



LERC Wales Recorders' Symposium 2020

Centre for Alternative Technology, Machynlleth

Saturday 25th April 2020

09:30 Arrival, registration and tea/coffee

10.15 Welcome and introduction from the Chair (*Diana Reynolds, Welsh Government*)

10:20 Setting our specimens free (*Laurence Livermore, Natural History Museum*)

11:00 PoMS: the Pollinator Monitoring Scheme (*Richard Dawson, PoMS volunteer*)

11:30 Comfort Break

11:50 DNA Barcoding: is it for field enthusiasts? (*David Harries, Pembrokeshire Fungi Recorder*)

12:20 Hazel Dormouse Mitigation (*Rebecca Blackman, Pembrokeshire County Council*)

12:50 Question panel

13:00 Lunch (*included, fully vegetarian*)

Workshops

During the afternoon seven workshops will run concurrently; attendees can participate in two of the below:

Workshop 1: Infrared camera trapping for Hazel Dormice (*Den Vaughan, Landsker Ecology*)

Workshop 2: Unusual invertebrate sampling techniques (*Richard Gallon, Cofnod*)

Workshop 3: The practical aspects of DNA extraction (*David Harries, Pembrokeshire Fungus Recording Network*)

Workshop 4: Red Squirrel monitoring techniques (*Craig Shuttleworth, Red Squirrel Survival Trust*)

Workshop 5: Moth trapping methods & techniques (*Norman Lowe, Brecknock Moth Group*)

Workshop 6: Wiki edit-a-thon for natural history (*Laurence Livermore, Natural History Museum*)

Workshop 7: An introduction to *Aculeates* in the Field (*Richard Dawson, PoMS*)

14:00 Workshops Session One

14:50 Comfort break / workshop swap

15:00 Workshops Session Two

15:50 Closing remarks from the Chair (*Diana Reynolds, Welsh Government*)

16:00 Departure

Join us on Sunday 26th April for a Recorders' Field Day at nearby National Nature Reserve Ynyslas Dunes.

Join in on Twitter using the hashtag: #WalesRecord20