

PNHS

List of Winter Programmes from 1995 – 2016

Lecture Programme 1995

The Natural History of Ailsa Craig	Bernard Zonfrillo	13 th January 1995
A Naturalist's Year	George White	10 th February 1995
Members' Night		19 th March 1995
Badgers (SWT)	Carole Fleming	7 th April 1995
AGM & Bring Back Our Butterflies	Richard Sutcliffe	12 th May 1995
Learning about Wildlife	David Mellor	8 th September 1995
Management or Gardening, SWT	Dennis Garratt	13 th October 1995
Scottish Birds of Prey and their Conservation	Duncan Orr-Ewing	10 th November 1995
Christmas Social		8 th December 1995

Lecture Programme 1996

Robins	Shona Quinn	12 th January 1996
Scottish Gemstones	Gordon Todd	9 th February 1996
Lazy Landscapes	Ruth Watkins	12 th April 1996
AGM & Biodiversity Project	Shona Allan	17 th May 1996
The LIPU Project	Iain English	20 th September 1996
Golf and Wildlife	Jonathan Smith	18 th October 1996
Wildlife in the Home	Liz Parsons	15 th November 1996
Christmas Social		13 th December 1996

Lecture Programme Spring 1997

Birds of the Barrhead Reservoirs	Jim Coyle	17 th January 1997
Restoring Degraded Habitats	Nick Marshall	21 st February 1997
Members Night		21 st March 1997
100,000 Years of Renfrewshire's Geological History	Judith Lawson	18 th April 1997
Recent Oil Pollution Events and their Impact on Wildlife	Joy Matthews	16 th May 1997

Lecture Programme 1997-1998

Basking Sharks in the Clyde	David Wilson	12 th September 1997
Dinosaurs – Recent Discoveries	Neil Clark	10 th October 1997
Trees, Woods and Woodlands – talk replaced Christmas Social	Peter Hague	14 th November 1997 12 th December 1997
Lesser Whitethroat Studies	Tom Byars	9 th January 1998
Beetles, Bugs and Butterflies	D Mellor & S Allan	13 th February 1998
Members' Night		13 th March 1998
Icelandic Odyssey	Norman Tait	17 th April 1998
Bats in the Clyde Area	John Haddow	8 th May 1998

Lecture Programme 1998-1999

The Wildlife of Tanzania	Zul Bhetia	17 th September 1998
Local Biodiversity Action Plan Evening	Members & guests	19 th November 1998

Christmas Social	11 th December 1998
Badger Rescue	John Derbyshire 21 st January 1999
Urban Wildlife	Fiona Stewart 18 th February 1999
Members' Night	18 th March 1999
Birds of the Rain Forest	Shona Quinn 15 th April 1999

Lecture Programme 1999-2000

Aspects of Natural History Photography	Norman Tait 16 th September 1999
Scotland's Journey through Space & Time	Simon Cuthbert 21 st October 1999
LBAP Progress	Members & Guests 18 th November 1999
Christmas Social	11 th December 1999
Conflicts in Conservation	Ian Gibson 20 th January 2000
The Work of the RSPB	Scott Paterson 17 th February 2000
Members' Night	16 th March 2000
Reserved for Wildlife?	David Shenton 20 th April 2000
A History of Natural History at Paisley Museum	Shona Allan 18 th May 2000

Lecture Programme 2000-2001

Fungi in Renfrewshire	Alan Silverside 7 th September 2000
An African Safari	Simon Cuthbert 5 th October 2000
Local Biodiversity Evening	Chris Balling 2 nd November 2000
Christmas Social	7 th December 2000

Lecture Programme 2001-2002

My Way with Nature	Duncan McEwan 6 th September 2001
The Hesselhead Story	Andy Christie 4 th October 2001
Biodiversity Evening	David Mellor 1 st November 2001
Christmas Social	6 th December 2001
Darwin's Finches Revisited	Lukas Keller 10 th January 2002
The Woodlands Trust	Cameron Lowe 7 th February 2002
Members' Night	7 th March 2002
The Flowers of Renfrewshire	Keith Watson 4 th April 2002
AGM + Scottish Butterflies	Richard Sutcliffe 2 nd May 2002

Lecture Programme 2002 – 2003

Thrills and Spills in Bolivia	Steven Kirk 5 th September 2002
The Work of the Renfrewshire Access Officer	Kate Cuthbert 3 rd October 2002
Christmas Social	5 th December 2002
Glen Moss	Norman Tait 6 th February 2003
AGM & Members Night	3 rd April 2003

Lecture Programme 2004 – 2005

Hen Harrier Project, Muirshiel	Ian Gibson 2 nd September 2004
Work with the Marine Conservation Society	Calum Duncan 7 th October 2004
Christmas Social	2 nd December 2004
Birds' Nests (National Nest Reference Collection)	Mike Hansell 3 rd February 2005
AGM & Members Night	7 th April 2005

Lecture Programme 2005 – 2006

Flora of Renfrewshire	Keith Watson	September 2005
Scottish Insects (SWT)	Stuart Glenn	October 2005
Christmas Social		1 st December 2005
The Isle of Eigg	Susan Longbridge	2 nd February 2006
AGM & Members Night		6 th April 2006

Lecture Programme 2006 – 2007

Muirshiel Hen Harriers	John Clark	7 th September 2006
Butterflies of SW Scotland	Richard Sutcliffe	5 th October 2006
Christmas Social		7 th December 2006
The Work of the Scottish Wildlife Trust	Gill Smart	1 st February 2007
AGM & Members Night		5 th April 2007

Lecture Programme 2007 – 2008

Wild Bird Photography	Darren O'Brien	6 th September 2007
A History of Natural History Photography	Norman Tait	4 th October 2007
Christmas Social		6 th December 2007
Hedgehogs on Ulst	Andy Christie	1 st February 2008
AGM & Bats the Facts (Clyde Bat Group)	Len Howcutt	3 rd April 2008

