blue Tit R 652055	1 (9/9) X	20/5/04 6/9/04	Roeclyffe Manor, Leicestershire Woodhouse Eaves, Leicestershire: 109 days, 3 km
Great Tit P 697227	3J XF	1/8/03 7/5/04	Fleckney, Leicestershire Fleckney, Leicestershire: 280 days, 0 km
Great Tit P 774986	3M X box	14/9/02 1/5/04	Stanford Reservoir Stanford Reservoir, Leicestershire: 595 days, 0 km
Great Tit R 181818	4M X glass	29/12/03 11/4/04	Stanford Reservoir South Kilworth, Leicestershire: 104 days, 2 km
Great Tit VT 51160	1 (7/7) X box	2/6/04 27/11/04	Stanford Reservoir Stanford Reservoir, Leicestershire: 178 days, 0 km
Goldfinch R 651301	3J RF	21/8/04 20/12/04	Stanford Reservoir Silwood Park, Sunninghill, Berkshire: 121 days, 118 km
Siskin P 775429	5M R	6/3/03 10/4/04	Groby, Leicestershire Knaresborough, North Yorkshire: 401 days, 152 km
Bullfinch R 181767	3F X	15/11/03 5/6/04	Stanford Reservoir Stanford Reservoir, Leicestershire: 203 days, 0 km
Tree Sparrow TA 18124	1 (6/6) R R	13/5/03 7/12/03 18/1/04	Anstey, Leicestershire Wanlip Gravel Pits, Leicestershire: 208 days, 6 km Wanlip Gravel Pits, Leicestershire: 250 days, 6 km

CONTROLS

Mute Swan Z 14641	3J RR	11/4/95 4/7/04	Braunston, Northamptonshire Stanford Reservoir: 3747 days, 17km
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Roseate Tern 1 16/7/80 Rockabill, Dublin, **EIRE**
 SX080?? X 24/5/04 Stanford Reservoir, Leicestershire: 8713 days, 352 km
 Ringed as a nestling the bird was picked up dead by a visiting birder on the reservoir dam. The ring, at 25 years old, was showing so much wear that the last two digits were indecipherable. However, the ringing date is known because the whole string of 100 rings was used on that date at the Roseate Tern colony. Only the second record of this species for the reservoir and a longevity record for a BTO ringed bird. An amazing record!

Sand Martin 3 7/9/03 Las Minas, San Martin de la Vega, **SPAIN**
 CC0900 RM 29/6/04 Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 296 days, 1382 km

Sand Martin 4M 21/6/02 Wanlip Gravel Pit, Leicestershire
 P 129763 R 29/6/04 Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 739 days, 17 km

Sand Martin 3J 17/7/02 Dishley Pool, Loughborough, Leicestershire
 P 129942 R 27/5/04 Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottingham: 680 days, 9 km

Sand Martin 4M 7/6/01 Ashby Lodge, Leicestershire
 P 696222 R 29/6/04 Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 1118 days, 5 km

Sand Martin 3 18/8/02 Icklesham, Sussex
 P 766964 R 8/6/04 Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 660 days, 228 km

Sand Martin 3J 25/6/02 High Cross, Leicestershire
 P 774446 RF 27/5/04 Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottingham: 702 days, 43 km

Sand Martin 3J 14/7/02 Faversham, Kent
 P 996834 R 27/5/04 Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottingham: 683 days, 226 km

Sand Martin 4F 29/6/03 Aylsham, Norfolk
 R 075995 R 27/5/04 Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottingham: 333 days, 167 km

Sand Martin 3 13/8/03 Burgh Castle, Great Yarmouth, Norfolk
 R 380368 R 8/6/04 Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 300 days, 199 km

Sand Martin 3J 5/7/03 Wanlip Gravel Pits, Leicestershire
 R 479608 R 27/7/04 Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottingham: 388 days, 23 km

Sand Martin 4F 5/7/03 Wanlip Gravel Pits, Leicestershire
 R 479610 R 8/6/04 Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 339 days, 17 km

Sand Martin 4F 8/7/03 Dishley Pool, Loughborough, Leics:
 R 479649 R 27/5/04 Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottingham: 324 days, 9 km

Sand Martin 4F 18/7/03 Dishley Pool, Loughborough, Leics:
 R 479665 R 27/5/04 Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottingham: 314 days, 9 km

Sand Martin 3 4/9/03 Icklesham, East Sussex:
 R 570038 R 3/6/04 Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottingham: 273 days, 255 km

Sand Martin 3 8/9/03 Icklesham, East Sussex:
 R 580033 RF 3/6/04 Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottingham: 269 days, 255 km

Sand Martin	4F	20/6/04	Cornets End, Meriden, West Midlands
R 713628	R	29/7/04	Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 39 days, 32 km
Sand Martin	4F	27/5/04	Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottinghamshire
T 178088	R	6/7/04	Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 40 days, 34 km
Sand Martin	4F	27/5/04	Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottinghamshire
T 178153	R	29/7/04	Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 63 days, 34 km
Reed Warbler	4	25/5/97	Attenborough Nature Reserve, Nottinghamshire
K 957178	R	29/5/04	Stanford Reservoir: 2561 days, 55 km

Sedge Warbler	4	2/5/04	nr Hempstead, Gloucestershire
R 775423	RF	24/7/04	Stanford Reservoir: 83 days, 102 km

Goldcrest	3F	26/9/04	Signilskar, Hammarland, Aland, FINLAND
SFH 21912 T	R	16/10/04	Stanford Reservoir: 20 days, 1525 km

This juvenile female, weighing a mere 5.0 grams when it was ringed in Finland, was retrapped by us only 20 days later. Now at 5.1 grams, it had already found time in the UK to replace any loss in body weight from its journey.

Long-tailed Tit	2	6/11/00	Houghton-on-the-Hill, Leicestershire
3J 0469	R	11/2/04	Ingarsby Old Hall, Leicestershire: 1192 days, 1 km

Great Tit	3	8/6/00	Pitsford Reservoir, Northamptonshire
P 318133	RF	2/10/03	Stanford Reservoir: 1211 days, 20 km
	RF	11/2/04	Stanford Reservoir: 1626 days, 20 km