

Cetacean Sighting Log 2005

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>GRID REF</u>	<u>DISTANCE FROM SHORE</u>	<u>ADULT</u>	<u>CALF</u>	<u>SPECIES</u>	<u>BEHAVIOUR</u>	<u>COMMENTS</u>
9/09/2006	10:30am	Port Norlunga Jetty		100m	1 Adult		SRW	Swimming Loafing	
9/09/2005	1:15pm	Boomer Beach	K6	100m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Swimming	swimming East
9/09/2005	10:15am	Granite Island	F5	20-50m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Swimming & Loafing	The closest sighting of the season so far amazing views of mother and calf
8/09/2005	10:30am	Freemans Nob	M6	300m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Swimming	
7/09/2005	10:00am	Olivers Reef	G6	300m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Swimming	Swimming West
5/09/2005	11:30am	Middleton Point	M6	400m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Loafing	
3/09/2005	9:30am	Middleton Point	N7	400-800m	2 Adults	1 Calf	SRW	Swimming	1 adult out at 800m, pair in closer 400m
2/09/2005	2:15pm	Bashams Beach	M6	400m	2 Adults	1 Calf	SRW	Breaching, Tail Lobbing	1 Adult very active.
30.08.05	11:30am	Bashams Beach	L7	300m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Travelling slowly East	
29.08.05	12:20pm	Bashams Beach	M6	400m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Tail; Lobbing & Pec Slapping	
28.08.05	2:30pm	Bashams Beach	L6	400m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Swimming	swimming slowly West
28.05.05	11:00am	Port Lincoln (National Park)		400m	2 Adults		SRW	Swimming	
28.08.05	10:40am	Middleton Point	M6	800m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Loafing	Loafing
27/08/2005	10:30am	Oliver Reef	G6	500m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Body Rolling, Pec Slapping	
26/08/2005	10:15 AM	Middleton Beach	N7	300m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Loafing	Loafing on surface
25.08.05	3:00pm	Horseshoe Bay	K6	400m	2 Adults	2 Calf	Srw	Loafing	Loafing on surface very close to each other
25.08.05	1:00pm	Petrel Cove (West Island)	A2	600m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Swimming	Swimming slowly East
25-Aug	10:00am	Olivers Reef	F6	200m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Loafing and calf feeding	
24/08/2005	9:30am	Middleton Point	N-7	400m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Loafing	Loafing on surface
23/08/2005	12:30pm	Middleton Point	M7	300m	2 Adults	1 Calf	SRW	Pair Swimming, Adult loafing	Pair swimming East, other adult loafing on surface
22/08/2005	3:00pm	Kingscote - Kangaroo Island		400m	4 Adults		SRW	Very Active in Bay area	Swam into Bay and were very active for about 30 min then swam out.
22/08/2005	10:50am	Freemans Nob	J5	80m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW		
21/08/2005	2:50pm	Freemans Nob	L6	500m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Swimming	Swimming West
21/08/2005	9:00am	Bashams Beach	M6	400m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Swimming	Swimming West
19/08/2005	11:00am	Bashams Beach	M6	500m	2 Adults	2 Calf	SRW	Swimming	Swimming slowly West same pair as 15/08 travelling with adult and this season calf
18/08/2005	10:00am	Knights Beach - Port Elliot	J6	100m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Swimming	Swimming Slowly East

17/08/2005	2:00pm	Innes Nat Pk - Yorke Peninsula		300m	2 Adults	1 Calf	SRW	Swimming	Swimming slowly SW
17/08/2005	10:45am	Middleton Point	N7	400m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Resting	same pair as 15/08
16/08/2005	11:50am	Bashams Beach - Middleton	M6	300m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Resting	same pair as 15/08
15/08/2005	2:20pm	Hallet Cove		400m	1 Adult	1 Calf	Unknown	Swimming	Swimming South, person couldn't remember any features
15/08/2005	11:45am	Bashams Beach	M6	200m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Loafing on surface	Due to size appears to be newborn calf
14/08/2005	2:50pm	Boomer Beach	I6	200m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Swimming	Swimming East to Goolwa
14/08/2005	2:50pm	Granite Island	F4	50m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Swimming	Swimming SW past Granite Island
14/08/2005	11:15am	Olivers Reef	G7	300m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Rolling, spyhopping very active	
12/08/2005	3pm	Petrel Cove (West Island)	A2	200m	2 Adults				Very active, breaching, tail slapping
12/08/2005	2:40pm	Tunkallila Beach		150m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Loafing	Spotted by fishing boat
8/08/2005	12:15pm	Chiton Rocks	H6	500m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Swimming, Pec Slapping	
7/08/2005	2:55pm	Beachport		1500m	1 Adult		SRW	Swimming	Spotted by fishing boat, whale approached to about 50m before diving under boat and disappearing
7/08/2005	10:30am	Bashams Beach	M6	800m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Swimming slowly	
6/08/2005	11:00am	Chiton Rocks - Port Elliot	H7	300m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Loafing	
5/08/2005	10:00am	Olivers Reef	F6	500m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Loafing	
4/08/2005	11:20am	Freemans Nob - Port Elliot	J6	400m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Swimming slowly	
3/08/2005	11:00am	Horseshoe Bay	K5	300m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Playing	
2/08/2005	9:30am	Olivers Reef	G5	800m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Loafing	
31/07/2005	3:15pm	Surfers Beach - Middleton	O7	200m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Resting	Appear to be same pair as 25/7/05
31/07/2005	12:45pm	Waitpinga 3kmW of Victor Harbor		50m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Spyhopping & Pec Slapping	Appear to be same pair as 24/7/05
30/07/2005	2:30pm	Middleton Point	N7	100m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Swimming	Swimming North toward Goolwa, other pair were seen swimming toward Granite Island earlier today
30/07/2005	11:15am	Knight's Beach	J6	300m	2 Adults	2 Calf	SRW	Pec Slapping, Breaching & Resting	Two pairs from have come together, calves seem to be interacting and playful
29/07/2005	10:00am	Victor Harbor Foreshore	E6	200m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Loafing and Feeding	Same pair as 24/7/05 Pair seems to have been disturbed by Channel 10 helicopter in afternoon and have moved out to deeper ocean
28/07/2005	10:45am	Victor Harbor Foreshore	E6	200m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Resting and Feeding	Same pair as 24/7/05

