

Local Group Events in Worcestershire

DIARY OF EVENTS FROM JANUARY TO APRIL 2012

December

- 7 Wed 7.30pm (T)** 50 Years of Wildlife Photography by John Robinson. **Bromsgrove**
7 Wed 7.30pm (T) The Natural History of Christmas by Dr Michael Leach. **Worcester**
9 Fri 7.30pm (T) Wild Bees and Wasps by Celia Davis. **South Birm**
11 Sun 10am (W) Circular Ramble over Clent and Walton Hills with David Howell. Meet at Adam's Hill Lane car park to side of Fountain Inn. SO925797. **Wyre Forest**
12 Mon 7.30pm (T) Hidden Places – Secret Lives by Rosemary Winnall. **Droitwich**
13 Tue 7.30pm (T) Ancient Trees by Harry Green and John Tilt. At Wulstans Hall, Pershore. **SE Worcs**
21 Wed 7.30pm (T) Quiz Night. **Redditch**

January

- 4 Wed 7.30pm (T)** Wild Shetlands by Rosemary Morris and Bas Yates. **Bromsgrove**
5 Thurs 7.30pm (T) Flora of the Malverns by Rob Havard of Malvern Hills Conservators. **Malvern**
8 Sun 10am (W) Kingsford Forest Park and Castle Hill led by David Howell. Meet at car park off Kingsford Lane between Wolverley and Kinver. SO824820. **Wyre Forest**
13 Fri 7.30pm (T) In Patagonia by Roger Butler. **South Birm**
18 Wed 7.30pm (T) Namibia by Peter Beckhelling. **Redditch**
21 Sat (W) Newport Wetlands Day Trip. Contact group for details. **Redditch**
23 Mon 10am (W) Bird Watching and Guided Walk at Upton Warren led by warden Arthur Jacobs. Meet at the Moors Pool Car Park (SO 938675) for a 2–3 hour visit. Bring binoculars/scopes. Numbers limited so please contact Pauline on 01905 352423 or Brian on 01684 565994. **Malvern**
27 Fri 7.30pm (T) Members' Evening. **Stourbridge**

February

- 1 Wed 7.30pm (T)** India – On the Trail of the Tiger by Gary Farmer. **Bromsgrove**
1 Wed 7.30pm (T) Garden Plants for Wildlife by Howard Drury. **Worcester**
2 Thurs 7.30pm (T) Madagascar Journey – the Unique & Rare Wildlife of the Island by Phred Newbury. **Malvern**
2 Thurs 7.30pm (T) Wildlife of the Teme Valley with Danny Arnold. **Wyre Forest**
10 Fri 7.30pm (T) Hidden Places, Secret Lives by Rosemary Winnall. **South Birm**
12 Sun 10am (W) Winter into Spring at Shrawley. 4 mile, 3 hour walk with rest stop led by Wenda Janes. Meet 10am in lay-by near Lenchford Inn on B4196. SO813642. **Wyre Forest**
12 Sun 9.30am (W) Valentines Volunteers at Tiddesley Wood. Booking essential on 01905 754919. **WWT**
16 Thurs 7.30pm (T) Reptiles of Worcestershire by Alan Shepherd. In Evesham. **SE Worcs**
18 Sat 9.30am (W) Looking for Signs of Spring with Garth Lowe. Meet at the Knapp car park (GR 750521) for a 2–3 hour walk towards Malvern. For info contact Pauline on 01905 352423 or Brian on 01684 565994. **Malvern**
18 Sat (W) Carsington Water Day Trip. Contact group for details. **Redditch**
24 Fri 7.30pm (T) Highlights of a New Nature Reserve by Gordon Forrest. **Stourbridge**

March

- 1 Thurs 7.30pm (T)** The Conservation Garden by Rachel Salisbury. **Malvern**
1 Thurs 7.30pm (T) Living with Swifts by Swift Conservation. **Wyre Forest**
7 Wed 7.30pm (T) Wildlife of the Cloud Forest & Galapagos Islands by Mike Wilkes. **Bromsgrove**
7 Wed 7.30pm (T) Spring Flowers of Sardinia by Dr Tony Hughes. **Worcester**
9 Fri 7.30pm (T) Wildlife of Florida by Peter Shirley. **South Birm**
11 Sun 10am (W) Wolverley Wander Walk with Local Resident Rosemary Hatton. Meet 10am at the Lock Inn car park on B4189. SO831792. **Wyre Forest**
13 Tues 7.30pm (T) Cloud Forest and Galapagos Islands by Mike Wilkes. In Pershore. **SE Worcs**
21 Wed 7.30pm (T) British Orchids by Tony Hughes. **Redditch**
24 Sat (W) Pitsford Day Trip. Contact group for details. **Redditch**
29 Thurs 7.30pm (T) (NOT April 5th) Wetlands Creation and Conservation by Rob Allen, Worcestershire Wildlife Trust Reserves Officer. **Malvern**
30 Fri 7.30pm (T) Wayside Flowers by Roy Mantle. **Stourbridge**

