

Citizen & Community Science Benefits and Challenges for LERCs

PROGRAMME

- 10:00 Welcome
- 10:05 **Involving the Public In National Projects**
- 10:10 Peter Crow - Forest Research - Observatree
- 10:30 Judith Garforth - Nature's Calendar
- 10:55 Break**
- 11:05 Dr Lawrence Ball – Bugs Matter
- 11:30 Prof Seirian Sumner – The Big Wasp Survey
- 12:00 **ALERC AGM**
- 12:30 Lunch**
- LERCs' Community and Citizen Science Projects**
- 13:00
- * ERICNE – Ancient Woods and Modern Citizens
 - * CBDC – Forgotten Lands of the North Pennines
 - * Record – Chester's First City Nature Challenge
 - * WWBIC – The Big Meadow Search Project
 - * DBRC – Monitoring Local Wildlife Sites
 - * SEWBRec – A Fresh Spin on Bioblitzes
- 13:50 Break**
- 14:00 **An In-Depth Look At Engaging The Public And The Data They Collect (Breakouts)**
- * Citizen Science the Nurturing Nature Way – Jon Isherwood, WSBRC
 - * Urban Wildlife Project and resources for volunteers– Becky Clover, NHM
 - * NBN Atlas & iNaturalist Update - Giselle Sterry & Sophia Ratcliffe, NBN Trust
 - * The Challenges of Citizen Science Data & Conservation Technology Tools
Leon DeBell, ALERC
- 14:45 Plenary
- 15:00 End

Conference Recording



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(You will need to set up an account if you don't already have one, and then go to Community, Projects and search for Conference 2023. NB change the Licence if you want your LERC to use the data.)

Opens 1pm Weds 18th and closes 1pm Weds 19th

Plenty of time to upload your photographs.

We are looking forward to seeing the final map of Autumn 2023 wildlife across the LERC network.

CONFERENCE 2023
19th October 10am-3pm

