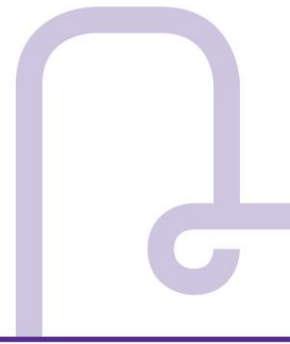


CHILCOMB HOUSE



Grasshopper and Cricket Identification Workshop

Date: Saturday 9 September 2017 10.00am - 4.00pm

Venue: Hampshire Cultural Trust, Chilcomb House, Chilcomb Lane, Winchester, SO23 8RB.

Tel 01962 8278189.

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Cost: £25.00 (to include tea/coffee; participants to provide their own packed lunch).
Prior booking essential (numbers limited to 20)

There are a limited number of subsidised (half course fee) places for students provided by the [John Spedan Lewis Trust](#) Please check availability at time of booking.

Leader: Bryan Pinchen

The chirruping of grasshoppers & crickets are a familiar sound on warm summer days but how many of us can tell the species apart. What distinguishes a Wood Cricket from a Long-winged Cone-head or a Cepero's Ground-hopper from a Slender Ground-hopper? Find out during this one-day workshop which provides an introduction to the Orthoptera of Hampshire and their identification.

The day is suitable for anyone aged 18 and over and will include various talks and demonstrations by the leader. However, the emphasis for the day is very much on participants having a go themselves at identifying actual specimens using the microscopes and identification keys provided.

During the afternoon session (weather permitting), we will search the grounds of Chilcomb House to demonstrate the fieldwork techniques used to find and record species in their natural habitat.

Location: Chilcomb House, Chilcomb Lane, Winchester SO23 8RB

Opening times: Open by appointment Mon-Fri 9am-5pm

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