

**Fredagen den 6 december 2024**

**OTTENBY FÅGELSTATION**

VÄDER:

Morgon: Moln 7/8, ingen nederbörd. Eftermiddag: Moln 7/8, ingen nederbörd.

Tid	Vind	m/s	°C
0	S	9	4
6	SO	13	5
12	SO	13	5
18	SO	9	5

STRÄCK:

**Udden:**

Bergand 3 hanar, sjöorre 43, skäggdopping 1, tobisgrissla 1 (JMS, FOG, ALD, KWL, MGA)

RASTARE:

**Udden:**

Havsörn 1, enkelbeckasin 1, snösparv 4 (JMS, FOG, ALD, KWL, MGA)

**Västrevet:**

Havsörn 2, skärnäppa 40, morkulla 2, roskarl 5 (FOG, KWL)

**Fyrvägen:**

Storspov 1 (FOG)

**Gäddviken:**

Bergand 3 honor + 1 hane, salskrake 2 honfärgade (FOG, JMS, KWL)

**Fyrträdgården:**

Vitkindad gås 30, prutgå 8, rödhake 1 (JMS, FOG, ALD, KWL, MGA)

RINGMÄRKNING:

**Inga nät**

Knölsvan 3  
Prutgå 1  
Storskarv 4  
Skärnäppa 5  
Dvärgbeckasin 1  
Skrattmå 1  
Fiskmå 4  
Gråtrut 3  
Kaspisk trut 1

**Totalt 23 individer av 9 arter.**

Ringmärkare: JMS, KWL, FOG.

DIVERSE:

Div: Now that the ducktrap has been taken down we have decided to stop ringing birds so that we can send off the year report to the Ringing Central. As a last opportunity, we went nightcatching to Västrevet one final time! It proved to be a fantastic night, with many gulls ringed (including a caspian gull!), some cormorants, purple sandpipers, etc. and some very fun moments, like JMS "catching" a mute swan ("catching" here meaning getting knocked to the ground by a swan flying straight towards him and KWL picking up said crash-landed swan). The last bird of the year is officially a jack snipe, a lovely species to end the ringing on, and one that FOG has put a lot of effort in during the year, with a total of 59 trapped. This now makes a total of 18210 birds ringed this year, with very many memorable highlights!

With the last day of ringing comes the last diary entry, and the time for me to say goodbye. It has been a hell of a year! Thanks to everyone who has been following the diaries and to all the people that have been part of this wonderful year in one way or another. I now pass on the torch to the next head ringer, Frank Österberg, to whom I wish the best of luck for 2025!