AEGEAN BOAT REPORT

WEEKLY STATISTICS AUG 10 - AUG 16

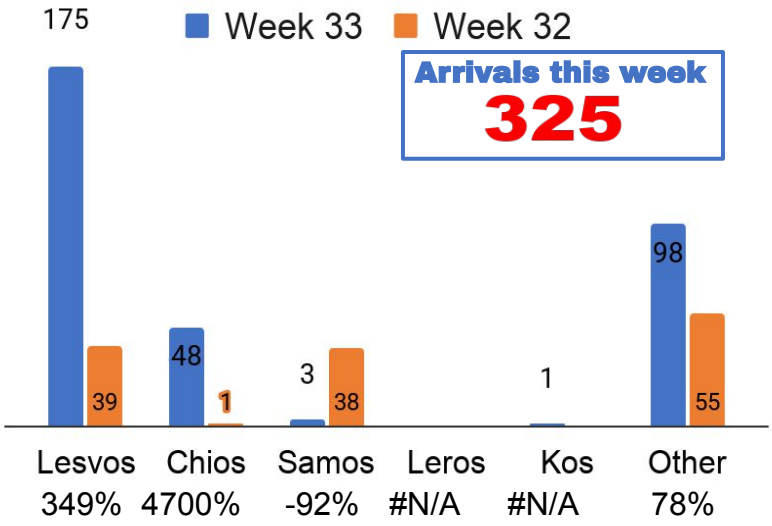
Boats Stopped TCG/Police

20 BOATS

520 PEOPLE

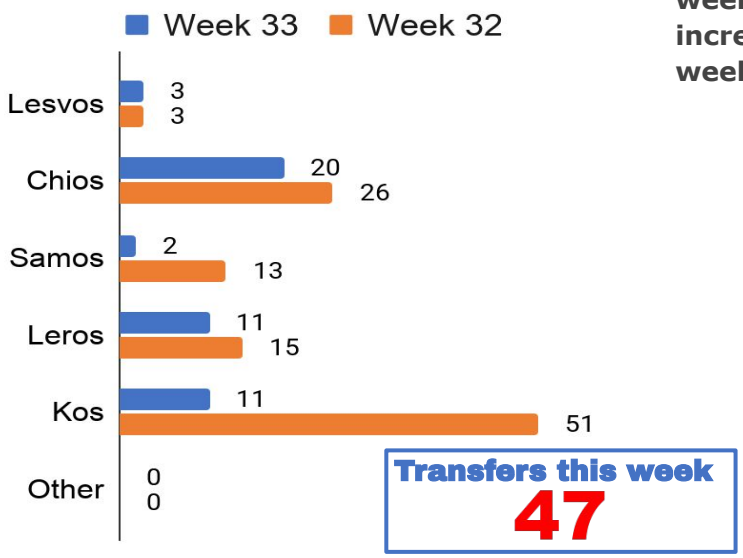
A total of 30 boats started their journey towards the Greek Aegean Islands, carrying 845 people. Of these, 20 boats were stopped/pushed back, while 325 people were registered on the Greek islands. So far this year, 384 boats carrying 8.924 people have been picked up by the Turkish Coast Guard and police. In the same period, 5.300 people have been registered as arriving on the Greek islands on 186 boats. These numbers should have been significantly higher if not for pushbacks carried out by the Hellenic Coast Guard.

People Arrived on Aegean islands



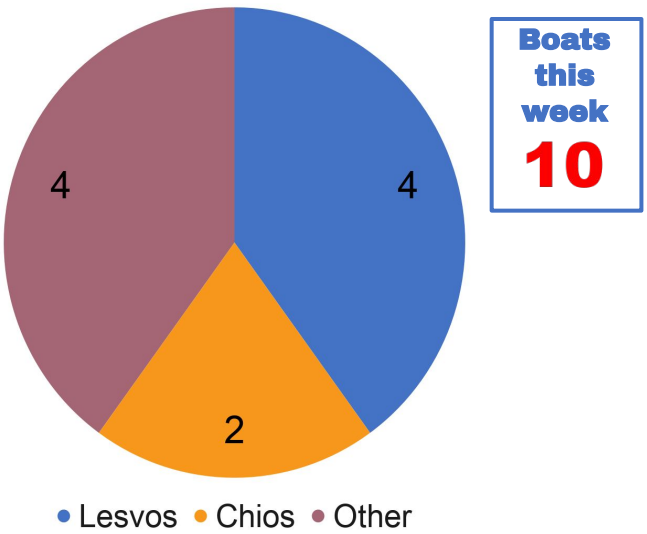
Arrivals have increased 144.4% compared to last week. The number of registered boats arriving on the islands is up from 4 boats last week to 10 this week. The total number of boats departing has increased from 21 boats last week to 30 boats this week.

Transfers to Mainland



Transfers to the mainland decreased 56.5% compared to last week. The official population on the islands is 3,442 people.Over the last 30 days, the island population has increased by 114 people. The slight increase is mainly due to more people arriving on the islands than being transferred to the mainland. This may only be temporary. The situation can change quickly. If arrivals remain high or transfers decrease, the island population is likely to rise further.

Boats Arrived on islands



This week, TCG/police picked up 20 boats (66.7%), while 10 boats (33.3%) reached the Greek islands. So far this year, 186 boats have arrived, while 67.4% have been intercepted by TCG.

Population on the Aegean islands

Population this week **3442**

