



Osprey Main Events

Friday 10 July

1000 Bird Watching Magazine 40th Birthday Bonanza

Celebrate 40 years of the UK's best-selling birdwatching magazine, with editor Matt Merritt joined by guests including Stephen Moss, David Lindo and David Chandler. They'll look at how the pastime and bird populations have changed in the last four decades, and what the coming years might bring. Come along, put your questions to the panel, and tell them how you'd like to see Bird Watching, and birdwatching, look in the future.



1100 Women in Birding

Join Lucy Lapwing and guests discussing women involved in conservation and birdwatching.



1200 Nigel Marven

My Best Friend's an Owl!

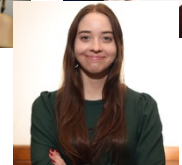
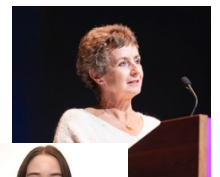
Illustrated with video clips from his documentaries, the TV presenter's love affair with owls including Digger, an orphaned Burrowing Owl who helped Nigel get through treatment for tonsil cancer. Plus a short film especially for Global Birdfair about Nigel's journey to the home of the mythical Red Owl in Madagascar.



1300 Getting Nature back into the Media

Dominic Dyer chair with guests Rachel Seifert, Mary Colwell Steph Spyro, Megan McCubbin and Peter Phelps

Panel debate which will focus on the challenges and opportunities when it comes to getting wildlife and nature protection issues at home & abroad into the print and broadcast media



1400 Simon King

Join Simon to find out more about his latest projects and adventures. Arrive in good time as Simon's talks are always very popular! Grab your seat and prepare to be inspired and entertained



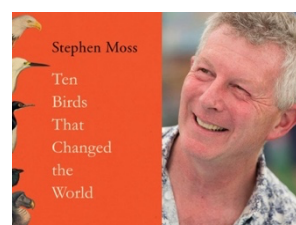
1500 Global Birdfair official opening & Preventing Island Extinctions project launch with BirdLife International

Tim Appleton introduces Martin Harper, CEO BirdLife International who brings us up to date with BirdLife news before welcoming the team from the Global Birdfair project in Sao Tome and Principe as well as representatives from The Cornell Lab



1600 Desert Island Birds

Kenn Kaufman reveals the birds he would most welcome on his Desert Island to **Stephen Moss**. Find out what Kenn's iconic bird or item would be. As an American Artist and birder, we are delighted to welcome Kenn to Global Birdfair and are intrigued to discover what his top "desert island" birds would be.



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1700 **Dominic Dyer**

Where does Nature's Vote Count?

Panel debate chaired by **Dominic Dyer**

Guests: **Rachel Seifert, Louise Turner, Harry Wright, Craig Taylor**

Where has the Labour Government delivered & failed on protecting wildlife & nature?

Does the rise in the support for the Green Party offer more hope for wildlife & nature or is the Party moving away from its environmental roots?

Have the Liberal Democrats failed to use their influence in Parliament to become a key voice for nature?

Have the Conservative Party lost sight of the importance of retaining the environment and nature vote?

Is there any hope of influencing the Reform Party to develop policy commitments to protect wildlife and nature?



1800 **Robert E Fuller**

I built a Nest box and watched the birds move in

Join Robert as he guides us through his amazingly creative yet natural homes for wildlife. Learn more about the wild creatures on the live nest cams and explore fascinating wildlife facts.



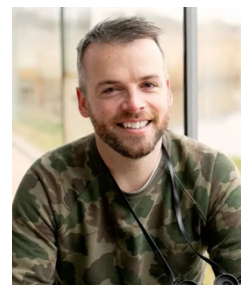
1845 45 minute break – selected catering outlets and bar remain open until 9pm

1930 **Your Flies are Undone**

There will be a buzz in Osprey for the ultimate 'Birds v Insects quiz/panel/fun chat show!

Nick Acheson hosts Erica McAlister, Nick Baker Lucy Lapwing and Sean McCormack

Anything could happen – prepare yourself for fun facts and plenty of entertainment.



2100 **Bat Walk**

Naomi Davis leads a nature walk using Thermal Imaging gear.

Meet outside Osprey Events. Approximate duration 1.5 hours approximate finish 10.30pm

Main events closed, catering and bar closes (approximate time, subject to demand)



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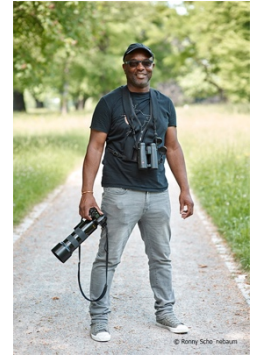


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1000 **David Lindo**

20 Years as The Urban Birder

Discover David's journeys through an amazing 20 years encouraging everyone to be more aware and appreciative of wildlife living in Urban Environments



1100 **Mark Carwardine**

An Amorous Parrot, A Secret Policeman and The Dalai Lama

Mark chats about some of the most intriguing and enchanting people and other animals he has met on his travels (and uses it as an excuse to rant a little about conservation).



