SEPTEMBER

Wednesday 9th - 7pm

Indoor ***The Rarity Garden*** **- Richard Baines**

Tuesday 15th - 9.00am

Outdoor ***Alkborough Flats*** - Meet in the car park at bottom of Prospect Lane. DN15 9JN

What3Words: chats.strumming.denoting

OCTOBER

Saturday 10th - 9am

Outdoor ***Spurn/Kilnsea Wetlands***. Meet in the car park at Kilnsea Wetlands HU12 0UD

What3Words: political.upgrading.scowls

Wednesday 14th - 7pm

Indoor ***Birds of India - Tony Sawbridge***

Tuesday 20th - 9am

Outdoor ***North Cave*** - Meet at the car park area near entrance. HU15 2LY

What3Words: winning.myths.guideline

NOVEMBER

Wednesday 11th - 7pm

Indoor ***Birds of Cyprus*** **- John Gardner**

Tuesday 17th - 9am

Outdoor ***Donna Nook***. Meet in the Stonebridge car park where parking is free. If this is full use the other car park, which charges £5 per car. LN11 7PD

What3Words: deflated.stiletto.flux

DECEMBER

Wednesday 9th - 2.30pm

Indoor ***Xmas Social*** *with quiz, photographs and talk* ***Birding in the Danube Delta in Roumania*** **- Keith Smith**

Tuesday 15th - 9.00am

Outdoor ***Adwick Washlands*** (*Harlington)*. Meet in the car park DN5 7FR. Walk and optional lunch at Pastures Lodge.

What3Words: erupt.unfounded.clipboard

JANUARY

Wednesday 13th - 7pm

Indoor **N*ottinghamshire Wildlife*** **- Jack Perks**

Tuesday 19th - meet between 8.15-9am

Outdoor ***Rufford Abbey Country Park (Ollerton)***
Meet in the car park. (Entry Fee including parking) NG22 9DF

What3Words: ignoring.strapping.guides

FEBRUARY

Wednesday 10th - 7pm

Indoor ***Windhover*** **- Laurence Rose**

Tuesday 16th - 9.30am

Outdoor ***RSPB Old Moor*** - Meet in the car park. S73 0YF

What3Words: smarting.flasks.skate

MARCH

Wednesday 10th - 7pm

Indoor ***Mongolian Wildlife*** **- Matthew Capper**

Tuesday 16th - 9.00am

Outdoor ***RSPB Far Ings*** - *Barton upon Humber.* Meet in the car park at Ness End Farm DN18 5RG

What3Words: warthog.monday.fade

APRIL

Saturday 10th - 9.30am

Outdoor ***Tophill Low***. Meet in the car park. YO25 9RH

What3Words: crashing.squish.removers

Wednesday 14th - 7pm

Indoor ***Talk by Steven Lovell (subject to be confirmed)***

Tuesday 20th - 9.15am

Outdoor ***RSPB St Aidans***. Meet in the main car park. LS26 8AL

What3Words: venues.contoured.prune

MAY

Wednesday 12th - 7pm

Indoor ***AGM and Evening of Nature Videos***

Tuesday 18th - 9am

Outdoor ***RSPB Blacktoft Sands***. Meet in the main car park. DN14 8HR

What3Words: enclosing.logs.quits

Other visits

Late May (date to be confirmed)

Subject to the weather and good ground conditions we have an annual visit to Hatfield Moors to hear the unique calls of the nightjar and hopefully see them. They only appear as the sun goes down so this is an evening visit starting at 7.30pm and we usually make our way back to the cars at about 10.30pm. Bring a torch and suitable clothing. Mozzies are usually about so you will need protection from them.

Website/Facebook

Our website provides further information including:

- Latest news and blogs
- More details on the sites we visit including what3words location identification for greater accuracy.
- Details on the group.

Website: group.rspb.org.uk/doncaster

facebook.com/groups/rspbdoncaster

Indoor Events

Indoor events are held at Armthorpe Community Centre, 20, Church Street, Armthorpe DN3 3AG. There is free parking and good access for people with disabilities.

Charges are:
Members £2 Non-members £4

Non-members are very welcome. Children under 16 free **(but must be accompanied by an adult).**

NB All indoor meetings commence at 7.00pm (except AGM 6.45pm) and doors open at 6.30pm. They will finish by 9pm.

Outdoor Events

Meet at the venue at the time stated. **Please advise Peter Cox so that he knows if anyone is actually going and who to expect.**

Directions can be supplied.

If you have no transport, or have spare seats, or are a non-member wishing to try a field trip please contact Peter Cox during the previous week.

A small donation to the RSPB is requested from non-members.

Some venues are suitable for wheelchairs. Please ask.

Bring binoculars (if possible), appropriate outdoor clothing (avoid bright colours and noisy fabrics) and something to eat, unless we indicate there is a café.

If you are new to bird watching this is the ideal way to learn, as more experienced members are only too pleased to help.

Trips Organiser: Peter Cox:

Mobile: 07747 774710

Programme 2026/27

The local group is composed of members who want to learn more about birds and conservation, go on visits, and locally support the valuable work of the RSPB in various ways.

Non-members of the group are very welcome to join in any of the activities in this programme.

Advantages of group membership include:

- Annual newsletter
- Advance notice of meetings and reminders
- Reduced fee to indoor events
- No fee for outdoor events
- Regular news and updates by email
- Members only WhatsApp group

Annual group membership fees

(These are separate from RSPB membership, which is not required to join the group)

Over 16yrs	£12
Couple	£20
Children up to 16yrs	Free*

(*Must be accompanied by an adult)

To join the group or for general enquiries contact the Group Leader: Steve Pynegar

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