

6:30 P.m. 1 river otter swim past Bee House to S.

7:00 P.m. while I fished from Boundary Point a river otter swim N. 2' from shore and 5' feet from me. 10 feet beyond it recognized me and twice stood up in water as high as it could, then lowered itself in water and with a loud splash disappeared under water. Usually they have a sharp whistle call when surprised.

marble murrelets just before diving place head low in water then dive, murrelet in winter pelage, murrelets have 2 white patches on side of body before diving rear high



6:00 P.m. 83 glaucous-winged gulls on Flower Island.

8:14 P.m. a long-eared bat active 15 minutes before dusk to at least after dusk.

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7:30 A.m. River otter swim S past Bee House. Rain this AM.

10:34 A.m. Pileated woodpecker on Douglas fir at porch level Bee House for 10 sec, then S over water to tall Douglas fir on Dissected Point.

10:35 A.m. An immature bald eagle flew 60' above water in front (out 40') from Bee House and alighted in Douglas fir tree above Flat Point some 30' where the above pileated woodpecker at alighted 1 min earlier. a red-necked grebe and double crested cormorant fed below the eagle. The red-necked grebe gracefully dives.

10:45 A.m. a second immature bald eagle flew^S past Bee House 60' and out 40'. It alighted in Douglas fir tree above Lichen Point. an adult bald eagle perched on upper railing of Leo Reef beacon.

no harbor seal (10:50 A.m) on Leo Reef but 18 on Little Flower Rock and 8 on North Flower Rock.

3:50 P.m. immature bald eagle with almost white lower belly. It alighted in Douglas fir tree above Dissected Point for 3 min, then flew to mid tree (Douglas fir) at Lichen Point.

6:45 P.m. a river otter left Leo Reef and swam to Lichen Point, thence N past Bee House. From Lichen Point to Bee House it dove 9 times and caught a sandfish each time. If dives are shallow it leaves a series of upwells, if a deep dive just a single upwell from the initial dive.

Rufous hummingbirds present all day and active at Bee House. Dark-eyed juncos made 5-6 trips a day to Bee feeder, generally 1 or 2 birds participate.

No purple finch, no chipmunks last 2 days.