

FESTIVAL BOWLAND 2018

EVENTS IN APRIL

RSPB Moorland Walk

Saturday 14th and Saturday 28th April

9.30am – 2.30pm

Slaidburn

Join us for a walk along one of the Forest of Bowland's most stunning valleys and learn more about the international importance of the area of birds of prey and the rare upland habitat they call home during the spring and summer months.

£5, 3 to 4 miles, terrain guide 3

Booking essential. Contact the RSPB office on 01524 581001 or email bowlandsafari@rspb.org.uk

Lapwings & Hares Tramper Trek

Saturday 21st April

10am – 12.30pm

Claughton, near Garstang

Join the countryside rangers to look for lapwing and maybe a hare or two. Bring binoculars if you have them.

£3.50/£2.50, terrain guide 4, 2 to 3 miles, Tramper-friendly

Booking essential. Contact 01995 602125 or email garstangtic@wyre.gov.uk

Whimbrel Watch

Wednesday 25th April

8pm-10pm

Barnacre

Come and watch the spectacular site as these beautiful birds fly in to roost at dusk.

£3.50/£2.50, terrain guide 2, 3 ½ miles

Booking essential. Contact 01995 602125 or email garstangtic@wyre.gov.uk

Craft Courses

Friday 20th April

10am – 4.30pm

Be a Garden Maker, Wigglesworth

Learn how to stone carve with Chris Swales and make a wildlife-themed carving to take home.

OR

Join Sally Anne Middleton who will teach you how to make a needle felt hare to take home.

(Both courses include lunch and all refreshments.)
£65

Booking essential. Contact 01729 840848 or email hello@beagardenmaker.co.uk

Newton Wildlife Ramble

Saturday 21st April

2pm – 5pm

Newton in Bowland

A walk along the lovely River Hodder searching for wildflowers, birds and insects. Bring ID books if you have them. Wellington boots recommended as the paths can be muddy!

Free, terrain guide 3, approx 1 mile

Booking essential.

Email geoff.morries@outlook.com

Snipes and Hares

Sunday 29th April

8am-10am

Bleasdale

Join the rangers in search of springtime upland wildlife!

£3.50/£2.50, terrain guide 3, 2 to 3 miles

Booking essential. Contact 01995 602125 or email garstangtic@wyre.gov.uk

