

## SRING MIGRANTS 2014.

Please let us know of any spring migrants you see in Argyll even if the species had already been noted. We are keen to see the overall pattern of arrival.

SPECIES	DATE	LOCATION	OBSERVER	Comment
Garganey	10 May	Toberonochy, Isle of Luing	David Jardine	Pair
Garganey	11 May	Oronsay, Colonsay	Mike Peacock	Two males
Common Quail	27 May	Salum, Tiree	John Bowler	One calling
Dotterel	05 May	Oronsay, Colonsay	Mike Peacock	Female
Little Stint	20 May	Traigh nam Barc, Colonsay	David Jardine <i>et al</i>	One
Temminck's Stint	22 May	Loch Gruinart, Islay	James How	Single
Curlew Sandpiper	06 May	Gott Bay, Tiree	John Bowler	One adult
Curlew Sandpiper	20 May	Add Estuary, Mid-Argyll	Jim Dickson	Single
Curlew Sandpiper	22 May	Loch Gruinart, Islay	James How	Single
Black-tailed Godwit	28 March	Loch a' Phuill, Tiree	John Bowler	First on Tiree
Black-tailed Godwit	07 May	Oronsay, Colonsay	Mike Peacock	Eight
Whimbrel	04 April	Machrihanish Seabird Observatory	Eddie Maguire	12 flying south
Whimbrel	17 April	Oronsay	Mike Peacock	Single
Whimbrel	19 April	Caoles, Tiree	John Bowler	Single
Whimbrel	20 April	Kennacraig, Kintyre	Jim Dickson	Single
Whimbrel	25 April	Uiskentuie, Islay	Jim Dickson	Ten
Whimbrel	25 April	Oronsay, Colonsay	Mike Peacock	Seven
Whimbrel	27 April	Otter Ferry, Cowal	Tom Callan	Two
Whimbrel	07 May	Loch Gilp, Mid-Argyll	Jim Dickson	21
Common Sandpiper	05 April	Bellochantuy, Kintyre	Lynsey McCuaig	Two
Common Sandpiper	13 April	Portnahaven, Islay	Mary Merrall	One
Common Sandpiper	15 April	Loch Nell (nr Oban), Mid-Argyll	David Jardine	One
Common Sandpiper	20 April	Benderloch, North Argyll	Robin Harvey	One
Common Sandpiper	21 April	Drumdrishaig, Knapdale, Mid-Argyll	Stuart Crutchfield	One

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<b>Common Sandpiper</b>	24 April	Connel, Mid-Argyll	Mike Harrison	One
<b>Common Sandpiper</b>	27 April	Otter Ferry, Cowal	Tom Callan	Pair
<b>Green Sandpiper</b>	14 May	Ormsary, Knapdale, Mid-Argyll	Stuart Crutchfield	Single
<b>Wood Sandpiper</b>	12 May	Loch a' Phuill, Tiree	John Bowler	Single
<b>Manx Shearwater</b>	14 March	Machrihanish Seabird Observatory	Eddie Maguire	First of the year
<b>Manx Shearwater</b>	24 March	Hynish, Tiree	John Bowler	
<b>Manx Shearwater</b>	12 April	Kintra, Mull	David Jardine	20 off-shore
<b>Osprey</b>	13 March	Colintraive, Cowal	Per Graham Clark	
<b>Osprey</b>	20 March	Minard, Mid-Argyll	Davie Rutherford	
<b>Osprey</b>	25 March	Ganavan Bay, Oban	Craig Garner	
<b>Osprey</b>	31 March	Ford (Loch Awe), Mid-Argyll	John Halliday	Pair
<b>Corn Crake</b>	16 April	Loch Gruinart, Islay	Pete Morris per Ian Brooke/Peter Roberts	First of the year
<b>Corn Crake</b>	17 April	Oronsay	Mike Peacock	
<b>Corn Crake</b>	19 April	Balephuill & Kilkenneth, Tiree	John Bowler	Single males
<b>Great Skua</b>	18 March	Machrihanish Seabird Observatory	Eddie Maguire	
<b>Great Skua</b>	22 March	Gunna Sound, Tiree	John Bowler	Two
<b>Sandwich Tern</b>	01 April	Port Ellen, Islay	David Clugston	Five
<b>Sandwich Tern</b>	03 April	Machrihanish Seabird Observatory	Eddie Maguire	Two
<b>Sandwich Tern</b>	04 April	Bruichladdich, Islay	Malcolm Ogilvie/Peter Roberts	Two
<b>Sandwich Tern</b>	11 April	Carradale Bay, Kintyre	Steve Redwood	Four
<b>Sandwich Tern</b>	15 April	Ormsary, Knapdale, Mid-Argyll	Stuart Crutchfield	Two
<b>Little Tern</b>	15 April	Gott Bay, Tiree	Mike Bell	Two
<b>Little Tern</b>	17 April	Gott Bay, Tiree	John Bowler	One
<b>Common Tern</b>	06 May	Loch a' Phuill, Tiree	John Bowler	One
<b>Arctic Tern</b>	13 April	Loch Indaal near Bowmore, Islay	Bob Davison	Two
<b>Arctic Tern</b>	17 April	Gott Bay, Tiree	John Bowler	Two

