



# Wildlife Tours & Education

## Day Tours Around Norfolk



### Birders Day Tour

Pick up from your home or accommodation in Norfolk and a tour designed to seek out the special birds of the region. Hot drinks and all transport included.

£65



### Photographing Wildlife Day

Pick up from your home or accommodation in Norfolk this is a tour with the digital photographer in mind. Expert tuition on camera techniques as well as putting you in front of wildlife. Hot drinks and all transport included.

Check out our own **Wildcatch Photography** site.

<https://wildcatchphotography.zenfolio.com/>

£75



### The Norfolk Safari

Pick up from your home or accommodation in Norfolk for a tour of all manner of wildlife in and around Norfolk during the day. Hot drinks and all transport included.

As seen on BBC – Look East

£69

## Special Day Tours

**2024**

**Sun 21<sup>st</sup> Apr 2024 Minsmere Migration:** Bird migration will be well underway by the end of April - meet in West Runton or on route £59 or £55 if meeting there.

**Sun 28<sup>th</sup> Apr 2024 Essex Birding Day:** Abberton Reservoir and surrounding area for early spring migrants including Nightingales and very late winter migrants £59 or £55 if meeting there.

**Sun 12<sup>th</sup> May 2024 Skipper and Small Blue Butterfly Day:** A day in West Norfolk and the Brecks looking for scarce butterflies; Small Blue, Dingy and Grizzled Skippers - meet in West Runton or on route £59 or £55 if meeting there.



**Fri 31<sup>st</sup> May 2024 Badger Evening:** An evening at a Badger Sett - hot drinks included - meet at a prearranged central Norfolk site £35

**Sun 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2024 Chequered Skipper Day:** A day in Northamptonshire looking for the newly reintroduced Chequered Skipper butterfly - meet in West Runton £69 **Tour Full**



**Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2024 Badger Evening:** An evening at a Badger Sett - hot drinks included - meet at a prearranged central Norfolk site £35

**Sun 16<sup>th</sup> Jun 2024 Norfolk Hawker and Swallowtails:** A day in the Norfolk Broads seeking out Norfolk's two most iconic insects: meet in West Runton. £59 **Tour Full**



**Fri 21<sup>st</sup> Jun 2024 Nightjar Evening:** Meet in West Runton for an evening watching Woodcock and Nightjars £35

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**Sun 23<sup>rd</sup> Jun 2024 Summer Tour for Heath Fritillary and White-legged Damselfly:** A day tour to the neighbouring counties of Essex and Cambridgeshire seeking two of our most iconic insects: meet in West Runton or on route. £65

**Weds 17<sup>th</sup> Jul 2024 Norfolk Butterfly Day:** A quest to see half of the UK's butterfly species on just one day - meet in West Runton £59

**Sun 4<sup>th</sup> Aug 2024 Norfolk Wader Day:** A tour of the Norfolk coastline searching for waders returning south after breeding in the arctic - meet in West Runton £55

**Tues 6<sup>th</sup> Aug 2024 Frampton Marsh Day:** A day trip to Lincolnshire to see passage Waders, Grebes and anything else we can find - meet in West Runton £65

**Sun 11<sup>th</sup> Aug 2024 Silver Spotted Skipper Day:** A tour to Oxfordshire searching for Silver Spotted Skippers as well as other Butterfly species - meet in West Runton or pick up on route £65

**Sun 18<sup>th</sup> Aug 2024 Brown Hairstreak Day:** A tour to Oxfordshire in search of the most elusive of butterflies: the Brown Hairstreak - meet in West Runton or pick up on route £69

**Sun 25<sup>th</sup> Aug 2024 Adonis Blue Day** – A tour outside the county looking for the beautiful and enigmatic Adonis Blue Butterfly – meet in West Runton or on route £65

**Sun 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept 2024 Stone Curlew Day** – A tour into South Norfolk and maybe North Suffolk heaths looking for the pre migratory gatherings of Stone Curlews – meet in West Runton or pick up on route £59

**Sun 29<sup>th</sup> Sep 2024 Norfolk Migration Day:** A day along the coast looking for migrants – meet in West Runton: £59



**Sun 20<sup>th</sup> Oct 2024 Minsmere Migration:** Autumn bird migration will be at its peak meet in West Runton or on route £59 or £55 if meeting there.

**Sun 27<sup>th</sup> Oct 2024 Norfolk Migration Day:** A day along the coast looking for migrants – meet in West Runton: £55

**Sun 8<sup>th</sup> Dec 2024 Winter Visitor Day:** A day along the coast looking for Winter Visitors – meet in West Runton: £55



## Longer Tours

A full itinerary for each longer tour is available on the website.

## 2024



**Scottish Birders Week** 7 days 4th to 10th April 2024 searching for and watching the special birds of the Scottish Highlands. £1799  
**TOUR FULL**



**Cumbrian Fritillary Tour.** 2 days 5th and 6th June 2024 searching for and watching two special Butterflies of the Cumbrian Hills; the Pearl Bordered and Small Pearl Bordered Fritillary. £368 **TOUR FULL**

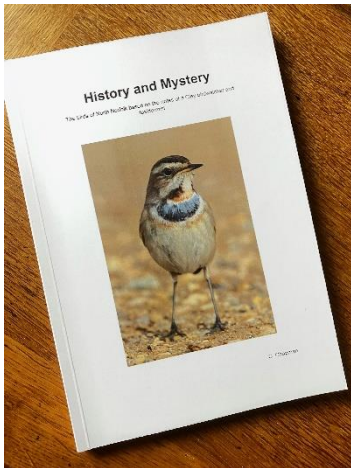


**Knepp Estate and surrounding area** 1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2024 Breeding White Storks to Club tailed Dragonflies are all on the agenda as well as orchids and butterflies.  
£692 **TOUR FULL**



**Bird Watching on the Isles of Scilly** 8 days during 10<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> October 2024 searching for and watching migrating birds on the beautiful Isles of Scilly. £1959 **TOUR FULL**

## **Books for Sale**



### **History and Mystery by Carl Chapman**

When I was gifted a copy of Witherby's 'A Hand List of British Birds' for the Norfolk and Norwich Naturalists' Society research library, I initially didn't realise its significance. The book published in 1912 was the personal copy of Harry Pashley, a taxidermist that lived in Cley next the Sea on the north Norfolk coast during the late 19th and early 20th Century. Stitched into the binding were Harry's own personal notes.

'History and Mystery' is a 131pp transcript of those notes coupled with additional research and over 70 photographs of birds seen in north Norfolk.

The notes depict a different time before today's excellent optics when birdwatching was carried out with a gun. This led to the phrase 'what is hit is history, what is missed is mystery'. The history of why Cley and the Norfolk coast became so good for birdwatching is contained within its pages.

The price of £18 includes packaging and 2nd class postage within the UK. £15 collection.

Order at <https://wildlifetoursandeducation.co.uk/book-orders>