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Editorial

The year began with a bang. A village bonfire and firework display was held on the common on 1st January 2010. This had been planned by the Parish Council to take place in November, but due to weather conditions was delayed until January. This was a very succesful, but extremely cold and frosty evening, and was enjoyed by the many people who attended.

The Parish Council applied for a Suffolk Acre grant to enable an access to the Noddle which would be suitable for elderly and less able. We are grateful for their support in this project, with special thanks to Roy Swindell, for all his work with the grant application. We were lucky enough to be successfully awarded this money, work to install the access should be done in early 2011.

The carpark area, between Bakers Lane and Mill Street was levelled, but because of heavy, prolonged rain was left in a muddy, unusable state. Further remedial work will be required.

I am sure you will agree 2010 has been busy on the common. A new event was the Geology day, which was informative and enjoyed by those who attended. We were sorry that due to ill health Michael Kirby was unable to continue the occasional "Whats on the Common" walks, which he had previously led. A tribute to Michael is included in this report.

We are grateful to all who have helped in any way on the common. Special thanks go to all who volunteered at work parties, carried out the numerous surveys, provided first aid cover and provided the very welcome refreshments. Also thanks to those who helped with the Village exhibition, compiling this report and the Social event, at which old photographs, taken by Alf Fisk were shown, Special thanks to David Rous for the use of his computer projector.

The year which had begun with snow did a complete circle and ended with another cold, snowy spell of weather.

Barbara Caines

Chair, Westleton Common Committee May 2011

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A Tribute to Michael Kirby

Michael died on February 4th 2011, and is greatly missed. He made an enormous contribution to our knowledge of the natural history of Westleton Common and aroused many people's interest in its importance. He was 'the' person to turn to when one found a curious insect, plant or fungus - if he didn't immediately know the answer himself, he would go to considerable trouble to find out, and return with precise information. He was particularly concerned about how the Common should be managed to encourage the many species which inhabit it. His studies included examining the life cycle of the "Ant-lion", the dragonfly-like insect which breeds on the Common, and the rare but locally plentiful Silver-studded Blue butterfly - seen each summer amongst the areas of heather; he also looked in depth at Gorse mites and Oak galls on the Common. Articles by him appeared regularly in the Suffolk Naturalist Society's journal "White Admiral" on these and other subjects. After the Moss and Lichen walks on the Common, Michael would bring his microscope and camera equipment so that the material collected could be seen magnified and studied more closely. But his knowledge and interest didn't stop there: in July 2010, at the Geology event on the Common, Michael engaged in lively conversation with the geologists about the age and origins of the "Westleton Beds" - another area in which he had a keen interest.

We have lost a much valued member of our community, who through his knowledge of the many different aspects of natural history enhanced many people's appreciation of the treasure that is Westleton Common.

Juliet Bullimore



Michael Kirby with geologists (L to R) Roger Dixon, Howard Marks, Caroline and Bob Markham. July 2010

Bird Survey 2010

The breeding birds were surveyed as in the previous years.

Timing of Visits

10 visits were all early morning, mostly between 6.30 am - 8.00 am, on days when the weather was good with generally sunny, still days. The visits were every one to two weeks between March and July.

LIST OF SPECIES MAPS

- 1 Greenfinch, Coaltit, Goldcrest
- 2. Woodlark, Pied Wagtail, Goldfinch
- 3. Magpie, Jay, Cuckoo
- 4. Red-legged Partridge, Pheasant, Skylark
- 5. Bullfinch, Linnet
- 6. Green Woodpecker, Great Spotted Woodpecker
- 7. Mistle Thrush, Song Thrush, Lesser Whitethroat
- 8. Great Tit, Blue Tit
- 9. Robin
- 10. Chiffchaff, Willow Warbler
- 11. Yellowhammer, Wren
- 12. Chaffinch
- 13. Blackbird, Long Tailed Tit
- 14. Nightingale, Dunnock
- 15. Blackcap, Garden Warbler, Whitethroat
- 16. Turtle Dove, Collared Dove

The number of territories held by these species from 2004 to 2009 is shown in Appendix 1a.

Other records

Outside the breeding season, woodcock were notable in the winter months.

The full list of birds seen on and over the Common annually from 2004 to 2008 is shown in Appendix 1b.