Lecture Programme 2008 – 2009

Moth Myths (Moth Recorder for Renfrewshire)	Neil Gregory	4 th September 2008
Alaskan Adventure	David Clugston	2 nd October 2008
Treasures from the Earth	Gordon Todd	6 th November 2008
Christmas Social		4 th December 2008
Clyde Reptiles and Amphibians	Ewan Kane & John Sweeney	8 th January 2009
Wildlife Photography in S. Africa and N Zealand	Duncan McEwan	4 th February 2009
Wildlife Crime in Scotland	Joe Connelly	5 th March 2009
AGM & Members Night		2 nd April 2009

Lecture Programme 2009 - 2010

RSPB in Scotland	Paula Baker	3 rd September 2009
The Clyde River Foundation	Willie Yeomans	1 st October 2009
Fellowship of the Ringers	Shona Quinn	5 th November 2009
Christmas Social		3 rd December 2009
Wildlife of South America	Darren O'Brien	7 th January 2010
Lost Species, the Aspen & the Beaver	Joe Greenlees	4 th February 2010
Millport Marine Biological Station	Geoff Moore	4 th March 2010
AGM & Members Night		1 st April 2010
Red Squirrels (Joint meeting with GNHS & HNHS) & Glasgow Living Water Project	Mel Tonkin	13 th April 2010
	Eilidh Spence	Tutorial

Lecture Programme for 2010 – 2011

Ravens and Magpies, the Truth	Ian Gibson	2 nd September 2010
Flora of Renfrewshire	Keith Watson	7 th October 2010
Wildlife of France	David Mellor	4 th November 2010
Christmas Social		2 nd December 2010

Wildlife of Fuerteventura
Basking Sharks (Joint meeting with GNHS & HNHS)
The John Morgan Moth Records (short presentation)
Amber – Tears of the gods
AGM & The Work of the RSPB

Norman Tait 6th January 2011
Mauvis Gore 3rd February 2011
Neil Gregory “ “
Neil Clark 3rd March 2011
Toby Wilson 7th April 2011

Lecture Programme 2011 – 2012

Paisley's Hidden Landscapes: geological time travel
Farmland Birds & Ayrshire Yellowhammers
Trees, their Importance
Christmas Social
Rainforest Conservation
Return of the Beaver
Soil – teeming with life
AGM and Members' Evening

Simon Cuthbert 1st September 2011
Dawn Thomson 6th October 2011
Bryan Bowes 3rd November 2011
1st December 2011
Stewart White 12th January 2012
Simon Jones (SWT) 2nd February 2012
Colin Campbell 1st March 2012
Past Chairpersons Forum 5th April 2012

Lecture Programme 2012 – 2013

Goatfell – Everything but the Goats
Forestry Commission in Scotland
Butterflies of Ecuador
Christmas Social
Frozen in Flight
Ospreys in the Trossachs (cancelled)
Lesser Whitethroats Update
Wildflowers and Gardens
AGM & Eastriigg Reserve, Lockerbie

Kate Sampson 6th September 2012
Derek Shannon 4th October 2012
Marianne Ward 1st November 2012
6th December 2012
T. Norman Tait 10th January 2013
Robert Fraser-Binns 7th February 2013
Tom Byars 7th February 2013
Roy Sexton 7th March 2013
Jim Rae 4th April 2013

Lecture Programme 2013-2014

Alexander Wilson & the Cape May Warbler
Plants: the Real Silent Witnesses
Adders, Slow-worms & Lizards on Loch Lomondside
Christmas Social
The Flora of Renfrewshire
Scottish Spiders
The Plight of the Bumblebee (Joint Meeting)
AGM & Madagascar: Eden in Crisis

Tom Byars 5th September 2013
Jennifer Miller 3rd October 2013
Chris McInerny 7th November 2013
5th December 2013
Keith Watson 9th January 2014
Chris Cathrine 6th February 2014
Anthony McCluskey 6th March 2014
Judy Hayton 3rd April 2014

Lecture Programme 2014-2015

Geodiversity
Windows on Wildlife
The Scottish Wildcat Project
Christmas Social
Birds of Ayrshire
Water Beetle
Reserved for Nature?
AGM & Fair Isle

Simon Cuthbert 4th September 2014
Hayley Douglas 2nd October 2014
Adrian Davies 6th November 2014
4th December 2014
Angus Hogg 8th January 2015
Garth Foster 5th February 2015
David Shenton 5th March 2015
Ewan Douglas 2nd April 2015

Lecture Programme 2015-2016

Buglife Scotland and Ardeer Peninsula
Plastics and Poo - Threats to our Seas

Suzanne Bairner 3rd September 2015
Catherine Gemmell 1st October 2015

Wildlife in the Yukon
Christmas Social
Hessilhead Wildlife Rescue Centre
Bird-watching in the Three Towns
Big Effort for the Small Blue
AGM & Hunters, Munchers and Management

Paul Tatner 5th November 2015
3rd December 2015
David O'Reilly 14th January 2016
Tom Byars 4th February 2016
Gill Smart 3rd March 2016
Richard Clarkson 7th April 2016

Lecture Programme 2016-2017

Changing fortunes of Eiders in the Clyde
The Forestry Commission in Scotland
All about Badgers
Birding in New York's Central Park
Entomological Adventures on Mingulay
Animal DNA in wildlife crime detection

Chris Waltho 1st September 2016
Derek Shannan 6th October 2016
Jackie Clark 3rd November 2016
Tom Byars 1st December 2016
Jeanne Robinson 12th January 2017
Lucy Webster 2nd February 2017