





### Nelson Bay Sea Slug Census XVIII: 15th September 2018

Overall since censuses began there have been 18 censuses, with 546 participants (182 different people), finding 226 species!

In Sea Slug Census XVIII there were 37 participants, finding 64 species, with 2 new species found for the Nelson Bay Sea Slug Census;



Okenia mija (Kate Tinson & Cath Shorthouse)



Polycera parvula (Meryl Larkin & Chris Westley)

### Thanks to all the people who took part;

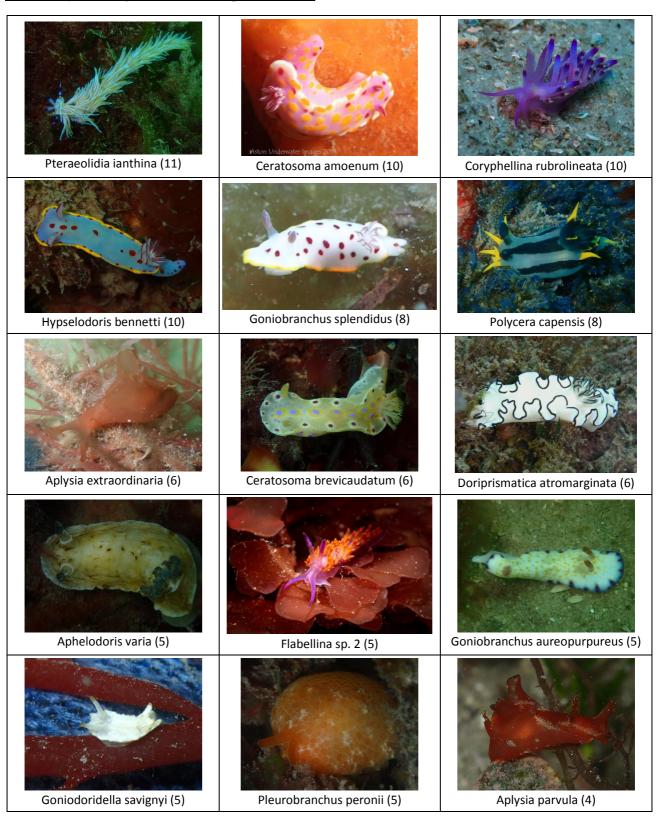
Alyce Carroll, Andrew Camilleri, Ashlea Glanville, Ashley Smith, Cath Shorthouse, Chris Westley, Danny Putty, David Atkinson, Deb Aston, Gina Mascord, James Wong, Jessica Westbrook, Johann Kučera, Julian Baker, Julie Jones, Justin McNab, Kate Tinson, Keila Seaton, Kim Ainsworth, Lee Emery, Margo Smith, Mark Ainsworth, Mathew Grassi, Meryl Larkin, Nicola Davis, Peter Godfrey-Smith, Peter Charles Hill, Peter Davey, Rebecca Seetoh, Rob Olive, Rob Rogers, Rose Upton, Stephanie Bagala, Ted Aston, Tom Davis, William Owyong, Wylie Campbell

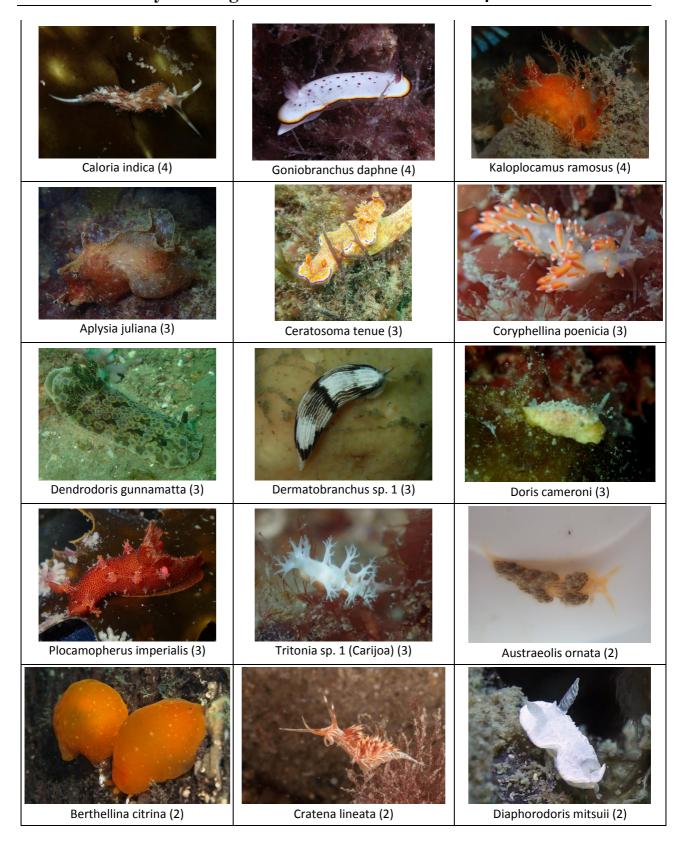
### **NOTE: Upcoming Census Dates**

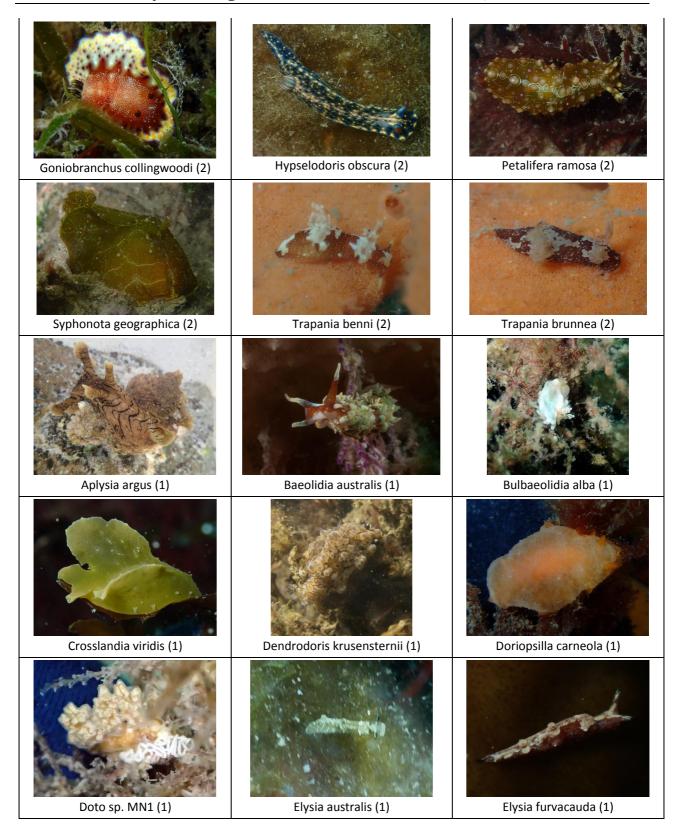
Gold Coast – 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> October 2018 Swansea – Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> November 2018 Nelson Bay – Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2018

The album on the following pages shows photos of all the species found on the census. All photos were taken by participants in the census. Photos are in order from "most sighted" to "least sighted" with the number of sightings shown in brackets.

#### Nelson Bay Sea Slug Census XVIII Species Album









Polycera melanosticta (1)	Polycera parvula (1)	Rostanga crawfordi (1)
Tularia bractea (1)		