



Plumpton & East Chiltington Wildlife Group

RSPB Big Garden Birdwatch 2018

In 2018 the RSPB's Big Garden Birdwatch ran between 27th and 29th January.

This year people contributed to the survey from 8 gardens in Plumpton & East Chiltington and recorded a total of 23 different species as follows:

Species	Number Seen (previous Year)	2018 Rank	2017 Rank	Number of Gardens (previous Year)	East Sussex Rank
Blue Tit	48 (34)	1	↑4	8 (7)	3
House Sparrow	35 (20)	2	↑2	5 (6)	1
Rook	19 (2)	3	↑10	3 (1)	25
Goldfinch	18 (34)	4	↓3	3 (6)	7
Great Tit	18 (10)	4	↑8	7 (6)	6
Woodpigeon	16 (11)	6	↑2	6 (5)	4
Long-tailed Tit	14 (21)	7	↓1	2 (3)	10
Jackdaw	12 (45)	8	↓6	5 (6)	13
Robin	12 (10)	8	↔	8 (7)	8
Collared Dove	11 (17)	10	↓3	5 (6)	11
Dunnock	11 (8)	10	↑4	7 (5)	14
Chaffinch	9 (18)	12	↓1	5 (5)	15
Blackbird	8 (17)	13	↓10	5 (7)	5
Magpie	8 (12)	13	↑3	5 (6)	9
Coal Tit	4 (7)	15	↑3	3 (3)	17
Greenfinch	3 (11)	16	↓1	1 (4)	18
Great Spotted Woodpecker	2 (1)	17	↑1	2 (1)	23
Starling	2 (16)	17	↓9	1 (5)	2
Carrion Crow	1 (5)	19	↑2	1 (3)	16
Fieldfare	1 (0)	19		1 (0)	44
Green Woodpecker	1 (0)	19		1 (0)	36
Nuthatch	1 (4)	19	↓2	1 (2)	22
Pheasant	1 (0)	19		1 (0)	24