Clarkston and East Kilbride Activities

A number of outdoor events are arranged throughout the year, the timing of which depends on the weather etc. Details will be posted on our website (<u>scottishwildlifetrust.org.uk/local-group/</u> <u>clarkston-and-east-kilbride/</u>) and sent out to those on our email list nearer the time of the event. If you do not have access to a computer and would like information about the events, please contact Paul for details.

Contact Paul Duffty 01355 302643.

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Mon 17 September 2018 at 7.30pm to 9.30pm

Bats - Why should we care?

Elisabeth Ferrell, from the Bat Conservation Trust, will give an introduction to the work of the charity, the bats found in the UK and why we should all care about these unique mammals. If the weather is good, this talk will be followed by a short Bat Watch outside the hall. You never know, the building may have a bat roost! Bat detecters will be available, but feel free to bring along your own.

Meet at Duff Memorial Hall, Main Street, Busby.G76 8DX. Suggested donation:- Members £2, non-members £3 Contact Lesley Duffty 07802 500643

Mon 15 October 2018 at 7.30pm to 9.30pm

Garnock Connections Project

The Garnock Connections Project's vision is of a landscape with the River Garnock at its heart, forming a connection from the Muirsheil Hills to Irvine Bay, around which the natural and historical wealth of the valley is enhanced. Alex Page, Project Manager of the Garnock Connection Landscape Patnership, will talk about the work of the project.

Meet at Duff Memorial Hall, Main Street, Busby.G76 8DX. Suggested donation:- Members £2, non-members £3 Contact Lesley Duffty 07802 500643 Mon 19 November 2018 at 7.30pm to 9.30pm

Coll and Tiree

David Palmer, wildlife photographer, will talk to us about Coll and Tiree which share a westerly position and are the sunniest places in western Scotland. The two islands have a lot in common, but there are also significant differences in scenery and bird life. This illustrated talk will touch on these and will also include plants and bumble bees.

Meet at Duff Memorial Hall, Main Street, Busby.G76 8DX. Suggested donation:- Members £2, non-members £3 Contact Liz McTeague 07749 774648