

# TASL News August 1997



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**42 Baker Avenue**  
**Lexington, MA 02173**

*Next TASL Census:*  
**Sunday, September 14**  
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## BOSTON HARBOR TASL CENSUS: 17 AUGUST 1997

Species	High tide sites							Low tide sites				
	Nahant Bay Lynn Harbor	Rumney Marsh	Belle Isle/ Oasis	Winthrop Beach	Snake Island	Logan Airport	Squantum	High tide totals	Pines River	Point of Pines	Simpson's Boatyard	Low tide totals
D-c Cormorant				70		91		161	2	5	20	27
GBHeron					2			2				
Sn Egret		8	27		3		21	59				
LBHeron							1	1				
Gr Heron			1				4	5				
B-c N-heron			3					3				
GI Ibis		3						3				
A Bl duck			40					40		28		28
Mallard			9					9		1		1
N Shoveler			1					1				
Gadwall			1					1				
W-w Scoter					1			1		1	2	3
Osprey		3						3				
A Kestrel	4		2					6				
Peregrine										1		1
B-b Plover	1	250	41	4	60	15	36	407	51	36	3	90
Semi Plover	415	80	123	115	16	15	106	870		300		300
Killdeer							2	2				
Am Oystercatcher					2	3		5				
Gr Yellowleg		30	92		80		61	263		1		1
Le Yellowleg		36	17				14	67				
Hud Godwit					9			9				
R Turnstone	6	3		67	6	2	16	100				
Red Knot			1					1				
Sanderling	500			8				508		176		176
Semi Sandpiper	1104	200	283	99	4	90	197	1977		100		100
W Sandpiper							1	1				
L Sandpiper	1	35	12		3		9	60		1		1
W-r Sandpiper										5		5
Pec Sandpiper			2					2				
S-b Dowitcher	3	107	29				1	140		29		29
dow (sp.)			22					22				
Laugh Gull	3				66			69		2		2
Bon Gull	485			9				494		560		560
Comm Tern	2				5	48		55		20	5	25
Sh-tailed Sparrow		3						3				
<i>Time</i>	8-10 AM	9:30 AM- NOON	8:30- 10:40 AM	11:30-AM NOON	11:30 AM	10:45- 11 AM	10:30 AM- NOON		2 PM	6-7 AM	1 PM	

*Weather:* Cloudy early, clear by 10:30 am      *Wind:* sw 5 mph      *Temperature:* 78°-90°F (26°-32°C)      *High tide:* 10:48 AM

*Participants:* Ken Barney, Joanne Benard, Paul Fitzgerald, Craig Jackson, Alan Lapey, Michele Parham, Joe & Renée Pike, John Quigley, Geoff Wood, Soheil Zende. Thanks to all, especially to the Pikes for the use of their boat.

This mailing is only to the actual census participants and a few other interested parties. I will also post this material on the TASL web site at <http://world.std.com/~sz/tasl.htm>, as well as forwarding it as an email to everyone I have an address for. Please let me have your email address if you have come online recently. My email address is [sz@world.std.com](mailto:sz@world.std.com).

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