



ESSEX & SUFFOLK COUNTRY LINK

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Programme – March 2018 – September 2018

Date		Event
March	Saturday 24th	Come along to Landguard Bird Observatory to learn about bird migration.
April	Saturday 7th	Barn Dance at The Maurice Rowson Hall, Gosfield.
	Tuesday 10th	Monthly pub meeting at the Cricketers, Fordham Heath at 7.15
	Tuesday 17th April	Joint meeting with the Colchester Group of the IAM (Institute of Advanced Motorists). Adam Whiteman, senior project officer at Colchester Archeological Trust is giving a talk about treasure found under W&Gs
	Thursday 26th April	Pub meeting at Shoulder of Mutton, Ford Street, CO6 3LL.
May	Tuesday 8th	Monthly get-together at the Cricketers, Fordham Heath, CO3 9TG. At 7.15
	11th – 14th	Countrylink National Weekend and AGM
	Sunday 20th	A walk around Fringringhoe / Roman River
	30/31st	Suffolk Show
June	Sunday 10th	LEAF Open Farm Sunday. Visit Suffolk Farmhouse Cheeses at Whitegate Farm, Norwich Road, Creeting St Mary, IP6 8PG. Open from 10am-4pm. Free entry but other charges apply (www.farmsunday.org)
	Tuesday 12th	Monthly meeting at the Cricketers, Fordham Heath, CO3 9TG. At 7.15
	Saturday 16th	Barn Dance (for charity – to be announced). Time 7 – 7.30pm Cost of tickets to be confirmed
	Friday 22nd June	Nightjar tour - An evening Wildlife car share trip to Rendlesham Forest to hear and hopefully see Nightjars.
July	Sunday 1st	BBQ – venue to be confirmed
	Saturday 14th	Tendring Show.
	Tuesday 10th	Regular get-together at the Cricketers, Fordham Heath, CO3 9TG. At 7.15
	Sunday 15th	Clare Priory Craft Fair. 10am – 5pm. Entry fee Adults £5, Seniors £4 (www.clarepriory.org.uk)

July	Sunday 22 nd	Marks Hall Garden and Country Show. 10am – 5pm. General admission £8 (Group admission for 10+ - £6) (www.markshallgardenshow.co.uk)
	Thursday 26 th	Meet for a meal or drinks at The Dolphin, Coggeshall Road, Bradwell, CM77 8ED
August	Tuesday 14 th	Regular meeting at the Cricketers, Fordham
	Tuesday 21 st	Planning Meeting – please come with ideas and information where possible. Tea/coffee and nibbles provided
	Sunday 26 th	Petanque in morning followed by farm shop lunch. Walk to Marks Hall in the afternoon. Spend all day or choose what you want to do.
September	Friday 7 th	Have a night out at the renowned Chappel Beer Festival – Admission fee includes refundable souvenir glass. Venue – East Anglian Rail Museum, Station Road, Chappel CO6 2DS (www.chappelbeerfestival.org.uk)
	Tuesday 11 th	Monthly get-together at the Cricketers, Fordham
	Tuesday 18 th	Joint meeting with the Colchester Group of the IAM. A talk by Dudley Chignall - “Me and My Camera”
	Saturday 22 nd	Visit Maldon’s Annual Town Regatta at Hythe Quay CM9 5HN – sea races, shoreside activities and stalls all day with live music all evening
	Thursday 27 th	Pub night at Fowlers Farm Vintage Inn, Cressing, Braintree CM77 8DH

If you are interested in any of the above events, please phone or email the contacts at the top of the page and we’ll arrange to meet you there

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