

Pukenui Report - August 2023

Tasks completed from 07/08/23 – 08/09/23

Task	Days to complete	Additional Comments
P/C Traplines – DOC	3	
P/C Trapline – WDC	2.5	
AT220 reinstallation – DOC	.8	
Track Maintenance – WDC	.8	
Total	7.1	

Trapping

We have a total of 63 pests for this month they are as follows: 3 Weasels; 1 Stoats; 58 Rats; and 1 Hedgehog; Our total for the year so far is 494 pests with the majority being caught in the forest. The main species being caught is rats.

MONTH	WEASEL	STOAT	RAT	CAT	HEDGEHOG	POSSUM	FERRET	OTHER	SET OFF
JANUARY	0	5	46	2	9	2	0	0	0
FEBRUARY	0	3	46	0	5	2	0	0	0
MARCH	0	2	72	2	2	0	0	0	4
APRIL	0	4	60	1	2	2	0	1	0
MAY	0	2	51	0	2	1	1	0	2
JUNE	3	0	58	1	4	0	0	0	1
JULY	0	2	35	1	0	1	1	0	3
AUGUST	3	1	58	0	1	0	0	0	0
YTD	6	19	426	7	25	8	2	1	10

Comparison to previous years.

YEAR	WEASEL	STOAT	RAT	CAT	HEDGEHOG	POSSUM	FERRET
2017	1	26	273	8	22	2	1
2018	7	49	455	6	47	6	0
2019	7	30	457	2	52	3	2
2020	4	38	350	1	27	19	0
2021	4	15	489	14	26	9	0
2022	6	25	410	6	29	10	2
Total	29	183	2434	37	203	49	5