

The Natural History of the Maritimes' Small Owls



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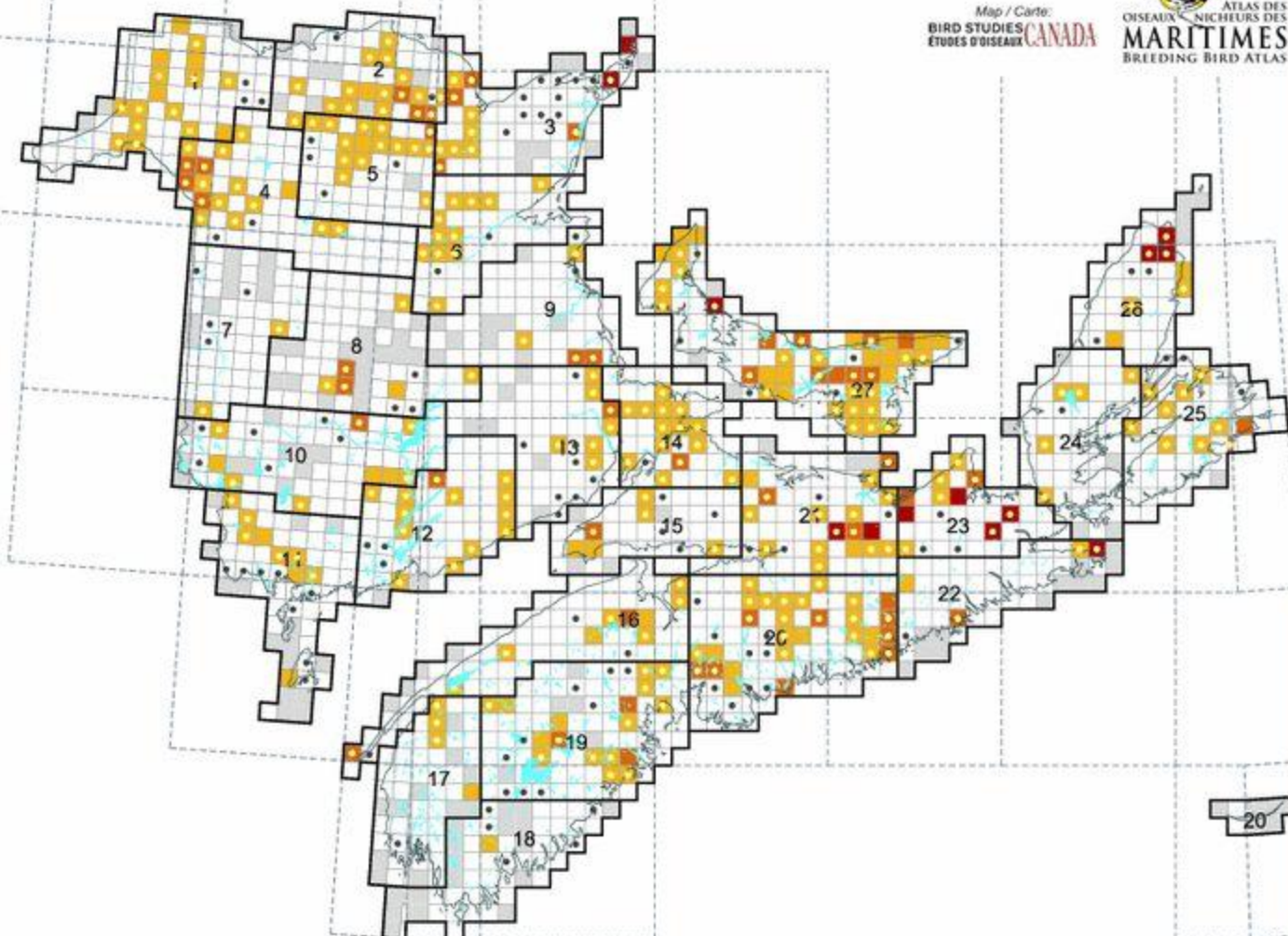
