

“The Big Churchyard Birdwatch – All Saints Church, Hemblington – Sunday, 27th January 2019

Nineteen different species of birds were seen in and over the churchyards at All Saints Church by hardy birders over two hours on Sunday, 27th January. The enchanting little long tailed tits were the greatest in number with 10 at one sighting, and it may be that two buzzards and a kestrel roaring past may have made some birds harder to spot! Some 18 people braved the cold to assist in the birdwatch but spirits were also raised by warming soup, tea, coffee and some astounding scones and cakes. Thanks to all involved in this. The results will be uploaded on to the RSPB website and the church’s website: www.hemblingtonchurch.org.uk



27/01/2019 Big churchyard birdwatch at All Saints Church, Hemblington			
		11 am - 12 noon	12 noon - 1 pm
Buzzard	<i>Buteo buteo</i>	2	2
Chaffinch	<i>Fringilla coelebs</i>	2	
Crow - carrion	<i>Corvus corone</i>	2	3
Dunnock	<i>Prunella modularis</i>	1	
Goldfinch	<i>Carduelis carduelis</i>	4	3
Greenfinch	<i>Carduelis chloris</i>	2	
Gull: Black headed	<i>Chroicocephalus ridibundus</i>		8
Gull: herring	<i>Larus argentatus</i>	10	2
Gull: Lesser black backed	<i>Larus fuscus</i>	1	
Jackdaw	<i>Corvus monedula</i>		2
Kestrel	<i>Falco tinnunculus</i>	1	1
Magpie	<i>Pica pica</i>	1	
Marsh Harrier	<i>Circus aeruginosus</i>		1
Pigeon: wood	<i>Columba palumbus</i>	3	
Robin	<i>Erithacus rubecula</i>	1	1
Tit: blue	<i>Cyanistes caeruleus</i>	6	3
Tit: Great	<i>Parus major</i>	4	
Tit: Long tailed	<i>Aegithalos caudatus</i>	8	10
Wagtail: pied	<i>Motacilla yarrellii</i>	1	1