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Arctic Tern	24 April	Machrihanish Seabird Observatory	Eddie Maguire	One
Arctic Tern	07 May	Oronsay, Colonsay	Mike Peacock	15+ - first locally
Turtle Dove	17 May	Kenovay, Tiree	John Bowler	One
Common Cuckoo	15 April	Croggan (Loch Spelve), Mull	Jim & Linda Hurles	One calling
Common Cuckoo	16 April	Gallanach (Minard), Mid-Argyll	John Paterson	One calling
Common Cuckoo	19 April	Moine Mhor, Mid-Argyll	John Halliday	
Common Cuckoo	19 April	Spion Kop (nr Kennacraig), Kintyre	Val Wells	One calling
Common Cuckoo	19 April	Lagganmore (nr Kilninver), Mid-Argyll	Anne-Lise Dickie	One calling
Common Cuckoo	20 April	Ormsary, Knapdale, Mid-Argyll	Stuart Crutchfield	Two
Common Cuckoo	21 April	Kenovay, Tiree	John Bowler	First on Tiree
Common Cuckoo	27 April	Otter Ferry, Cowal	Tom Callan	Two calling
Common Cuckoo	03 May	Connel, Mid-Argyll	Mike Harrison	Calling
Red-backed Shrike	26 May	Carnan Mor, Tiree	John Bowler	Adult male
Common Swift	28 April	Campbeltown. Kintyre	Eddie Maguire	Four
Common Swift	07 May	Lochgilphead, Mid-Argyll	Jim Dickson	One
Common Swift	07 May	Dunoon, Cowal	George Newall	Four
Common Swift	08 May	Inveraray, Mid-Argyll	Paul Daw	Two
Sand Martin	12 March	Carradale, Kintyre	Alasdair Paterson	
Sand Martin	26 March	Skeroblin Loch (nr Campbeltown), Kintyre	Neil Brown	Four
Sand Martin	29 March	Loch Leathan (nr. Lochgilphead)	John Halliday	
Sand Martin	31 March	Tayvallich Bay, Mid-Argyll	Morag Rea	Six
Sand Martin	02 April	The Oa, Islay	David Wood	Two
Sand Martin	05 April	Bellochantuy, Kintyre	Lynsey McCuaig	Six
Sand Martin	09 April	Connel, Mid-Argyll	Mike Harrison	Five – first locally
Sand Martin	13 April	Loch Bhasapol, Tiree	Mike Bell	Six
Barn Swallow	30 March	Kilmichael Glen, Mid-Argyll	Chris Urquhart per John Halliday	
Barn Swallow	01 April	Saligo Bay, Islay	per Ian Brooke	

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Barn Swallow	02 April	Bridgend (nr. Lochgilphead), Mid-Argyll	Blair Urquhart	Single
Barn Swallow	05 April	Colintraive, Cowal	Graham Clark	
Barn Swallow	05 April	Kennacraig, Kintyre	Alasdair Paterson	Two
Barn Swallow	05 April	Bellochantuy, Kintyre	Lynsey McCuaig	Single
Barn Swallow	06 April	Kilmichael Glassary, (nr. Lochgilphead)	Malcolm Chattwood	Three
Barn Swallow	08 April	Ruaig, Tiree	John Bowler	First on Tiree
Barn Swallow	11 April	Pennyghael, Mull	David Jardine	Two
Barn Swallow	15 April	Carradale Harbour, Kintyre	Steve Redwood	Two
Barn Swallow	15 April	Claonaig (nr Skipness), Kintyre	Val Wells	First locally
Barn Swallow	18 April	Loch Leathan (nr Lochgilphead), Mid-Argyll	John Halliday	First locally
House Martin	09 April	Loch Gruinart, Islay	per Ian Brooke	Two
House Martin	15 April	Strathlachlan Caravan Park, Cowal	Roger Broad	One
House Martin	16 April	Machrihanish Seabird Observatory	Eddie Maguire	One
House Martin	20 April	Ardrishaig, Mid-Argyll	Jim Dickson	One
House Martin	29 April	Minard, Mid-Argyll	Paul Daw	One
Red-rumped Swallow	20 May	Ceann a' Mhara, Tiree	John Bowler	One
Wood Warbler	21 April	Barnluasgan, Knapdale, Mid-Argyll	Graeme Garner	Single
Wood Warbler	27 April	Minard Woods, Mid-Argyll	Paul Daw	One singing
Wood Warbler	05 May	nr Lephinmore, Loch Fyne, Cowal	Tom Callan	Singing
Wood Warbler	11 May	Nr Cairnbaan, Lochgilphead, Mid-Argyll	Jim Dickson	One singing
Wood Warbler	15 May	Glen Stockdale, North Argyll	Robin Harvey	One singing
Wood Warbler	18 May	Carnan Mor, Tiree	John Bowler	First on Tiree
Common Chiffchaff	12 March	The Oa, Islay	David Wood	Singing
Common Chiffchaff	24 March	Balephuill, Tiree	John Bowler	Singing
Common Chiffchaff	26 March	Bishop's Glen, Dunoon	George Newall	Singing
Common Chiffchaff	29 March	Arduaine Gardens, Mid-Argyll	Mike Anderson	Seen singing
Common Chiffchaff	01 April	Bishops Glen, Dunoon & Loch Striven	George Newall	
Common Chiffchaff	01 April	Kilmichael Glen, Mid-Argyll	Blair Urquhart	