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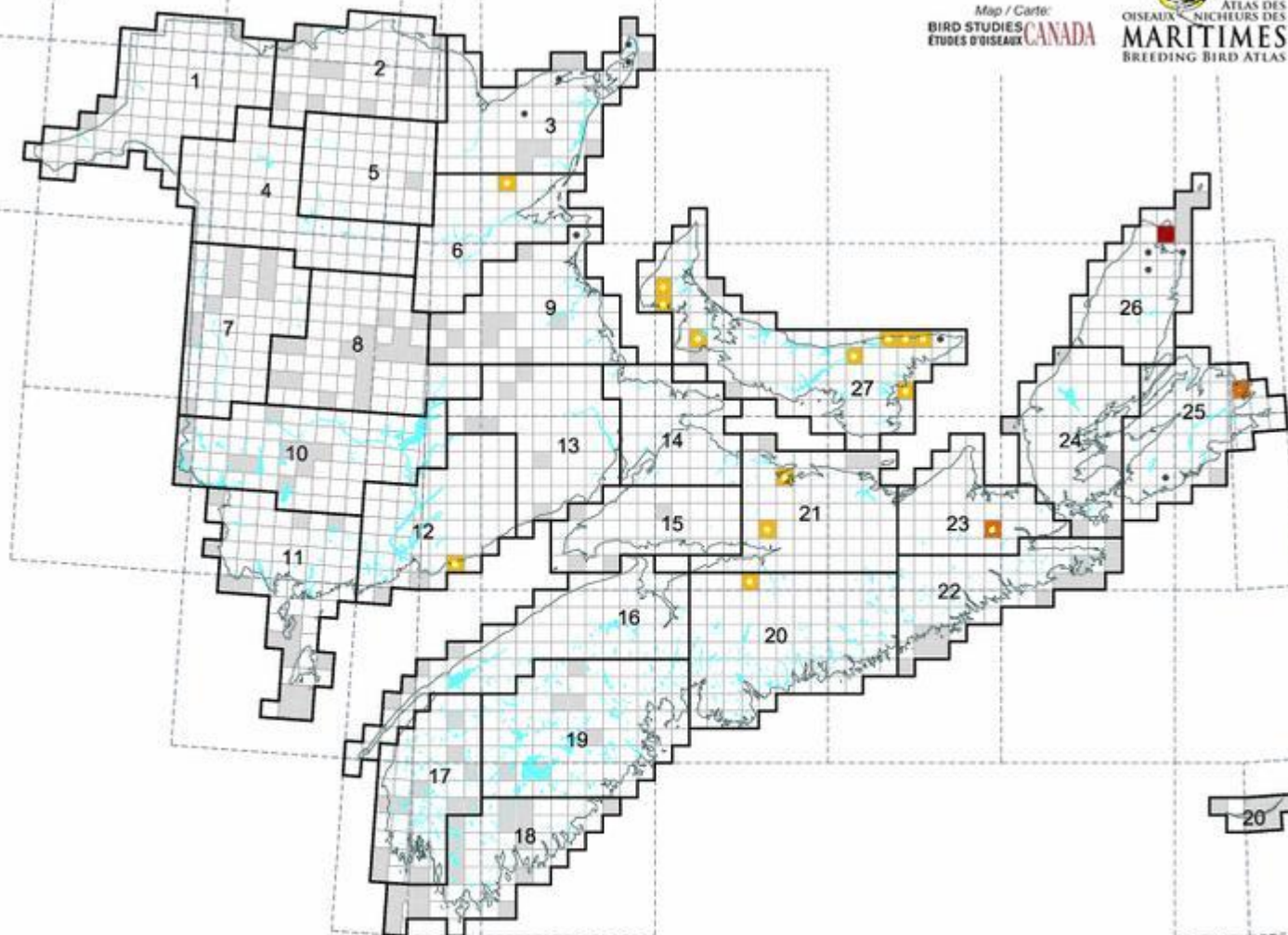
Northern Saw-whet Owl
Petite Nyctale

