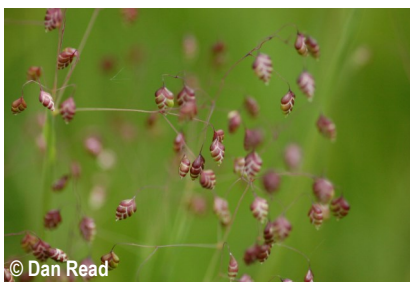




Species Identification Training Workshops 2013

The aim of these workshops is to stimulate recording interest and generate biological records. Help improve our knowledge of local species and habitats by learning how to identify species with local experts, and then submitting your records to SEWBRc. These events are **free** but **booking is essential** as spaces are limited. Please complete the attached form, and return it to SEWBRc (details below).



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Introduction to Grasses

Date: Wednesday 3rd July 2013, 10am - 4pm

Available places: 10

Location: Old Castle Down, St Brides Major

Trainer: Julian Woodman (VC41 Recorder: Plants)

Level: Beginner

Join Julian for a walk looking at the various grass species that can be found on the site. You will become familiar with the key identification features of this group of plants. Please note that the day will be spent entirely in the field, and some walking over uneven terrain may be required.



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Woodlice (Isopoda)

Date: Saturday 7th September 2013, 10am - 4pm

Available places: 10

Location: Swansea University

Trainer: Greg Jones

Level: Beginner

This course will start with an indoor morning session at Swansea University, presented by Greg Jones, a well respected local invertebrate expert. This will be followed by an afternoon in the field, identifying Isopoda in the surrounding area. This course will involve microscope work.



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Introduction to Rust Fungi

Date: Saturday 28th September 2013, 10am - 4pm

Available places: 10

Location: Margam Discovery Centre

Trainer: Paul Smith

Level: Beginner

Learn about the interesting & varied life cycles of rusts. Discover where to find rusts & how to identify them. The course will include a field element with a classroom based identification session, involving microscope work. Some prior knowledge of plant or fungi ID would be beneficial.



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Craneflies (Tipulidae)

Date: Saturday 5th October 2013, 10am - 4pm

Available places: 10

Location: National Museum Wales, Cardiff

Trainer: Peter Boardman

Level: Beginner

Join us at the National Museum of Wales to discover the world of Tipulidae held within their collections. This course will be run by Pete Boardman of the Field Studies Council, a national expert in Craneflies. This course will be entirely classroom based, and will involve microscope work.

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