

Kent Wildlife Trust

Study Days



Identifying Trees in Winter

Challenging but possible! Identification is done by looking at the buds, twigs, bark, shape and size. You will spend some time in the Classroom before going out to identify the trees in the field.

Date: Friday 1 Dec 2017	Time: 10.00am - 4.00pm	Venue: Tyland Barn & Mid Kent	Course Leader: Ros Bennett Botanist	Suitable: Beginners & Improvers
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Birds of Prey of the North Kent Marshes

Spend a day observing birds of prey. Learn how to identify different species and more about their characteristics, habitats and behaviour.

Date: Friday 1 Dec 2017 8 Dec 2017	Time: 10.00am - 4.00pm	Venue: Isle of Sheppey	Course Leader: Tony Swandale Ornithologist	Suitable: All Levels
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Birds of Prey of the North Kent Marshes

The first of this year's Bird Watching Study Days - observing birds of prey. You will look at how to identify different species and learn about their characteristics, habitats and behaviour.

Date: Friday 26 Jan 2018	Time: 10.00am - 4.00pm	Venue: Isle of Sheppey	Course Leader: Tony Swandale Ornithologist	Suitable: All Levels
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Amphibian Ecology and Survey Techniques

Understand the importance of habitats to the different amphibians found at Bough Beech. Recognise the key species and be part of a torchlight survey of some ponds.

Date: Saturday 17 Mar 2018	Time: 14.00pm - 8.00pm	Venue: Bough Beech Visitor Centre	Course Leader: Mandy Apps, Ecologist & KRAG Member	Suitable: Beginners & Improvers
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Learning Bird Song

Have you ever wondered why birds sing? Most species have unique songs. This day will help you identify or recognise birds by sound. Discover the purpose behind their distinctive songs and calls.

Date: Friday 23 Mar 2018	Time: 08.00am - 1.00pm	Venue: Rossenden Woods, part of Blean Woods	Course Leader: Tony Swandale Ornithologist	Suitable: All Levels
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December 2017 to March 2018



Our programme of wildlife study days is designed to help the people of Kent to learn more about the amazing wildlife of the county. Beginners are welcome and those with some experience are also able to improve their knowledge and identification techniques.

The course leaders are knowledgeable in their field but are also pleased to discuss other topics as these arise. We aim to create a relaxed, informal, adaptable atmosphere in which everyone can progress at his or her own speed. All can enjoy the company of others with similar interests.

The normal fee per person per day is £28 with a £5 reduction for senior citizens, students, those unemployed and registered Trust volunteers. If you are booking through an employer, a corporate rate of £50 per day will apply and invoice can be supplied. Early booking is advisable as places are limited.

We are offering this and other courses this winter and in early spring next year. To book, please contact Dot Hughes or Liz Carr at Kent Wildlife Trust on 01622 662012 or email studydays@kentwildlife.org.uk. For further details of these and other courses, please visit our website at <http://www.kentwildlifetrust.org.uk/>

Nature is in trouble and by attending one of our Study Days you will be discovering how you can help protect wildlife for the future.



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