

# Stanford Ringing Group



## STANFORD RINGING GROUP RECOVERIES and CONTROLS Reported in 2006

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 pred taken by predatory bird)

### RECOVERIES

During 2006 we were informed of the following birds that were ringed by us at our registered ringing sites and recovered elsewhere

<b>Kestrel</b> EK 41360	1 (6/6) X	9/6/05 11/11/05	Roecliffe, Woodhouse Eaves, Leicestershire Brocas, Landes, <b>FRANCE</b> : 155 days 965 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> T 178540	3J RM	29/6/04 17/6/06	Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire Wanlip Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 718 days, 17 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> T 489028	4F R	7/6/05 17/6/06	Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottinghamshire Wanlip Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 375 days, 23 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> V 188273	3J R	15/6/06 27/6/06	Wanlip Gravel Pit, Leicestershire Rutland Water, Leicestershire: 12 days, 40 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> V 188586	4F R	19/6/06 29/7/06	Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire Wanlip Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 40 days, 17 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> V 188895	4 RF	2/6/06 29/7/06	Welford Gravel Pit, Leicestershire Lagunage, Rochefort, <b>FRANCE</b> : 37 days, 723 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> V 189016	3J R	29/06/06 20/08/06	Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottinghamshire Lagunage, Rochefort, <b>FRANCE</b> : 52 days, 771 km

<b>Sand Martin</b> V 189034	4F R	4/7/06 22/8/06	Welford Gravel Pit, Leicestershire Icklesham, East Sussex: 49 days, 208 km
<b>Blackbird</b> CL 10782	3M X cat	4/12/01 6/3/06	Fleckney, Leicestershire Fleckney, Leicestershire: 1553 days, 0 km
<b>Blackbird</b> CL 10919	5M X cat	25/2/03 1/4/06	Groby, Leicestershire Anstey, Leicestershire: 1131 days, 2 km
<b>Song Thrush</b> RT 05519	6 R	20/7/02 12/4/06	Stanford Reservoir Rutland Water, Leicestershire: 1362 days, 40 km (Our furthest recovery of this species to date)
<b>Blackcap</b> P 774749	3JF R	27/7/02 22/4/06	Stanford Reservoir Flatford Mill, East Bergholt, Suffolk: 1365 days, 155 km
<b>Blackcap</b> T 489578	3JM X	20/8/05 8/6/06	Stanford Reservoir Peppard Common, Henley, Oxfordshire: 292 days, 101 km
<b>Sedge Warbler</b> T 179486	3J R	23/7/05 25/6/06	Stanford Reservoir Brandon Marsh, Warwickshire: 680 days, 24 km
<b>Reed Warbler</b> T 489479	3J R	13/8/05 4/7/06	Stanford Reservoir Brandon Marsh, Warwickshire: 325 days, 24 km
<b>Sedge Warbler</b> T 682149	3J R	15/7/06 30/7/06	Stanford Reservoir Waterhay, Ashton Keynes, Wiltshire: 15 days, 103 km
<b>Blue Tit</b> R 651852	3 X	11/12/04 16/4/06	Stanford Reservoir Sibbertoft, Market Harborough, Leics: 491 days, 9 km
<b>Starling</b> CL 01659	3F X cat	15/12/00 4/9/06	Fleckney, Leicestershire Fleckney, Leicestershire: 2089 days, 0 km
<b>Greenfinch</b> TC 60406	5F X	9/3/05 14/5/06	Corby, Northamptonshire Corby, Northamptonshire: 431 days, 0 km
<b>Greenfinch</b> TE 89208	3JM X	7/9/05 31/3/06	Corby, Northamptonshire Corby, Northamptonshire: 205 days, 0 km
<b>Chaffinch</b> P 621081	6M X cat	28/4/01 19/2/06	Stanford Reservoir Swinford, Lutterworth, Leicestershire: 1758 days, 4 km (At least two years old when ringed, this bird survived another five years before being killed)
<b>Chaffinch</b> T 684309	1 (4/4) X	27/5/06 29/12/06	Stanford Reservoir South Kilworth, Leicestershire: 216 days, 0 km
<b>Siskin</b> P775474	5M R6M	09/03/03 29/01/06	Groby, Leicestershire Mechelen, BELGIUM: 1057 days, 429 km

The two Chaffinches, both found locally, represent only our 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> recoveries of this species from the 2,000 individuals that we have ringed at Stanford to date.

Of the 1,200 individuals ringed by us, the two Blackcaps represent our 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> recoveries of this species – previous birds from Stanford having been found in Morocco (2), France and Spain.

## CONTROLS

An astonishing number of controls this year with eight birds ringed elsewhere being retrapped at Stanford – and amazingly with four on the same day! Amongst these, several “firsts” – our first ever French-ringed Reed Warbler, our first Spanish-ringed Garden Warbler and our first Blackcap control.

