Durham Bat Group and other Events 2010

North Cemetery Hartlepool
Friday 14th May 8.30pm start

Meet the tame barn owl followed by a bat walk and moth trap by expert Ian Bond. Please call 01429 523431 to book your place or for further information email Ian Bond ian.bond@hartlepool.gov.uk. Children under 16 must be accompanied by an adult.

Cost: Free
Meet at: Jesmond Road entrance NZ499332

Harperley Wood Bat Walk
20th May 8.10 / 8.30pm start

Guided walk in and around Harperley wood armed with bat detectors, to hopefully find bats flying around the Harperley hotel and surrounding area. Please dress suitably for the weather and bring a torch and lots of enthusiasm. This event is suitable for adults and families

Cost: Free
Meet at: the car park of the Harperley hotel, Tanfield. NZ177531
Contact: Cheryl Nicholson: cnicholson@durhamwt.co.uk
Sarah Edwards: sedwards@durhamwt.co.uk
0191 5843112.

Detector Training at Escomb
Tuesday 25th May 8.30pm

For more Information contact Noel Jackson on 01207 560684

Cost: Free
Meet at: Escomb Church, Escomb Village County Durham
Contact: Noel Jackson

Middleton in Teesdale – Bat Survey
Wednesday 16th June 9.00pm

For more information contact Noel Jackson on 01207 560684.

Cost: Free
Meet at: Middleton Centre, Bridge Street, Middleton-in-Teesdale

Hamsterly Bat Box check (DBG MEMBERS ONLY)
Sunday 8th August.

We will be meeting on site for 10:30am and would expect the checks to last at least 3 hours if not longer.
I will need to compile an attendance list ahead of time, so will email round the week before to gather names and numbers and give information on the exact meeting place and kit required.
Contact Clare via DBG email for more information.

Low Barns Bat Walk
Saturday 21st August 2010, Starting at 7.45 pm

Durham Wildlife Trust invites you to come down to Low Barns Nature Reserve, Witton-le-Wear and join us for a bat talk and walk around the nature reserve. Make sure you are warmly dressed with suitable footwear and a preferably a torch! The event is free but booking is essential: 0191 584 3112.

Cost: Free
Meet at: Low Barns Visitors Centre, Witton-le-Wear, DL14 0AG
Contact: Durham Wildlife Trust, 0191 584 3112, mail@durhamwt.co.uk

Bats – Mysterious Creatures of the Night
Tuesday 24th August, 7:30pm start
at Bede's World
Discover more about the captivating world of bats. Create your very own bat box to take home, enjoy an illustrated talk on these fascinating creatures and join in our guided walk in search of our furry friends. Hot refreshments provided. Please dress suitably for the weather.
This is an event organised by Bede's World for the general public.
The talk and walk is being led by Clare Rawcliffe, Countryside Officer, South Tyneside Council / Durham Bat Group.
Booking is essential as numbers are limited. £4 per ticket or £12.50 for a family ticket.
Meet at: Bedes World, Church bank, Jarrow. Tyne & Wear NE32 3DY.
Contact: Bede's World 0191 4892106 Email: visitor.info@bedesworld.co.uk

Bat walk at Watergate Forest Park
Wednesday 25th August 7.30-10.30pm
A short walk to explore the park at night and see what bats we have at Watergate Forest Park. Please bring suitable footwear, clothing and a torch.
The talk and walk is organised by Gateshead Council,
Please contact Thornley Woodlands Centre to book your place.
(£2 per person)
Meet in the main carpark of Watergate Forest Park, off Whickham Highway, near Lobley Hill.

Greatham village, Hartlepool
Sunday 29th August; 8pm start

Join Ian Bond for a walk around Greatham Village watching bats,
No need to book.

Cost: Free
Meet at: Community Centre, Greatham NZ492277
Contact: Ian Bond 01429 523431ian.bond@hartlepool.gov.uk

Bat Talk and Walk at Thornley
Saturday 11th September 7.30pm

Join Jim Jones for a short presentation on bats and their habitats, followed by a walk to the river and woodland to listen and see several bat species. Please bring a torch and come equipped with suitable footwear and clothing. **Please contact Thornley Woodlands Centre to book your place.**

Cost: £2.50 per person
Meet at: Thornley Woodlands Centre
Contact: 01207 545212