



**Butterfly
Conservation**

Saving butterflies, moths and their habitats



National Butterfly Recorders' Meeting Saturday 17th March 2012

Lyttleton Theatre at The Birmingham and Midland Institute

PROGRAMME

- 10.00 am BNM Local Co-ordinator / County Recorder meeting in Lyttleton Theatre
- 10.30 am Arrival and Coffee (in Gallery Room)**
- 10.55 am Welcome & Introduction - *Dr Jim Asher (Butterfly Conservation)*
- 11.00 am Butterflies for the New Millennium: butterfly recording scheme update
- *Richard Fox (Butterfly Conservation)*
- 11.20 am Butterfly monitoring update - *Dr Tom Brereton (Butterfly Conservation)*
- 11.40 am Levana software - developments and user needs - *Dr Jim Asher (Butterfly Conservation)*
- 12.00 pm 30 years of monitoring and recording butterflies in Derbyshire - *Ken Orpe (BNM Co-ordinator for Derbyshire & Transect Co-ordinator for the East Midlands Branch)*
- 12.20 pm Getting the most out your butterfly data - *Dr Andy Barker (Chairman & Transect Co-ordinator for Hants & Isle of Wight Branch)*
- 12.40 pm Lunch (in Gallery Room)**
- 1.50 pm How 40 years' voluntary recording has transformed our knowledge of the ecology and conservation needs of butterflies - *Professor Jeremy Thomas OBE (University of Oxford)*
- 2.25 pm Putting butterflies on the conservation agenda in Ireland: the Irish Red List and the Irish Butterfly Monitoring Scheme - *Dr Eugenie Regan (National Biodiversity Data Centre)*
- 2.45 pm Conserving threatened butterflies at the landscape-scale: case-studies from around the UK - *Dr Sam Ellis (Butterfly Conservation)*
- 3.05 pm Swallowtail monitoring – a Norfolk problem - *Dr Chris Dawson (Transect and WCBS Co-ordinator for Norfolk Branch)*
- 3.25 pm Coffee (in Gallery Room)**
- 4.00 pm Are nature reserves pointless for butterflies in the warming world?
- *Dr Pippa Gillingham (University of York)*
- 4.20 pm Butterfly Trends for 2011: Results from the UKBMS - *Dr Marc Botham (Centre for Ecology & Hydrology)*
- 4.40 pm Closing Comments - *Dr Jim Asher (Butterfly Conservation)*
- 4.45 pm Meeting Closes**



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