

## RINGING ON HOLT ISLAND 19<sup>TH</sup> - 20<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2017

The weather was still and for the most part overcast with some sun, generally warm.

The bulk of the catch was various Tits including one Coal Tit which have been around the churchyard most of the summer. It was disappointing not to catch any Warblers although a Chiffchaff was heard.

We caught three Chaffinches with lesions on their legs, these were the worst that we have seen, two had lost parts of one leg but they were still active and a good weight. It would seem that they are using the feeding stations to maintain their strength.

In addition two Muntjac were seen and a rat. Also seen were Small White and Speckled Wood butterflies.

Species	New Adults	New Juveniles	Re-trap Adults	Re-trap Juveniles	Total
Wren		1			1
Dunnock		2	1	7	10
Robin		1	1	2	4
Blackbird	1	1	1	1	4
Song Thrush			1		1
Long-tailed Tit		1		2	3
Coal Tit		1			1
Blue Tit	1	8	2	10	21
Great Tit		14	2	5	21
Chaffinch			2		2
<b>Total</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>68</b>



Coal Tit

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