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Common Chiffchaff	02 April	Tullochgorm, Minard, Mid-Argyll	Paul Daw	Singing
Common Chiffchaff	02 April	The Oa, Islay	David Wood	Four
Common Chiffchaff	02 April	Robbers Den, Ardrishaig, Mid-Argyll	Lynsey McCuaig	
Common Chiffchaff	04 April	Eriska, North Argyll	David Jardine	Singing
Common Chiffchaff	05 April	Ardachuple, Colintrave, Cowal	Graham Clark	
Common Chiffchaff	06 April	Carradale, Kintyre	Steve Redwood	Two singing
Willow Warbler	31 March	Totronald, Coll	Ben Jones	
Willow Warbler	31 March	Balephuill, Tiree	John Bowler	Earliest record for Tiree
Willow Warbler	01 April	Kilmichael Glassary, (nr. Lochgilphead)	Sue Chattwood	
Willow Warbler	01 April	Kilmichael Glen, Mid-Argyll	Blair Urquhart	
Willow Warbler	04 April	Calliburn (N of Campbeltown), Kintyre	Neil Brown	Three singing
Willow Warbler	07 April	Ormsary, Knapdale, Mid-Argyll	Stuart Crutchfield	Two
Willow Warbler	07 April	Kilmichael forest, N of Lochgilphead	David Jardine	Three
Willow Warbler	18 April	Bridgend – Dunadd (nr. Lochgilphead)	Malcolm Chattwood	At least 10 singing
Blackcap	02 April	Balephuill, Tiree	John Bowler	Male
Blackcap	06 April	Kilmichael Glassary, (nr. Lochgilphead)	Malcolm Chattwood	
Garden Warbler	23 April	Loch Laich, North Argyll	David Jardine	Male singing
Garden Warbler	29 April	Nr. Minard, Mid-Argyll	Paul Daw	Male singing
Garden Warbler	03 Jun	Carnan Mor, Tiree	John Bowler	First on Tiree
Lesser Whitethroat	11 May	Carnan Mor, Tiree	John Bowler	Male singing
Common Whitethroat	18 Apr	Balephuill, Tiree	John Bowler	Male
Common Whitethroat	27 Apr	Tullochgorm (Minard), Mid-Argyll	Paul Daw	Male singing
Common Whitethroat	05 May	Otter Ferry fish farm, Cowal	Tom Callan	Two singing
Grasshopper Warbler	17 March	Aros Moss near Campbeltown	Neil Brown	Exceptionally early
Grasshopper Warbler	15 April	Loch Gruinart, Islay	Mary Redman	One
Grasshopper Warbler	19 April	Crinan Canal, Ardrishaig, Mid-Argyll	Chris Griffin	One heard
Grasshopper Warbler	19 April	Loch Leathan (nr Lochgilphead), Mid-Argyll	John Halliday	One heard
Grasshopper Warbler	20 April	Ormsary, Knapdale, Mid-Argyll	Stuart Crutchfield	One

