

Re: Paul Wetton

by Paul Wetton, 19-Jun-14 07:29 PM GMT

I promised Pauline I would post a trip report from the Outer Hebrides last year and unfortunately never got round to it. However, going back this year for a week followed by a few days at Glenloy Lodge near Fort William I got my act together and produced a report with the help of Helens photos.

Again as it is quite a large report here is the link to the report on my website.

http://www.ibirdz.co.uk/scotland/scotland_2014.html

Re: Paul Wetton

by David M, 19-Jun-14 10:42 PM GMT

Glorious images, Paul. It's almost impossible to believe you saw all this in the UK. It's a completely different world – austere, yet beautiful, scenic, and replete with wildlife scarcely seen anywhere else in these isles.

Re: Paul Wetton

by Pauline, 21-Jun-14 07:27 AM GMT

Better late than never Paul 😊 but well worth the wait 😊 Marvellous photos of the wildlife and scenery and interesting report. I am kicking myself as years ago I stayed in Fort William but did not know about the Pine Martins then 😞 . You must be absolutely delighted with all you saw on that trip 🍷🍷

Re: Paul Wetton

by Paul Wetton, 23-Jun-14 10:46 AM GMT

Hi Pauline

Yes we were delighted with the wildlife we saw but I'm going to have to go back and get some more video footage with a camera that's working properly or an operator that's working properly.

I hope to go back again this year to look for Black Rats on the Shiant Islands as they are going to be eradicated by 2015 being a non native, to make way for more Sea Birds. I personally don't think they are a problem on one island. Apparently there has been funding by the EU to the tune of 100's of thousands to poison them all. Shame.