

BIRDS OF POOLE HARBOUR PRESENTS
**THE POOLE HARBOUR
 WINTER CHECKLIST**

Common Name	Poole Harbour Status	✓	Notes
Wildfowl			
Mute Swan	Resident		
Bewick's Swan	Scarce Winter Visitor		
Whooper Swan	Scarce Winter Visitor		
Pink-footed Goose	Rare Winter Visitor		
White-fronted Goose	Scarce Winter Visitor		
Greylag Goose	Feral & Winter Visitor		
Canada Goose	Resident		
Barnacle Goose	Feral & Winter Visitor		
Dark-bellied Brent Goose	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Pale-bellied Brent Goose	Scarce Passage Migrant & Winter		
Egyptian Goose	Scarce Feral Visitor		
Common Shelduck	Resident		
Mandarin Duck	Scarce Feral Visitor		
Eurasian Wigeon	Winter Visitor		
Gadwall	Resident		
Eurasian Teal	Resident		
Mallard	Resident		
Northern Pintail	Winter Visitor		

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Northern Shoveler	Resident		
Common Pochard	Winter Visitor		
Tufted Duck	Resident		
Greater Scaup	Scarce Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Common Eider	Winter Visitor		
Long-tailed Duck	Scarce Winter Visitor		
Common Scoter	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Velvet Scoter	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Common Goldeneye	Winter Visitor		
Smew	Scarce Winter Visitor		
Red-breasted Merganser	Winter Visitor		
Goosander	Scarce Winter Visitor		
Divers			
Red-throated Diver	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Black-throated Diver	Scarce Winter Visitor		
Great Northern Diver	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Grebes			
Little Grebe	Resident		
Great Crested Grebe	Resident		
Red-necked Grebe	Scarce Winter Visitor		
Slavonian Grebe	Winter Visitor		
Black-necked Grebe	Winter Visitor		

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Cormorants			
Atlantic Cormorant	Resident		
Continental Cormorant	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Shag	Resident		
Hérons, Storks and Ibises			
Bittern	Winter Visitor		
Cattle Egret	Increasing Winter Visitor		
Little Egret	Resident		
Great White Egret	Scarce Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Grey Heron	Resident		
Spoonbill	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Birds of Prey			
Marsh Harrier	Former Resident, now Winter Visitor & Passage Migrant		
Hen Harrier	Winter Visitor		
Sparrowhawk	Resident		
Buzzard	Resident		
Kestrel	Resident		
Merlin	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Peregrine	Resident		
Rails and Crakes			
Water Rail	Resident		
Moorhen	Resident		

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Coot	Resident		
Waders			
Oystercatcher	Resident		
Avocet	Winter Visitor		
Ringed Plover	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Golden Plover	Scarce Winter Visitor		
Grey Plover	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Knot	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Sanderling	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Purple Sandpiper	Winter Visitor		
Dunlin	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Jack Snipe	Scarce Winter Visitor		
Snipe	Resident		
Woodcock	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Black-tailed Godwit	Resident		
Bar-tailed Godwit	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Whimbrel	Passage Migrant & Scarce Winter Visitor		
Curlew	Resident		
Common Sandpiper	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Green Sandpiper	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Spotted Redshank	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Greenshank	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		

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Redshank	Resident		
Turnstone	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Gulls			
Kittiwake	Erratic, but Regular Coastal Species		
Black-headed	Resident		
Mediterranean Gull	Resident		
Common Gull	Resident		
Lesser Black-backed Gull	Resident		
Yellow-legged Gull	Resident		
Iceland Gull	Scarce Winter Visitor		
Glaucous Gull	Scarce Winter Visitor		
Great Black-backed Gull	Resident		
Auks			
Guillemot	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Razorbill	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Pigeons and Doves			
Feral Pigeon	Resident		
Stock Dove	Resident		
Woodpigeon	Resident		
Collared Dove	Resident		

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Parakeets			
Ring-necked Parakeet	Feral Resident		
Owls			
Barn Owl	Resident		
Little Owl	Resident		
Tawny Owl	Resident		
Long-eared Owl	Rare Visitor		
Short-eared Owl	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Kingfishers			
Kingfisher	Resident		
Woodpeckers			
Green Woodpecker	Resident		
Great Spotted Woodpecker	Resident		
Lesser Spotted Woodpecker	Scarce Resident		
Larks			
Woodlark	Resident		
Skylark	Resident		
Pipits and Wagtails			
Meadow Pipit	Resident		
Rock Pipit	Resident		
Scandinavian Rock Pipit	Winter Visitor		
Water Pipit	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		

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Grey Wagtail	Resident		
Pied Wagtail	Resident		
Waxwings			
Waxwing	Scarce Winter Visitor		
Wrens			
Wren	Resident		
Accentors			
Dunnock	Resident		
Nightingales, Redstarts and Wheatears			
Robin	Resident		
Black Redstart	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Stonechat	Resident		
Thrushes			
Blackbird	Resident		
Fieldfare	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Song	Resident		
Redwing	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Mistle Thrush	Resident		
Warblers			
Cetti's Warbler	Resident		
Blackcap	Resident		
Dartford Warbler	Resident		

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Common Chiffchaff	Resident		
Siberian Chiffchaff	Scarce Winter Visitor		
Crests			
Goldcrest	Resident		
Firecrest	Scarce Resident		
Tits			
Bearded Tit	Resident		
Long-tailed Tit	Resident		
Blue Tit	Resident		
Great Tit	Resident		
Coal Tit	Resident		
Marsh Tit	Scarce Resident		
Nuthatches and Treecreepers			
Nuthatch	Resident		
Treecreeper	Resident		
Shrikes			
Great Grey Shrike	Scarce Winter Visitor		
Corvids and Starlings			
Jay	Resident		
Magpie	Resident		
Jackdaw	Resident		
Rook	Resident		

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Carrion Crow	Resident		
Raven	Resident		
Starling	Resident		
Sparrows			
House Sparrow	Resident		
Finches			
Chaffinch	Resident		
Brambling	Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Greenfinch	Resident		
Goldfinch	Resident		
Siskin	Resident		
Linnet	Resident		
Lesser Redpoll	Resident		
Crossbill	Resident		
Bullfinch	Resident		
Hawfinch	Rare Visitor		
Buntings			
Snow Bunting	Scarce Passage Migrant & Winter Visitor		
Yellowhammer	Resident		
Reed Bunting	Resident		

