

Status and Future of Curlew in Wales Workshop

Royal Welsh Agricultural Showground, Builth Wells, Wednesday 24th January 2018

09.30-10.00 Arrivals, registration and coffee

10.00 – 11.25 SETTING THE SCENE Chair Dave Rees

10.00-10.10	Welcome and introduction	Mary Colwell
10.10-10.20	The importance of Curlews in Wales	Iolo Williams
10.20-10.30	The national picture and status of Curlew in Wales.	Patrick Lindley
10.30-10.40	A sheep farmer's perspective	Phil Stocker
10.40-10.55	RSPB Curlew trial management project (north Wales)	David Smith and Fiona Walker
10.55-11.10	Tagging breeding Curlew	Rachel Taylor
11.10-11.25	Update on nest monitoring, Curlew Country, Shropshire	Tony Cross

--- 11.25-11.45 Morning coffee ---

11.45 – 13.30 CURLEW CONSERVATION Chair Rachel Taylor

11.45-12.00	Does predator control work for waders?	Andrew Hoodless
12.00-12.15	Predator control, waders and conflict	Steve Redpath
12.15-12.30	Curlew, people and recovery action in Ireland	Barry McMahon
12.30-12.45	Update Ireland Curlew Task Force	Barry O'Donoghue
12.45-13.00	Curlew Forum Update	Geoff Hilton
13.00-13.30	Questions to speakers	

--- 13.30-14.30 Lunch ---

14.30 – 16.30 WORKSHOP: 'LEARNING FROM EXPERIENCE TO DELIVER SUCCESS'

Joint Chairs Patrick Lindley (NRW) and Barry O'Donoghue (INPWS)

- What do we need to initiate a Curlew programme for recovery?
- What are the key themes emerging and what are the solutions/programme of work?