April

- 4 Wed 7.30pm (T)** Apes with Attitude by Phred Newbury. **Bromsgrove**
5 Thurs 7.30pm (T) Our Native Owls by Gillian Hales. **Wyre Forest**
13 Fri 7.30pm (T) Farming and Biodiversity by Caroline Corsie, Worcs Wildlife Trust. **South Birm**
14 Sat 10am (W) Spring Birds, Flowers and Butterflies – a Guided Walk at Grafton Wood led by James Hitchcock. Meet at Three Parishes Hall at Grafton Flyford for 3 hour walk. Please wear stout shoes. Numbers limited so please book with Pauline on 01905 352423 or Brian on 01684 565994. **Malvern**
15 Sun 10am (W) Spring Ramble to Dowles and Knowles Coppice with Glyn Walters. Meet 10am at Dog Lane car park in Bewdley. SO784755. **Wyre Forest**
18 Wed 7.30pm (T) Dragonflies by Mike Averill. **Redditch**
21 Sat (W) Potteric Carr Day Trip. Contact group for details. **Redditch**
27 Fri 7.30pm (T) Madagascar Journey by Phred Newbury. **Stourbridge**



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Venues & Contacts

BROMSGROVE – Indoor meetings at Bournheath Village Hall, Claypit Lane, Bournheath, Bromsgrove, B61 9LA.
Admission £2-00
Contact: Gordon Forrest.
Tel: 07885 632964

DROITWICH – Indoor meetings at Droitwich Methodist Church Hall, Worcester Road, Droitwich, WR9 9AN.
Admission £2-00
Contact: John Holder.
Tel: 01905 794854

MALVERN – Indoor meetings at Chase School, Sixth Form Annexe, Geraldine Close, off Geraldine Road, Barnards Green, Malvern, WR14 3PF.
Admission £2-00
Contact: Margaret Vernon.
Tel: 01684 565079
Pauline Ranson.
Tel: 07972 498889

REDDITCH – Indoor meetings at Peace Hall, Rowney Green Lane, Rowney Green, Alvechurch, B48 7GP.
Admission £2-00
Contact: Barry Jones.
Tel: 01527 520659

S BIRMINGHAM – Indoor meetings at The Dame Elizabeth Hall, Oak Tree Lane, Bournville, B30 1TU.
Admission £2-00 Children 75p
Contact: Sylvia Davies.
Tel: 0121 243 9190

S.E. WORCESTERSHIRE – Indoor meetings at Wulstans Hall, Priest Lane, Pershore, WR10 1EB.
Friends Meeting House, Cowl Street, Evesham WR11 4PL.
Admission £2-00
Contact: Harry Green.
Tel: 01386 710377

STOURBRIDGE – Indoor meetings at The Eco Centre, Ridgewood High School, Park Road West, Wollaston, Stourbridge, DY8 3NQ.
Admission £2-00
Contact: John Homer.
Tel: 01384 277800.
Avril Williams. Tel: 01384 371064

WORCESTER – Indoor meetings at Nunnery Wood High School, Spetchley Road, Worcester, WR5 2LT.
Admission £2-00
Contact: Sandra Young
Tel: 01905 754919

WYRE FOREST – Indoor meetings at Holy Innocents Community Hall, Foley Park, Kidderminster, DY11 7BD.
Admission £2-00
Contact: R. Cory, Chairman.
Tel: 01299 822748

Worcestershire Wildlife Trust,
Lower Smithe Farm, Smithe Hill, Hindlip,
Worcester WR3 8SZ.
Web: www.worcswildlifetrust.co.uk

Talks and other indoor events are marked (T).
Walks and other outdoor events are marked (W).
Full details are available from the local group contacts listed or from the special contact where given.

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