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From: <u>Britta Muiznieks</u>

To: Mike Murray; Thayer Broili
Cc: Cyndy Holda; Doug McGee

Subject: Re: New Two-egg PIPL nest on South Beach

Date: 06/16/2010 09:34 AM

Here's a quick field update:

The South Beach nest is a 3-egg nest this morning and is going to be exclosed today. The nest is in the very middle of the South Beach closure so when it hatches, the 1000 meter buffer will not affect Ramp 45 or Ramp 49 access.

We also have another pair scraping at Cape Point. There is documentation of pairs pulling off two broods in one season but since our pairs are not banded we couldn't say this is happening for sure. We'll have to call it a new pair.

Piping Plovers Produce Two Broods

Grace E. Bottitta, Andrew M. Cole and Beth Lapin *The Wilson Bulletin*, Vol. 109, No. 2 (Jun., 1997), pp. 337-339

Published by: Wilson Ornithological Society

Here is the link to the document:

http://www.jstor.org/stable/4163819

As of this morning we have 12 pair (not including the potential pair at Bodie Spit) and have fledged 8 chicks.

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Cool!!!

Nice photo too! I'll save that one for future needs. My guess is "NPS Photo" would be the proper credit....correct?

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The lone male on South Beach has finally found a mate!

[attachment "PIPL nest on South Beach.JPG" deleted by Britta Muiznieks/CAHA/NPS]

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