<b>Sand Martin</b> 4796877	3 R	16/8/03 6/7/06	Frossay, , Loire-Atlantique, <b>FRANCE</b> Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 1055 days, 595 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> 5064106	3 RF	19/8/05 19/6/06	Plaisance Saint Froult, Charente-Maritime, <b>FRANCE</b> Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 304 days, 734 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> 5159573	3 R	8/8/05 13/7/06	Tour aux Moutons, Donges, Loire-Atlantique, <b>FRANCE</b> Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 339 days, 587 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> DD3510	3 RF	12/9/05 31/5/06	Vereda de las Mozas, Castro del Rio, Cordoba, <b>SPAIN</b> Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 261 days, 1673 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> DJ 4008	3 R	9/8/05 8/6/06	Laguna de la Nava, Fuentes de Nava, Palencia, <b>SPAIN</b> Ratcliffe Power Station, Notts: 303 days, 1227 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> P 766153	3 RF	13/8/02 13/7/06	Icklesham, Sussex Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 1430 days, 228 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> P 774271	4 R	4/6/02 19/6/06	High Cross, Leicestershire Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 746 days 10 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> R 170554	4M R	11/6/04 19/6/06	Kislingbury Sand Pits, Bugbrooke, Northamptonshire Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 738 days, 46 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> R 211336	3J RF	26/6/03 6/6/06	Cornets End, Meriden, West Midlands Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 1103 days, 32 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> R 211432	3J RF	29/6/03 19/6/06	Cornets End, Meriden, West Midlands Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 1086 days, 32 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> R 471433	4F R	17/7/04 19/6/06	Willington Gravel Pits, Bedfordshire Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 702 days, 77 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> R 479667	4F R	18/7/03 31/5/06	Dishley Pool, Loughborough, Leicestershire Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 1048 days, 25 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> R 713623	3J RM	20/6/04 19/6/06	Cornets End, Meriden, West Midlands Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 729 days, 32 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> R 713739	4F R	19/6/05 19/6/06	Cornets End, Meriden, West Midlands Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 365 days, 32 km
<b>Sand Martin</b>	4	20/6/05	Kislingbury Sand Pits, Bugbrooke, Northamptonshire

T 139329	R	6/7/06	Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 381 days, 46 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> T 139415	3J RF	20/6/05 19/6/06	Kislingbury Sand Pits, Bugbrooke, Northamptonshire Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 364 days, 46 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> T 304442	4M R	12/7/05 29/6/06	Holme Pierrepont, Nottinghamshire Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottinghamshire: 352 days, 15 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> T 363173	3J RF	11/7/05 31/5/06	Calne Sand Pits, Calne, Wiltshire Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 324 days, 136 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> T 400013	3J RF	22/7/06 25/6/06	Wickham, Hampshire Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottinghamshire: 307 days, 219 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> T 418382	3 RF	3/8/05 6/7/06	Icklesham, East Sussex Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 337 days, 228 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> T 425374	3 R	29/8/05 31/5/06	Icklesham, East Sussex Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 275 days, 228 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> T 489060	4F R	7/6/05 19/6/06	Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottinghamshire Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 377 days, 34 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> T 489263	3J R	21/6/05 19/6/06	Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottinghamshire Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 363 days, 34 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> T 489387	3J RF	12/7/05 31/5/06	Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottinghamshire Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 323 days, 34 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> T 489920	4 RF	8/4/06 6/7/06	Stanford Reservoir, Leicestershire Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 89 days, 20 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> T 631209	3J RF	18/6/05 25/5/06	Dishley Pool, Loughborough, Leicestershire Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottinghamshire: 341 days, 10 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> T 767605	3J RF	2/7/05 22/6/06	Potton Quarry, Bedfordshire Welford Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 355 days, 66 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> V 081055	3J R	30/5/06 27/6/06	Radley Gravel Pit, Oxfordshire Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 28 days, 100 km
<b>Sand Martin</b> V 188030	4 RF	25/5/06 11/7/06	Ratcliffe Power Station, Nottinghamshire Huncote Gravel Pit, Leicestershire: 47 days, 34 km
<b>Reed Warbler</b> 4992694	4 R	12/8/05 17/6/06	Mars Quest, Loire-Atlantique, <b>FRANCE</b> Stanford Reservoir: 309 days, 600 km
(Our first control of a French passerine at the Reservoir)			
<b>Reed Warbler</b> P 129767	4 R	22/6/02 13/5/06	Wanlip Gravel Pit, Leicestershire Stanford Reservoir: 1421 days, 30 km
<b>Reed Warbler</b> R 069991	4M R	9/6/05 13/5/06	Breaston, Long Eaton, Derbyshire Stanford Reservoir: 338 days, 54 km

<b>Reed Warbler</b> R 167514	4 R	21/5/05 13/5/06	Pitsford Reservoir, Northamptonshire Stanford Reservoir: 1088 days, 20 km
<b>Reed Warbler</b> R 523072	1J R	29/6/03 13/5/06	Chew Valley Lake, Avon Stanford Reservoir: 1049 days, 161 km
<b>Reed Warbler</b> V 011357	4 R	6/6/06 10/6/06	Brandon Marsh, Warwickshire Stanford Reservoir: 4 days, 24 km
<b>Blackcap</b> T 208919	3F R	28/8/04 10/6/06	The Flats, Wiggington, Hertfordshire Stanford Reservoir: 651 days, 80 km
<b>Garden Warbler</b> N 117316	3 R	7/9/04 12/8/06	Fresnedillas de la Oliva, <b>SPAIN</b> Stanford Reservoir: 704 days, 1348 km

(Our first control of a Spanish passerine at the Reservoir)