

Attention Hunters: Tagged Canada Geese Within Christchurch Area

Canada geese in Canterbury have been fitted with either a *neck-collar GPS device* or with *metal/colour leg bands*. This is part of an on-going investigation of the spatial and temporal distribution of Canada geese within this region to better understand their movements.

We wish to retrieve any leg-bands and equipment from these birds. These would not provide any use to those who may come across one.

If you do shoot a bird with leg bands or a GPS device they can be returned to:

School of Biological Sciences
University of Canterbury
Private Bag 4800
Christchurch, 8140
New Zealand

You can also use this email address for any information:
hjc74@uclive.ac.nz



The device is ~35g, and as seen above, is fitted to a collar on the lower neck of the geese. If found on a dead bird, cutting through the neck collar is the easiest solution to removing them without damaging the device.