27/07/2005	1:15pm	Fremans Nob - Port Elliot	J5.5	250m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Playing and swimming	Same pair as 25/7/05 calf becoming very active this pair have been slowly extending swimming distances and have been seen allot between granite island, olivers reef and Bashams Beach
27/07/2005	9:15am	Victor Harbor Foreshore	E6	200m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Resting and Feeding	Same pair as 24/7/05
26/07/2005	11:20am	Victor Harbor Foreshore	E5	500m	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Feeding/Nursing	Same pair as 24/7/05
25/07/2005	3:00pm	Bashams Beach	M7	300m	1 Adult		SRW	Loafing, Rolling, Slaping	
25/07/05	11:40am	Marion Bay - Yorke Peninsula		200m	1 Adult	1 Calf	Unknown	Breaching, Tail Lobbing	In area for about 45 min before swimming of in to the North
25/7/05	9:00am	Victor Harbor Foreshore	E6	50-150m Metres	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Nursing/Feeding	Very Close to shore, nursing newborn calf born previous day
24/7/05	4.40pm	The Causeway Victor Harbor Foreshore	E6	200 Metres	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Swimming slowly and Rolling	Different pair to the mother and calf been sighted over the last three weeks - Reports from boat operator of blood and placental material in water
24/7/05	1:20pm	Bashams Beach	M6.5	200 Metres	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Swimming slowly	
24/7/05	11:30am	Middleton Point	M6	400 Metres	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Playing	
22/7/05	11:15am	Middleton Point	M5	1000 Metres	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Loafing and Resting	
22/7/05	3:00pm	Freemans Nob	J5	500 Metres	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Resting	
22/7/05	11:30am	Waitpinga		300-400 Metres	2 Sub Adults		SRW	Tail Sailing, Calling loudly mating	Large number of sub adult whales
21/07/2005	12:00pm	Petrel Cove (West Island)	A2	up to 400m	2 Adults		SRW	Body Rolling, Pec Slapping	First good sighting at Petrel Cove
20/7/05	10:30am	Middleton Point	N7	400 Metres	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Loafing on the Surface	
19/7/05	9:00am	Between Granite Island & Hayborough	G6	600 Metres	2 Adults	1 Calf	SRW	Pec Slapping, Body Rolling and Spy Hopping	They can be seen from Victor Harbor Foreshore
19/7/05	9:00am	Middleton Point	N7	500 Metres	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Travelling slowly	
18/7/05	11:30am	Chiton Rocks	I8	500 Metres	2 Adults	2 Calves	SRW	Pec Slapping, Body Rolling and Tail Lobbing	Two pairs within 500 Metres of each other
17/7/05	3:00pm	Bashams Beach	M6	300 Metres	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Beaching	
16/7/05	3:00pm	Bashams Beach	M7	200 Metres	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Loafing/Laying Around	This pair have been seen in the area for approximately 2 weeks now
16/07/2005	11:00am	Normanville		300-400m	1 Adult		SRW	Swimming	Swimming North
15/7/05	12:15pm	Bashams Beach	M6	300 Metres	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Swimming slowly towards Pt Elliot	Same pair sighted over the past 10 days
14/7/05	1:30pm	Goolwa Beach Carpark		300 Metres	1 Adult		SRW	Travelling slowly East	
14/7/05	10:45am	Bashams Beach	M6	400 Metres	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Swimming Slowly	

