

Woodland Wings Events 2018



Black Hairstreak by Iain H Leach

Conservation “have a go” Work party

Salcey Forest. (SP79615073, Nearest Postcode: NN7 2PS)

Tuesday 6th March, 10am – 1pm

Aimed at both the complete beginner and more experienced conservationists alike, join us for some woodland ride management in the Sandpit Copse area. You are welcome to come along for as much or as little of this time as suits you, but please let us know if you are coming. Work is with hand tools only, which will be provided. Please wear stout footwear and suitable clothing for the weather.

National Conservation Day of Action- Blackthorn Survey

Salcey Forest

Saturday 10th March

To help conserve the rare Black Hairstreak butterfly we need to know where its food plant (Blackthorn) is. We are asking people to walk a specified route in the Salcey Forest area and plot where the Blackthorn is on a map. Maps and instructions will be provided. All participants will then have the option to get together in a local pub at 1pm to report back (and maybe have a spot of lunch!).

National Moth Night

Bucknell Wood. (SP660451, Nearest Postcode: NN12 8TW)

Saturday 16th June, 8:30 (bat walk at approx. 9pm)

Sunday 17th June, 8am

As part of National Moth night the moth group will be inviting members of the public to join them to see what species are caught in their moth traps. Join us for the evening to see the traps getting set up, then go on a bat walk whilst we wait for some moths to get trapped. In the morning a light breakfast will be provided whilst we identify and show you what moths were caught overnight. Pick and choose whether you would like to join us for the whole event or just the evening or morning, but please let us know if you are coming.

Butterfly Walk

Salcey Forest. (SP801509, ‘horsebox’ car park, Nearest Postcode: NN7 2HA)

Saturday 23rd June, 10:30am

Join butterfly expert Doug Goddard to learn about and look for woodland butterflies, with target species including Wood White and the rare Black Hairstreak. Parking is limited so please let us know if you are planning on coming.

More events will be organised throughout the project, so please check out our website for up to date information.

If you would like more information or to book onto any event please contact the Woodland Wings Project Officer, Caz Temple: 07483 039 326

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