



**Butterfly
Conservation**

Saving butterflies, moths and our environment



**National
Moth
Recording
Scheme**

UK MOTH RECORDERS' MEETING 2019 PROGRAMME

Lyttelton Lecture Theatre, Birmingham and Midland Institute, Birmingham

Saturday 26 January 2019

- 10.00 am Arrival and coffee
- 10.30 am Welcome
Julie Williams, CEO Butterfly Conservation
- 10.40 am National Moth Recording Scheme and atlas update
Dr Zoë Randle, Butterfly Conservation
- 11:05 am More than just dots- a collection of short stories about moth data
Dr Katie Cruickshanks, Butterfly Conservation
- 11:35 am What makes Bedfordshire interesting? Moth recording in a small inland county
Melissa and Andy Banthorpe, County Moth Recorders, Bedfordshire
- 12:05 pm Development of a multi-access key to aid the identification of micro-moth larvae
Graham Wenman, Assistant County Micro-moth recorder, Shropshire
- 12:35 pm Discussion session
- 12.45 pm **Lunch**
- 2.15 pm Declines in moth populations stress the need for conserving dark nights
Professor Frank van Langevelde, Wageningen University, Netherlands
- 2:45 pm Finding the early Stages of Micro-moths
Ben Smart, Moth recorder, South Lancashire
- 3:15 pm Going hungry? Identifying patterns in cuckoo and moth declines
Dr Chloe Denerley, Aigas Field Centre
- 3:45 pm Closing remarks
- 3:50 pm End of meeting

