Hull Nats Weekend Programme at DST, Leconfield

General

We have been granted access to the Defence School of Transport training area at Leconfield from 18:00 on the Friday until 16:00 on the Sunday. Although principally arranged for members of Hull Natural History Society, other local naturalists are welcome to attend.

To access the training area attendees will need to provide photo identification, such as a driving licence or passport, and will then be issued with a pass at the guardhouse. The pass will cover them for the whole weekend. If you need to be issued with a pass please arrive about 30 minutes before the times shown in the programme below.

Whilst in the secure training area people need to be accompanied by a member of the DST Conservation Group who will also need to let them out.

There is a large car park near the guard house at the entrance to the site. Vehicles can also be taken into the training area. This will probably be necessary for access to the remoter parts.

The guardhouse and car park are at map reference TA023429.

If you are intending to attend any of the sessions below, could you let the Secretary know in advance, email info@hullnats.org.uk. For the longer sessions bring a packed lunch as usual!

Friday May 26

20:30 – 21:30 Opportunity to set moth traps.

Saturday May 27

10:00 – 11:00 Examine catch from moth traps if applicable.

11:00 - 16:00 General recording session possibly in two or more groups depending on numbers. Botany recording to be by monad. The preference is to cover TA0343 initially as this looks interesting and was only partly completed last time.

20:30 – 21:30 Opportunity to set moth traps, followed by the bat walk if desired.

21:00 – 23:00 Bat walk led by Geoff Wilson subject to weather. He has suggested looking in an area around buildings and also near the lakes.

Sunday May 28

10:00 - 11:00 Examine catch from moth traps if applicable.

11:00 – 15:00 General recording session possibly in two or more groups depending on numbers, probably concentrating on monad TA0242.