

Inter-island Environment Meeting 2025 - Day 1 (Wednesday 17th September)



Time	Item	Presenter	Organisation	Title	Additional Information
08:30	REGISTRATION	NA			
09:00	Welcome	Graham Makepeace-Warne	Manx Wildlife Trust		10 min introduction/welcome
09:10	Event open	HE Sir John Lorimer			5 min welcome/open the event
09:15	Sponsor	Deborah Heather	Visit Isle of Man		5 min event sponsor address
	Session 1			Data Recording and Monitoring. Session Chair: Franics Binney	
09:20	1	Juliette Biacchi	Association AL LARK	Building bridges for Risso's dolphins conservation: Reflections through the EDRIM project	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
09:40	2	Tim Wright	Government of Jersey	Understanding the State of Nature in Jersey	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
10:00	3	Rachel Glover	Taxa Genomics	Freshwater species of the Isle of Man: an eDNA survey	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
10:20	4	Helen Miller	Isles of Scilly Wildlife Trust	Seabird Monitoring and Conservation on the Isles of Scilly	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
10:40	5	Denise McGowan	Government of Jersey	Twenty Years of the Jersey Butterfly Monitoring Scheme	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
11:00	BREAK				30 Min
	Session 2			Restoring Natural Habitats. Session Chair: Sam Blampied	
11:30	6	Sarah Hickey	Manx Peat Partnership	Manx Peat Partnership: Peatland Restoration	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
11:50	7	David Bellamy	Manx Wildlife Trust	Restoring Manx Wildlife	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
12:10	8	Timothy Ferrero	Hampshire & Isle of Wight Wildlife Trust	Seagrass Restoration in the Solent: A Journey towards a Wilder Seascape	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
12:30	9	Allison Leonard	Manx Birdlife	Industrial wasteland to natural gem - The Manx BirdLife Point of Ayre National Reserve	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
12:50	LUNCH				50 min
13:40	Beach Clean	Bill Dale	Beach Buddies		30 min - intro then beach clean activity
	Session 3			Conservation in Our Communities. Session Chair: Hannah Phillips	
14:10	10	Greg Stalker	Outdoor Learning Centre	Outdoor Learning Entitlement	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
14:30	11	Abigail de Castella	Alderney Wildlife Trust	Bridging the gap between science and the community	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
14:50	12	Chris Pycroft	Douglas City Council	Douglas City Council	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
15:10	BREAK				30 Min

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	Session 4			Collaborating for Marine Conservation. Session Chair: Peter Duncan	
15:40	13	Emily Stroud	Hampshire & Isle of Wight Wildlife Trust	Tools, Tips and Tricks for Community Engagement in Marine Conservation	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
16:00	14	Amdeep Sanghera	The Marine Conservation Society	Community Voice Method - Using documentary film to engage Caribbean communities in marine management	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
16:20	15	Julia Henney	States of Guernsey	Marine Biosecurity Plan and Guide	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
16:40	16	Adrien Lambrechts and Chris Sellares	Office français de la biodiversité and Jersey National Trust	Transnational/collaborative Balearic Shearwater monitoring programme - First results	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
17:00	CLOSE	Graham Makepeace-Warne	Manx Wildlife Trust		5 min closing remarks
17:05	FREE			Minibus going to Government House from 6pm	Delegate free/travel time (minibus)
18:30	Gov House Reception			Address: Government House, Onchan, Isle of Man, IM3 1RR	No access before 6:30pm
20:00	FREE				Delegate free/travel time (minibus)

Inter-island Environment Meeting 2025 - Day 2 (Thursday 18th September)