13/7/05	10:15am	Middleton Point	O6	300 Metres	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Beaching	
12/7/05	12:50pm	Middleton Point	M6	600 Metres	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Travelling towards Bashams Beach	
11/7/05	10:15am	Middleton Point	N7	400 Metres	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Swimming and Blowing	This pair have now been here for a week
10/7/05	11:45pm	Middleton Point	M7	300 Metres	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Tail Lobbing and Swiming twards Bashams Beach	
10/7/05	1:45pm	Petrel Cove (West Island)	A3	100 Metres	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Swimming	Its the second confirmed sighting of another Mother & Calf
10/7/05	11:55am	Between Granite Island & Seal Island	F3	500 Metres	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Swimming West towards Wright Island	
9/7/05	2:00pm	Middleton Point	M7	500 Metres	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Loafing	Both Mother & Calf have been sighted regularly here since Sunday
8/7/05	3:15pm	Middleton Point	M6	400 Metres	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Travelling slowly East	
7/7/05	10:50am	Middleton Point	M6	300 Metres	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Travelling slowly towards Bachams Beach	
6/7/05	9:30am	Bashams Beach	M7	400 Metres	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Loafing near the surface & Feeding	Mother & Calf have been spotted regularly off Bashams Beach since Monday
5/07/2005	4:15pm	Kangaroo Island - Remarkable Rocks		500m	3		Unkonwn	Swimming	Swimming West
5/7/05	11:45am	Middleton Point	N6	1000 Metres	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Spyhopping & Pec Slapping	First real vigorous activity from mother
4/07/2005	3:30pm	Robe - Surfers Beach		500m	2 Adults		SRW	Swimming	Reported by fishing boat, whales swimming SE quite fast
4/7/05	12:30pm	Bashams Beach	M7	300 Metres	1 Adult	1 Calf	SRW	Loafing	First newborn calf for the year
3/7/05	1:30pm	Bashams Beach	M5	400 Metres	1 Adult		SRW	Loafing	Very Large Adult
29/6/05	9:45am	Middleton Point	N7	300 Metres	1 Adult		SRW	Travelling East	Very Large Adult
24/6/05	9:30am	Pullen Island	K6	600 Metres	1 Adult		SRW	Travelling West	
23/6/05	1:30pm	Freemans Nob	K6	100 Metres	2 Adults		SRW	Travelling West	Whales travelling very close to shore & travelli ng together
21/6/05	2:30pm	Freemans Nob	K5	300 Metres	1 Adults		SRW	Travelling slowly East	
18/6/05	1:40pm	Granite Island	F4	700 Metres	2 Adults		SRW	Travelling West	Wewere unable to confirm this Sighting
18/6/05	1:00pm	Bashams Beach	M7	500 Metres	1 Adult		SRW	Travelling and Blowing	This is possibly the same Whale as reported on the 17th June
17/6/05	9:45am	Freemans Nob Port Elliot	K5	500 Metres	1 Adult		SRW	Travelling Slowly West Towards Victor Harbor	Believed to be the Large Adult spotted on Wednesday
15/6/05	10:30am	Middleton Point	N8	1000 Metres	1 Adult		SRW	Travelling East	
14/06/2005	2:00pm	Carpenter Rocks - Beachport		200m	1 Adult		SRW	Loafing	

13/6/05	4:30pm	The Bluff	B2	1500 Metres	Unconfirmed		Unconfirmed possibly Humpback Whale	Tail Lobbing Travelling West	Possibly Humpback Whales Seen by staff - dorsal fin present whether conditions prevented further details
12/6/05	10:30am	Freemans Nob Port Elliot	J6	300 Metres	1 Adult		SRW	Swimming Towards Knight's Beach and Blowing	
8/6/05	1:20pm	Freemans Nob Port Elliot	K5	500 Metres	1 Adult		SRW	Resting/Loafing	
7/6/05	12:15pm	Waitpinga Beach	B1	1KM	1 Adult		SRW	Travelling towards Victor Harbor	
6/6/05	11:30am	Freemans Nob Port Elliot	M6	1000 Metres	1 Adult		SRW	Travelling Slowly West	A larger Whale than sighted before
5/6/05	1:15pm	Freemans Nob Port Elliot	J5	3000 Metres	1 Adult		SRW	Resting/Loafing	There have been a number of sightings in this area
4/6/05	11:30am	Freemans Nob Port Elliot or Knights Beach	J6	300/400 Metres	1 Adult		Humpback Whale	Tail Lobby Playing	Very active, breaching, tail slapping
2/6/05	11:30am	Freemans Nob Port Elliot	M6	1000 Metres	Sub Adult		SRW	Loafing on Surface	Believed to be the same Whale spotted on the 31st May
31/5/05	11:30am	Port Elliot Point	M6	1.5 KM	Sub Adult		SRW	Travelling West	First Whale Sighted for the 2005 Season