

## Wildfowl Trust avicultural report, 1980

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The Wildfowl Trust held a total of 6,599 birds during 1980 consisting of 178 kinds of wildfowl and 6 kinds of flamingo. Some 2,061 birds were reared between the five centres. A stricter breeding policy was adhered to in 1980 with more emphasis on rearing the rarer and more difficult birds.

The first captive breeding of Pink-eared Ducks outside Australia was the most outstanding breeding achievement.

More detailed breeding analyses for each of the five centres are available from Slimbridge.

Species	Total reared 1980	Total held 31.12.80	Species	Total reared 1980	Total held 31.12.80
Magpie Goose	11	24	Dusky Canada Goose	9	14
Spotted Whistling Duck	5	4	Aleutian Canada Goose	8	26
Eyton's Whistling Duck	7	10	Richardson's Canada Goose	11	23
Wandering Whistling Duck	7	12	Cackling Canada Goose	11	55
Javan Whistling Duck	1	8	Hawaiian Goose	69	40
Fulvous Whistling Duck	21	25	Barnacle Goose	118	466
Cuban Whistling Duck	24	40	Dark-bellied Brent Goose	0	14
White-faced Whistling Duck	25	48	Light-bellied Brent Goose	0	5
N. Red-billed Whistling Duck	0	7	Black Brant	7	24
S. Red-billed Whistling Duck	57	45	Red-breasted Goose	5	58
Coscoroba Swan	6	9	Ruddy Shelduck	8	16
Black Swan	38	22	Cape Shelduck	8	6
Mute Swan	5	6	Australian Shelduck	4	20
Black-necked Swan	17	31	New Zealand Shelduck	5	14
Whistling Swan	9	12	Moluccan Radjah Shelduck	11	14
Bewick's Swan	0	29	Common Shelduck	59	95
Jankowski's Swan	0	4	Egyptian Goose	5	7
Whooper Swan	9	33	Orinoco Goose	0	6
Trumpeter Swan	10	14	Abyssinian Blue-winged Goose	0	8
Swan Goose	2	30	Andean Goose	3	11
Western Bean Goose	10	32	Ashy-headed Goose	9	14
Russian Bean Goose	0	18	Ruddy-headed Goose	29	16
Middendorf's Bean Goose	0	1	Lesser Magellan Goose	0	9
Thick-billed Bean Goose	0	6	Greater Magellan Goose	15	14
Pink-footed Goose	4	91	Cereopsis Goose	15	18
European White-fronted Goose	2	39	Falkland Steamer Duck	0	3
Pacific White-fronted Goose	0	7	Patagonian Crested Duck	7	12
Greenland White-fronted Goose	4	37	Andean Crested Duck	4	8
Tule Goose	0	12	Bronze-winged Duck	2	14
Lesser White-fronted Goose	12	74	Marbled Teal	32	43
Western Greylag Goose	32	162	Cape Teal	11	35
Eastern Greylag Goose	10	12	Hottentot Teal	11	13
Bar-headed Goose	18	76	N. Versicolor Teal	8	30
Emperor Goose	17	95	S. Versicolor Teal	1	16
Lesser Snow Goose	17	22	Puna Teal	18	32
Greater Snow Goose	31	44	Red-billed Pintail	27	34
Ross's Goose	43	126	Lesser Bahama Pintail	30	59
Atlantic Canada Goose	3	5	Chilean Pintail	0	13
Moffitt's Canada Goose	4	4	Northern Pintail	41	140
Giant Canada Goose	1	6	Kerguelen Pintail	0	3
Lesser Canada Goose	5	4	Chilean Teal	19	35
Taverner's Canada Goose	7	4	Sharp-winged Teal	9	25
			European Green-winged Teal	0	53

Species	Total	Total	Species	Total	Total
	reared	held		reared	held
	1980	31.12.80		1980	31.12.80
American Green-winged Teal	0	23	Australian White-eye	1	22
Baikal Teal	0	25	New Zealand Scaup	30	45
Falcated Teal	22	40	Ring-necked Duck	7	25
Australian Grey Teal	2	26	Tufted Duck	49	215
Andaman Teal	0	3	Lesser Scaup	5	29
Chestnut-breasted Teal	23	40	European Scaup	26	65
New Zealand Brown Teal	14	14	Lesser Brazilian Teal	1	10
Greenland Mallard	0	3	Greater Brazilian Teal	23	20
Florida Duck	3	11	Maned Goose	20	66
Mexican Duck	3	8	Mandarin	33	168
North American Black Duck	1	10	Carolina	39	147
Hawaiian Duck	1	21	African Pygmy Goose	0	1
Laysan Teal	5	53	Comb Duck	3	10
Indian Spotbill	1	13	South American Comb Duck	1	22
Chinese Spotbill	9	14	Hartlaub's Duck	1	12
New Zealand Grey Duck	7	12	White-winged Wood Duck	21	46
Pelew Island Grey Duck	6	12	Muscovy Duck	4	10
Australian Black Duck	1	4	Spur-winged Goose	8	5
Philippine Duck	5	36	Black Spur-winged Goose	0	1
Meller's Duck	13	17	Common Scoter	0	8
African Yellowbill	11	32	Velvet Scoter	0	3
African Black Duck	4	10	American White-winged		
Gadwall	19	51	Scoter	0	3
European Wigeon	21	139	Pacific Harlequin Duck	0	4
American Wigeon	20	40	Long-tailed Duck	2	9
Chiloe Wigeon	13	93	Barrow's Goldeneye	1	34
Atlantic Blue-winged Teal	15	29	European Goldeneye	19	52
Argentine Cinnamon Teal	3	14	American Goldeneye	0	15
Northern Cinnamon Teal	18	58	Bufflehead	6	25
Garganey	14	66	Smew	12	21
Argentine Red Shoveler	6	61	Hooded Merganser	11	40
Cape Shoveler	9	22	Red-breasted Merganser	10	15
Australian Shoveler	0	10	Goosander	1	22
New Zealand Shoveler	0	4	American Merganser	0	1
Common Shoveler	11	116	White-headed Stiff-tail	31	35
Ringed Teal	23	123	North American Ruddy Duck	50	109
Pink-eared Duck	4	12	Peruvian Ruddy Duck	0	3
European Eider	37	152	Argentine Ruddy Duck	11	15
Pacific Eider	0	2	African Maccoa Duck	33	16
King Eider	1	6	Musk Duck	0	4
Spectacled Eider	3	8	African White-backed Duck	0	5
Steller's Eider	0	6	Madagascar White-backed Duck	0	2
Red-crested Pochard	17	98	Black-headed Duck	24	20
Rosybill	23	88	Greater Flamingo	7	72
African Pochard	6	22	Caribbean Flamingo	6	72
Canvasback	23	59	Chilean Flamingo	11	207
European Pochard	7	115	Andean Flamingo	2	42
Redhead	9	34	James' Flamingo	0	20
Common White-eye	6	29	Lesser Flamingo	0	50
Baer's Pochard	10	19	Crested Screamer	0	2