Plovers at a Glance



Beach News with Kate and Jess 2007 Plover Season: Current Stats

MID-SEASON REPORT

Docent Stats: Over the past 5 weeks

- 134 combined docent hours
- 1335 visitor contacts: 1061 trail contacts, 140 parking lot contacts, & 134 beach/trail contacts
- 95% of visitors contacted on weekends between 10 am and 4:30 pm have shown awareness and/or interest

The Plover News as of June 22nd, 2007

- 22 nests so far/ 5 re-nests
 - o 25% egg loss: predation, tides and unknown factors
- 6 nests are being incubated (16-18 potential chicks)
 - o 56% hatch success so far (37 eggs hatched/66 eggs laid)
 - o So far 3 nests have been found in the restored dune area
- 5 broods are running around the beach (10 chicks)
 - o 59% chick loss (22 birds): predation and/or unknown factors
- 5 chicks fledged
 - o 13% fledgling success (5/37 eggs hatched)

Meet Our Docents:



Kris and Glenda in Action!



Chi and Susanne



Jo, Glenda, Frank and Kris