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Grasshopper Warbler	24 April	Balephuill, Tiree	John Bowler	First on Tiree
Grasshopper Warbler	26 April	Shian Wood, Benderloch, North Argyll	Robin Harvey	First locally
Grasshopper Warbler	27 April	Nursery Cottages (Minard), Mid-Argyll	Paul Daw	Two singing
Sedge Warbler	25 April	Portnahaven, Islay	Mary Redman	One
Sedge Warbler	26 April	Loch Gruinart RSPB Reserve, Islay	Jim Dickson	Three singing
Sedge Warbler	26 April	Loch Leathan (nr Lochgilphead)	John Halliday	One
Sedge Warbler	27 April	Benderloch gravel pits, North Argyll	Robin Harvey	First locally
Sedge Warbler	28 April	Balephuill, Tiree	John Bowler	Three - first on Tiree
Marsh Warbler	28 May	Mannal, Tiree	John Bowler	One
Ring Ouzel	18 Apr	Carnan Mor, Tiree	John Bowler	Male
Ring Ouzel	18 Apr	Clachan, Loch Fyne	Roger Broad	Calling
Spotted Flycatcher	17 May	Kinnabus, Islay	David Wood	One
Spotted Flycatcher	19 May	Balephuill, Tiree	John Bowler	Two
Spotted Flycatcher	20May	Ormsary, Knapdale, Mid-Argyll	Stuart Crutchfield	One
Red-breasted Flycatcher	06 Jun	Carnan Mor, Tiree	John Bowler	Female/ second calendar year male
Pied Flycatcher	08 May	Dunardry, Crinan Canal, Mid-Argyll	Bill Crockett	Male
Pied Flycatcher	06 Jun	Carnan Mor, Tiree	John Bowler	Female
Collared Flycatcher	27 May	Carnan Mor, Tiree	John Bowler	Male
Common Redstart	15 April	Balephuill, Tiree	John Bowler	Male – first of the year
Common Redstart	18 April	Dunamuck (Moine Mhor), Mid-Argyll	Malcolm Chattwood	Pair
Common Redstart	19 April	Taynish NNR, Mid-Argyll	John Halliday	
Common Redstart	20 April	Ormsary, Knapdale, Mid-Argyll	Stuart Crutchfield	Two
Common Redstart	21 April	Barnluasgan, Knapdale, Mid-Argyll	Graeme Garner	Two
Common Redstart	27 April	Minard Woods, Mid-Argyll	Paul Daw	Two singing
Common Redstart	28 April	The Oa, Islay	Mark Shields	Female
Common Redstart	15 May	Glen Stockdale, North Argyll	Robin Harvey	One singing
Whinchat	19 April	Islandadd Bridge (Moine Mhor)	John Halliday	



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Whinchat	26 April	Ardnave, Islay	Jim Dickson	Male
Whinchat	27 April	Otter Ferry, Cowal	Tom Callan	Female
Whinchat	11 May	Inverfolla (Appin), North Argyll	Robin Harvey	Male singing
Whinchat	13 May	Meningie, Tiree	John Bowler	One
Northern Wheatear	7 March	S of Stewarton, nr Campbeltown	Davie Robertson	
Northern Wheatear	15 March	West Hynish, Tiree	John Bowler	
Northern Wheatear	17 March	Gobagrennan Road near Campbeltown	Neil Brown	
Northern Wheatear	17 March	Rhunahaorine Point, Kintyre	Katie Pendreigh	
Northern Wheatear	26 March	Drimvore (Moine Mhor), Mid-Argyll	Jon Close	
Northern Wheatear	29 March	Tayinloan, Kintyre	Sound of Gigha Field Trip	At least 4 along shore
Northern Wheatear	30 March	Kilmichael Glen, Mid-Argyll	John Halliday	
Northern Wheatear	31 March	Dunadd Fort (Moine Mhor), Mid-Argyll	Jim Dickson	2 male/1 female
Northern Wheatear	05 April	Ardachuple, Colintrave, Cowal	Graham Clark	Male
White Wagtail	20 March	Machrihanish Seabird Observatory	Eddie Maguire	
White Wagtail	02 April	Crossapol Point, Tiree	John Bowler	Single
White Wagtail	07 April	Ormsary, Knapdale, Mid-Argyll	Stuart Crutchfield	Single
White Wagtail	16 April	Sorobaidh Bay, Tiree	John Bowler	Three
White Wagtail	20 April	Loch Gruinart RSPB Reserve, Islay	Jim Dickson	20
White Wagtail	21 April	Loch an Eilein, Tiree	John Bowler	7
White Wagtail	21 April	Tiretigan, Knapdale, Mid-Argyll	Stuart Crutchfield	At least 10 along shore
White Wagtail	24 April	Balephuill, Tiree	John Bowler	Ca120 at pre-roost
White Wagtail	25 April	Oronsay, Colonsay	Mike Peacock	9
Tree Pipit	15 April	Tullochgorm, Minard, Mid-Argyll	Paul Daw	One singing
Tree Pipit	16 April	Ormsary, Knapdale, Mid-Argyll	Stuart Crutchfield	Single
Tree Pipit	18 April	Near Kilberry (Knapdale), Mid-Argyll	Graeme Garner	Single
Tree Pipit	19 April	Barsloisnoch (Moine Mhor), Mid-Argyll	Jim Dickson	Single
Tree Pipit	27 April	Otter Ferry, Cowal	Tom Callan	One singing
Tree Pipit	03 May	Connel, Mid-Argyll	Mike Harrison	Seen and heard

