

# Hull Natural History Society Programme of Events 2019

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**January 26 Saturday 10:00 Far Ings, Barton-upon-Humber TA 018 233**  
Meet at the NEW visitor centre... ie NOT the old one.

**January 29 Tuesday 19:30 Pond Conservation**  
A talk by Anne Carter, of the Freshwater Habitats Trust  
Meet at the University of Hull. Room to be announced. Check website near the time.

**February 16 Saturday 10:00 Normanby Hall, Scunthorpe SE 887 168**  
Meet in the car park.

**February 19 Tuesday 19:30 A trip to Svalbard**  
A talk by Jackie Guthrie, on the wildlife of this remote part of Norway.  
Meet at the University of Hull. Room to be announced. Check website near the time.

**March 12 Tuesday 19:30 AGM & Members Evening**  
Meet at the University of Hull. Room to be announced. Check website near the time.  
A short AGM followed by presentations by members.

**March 23 Saturday 10:00 Yorkshire Sculpture Park SE 286 131**  
Meet at the main car park near to the main building entrance. There is a parking fee, currently £11 for all day. Best take packed lunch. If the weather is good we can do a long walk around Bretton Park. If not so good, then we could do a shorter circuit with the option of a return to the restaurant for lunch. Can be muddy and quite steep in places.

**April 9 Tuesday 19:30 Members' Evening**  
Meet at the University of Hull. Room to be announced. Check website near the time.  
This evening will include presentations by members.

**April 20 Saturday 10:00 Hagg Wood, Dunnington SE 675 524**  
Meet on Intake Lane close to junction with Horsfield Way.

**IMPORTANT NOTE : TUESDAY evening field trips will START at 6.30PM this year.**

**May 7 Tuesday 18:30 Jillywood Lane TA 022 345**  
Meet at the entrance to Lazaats at the end of Woodhill Way.

**May 11 Saturday 10:00 Brockadale SE 519 166**  
Meet at the car park in Kirk Smeaton between the Shoulder of Mutton pub and the church.

**May 14 Tuesday 18:30 Nut Wood, Raywell SE 991 305**  
Meet near the entrance. Roadside parking.

**May 21 Tuesday 18:30 Swine Moor [west] TA 050 415**  
Meet at the western end of the old Hull Bridge Road so we can take the public footpath south onto Swine Moor Common to look at the western [i.e. Beverley] side of the site.

**REMINDER –Tuesday evening field trips start at 6.30PM, unless otherwise stated.**

- May 28                    Tuesday                    Beverley Westwood                    TA 022 387**  
Meet on Walkington Road close to the junction with Keldgate Road.
- May 29                    Wednesday 10:30 to 15:00    York mini-Bioblitz**  
At York Cemetery.  
For anyone interested. Search -York Bioblitz - on internet for details.
- June 1/2                  Weekend trip                  Derbyshire                    SK 170 705**  
Saturday - meet at the pay and display White Lodge car park next to the A6, 2-3 miles west of Ashford in the Water. From here we will access the Plantlife reserve of Deepdale. Sunday will be at another Derbyshire site to be decided nearer the time, possibly Padley Gorge and Longshaw Estate.
- June 11                  Tuesday                          Newbald Becksies                  SE 916 371**  
Meet at the YWT reserve
- June 18                  Tuesday                          Pulfin                                  TA 055 417**  
Meet at the pedestrian bridge over the River Hull, for a walk north along the river's east bank to High Eske and Pulfin.
- June 22                  Saturday 10:00                  Yearsley Moor                    SE 582 751**  
Meet at the forest track junction with North Moor Lane, just north of Yearsley. From Yearsley travelling NW you need to head for Ampleforth, ignoring the minor road to your left. You should then meet the parking point on the right just before the road bends.
- June 25                  Tuesday                          Barton roundabout                  TA 017 215**  
Meet at roadside parking area just west of the roundabout on the road to South Ferriby.
- July 2                    Tuesday 6.20                    Clough Road                    TA 092 314**  
Meet a little earlier than usual in the car park in front of Dunelm Mill store. We have gained permission to visit the wildlife area on the Croda site. We will be walking from the car park to Oak Road security lodge at 6.30, which is opposite Mecca Bingo, to gain site access. Names of people attending are required in advance.
- July 6[or7]              Saturday [or Sunday] 10:00 Fen Bog                    SE 856 982**  
Meet at parking area just before Eller Beck Bridge. Saturday is the default day BUT we will check the forecast the week before and change to Sunday if there is a significant difference in weather predicted. Check website near the time.
- July 9                    Tuesday                          Kiplingcotes                    SE 909 431**  
Meet at the Hudson Way car park. We plan to visit the YWT reserve.
- July 16                  Tuesday                          St Andrew's Quay                  TA 068 266**  
Meet at the corner where Makro store meets the Humber.
- July 23                  Tuesday                          North Ferriby foreshore              SE 986 251**  
Meet at the car park next to the Humber at the southern end of Humber Road.
- July 30                  Tuesday                          North Cave Wetlands                  SE 886 328**  
Meet at the entrance. The gate is closed at dusk so best to park in the area between road and the gate.
- August 3                Saturday 10:00                  St Aidans RSPB                    SE 399 287**  
Meet at the reserve car park which is off Astley Lane, postcode LS26 8AL. There is a visitor centre with a small café and snacks, with toilets.

- August 6 Tuesday Paul Holme Strays TA 180 251**  
Meet at the reserve car park.
- August 13 Tuesday Carr Lane, Willerby TA 045 305**  
Meet at the junction of Walmersley Road and Wold Road [with Carr Lane].
- August 17 Saturday YNU VC61 meeting North Duffield**  
Details on YNU website.
- August 20 Tuesday Haltemprice crematorium TA 022 314**  
Meet near entrance for a walk around the old hospital site, and Low Road if time permits.
- August 27 Tuesday River Hull, Kingswood TA 084 340**  
Meet in the southwest corner of the car park nearest point to the river and reservoir.
- September 7[or8] Saturday[or Sunday] 10:00 Humberhead peatlands SE**  
We may be meeting at Hatfield Moor. The default day is the Saturday, but we will change to Sunday as directed by weather forecast near the time. Please check website.
- September 10 Tuesday Planning Meeting for 2020**  
Meeting place to be decided and exact date to be confirmed so check website near the time.
- October 12 Saturday 10:00 Kilnsea TA 417 154**  
Meet in the car park opposite new YWT visitor centre. The car park is free to YWT cardholders- display card on windscreen.
- November 2 Saturday 10:00 Castle Howard Arboretum SE 705 698**  
Meet in the arboretum carpark which is down the track from the obelisk opposite the main Castle Howard entrance.
- December 7 Saturday 10:00 Scarborough TA 037 897**  
Meet on Royal Albert Drive [an extension of Marine Drive] near where it turns inland at Peasholme Gap. Lunch will be at a local restaurant, unless anyone prefers to sit outside with a pack-up, on their own.
- December 10 Tuesday 19:30 Members' Evening**  
Meet at the University of Hull. Room to be announced. Check website near the time. There will be presentations by members.

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All Tuesday evening field meetings will be at 6.30 pm unless otherwise stated.

A full and up to date programme of weekend trips and Tuesday evening field meetings, including any late changes, is available on the Society's website at [www.hullnats.org.uk](http://www.hullnats.org.uk)

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