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Please contact the appropriate Recorder with any finds or sightings that you make, either by telephone or e-mail: the email address of each Recorder is listed on the Contact page of the Club's website [www.whitbynaturalists.uk].

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LECTURE PROGRAMME



ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS

£12 Adults
£6 Junior Members

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Date	Lecture Title / Event	Speaker(s)	Organisation
2026			
3rd October	Linking Levisham Landscape Recovery Project	Hannah Kingsbury	NYMNPA
10th October	Clues in the landscape to the history of the North York Moors	Jane Ellis	WNC
17th October	Ghost signs Part 2	Pete Craggs	Independent
24th October	The unfettered nature of Whitby	Mark Fisher	WNC
7th November	Shield bugs and allies of North and East Yorkshire	Allan Rodda and Sam Newton	Scarborough Field Naturalists/Ryedale Naturalists
14th November	The surveillance and monitoring of coastal waters	Ralf Bublitiz	NorthEastern IFCA
28th November	The Invention of Nature - the legacy of Alexander von Humboldt	Rick Harwood	WNC
2027			
13th February	AGM and Photo Competition	Roger Payn	WNC
20th February	Update on Darwin project	David Minter and Gihan Soliman	WNC
27th February	Strandline monitoring	Keith Clarkson	
6th March	Science Festival	Details to follow	Whitby Museum
20th March	Kirkdale Cave, William Buckland, and The Deluge	Tim Burnhill	WNC

All meetings start at 2pm. Unless otherwise indicated, the venue is the Normanby Room, Whitby Museum. A suggested donation of £1.00 (Members) and £2.00 (Visitors) on the door.

This programme is posted in Pannett Park Museum on the Notice Board adjacent to the reception desk. Information about each lecture, including a summary of content will also be made available through the Club's website and social media.