



EVENTS CALENDAR

2016–2017

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	SEPTEMBER 2016	OCTOBER 2016	NOVEMBER 2016	DECEMBER 2016	JANUARY 2017	FEBRUARY 2017	MARCH 2017
TALKS/EVENTS SKERRIES RUBGY CLUB 20:30 ➔	–	Tues 4 th <i>Red Kites in Ireland - the last five years & the next five years...!</i> Dr Marc Ruddock Northern Ireland Raptor Study Group	Tues 1 st <i>The LIFE and times of Rockabill Roseates: 1989-2020</i> Dr Steve Newton Birdwatch Ireland	–	Fri 27 th GREAT ANNUAL TABLE QUIZ Support BWI conservation projects in Fingal	Tues 7 th <i>My Local Patch</i> Joe Curtis	Tues 7 th <i>The Wet and Wild Bogs of Ireland</i> by Nuala Madigan Irish Peatland Conservation Council
Irish Wetland Bird Survey (I-WeBS) CENSUS COUNTS ROGERSTOWN ESTUARY* ➔	*Meeting point at the Plant Market car park, Blake's Cross (on the N1) Counts commence 30 mins after meeting time. High Water (HW) time/height given. Members & enthusiasts are encouraged to participate in the monthly winter census of wetland birds at Rogerstown Estuary. Collection of this data is vital for monitoring species numbers and conserving their habitats.						
	Sat 17 th Sept Meet 11:00 HW12:53, 4.3m	Sat 15 th Oct Meet 10:00 HW11:45, 4.2m	Sat 5 th Nov Meet 13:00 HW14:46, 3.6m	Sat 3 rd Dec Meet 11:30 HW13:39, 3.9m	Sat 14 th Jan Meet 11:00 HW12:52, 4.4m	Sat 11 th Feb Meet 10:00 HW11:52, 4.3m	Sat 11 th Mar Meet 09:00 HW10:50, 4.1m
	SEPT 2016–MAR 2017		NOVEMBER 2016	February 2017	MAY 2017		JULY/AUGUST 2017
OTHER OUTDOOR EVENTS	ROGERSTOWN HIDES ▪ Northern BWI Hide —open access all year ▪ Frank McManus Hide —wardened 10:00–16:00 Sat & Sun September– March		FIELD OUTING Wexford Slobs Sat. 12 November 10:30–18:00 Meeting place TBC	FIELD OUTING TBC with another Branch outing Sat. 25 th February Meet xxxx	KNOW YOUR BIRDSONG —a guided walk in Ardgillan Demesne for the DUSK CHORUS Tues 2 nd May 19:30–21:00 Meet at Car Park	DAWN CHORUS —a guided walk in Turvey Nature Park, Donabate. Sun. 14 th May Meet 07:00 at Car Park	SHENICK ISLAND WALK Date TBC Meet xx:xx at the Brook Stream, South Strand, Skerries