

North of England Raptor Conference Programme
11th November 2006

9.00 Registration: Coffee and tea available

Chair: Paul Irving, Yorkshire Dales Upland Bird Study Group

9.50 Introduction

Anne Middleton, Northumbria Ringing Group

10.00 Monsters in our Midst – the story of the Catterick Eagle Owls
Tony Crease, Swaledale Ringing Group

10.35 Peregrines - a study in North England & Scotland utilising Passive Integrated Transponders
George Smith, Lothian Raptor Group

11.10 Coffee and Tea Break

Chair: Garry Marchant, North York Moors Raptor Study Group

11.40 National Wildlife Crime Unit
Chris Kerr

11.45 Goshawks in the Borders
Malcolm Henderson, Borders Raptor Group

12.20 The North of England raptor study groups – the future.
David Raw on behalf of the Northern England Raptor Forum

1.00 Lunch

Chair: Martin Davison, Northumbria Ringing Group

2.00 The Hen Harrier Recovery Project
Stephen Murphy, English Nature

2.35 The Hen Harrier Dialogue - an opportunity to move from conflict to consensus?
Mike King, The Environment Council

3.05 Discussion

3.20 Coffee and Tea Break

Chair: David Raw, Durham Upland Bird Study Group

3.45 Durham Long-eared Owl Survey
Geoff Siggins and Steve Evans, Durham Bird Club

4.20 Closing remarks

4.30 Close of conference

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