

# Young Conservationists Hub

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## Friday 12 July

11:00 - 11:45

### **Conservation & Media**

A panel discussion about the role of media and social media to spread and promote conservation messages, raise awareness and gently campaign for positive action - exploring personal stories and the importance of sharing experiences, knowledge, positivity and enthusiasm in authentic and creative ways.

Chaired by Ajay Tegala with panelists: Jack Baddams, George Hassall AKA "Green Fingred George", Mya Bambrick & Henry Day

12:00 - 12:45

### **TBC Luke Massey**

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14:00 - 14:45

### **Creative Campaigning workshop**

Campaigning comes in many shapes and sizes, cutting through the media to reach your target audience can be tricky. UK Youth for Nature specialises in highly creative campaigns that celebrate nature and push for positive change. In this workshop we will discuss the steps of putting together a campaign and how to grab the attention of your target audience. Facilitated by Ellen Bradley & Roisin Taylor from UK Youth For Nature

15:00 - 15:45

### **YOU can change the world!**

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16:00 - 17:00

### **Young conservationists Careers networking session**

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## Saturday 13 July

10:00 - 10:45

### **How to Save a Tree**

Adele Benson, Campaigns Manager at the Woodland Trust, will lead an interactive workshop aimed at empowering young people to make a positive impact on nature through campaigning. Participants will learn techniques to demonstrate the support of the masses to influence those with the power to make change.

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### **Rewilding - hope for the future or current craze?**

Through a panel discussion and questions from the audience, these young rewilding professionals will delve into the benefits and drawbacks to rewilding, to see if rewilding can work in conjunction with agriculture and other land uses, and whether it can be the answer in restoring our degraded and severely nature depleted country.

Chaired by Seb Elwood with panelist Daisy Meadowcroft...and more to confirm

12:00 - 12:45

### **Restoring our lost species: young conservationist's panel**

This panel, chaired by Restore ecologist and Glow-worm rewilder Pete Cooper, will be a conversation with young adults working on species reintroductions; covering the highs, lows, big questions and great opportunities. Featuring Brittany Maxted (Osprey Project Manager, Birds of Poole Harbour), Charly Mead (Education & Conservation Manager, Wildwood Devon), Kat Saleiko (Species Reintroduction Project Officer, Forestry England), and Harvey Tweats (Director of Celtic Rewilding and Beaver & Wildlife Officer, Trentham Gardens).

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### **The Gaia Girls: women working in conservation**

Join a panel of young women working in different areas of conservation in the UK, including communications, art, taxidermy, practical conservation, events and education. Hear their personal experiences for breaking into the sector, the different worlds of employment and self-employment and some of the barriers they have faced.

Chaired by Lucy McRobert, with panelists: Elle Kaye, Daisy Meadowcroft & Jamey Douglas.

Saturday Cont/d.



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### **An introduction to wildlife activism**

Learn about the power of art for wildlife conservation and science communication from creative conservationist and award-winning wildlife activist Alicia Hayden. After learning about the basics of wildlife activism, you will create your own activism piece. This workshop is suitable for all ages and abilities, although young children may need help from an adult.

<https://aliciahayden.co.uk/>

18:00 - 19:00

### **Hub Quiz**

Hosted by A Focus On Nature

End of Saturday Sessions

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## Sunday 14 July

10:00 - 11:00

### **Wildlife Art - Draw Along!**

Join wildlife artist Alicia Hayden to learn how to draw a smew and an osprey! This workshop is suitable for all ages and abilities. <https://aliciahayden.co.uk/>

11:30 - 12:30

### **Be an Osprey Expert**

Join leading osprey specialist Dr Tim Mackrill and the Osprey Leadership Foundation's young "Osprey Leaders" to find out what it takes to be an osprey expert! During this interactive session you will learn fun facts about ospreys and how ospreys bring people together across the world to protect nature.

13:00 - 13:45

### **Is it a Swift or a Swallow?**

Peppa Pig and Hey Duggee animator Will Rose introduces his brand new animated bird guide for beginners. 'What Bird is that?' Is a fun new animated guide to help all ages identify and enjoy the birds around them. In this event Will talks about his love of wildlife, his background in children's television, and how he uses animation to help engage people with nature. There will be a screening of What Bird is that Episode 04 'Is it a Swift or a Swallow?' in which the audience learns how to spot the difference between these similar looking birds. After the screening there will be an opportunity to draw each bird's shape before testing your skills at the end to see how much you've learnt. Sponsored by Leica in association with the Osprey Leadership Foundation <https://www.willswork.co.uk/>

14:15 - 15:00

### **Being a young leader in conservation**

This panel will discuss ways in which young people can be inspiring leaders within conservation, through social media, improving inclusivity, being involved in community engagement, and more. Young people have the power to inspire diverse audiences, make real change, and ensure our natural world is conserved in a time of crisis – this panel will break down how to be a leader in your own area of passion.

Chaired by Mya Bambrick with panelists Ellen Bradley, Şeniz Mustafa, Keir Chauhan & Seb Elwood

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15:30 - 16:30

### **Title TBC Harry Read**

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