Time	Item	Presenter	Organisation	Title	Additional Information
08:50	Welcome	Graham Makepeace-Warne/Hannah Phillips	Manx Wildlife Trust		10 min update on logistics for afternoon
	Session 5			Biospheres, Fungi & Invasive Species. Session Chair: Jodey Peyton	
09:00	17	Jamie Marsh	Hampshire & Isle of Wight Wildlife Trust	Isle of Wight Biosphere Beacon	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
09:20	18	Jacqui Keenan	Biosphere Isle of Man	Biosphere Isle of Man: A living island laboratory for global sustainability	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
09:40	19	Liz Charter	IoM Fungus Group	How do we effectively conserve the kingdom of fungi?	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
10:00	20	Nathan Hayes	Government of Jersey	A Collaborative Approach to Invasive Species: Plant Health Across the Pond	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
10:20	21	Adam Dallas Chapman	Government of Jersey	An update on Invasive Species Management in The Channel Islands	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
10:40	IEM25 Poem	Jordanne Kennaugh	The Manx Bard	Guardians	5 min poem recital
10:45	BREAK				25 Min
	Session 6			Marine Conservation Management. Session Chair: Julia Henney	
11:10	22	Peter Duncan	DEFA (IoM Government)	Marine conservation & fisheries management	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
11:30	23	Jen Adams	Manx Whale and Dolphin Watch	Manx Whale and Dolphin Watch Overview	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
11:50	24	Sam Blampied	Government of Jersey	Mapping tools for marine management	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
12:10	25	Alex Purdie	Alderney Wildlife Trust	Changing crabs in a warming ocean: a sign of things to come?	15 min talk followed by 5 minutes Q&A
12:30	LUNCH				
13:00	Excursions	Hannah Phillips	Manx Wildlife Trust		Packed Lunch Provided
17:30	FREE				

Inter-island Environment Meeting 2025 - Day 3 (Friday 19th September)



Time	Item	Presenter	Organisation	Title	Additional Information
09:00	Welcome	Graham Makepeace-Warne	Manx Wildlife Trust		
09:05	Day three open	Craig Bennett	The Wildlife Trusts		5 min address
	Session 7			Collaborating with Businesses. Session Chair: Leigh Morris	
09:10	Keynote	Jonathan Andrews	Remarkable Partnerships		20 min talk
09:30	Talk	Derek Green	The Lundy Co Ltd	Lundy - Renewable Energy Project	15 min talk or 10 with 5 min Q&A
09:45	Talk	Aviva rep	Aviva		15 min talk or 10 with 5 min Q&A
10:00	Talk	David Quirk	DTU Offshore, Technical University of Denmark	Climate change, carbon emissions and what we can do on the Isle of Man	15 min talk or 10 with 5 min Q&A
10:15	Talk	Dominic Wall	Deloitte	Nature reporting: The new financial frontier	15 min talk or 10 with 5 min Q&A
10:30	BREAK				30 Min
11:00	Talk	Hannah Simons	Lloyds Bank International	Sustainable Finance in Action	15 min talk or 10 with 5 min Q&A
11:15	Talk	Samir Whitaker	Orsted	Working with Corporates	15 min talk or 10 with 5 min Q&A
11:30	Visioning Activity	Sarah Mercer	Earthscope/Biosphere Youth Reps		1hr activity continues over lunch
12:30	LUNCH				1 Hour
13:30	Activity feedback	Sarah Mercer	Earthscope/Biosphere Youth Reps		15 min activity feedback
	Session 8			Collaboration Challenge. Chair: Graham Makepeace-Warne	
13:45	Collaboration Challenge intro	Panel: Hanah Simons, Dominic Wall, Biosphere rep, Catherine Wensink			15 min intro to challenge and introduce panel
14:00	Challenge presentation 1				5 min pitch with 5 minutes Q&A
14:10	Challenge presentation 2				5 min pitch with 5 minutes Q&A
14:20	Challenge presentation 3				5 min pitch with 5 minutes Q&A
14:30	Challenge presentation 4				5 min pitch with 5 minutes Q&A
14:40	Challenge presentation 5				5 min pitch with 5 minutes Q&A
14:50	Challenge presentation 6				5 min pitch with 5 minutes Q&A
15:00	BREAK & JUDGING				30 Min
15:30	Talk (whilst judging continues)	Leigh Morris & Jodey Peyton, UKOTCF	The Wildlife Trusts	Eco-Match: Enabling Corporate Partnerships for Conservation	15 min talk or 10 with 5 min Q&A
15:45	Challenge feedback and winners	Panel			20 Min
16:05	Closing Remarks	Chief Minister, Alfred Cannan MHK	IoM Government		10 min speech no Q&A
16:15	EVENT CLOSES				