

Black-tailed Godwit

(North Holland Bird)

Seen at Oare Marshes 28th June 2004

These are the details that I have received from Jos Hooijmeijer, Project Coordinator in Holland. The bird is an adult summer plumaged Black-tailed Godwit of the race *limosa*. Ringed "on the nest" Spring 2004, at Workum in Friesland (North Holland)

This Photo was taken in North Holland on the 4th June 2004



This project has just started and is looking at population dynamics of the waders that have populations that also breed in the high arctic. Disease susceptibility and genetic profiles are causing concern, thus the driver for this extended study. I haven't got the exact details for this bird, but I was informed that another individual from this project was found in France on the same date. Dispersal from the breeding grounds is likely to be better understood with the commencement of this colour-marking scheme.

Two Photos were taken at Oare Marshes Kent England on the 28th June 2004



Photos taken by (Dylan)