Breeding Evidence / Indices de nidification

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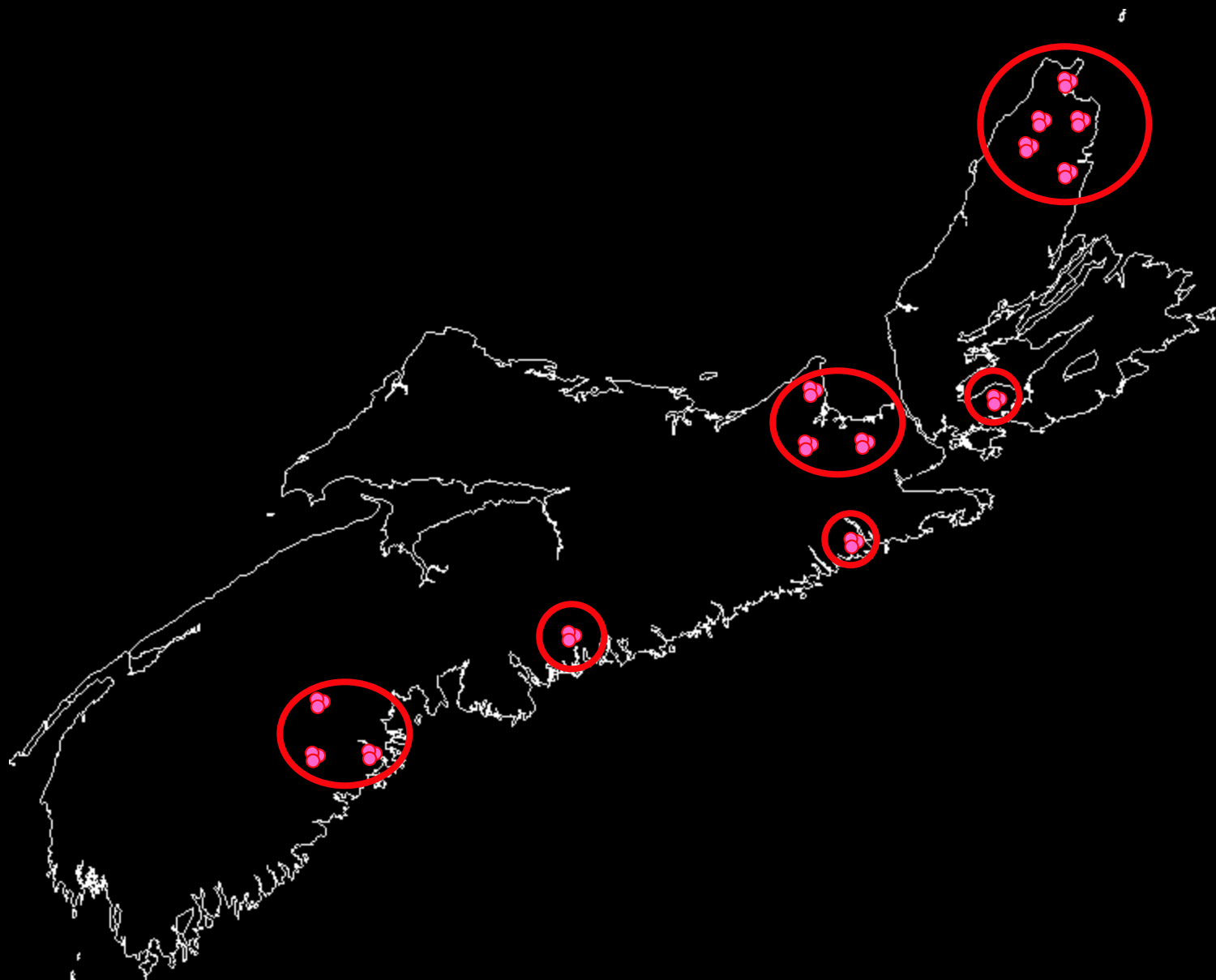
Boreal Owl
Nyctale de Tengmalm

