

# **Rock Pool Project BioBlitz Battle Report**

#### **BRPC Lee-on-the-Solent November 2025**



You can view all the wildlife we recorded at this event on iNaturalist here.

#### **Overall Results**

Records	161
Species	66
Verified species	39
Observers	8
Verified score	62
Unverified score	80
Top species	Mercenaria mercenaria
Top Species score	4



# **Event species list (Species verified to Research Grade only)**

	Common Name	Latin Name	Rarity Score
	Baked Bean Ascidian	Dendrodoa grossularia	3
	Netted Dogwhelk	Tritia reticulata	2
	Common Whelk	Buccinum undatum	1
	European Sting Winkle	Ocenebra erinaceus	2
Do	Atlantic Dogwhelk	Nucella lapillus	1
	Common Periwinkle	Littorina littorea	1
	Common Atlantic Slippersnail	Crepidula fornicata	1
	Large Necklace Shell	Euspira catena	2
	Common European Limpet	Patella vulgata	1
	Lined Top Shell	Phorcus lineatus	1
	Purple Topshell	Steromphala umbilicalis	1
	Grey Topshell	Steromphala cineraria	1
	Common Cockle	Cerastoderma edule	1
	Prickly Cockle	Acanthocardia echinata	2
American Service Conference of the Conference of	Northern Quahog	Mercenaria mercenaria	4
	Japanese Littleneck	Ruditapes philippinarum	3
	Pullet Carpet Shell	Venerupis corrugata	2
	Common piddock	Pholas dactylus	3



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	Common Name	Latin Name	Rarity Score
	Pacific Oyster	Magallana gigas	1
	European Flat Oyster	Ostrea edulis	1
	Variegated Scallop	Mimachlamys varia	2
	Saddle Oyster	Anomia ephippium	3
0	Beaked Barnacle	Austrominius modestus	2
	Spiny Spider Crab	Maja brachydactyla	1
	European Green Crab	Carcinus maenas	1
200	Masked crab	Corystes cassivelaunus	2
	Rockpool Prawn	Palaemon elegans	1
	Keeled Tubeworm	Spirobranchus triqueter	2
	snakelocks anemone	Anemonia viridis	1
	Atlantic Beadlet Anemone	Actinia equina	1
	Eelgrass	Zostera marina	3
	Gutweed	Ulva intestinalis	1
	Broadleaf Sea Lettuce	Ulva lactuca	1
	Pepper Dulse	Osmundea pinnatifida	2
	Japanese Wireweed	Sargassum muticum	1
	bladder wrack	Fucus vesiculosus	1



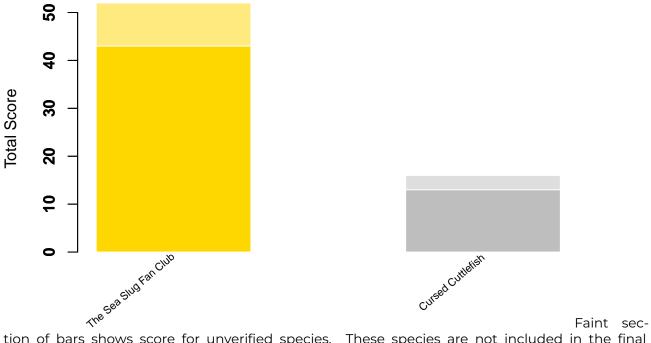
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Saw Wrack	Fucus serratus	1
Knotted Wrack	Ascophyllum nodosum	1
Sugar Kelp	Saccharina latissima	1



#### **Team Results**

Congratulations to The Sea Slug Fan Club for taking the gold medal in this bioblitz battle! And well done to everyone for a great game and some fantastic wildlife finds.



tion of bars shows score for unverified species. These species are not included in the final result.



### **Individual Results**

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#### **TOP SPECIES FOUND**

A total of 6 species with a rarity score of 3 or higher have verified records:



Northern Quahog - Mercenaria mercenaria, Rarity Score: 4. Discovered by ian-creasey and mbray61



Common piddock - Pholas dactylus, Rarity Score: 3. Discovered by kitty\_t, ian-creasey, and mbray61



Saddle Oyster - Anomia ephippium, Rarity Score: 3. Discovered by janbennett67



Japanese Littleneck - Ruditapes philippinarum, Rarity Score: 3. Discovered by kittv\_t



Eelgrass - Zostera marina, Rarity Score: 3.
Discovered by janbennett67 and
eveahhorsfall



Baked Bean Ascidian - Dendrodoa grossularia, Rarity Score: 3. Discovered by kitty\_t, mbray61, and eveahhorsfall





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