

Weekly Bird Banders Report
Bonderman Field Station at Rio Mesa
-- Lead Bander Vicki Morgan

We've had a pretty busy week with training and birds (even if we had a few slow days). We got a fair number of migrants but it seems that we are still catching many resident birds.

8/19

34 new, 0 recaps

Most abundant: WAVI (13)

Opened late due to rain/lightning

Notable species: COFL

8/20

45 new, 6 recaps

Most abundant: BGGN (15)

Notable species: CAVI, WOSJ, ASY M WETA

Net 1 main trammel line broke, net replaced

Closed for 1 hour (0850-0950) in the middle of the morning due to rain

8/21

20 new, 2 recaps

Most abundant: WIWA (4)

First-of-season: NAWA, WIFL

Top trammel line on net 12 broke, no time to fix so nets 11 and 12 remained closed for most of day

Closed early (1010) due to heat/sun on nets

8/22

6 new, 1 recap

Most abundant: BLGR (2)

First-of-season: BTSP

Closed 0930 due to sun/heat

8/23

4 new, 1 recap

First-of-season: BUOR

Closed 0940 due to sun/heat

8/24

6 new, 3 recaps

Most abundant: BGGN

Replaced net 9 due to large (human-sized) hole

Closed 0940 due to sun/heat

8/25

23 new, 3 recaps

Most abundant: BGGN (6)

First-of-season: NOMO, SATH

Closed 1110 due to rain

8/26

13 new, 2 recaps

Most abundant: BGGN (4)

First-of-season: SOSP, LAZB, VIWA, AMKE

Notable: AMKE was the 3rd ever banded at this station

Closed 0950 due to sun/heat

Species totals, in no particular order:

	New	Recap	Unbanded	New	Recap	Unbanded
YBCH		7	4	WEWP		2
BGGN	33	3	3	WIFL		4
WAVI	17			NAWA		1
COFL	1			BTSP		1
BUSH	23	4		BUOR		1
MGWA	5	1		GRVI		2
BRSP	6			VIWA		1
PLVI	2	1		LAZB		2
HOFI	3			SOSP		1
SPTO	9	3	1	SATH		1
YEWA	5		1	NOMO		1
WIWA	7			AMKE		1
BLGR	7	2				
WETA	1					
WOSJ	1					
DUFL	1					
Total New	151					
Total Recaps		18				
Total Unbanded			5			