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Habitat Preferences



Nesting





Nest boxes



Construction



Untreated, rough-sawn boards

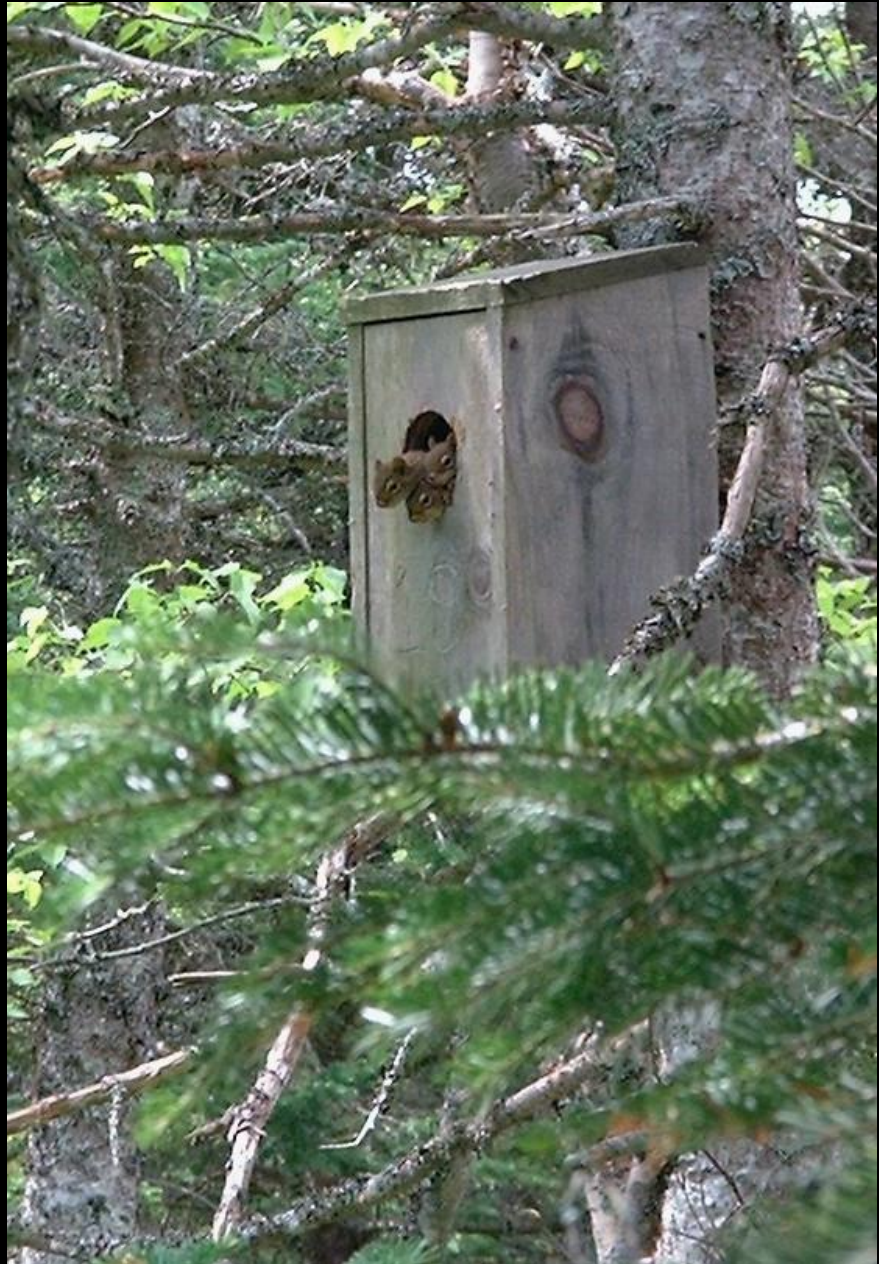
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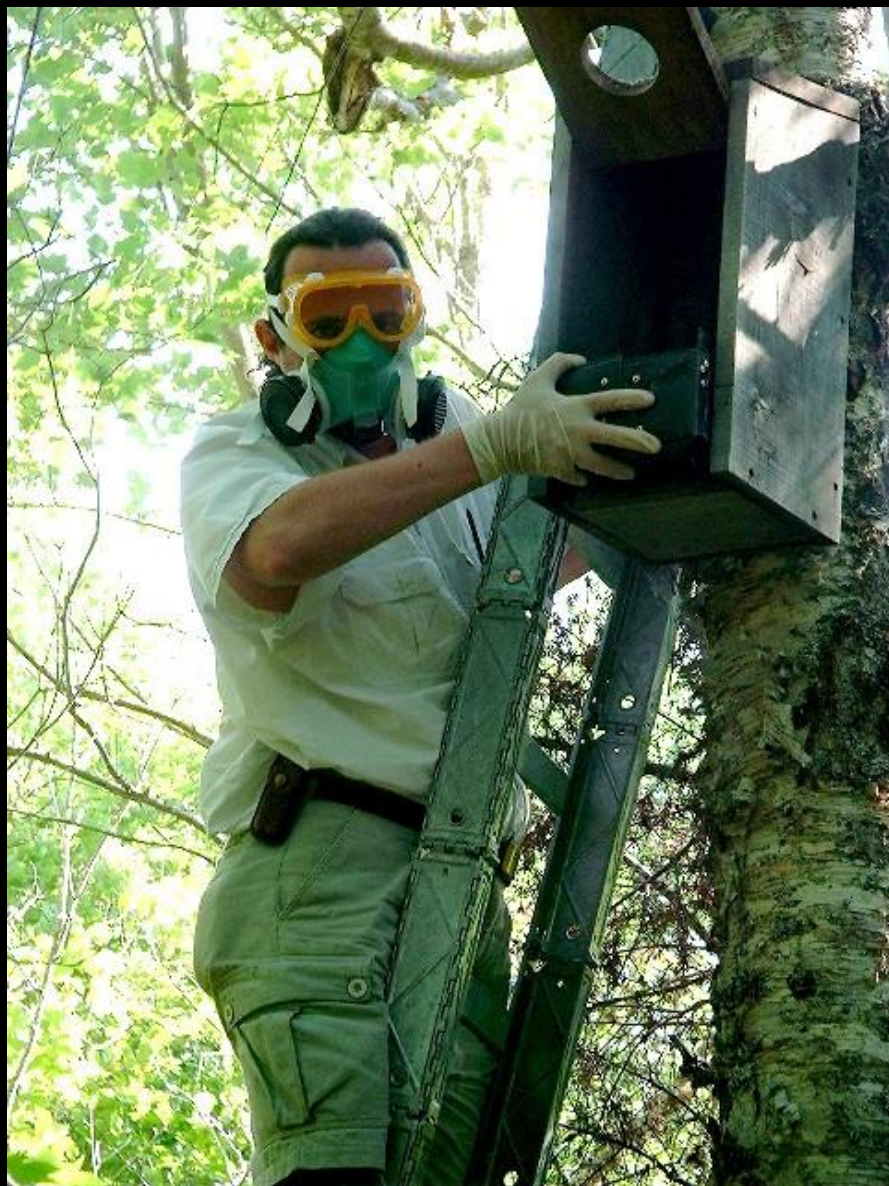
Other Wildlife

