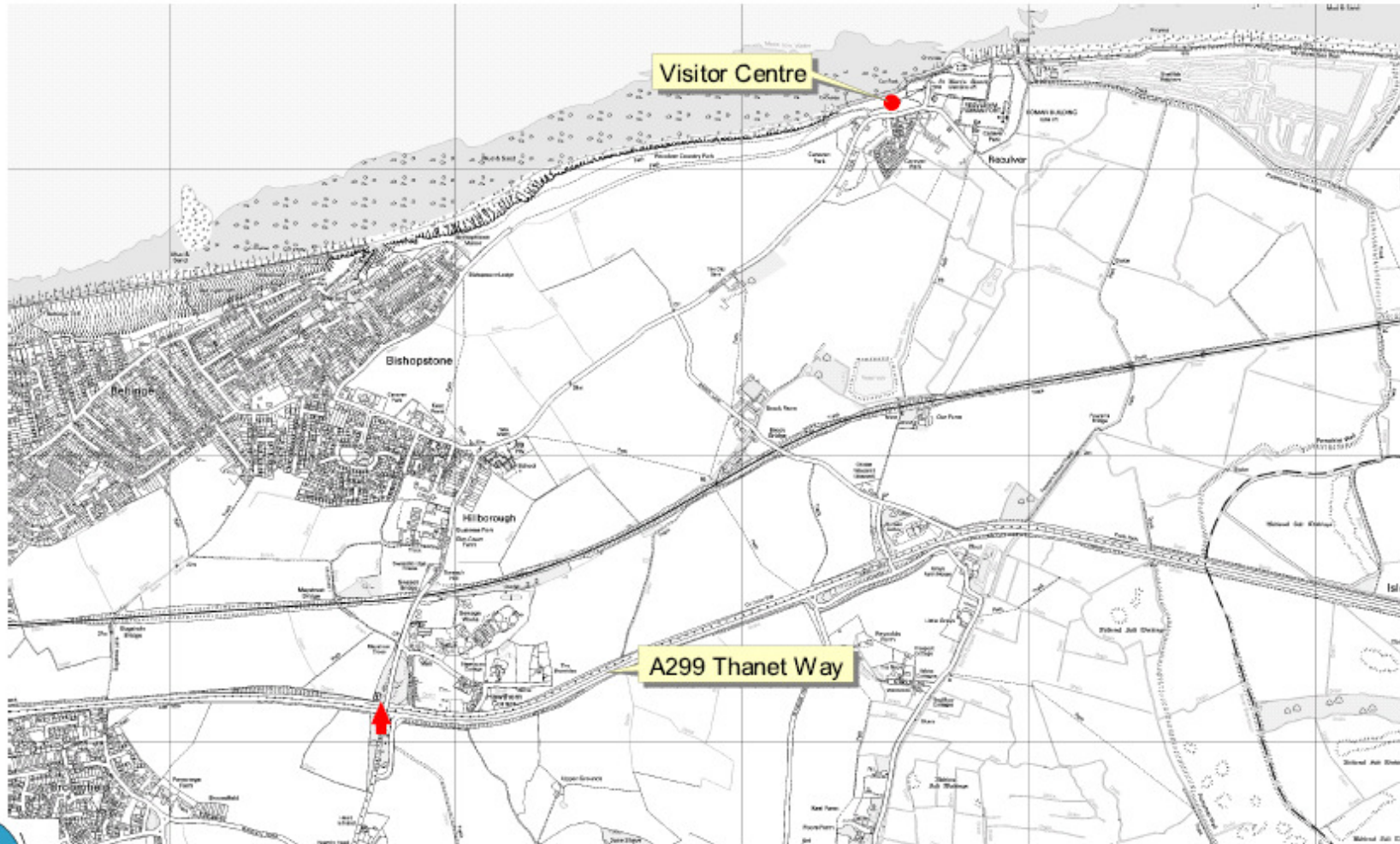


Kent Wildlife Trust Wildlife Study Day Information Sheet

No.	12	Title	An introduction to Kent's shores and a beginners' guide to the life found between the tides.	Date	Monday 24th May 2010
No. of students	15	Start time	10.30am	Finish time	5.45pm
Leaders	Bryony Chapman, KWT Marine Officer Fred Booth, Kent Shoresearch Julie Thomsett, Community Education Officer (East)				
Who should attend	Anyone with an interest in the wildlife to be found between high and low tide. Aimed at those with little or no prior knowledge.				
Meeting place	KWT's Reculver Visitor Centre, below Reculver Towers, between Herne Bay and Thanet on the north Kent coast. (OS Map Ref: TR 225695).				
Other sites to be visited	Reculver foreshore (5-10 minute walk from Centre)				
Programme	10.30 Registration and Coffee 10:40 Indoor session in Reculver Visitor Centre 13.00 Lunch (bring a packed lunch), and view specimens 14.00 Indoor session in Reculver Visitor Centre 14:30 Visit to Reculver shore 17:20 Return to Visitor Centre 17:30 Review 17.45 Close				
Subjects to be covered	An introduction to Kent's varied coasts and shores. An introduction to the main groups of marine plants and animals (covering the features of each main group, and some photographs of species easily recognised, and commonly found around Kent's shores). A review of the marine life ID books that are commonly used. An introduction to how to record shore life and contribute to "Shoresearch" and our knowledge of Kent's marine wildlife.				
What to bring	Warm, weatherproof clothing. Wellies or other sturdy waterproof footwear with good tread. A notebook and pen if you wish to take notes. Hand lens if you have one.				
Other information	Parking should be available in the field beside the visitor centre – turn left through the wooden gates adjacent to the Blue Dolphin pub car park and park near the centre. Alternatively, a Pay and Display car park is adjacent to the Visitor Centre, below Reculver Towers. Nearest train station is at Herne Bay. Tea, coffee and biscuits will be provided. Toilets available beside the Visitor Centre. Please bring a packed lunch.				

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