

Images courtesy of Nicolas Jouault, Lou Wagstaffe, Chris Isaacs and Rebecca Kinnear

The September discovery session was held at Archirondel, giving the members an opportunity to come along and see what interesting species could be found.

Details of the next discovery session can be found at the end of the newsletter.

Over 100 reports were added to the inaturalist page in August and September, which is great and helps us record what is being found. If you do go out exploring please don't forget to log any finds.

https://www.inaturalist.org/projects/societe-jersiaisemarine-biology-section.



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## **Interesting finds: September**

First Jersey record for the Warty Doris was by Lou Wagstaffe at Gorey on the 1st August, she then found several more on the east and south east coast. On the 3rd of September Nicholas Jouault found one on Maitre Ile, Les Ecrehous.

Lou Wagstaffe also found a Bryers nut crab on the 2nd September at La Sambue.

Peter Crowther found a Janolus hylinus (nudibranch) on the 1st September at La Mare, a species rarely recorded.



Risso's crab Xantho pilipes



Bryer's nut crab Ebalia tumefacta



Nudibranch Janolus hylinus



Grey seal Halichoerus grypus



Calcareous sponge Clathrina rubra



Warty Doris Doris Verrucosa

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Field Discovery sessions

Come and join us to see what can be found around the coast of Jersey.

If you have them, bring along any field guides and a camera to assist you. Please wear supportive shoes that you don't mind getting wet, and dress appropriately for the weather.

The date and location of the next field discovery session is yet to be confirmed. Please keep an eye on the emails and facebook for information.

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