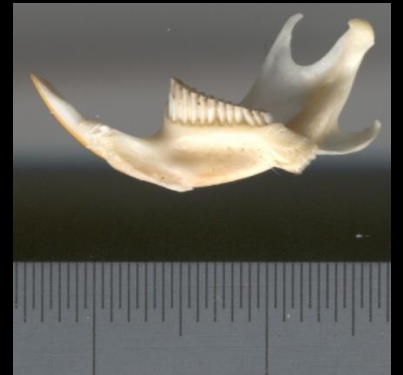
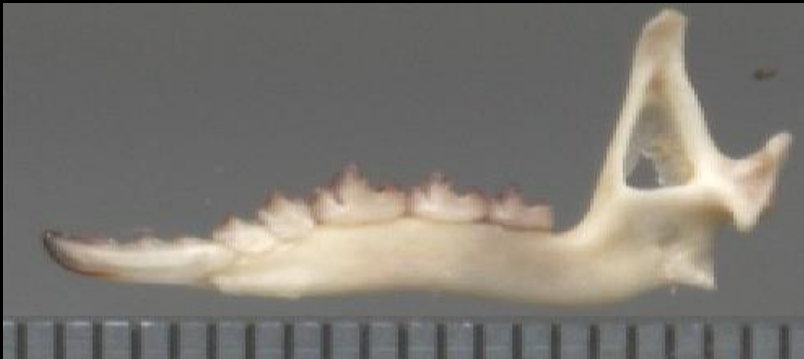




Food









A few problems along the way...





Please...

- no disturbing raptors or their nests
- visit rarely, briefly and from a distance



People !



Richard Murphy



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<http://people.stfx.ca/rlauff/research/Owls.html>