1200 **Mike and Zachary Dilger**

The Dilger Boys' Big Birding Year - Part 1

Naturalist and Broadcaster Mike Dilger is on a mission - to ensure the 'Birding Force' is passed down to his son Zachary. Mike takes us through the highs and lows of the first half of their 'Big Birding Year' - with the ultimate aim of seeing 200 species in one calendar year.



1300 **Wildlife Abuse – Youngsters becoming Criminals? Is this a trap?**

Dominic Dyer chairs a panel of guests

Russ Middleton, League Against Cruel Sports

Mike Scargill, RSPCA

Jim Clarke, Campaign Manager Naturewatch Foundation

Laura Eastwood, Community Engagement, Born Free Foundation

Discussing the extent of the problem with young people engaging in this activity

How the police are tackling the problem

How can we restrict the sale of high-powered catapults

The role of social media platforms in restricting images of animal cruelty

Links between human & wildlife crime

How Wildlife & Animal Welfare NGO's can best engage with young people on this issue



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1500 **Bird Brain**

Competing for the Charles Gallimore Trophy

Chaired by **Stephen Moss**, adjudicator **Mark Maddox**, timekeeper **Tim Appleton**

Contestants: **Chris Galvin**, **Dale Forbes**, **Toby Carter**, **WildLife Kate**

Representing Optics brands exhibiting at Global Birdfair.

Format of Specialised Subject followed by General Bird Knowledge



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1600 **To Feed or Not To Feed**

Chair: Dominic Couzens **Guests: Jon Mason, Katie-Jo Luxton, Nicholas Watts**

In light of the recent advice by RSPB on feeding birds, especially garden birds from May to October, the panel will embrace lively debate surrounding this topic



1700 **Merlin Vs Humans Quiz Challenge**

Challengers: Megan McCubbin and Indy Greene

Alli Smith from The Cornell Lab and Merlin challenges **Humans**. Join the bird trivia game and discover if Merlin Bird ID App can out-smart Megan and Indy with input from a live audience. Using photos and sound – who will correctly identify the most species?



1800 **Into the Wild's Nature Room 101**

Hosted by Ryan Dalton & Megan McCubbin

Discussing their nature-related pet hates and persuading the hosts to consign those hates to oblivion

Special Guests: **Gillian Burke, Lira Valencia and Sean McCormack**



1915 **Bonner Black**

Live on Osprey – from Nashville to Global Birdfair “On The Wing” Tour

1930 **Universally Challenged**

Global Birdfair “Pub” Quiz Night

Hosted by Stephen Moss, Neil Glenn and Mark Maddox

Grab at table, form a team or just join in for a fun evening testing your knowledge



2100 **Disco Time!**

Grab your “dancing” shoes, shake your tail feathers and head for the bar area. Selected catering close subject to Demand. Bar remains open



2100 UV Butterfly Walk – meet outside Osprey Events

2300 **End of Programme.**
Bar Closes, Site Closes.



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Sunday 12 July

1000 **Wildlife Kate**

Behind the lens - Creating a Wildlife Filming Garden

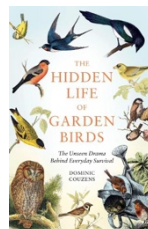
Filming garden wildlife can be both rewarding and eye-opening, revealing behaviours and moments we rarely get to see. WildlifeKate specialises in creating habitats, nest boxes and filming set-ups that bring wildlife stories from the garden to life..... but it's not always as simple as it looks. Join her for a behind-the-scenes look at the highs and lows of filming wildlife close to home, including the challenges, surprises, equipment and techniques involved in capturing intimate moments from your own back garden.



1100 **Creating Your Own Wildlife Haven**

Chair Dominic Couzens

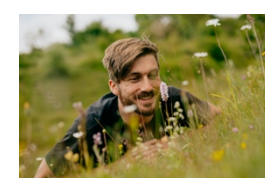
Guests Adrian Thomas, Dan Rouse, Helen Hutchings Cox, Leif Bersweden and Wildlife Kate



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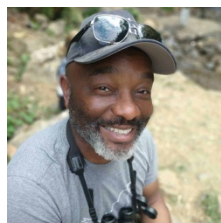
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1500 **Behind the Scenes of Wildlife TV**
Host Sean McCormack with Dan O'Neill, Lucy Lapwing, Megan McCubbin and Robert Fuller



1600 **End of Programme**

1700 **Global Birdfair closes**

Wishing you all a safe journey home and a massive thank you to you all for supporting the event and conservation on a global scale. See you next time!

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