

RSPB PHOENIX

2019-20

(For ages 12-19 only.)



Additional events

RSPB Phoenix members are invited to attend all Wildlife Explorers Indoor and Outdoor meetings. Specific topics and tasks are provided for RSPB Phoenix members.

Keeping in contact

Please provide your email contact details so we can keep you informed of ad hoc RSPB Phoenix events.

Phoenix are invited to attend the Macclesfield RSPB main group meetings.

Indoor Meetings are held on the second Tuesday of the month at the Senior Citizens Hall Duke St, Macclesfield SK11 6UR

There is ample parking in Duke Street Car Park. Free parking after 6pm. Disabled access is available.

2019

Oct 8 'A Brief History of 40 Years of The RSPB Macclesfield Local Group and Tolliday's Travels - The Best Bits' – David Tolliday

Nov 12 'The Women Who Saved the Birds' -Tessa Boase

2020

Feb 11 'Sri Lanka - The Teardrop Island' – Keith Offord.

April 14 'Tracking birds, mapping the marvels of migration' – Ieuan Evans

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Contact the group's registered leaders:

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CAN YOU HELP?

We rely on volunteers to plan and run our meetings. Without the active help of parents and carers many events would not be possible. If you are able to help occasionally, or regularly, or if you would like to become involved in running our RSPB Wildlife Explorers group, please contact one of our registered leaders. No special skills or knowledge are required, just enthusiasm and an interest in helping children learn about wild birds, wildlife and their environment.

CHILD SAFETY AND WELFARE

The RSPB takes all practicable steps to safeguard the safety and welfare of children and young people while they are in contact with the Society, observing the recommendations of the Home Office code of practice covering England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland, and conforming with all relevant legislation. If you would like to talk to someone about the way the group is run and how you are treated, please call the RSPB on 0800 9178566, between 9am & 5pm Monday to Friday. There is an answer-phone at all other times.

RSPB WILDLIFE EXPLORERS RSPB is the junior section of The Royal Society for the Protection of Birds, The RSPB, The Lodge, Sandy, SG19 2DL

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Macclesfield RSPB Wildlife Explorers and RSPB Phoenix

Programme of Activities
September 2019 / July 2020

Further information and Programme changes are posted on our Website, Twitter & Facebook pages. Please check regularly for updates.

Email: leaders@wildlifeexplorersmacc.co.uk

Website: www.wildlifeexplorersmacc.co.uk

Twitter: @MaccWildlife

Facebook : Macclesfield RSPB wildlife explorers



GENERAL INFORMATION

All Indoor and Outdoor meetings are open to members of the RSPB and the general public. You are warmly invited to attend our meetings, and we look forward to seeing you. All children are signed in and out of our meetings, and a parental consent form and contact telephone number must be provided for all children attending our events. Consent details are re-confirmed at the start of each programme. Disruptive behaviour is not accepted.

INDOOR MEETINGS

Indoor meetings are held at: Salvation Army Hall, Roe Street, Macclesfield, SK11 6UT

We learn about wildlife and the environment through craft activities and environmental games and quizzes.

Charges:

RSPB Members*: £1.50 per child per meeting.

Non-members: £2.50 per child per meeting.

(* RSPB Membership Card or Number required.)

Meeting Times:

6 to 9 years (Yr 1 to Yr4) 6.00 to 7.00pm.

Over 9 years (Yr 5 to teenagers) 7.15pm to 8.30pm.

Meetings start promptly at the times shown, please allow time to 'sign in' before the start of each meeting.

OUTDOOR MEETINGS

No charge - suggested donation £1 per child.

Note: Car Park charges apply at some Outdoor Venues.

Children must be accompanied by a parent or carer for the duration of the meeting.

Please do not bring your dog

Please wear warm, waterproof clothing and footwear, with appropriate sun protection in the summer. In bad weather, before you set out, call 07870 804413 in case of cancellation.

BOOKING FOR EVENTS

Where 'BOOKING IS ESSENTIAL' book your place(s) by contacting Tina Hanak on 07870 804413.

WILDLIFE EXPLORERS 2019



SEPTEMBER

Mon 16 INDOOR - ALL CREATURES GREAT AND SMALL -
A virtual bioblitz.

Sun 22 JODRELL BANK WORK PARTY (including free entry to visitor centre) - Meet at Jodrell Bank car park, Jodrell Bank Arboretum, Macclesfield, SK11 9DW. From 10.30am.
BOOKING ESSENTIAL.

OCTOBER

Sat 12 NATURE NEEDS YOU WELLY WALK - West Park, Macclesfield. Look for our stall near the café. 10am- 2pm.

Mon 21 INDOOR - SECRETS OF SEEDS

NOVEMBER

Sat 9 CONSERVATION WORK - Danes Moss - 10.30am-12.30pm.

Mon 18 INDOOR – SUSTAINABILITY - GETTING GREENER FOR NATURE

DECEMBER

Sun 1 TREE DRESSING & SILLY HAT COMPETITION
Teggsnose Country Park. Meet at Teggsnose Reservoir Car Park, Holehouse Lane, Langley, SK11 0NB. 1.30pm - 3.30pm.

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JANUARY

Mon 20 INDOOR – GARDEN BIRDS COUNT

Sat 25 BIG GARDEN BIRDWATCH - West Park, Prestbury Road, Macclesfield, SK10 3BJ. Meet outside café. 10am -12 noon.

BIG SCHOOLS' BIRDWATCH Jan 2020

Get your school involved! Spend an hour getting to know more about the wildlife visiting your school grounds.

Contact Tina Hanak on **07870 804413** for details

FEBRUARY

Sun 9 CONSERVATION WORK – Coombes Valley.
RSPB Coombes Valley Reserve, Leek ST13. 10.30am – 12.30pm

MARCH

Mon 16 INDOOR – THE LIFE OF LARVAE

Sat 18 CONSERVATION WORK – Macclesfield Forest.

APRIL

Mon 20 INDOOR – GOING, GOING, GONE - Saving Species

Sun 26 DAWN CHORUS - Teggs Nose Country Park. Meet at Teggsnose Reservoir Car Park, Holehouse Lane, Langley, SK11 0NB. 6am - 8am.

BOOKING ESSENTIAL

MAY

Sat 16 NOCTURNAL NATURE – Dusk Walk.
Random Apple Company, Shrigley Fold, Swanscoe, Macclesfield, SK10 5SZ

Mon 18 INDOOR -- MASTERS OF MIGRATION - Summer Visitors

JUNE

Sat 6 RIVERSIDE PARK BIOBLITZ – Riverside Park, Macclesfield

Mon 15 INDOOR - END OF YEAR POLLINATION PARTY - Awards, Presentations, Prizes & Party Games.