HARROGATE & DISTRICT NATURALISTS' SOCIETY FIELD MEETING TO FAIRBURN INGS RSPB RESERVE

11th MAY 2021

WEATHER: fine, with a light south-easterly wind, heavy rain later in afternoon.

SYSTEMATIC LIST OF BIRDS

RED-LEGGED PARTRIDGE - two in local field

PHEASANT

CANADA GOOSE

GREYLAG GOOSE

MUTE SWAN

SHELDUCK - two present Lindyke

SHOVELER

GADWALL

MALLARD

POCHARD

TUFTE DUCK

SWIFT - several during the day

CUCKOO - seen and heard along Coal Tip Trail

STOCK DOVE

WOOD PIGEON

WATER RAIL - heard by lagoon along Coal Tip Trail

MOORHEN

COOT

LITTLE GREBE

GREAT CRESTED GREBE

OYSTERCATCHER - by lake along Coal Tip Trail

LAPWING

BLACK-HEADED GULL

COMMON TERN - four seen

CORMORANT

BITTERN - one heard from Coal Tip Trail

SPOONBILL - four seen at Moat on roadside by two members

GREY HERON

LITTLE EGRET - several during the day

BUZZARD

KINGFISHER - one seen from screen

GREEN WOODPECKER - heard along coal Tip Trail

GREAT SPOTTED WOODPECKER - canal area, Lindyke

KESTREL

JAY

MAGPIE

JACKDAW

CARRION CROW

BLUE TIT

GREAT TIT

SKY LARK

SAND MARTIN

SWALLOW

CHIFFCHAFF

WILLOW WARBLER

CETTI'S WARBLER - heard along Coal Tip Trail and seen briefly, heard at Lindyke

SEDGE WARBLER

REED WARBLER

BLACKCAP

GARDEN WARBLER - singing, Lindyke

WHITETHROAT - two pairs, Coal Tip area

WREN

BLACKBIRD

SONG THRUSH

ROBIN

DUNNOCK

CHAFFINCH

BULLFINCH

GOLDFINCH

REED BUNTING

60 species