



Carlisle Natural History Society

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Winter Talks Programme 2026 – 2027

All meetings on Wednesday evenings at 7.15pm at Tuille House, Carlisle (doors open 6.45pm)

7th October 2026	Kay Andrews & Charlotte Rankin - Butterfly Conservation	Making Peatlands Work for Lepidoptera
21st October 2026	The Missing Lynx Project	The Missing Lynx Project: Exploring the return of Eurasian lynx
4th November 2026	TBC	TBC
18th November 2026	Members Night	Contributions from the membership
2nd December 2026	Prof. Paul Carling – University of Southampton	Unravelling A Complex Ice Age Landscape
16th December 2026	Jack Hatton – Nature Rich Miterdale	Nature Rich Miterdale: A Short History of Forestry, Farming and Nature Recovery
6th January 2027	Amy Bray – Another Way	Finding Another Way: Transforming climate concern into climate action
20th January 2027	*Joint Meeting with Cumbria Bird Club* Micheal Henry - Harrierman	Changes in the Pallid Harrier's World
3rd February 2027	John Hodgeson – Upper Duddon Landscape Recovery	Restoring Hardknott Forest - 630 hectares of nature recovery in the Duddon Valley
17th February 2027	Damien Hicks - APHW Evidence & Analysis - DEFRA	Monitoring Plants as a Pollinator Resource
3rd March 2027	AGM and Members Night	Contributions from the membership