Richard Drew

Butterflies 2010

Yet again butterfly numbers are down on a few years ago, and it was a late start with my first sighting this year of a Peacock on April 8th, a Speckled Wood on April 23rd and Green-veined White on April 29th.

During May and June Holly Blue and Large Whites appeared along with Common Blue, Silver-studded Blue, Red Admiral, Comma, Small Tortoiseshell and a single Gatekeeper.

The Butterfly walk on July 3rd was better than I had anticipated from my previous sightings. The day was hot and overcast with a light westerly wind. As I went out I saw my first Grayling for the year, but all the browns were late this year and Small Copper were absent too.

In the former council dump we found a small colony of Common Blue and some of them settled for us to look closely at the undersides of their wings. We were delighted to find record numbers of Silver-studded Blues in many areas including a few on the Noddle.

On August 2nd I spent an hour and a half walking the same area that we covered on July 3rd, but it was a poor count, No Speckled Wood were seen despite good numbers during July and I searched in vain for White Admiral which had appeared briefly in my conservatory just before I set out. I saw more Silver Y moths than butterflies, and Meadow Brown are very scarce this year.

Large Whites were certainly the most commonly seen butterflies late in the season, but Speckled Wood were around quite late. The most significant low numbers were for Gatekeeper and Meadow Brown. I saw no Painted Lady on the common this year and only one in my garden.

Hazel Leggett

July 3rd 2010 Area to the west of Mill Street (Main Area of Common)

Green-veined White	4
Large White	2
Red Admiral	3
Small Tortoiseshell	2
Speckled Wood	3
Common Blue	12
Silver-studded Blue	100+
Ringlet	3
Meadow Brown	2

August 2nd 2010 Area to west of Mill Street (Main Area of Common)

Gatekeeper	11
Large White	11
Small White	2
Green Veined White	3
Meadow Brown	2
Grayling	2
Small Copper	2

August 5th 2010 Old Football Field and tracks between Mill street and Bakers Lane

Large White	13
Small White 4	1
Green-veined White 2	2
Small Copper 6	3
Holly Blue	1
Peacock	1
Grayling 2	2
Gatekeeper 6	3
Meadow Brown 2	2

Silver-Studded Blue Butterfly report 2010

With the cold winter and rather funny spring the Butterflies seemed to be late this year , first was spotted in the first week in June. Then they were seen in increasing numbers . On the old football pitch the numbers seem to be recovering, this I think is due to the cutting of the heather giving the silver-studded Butterflies shelter belts and sunning areas.

I visited the sites during June and July with the best visit on 27.06.2010 with a total of 444 with 383 males and 61 females.

At the beginning of July the numbers started to drop off, by the end of July the Silver Studded Blue butterfly were harder to find.



Photo by David Rous

Reptiles 2010

This year reptiles were few and far between with not many sightings.Even with the Tin placed around the site the reptile numbers were low,this was probably due to the cold winter. As a result I didn't record any reptiles until the end of April. I only saw 1 male Adder this year and 3 slowworms on the main area.Also about 4 Common Lizards on the old football pitch.

Also thoughout the year there was limited numbers spotted.



Photo of Female Adder by David Rous

Lichens 2010

The lichens of Westleton Common, Thursday April 8th and Saturday 10th 2010

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C. J. B. Hitch

Following on from the excursion to Westleton Common in 2009, a repeat walk was carried out in 2010 and it was decided, that because most of the time had been spent looking at the sandy heath and pebbles embedded in the sand last time, it would be a change to concentrate on the lichens of the trees.

The visit of Thursday April 8th was used to examine the site and note which would be the most profitable places to stop at and point out the lichens present.

A list of 45 lichen species and 2 lichenicolous fungi (fungi that grow on or in lichen thalli) seen during the two visits, together with a slight indication of what they looked like and the substrates on which they were growing, are given in Table 1 below, in the order in which they were recorded.

Species seen on Thursday are noted to that effect, as the time available on the Saturday, did not allow all the sites available to be looked at.

'Soil' was not totally ignored and in fact, several stops were made. Initially a *Peltigera* species was pointed out, which was fairly abundant in the turf, near the car park area and a little further away an exposed stony bank was looked at, where *Placynthiella icmalea* was noted.

Of the trees looked at, mature sycamore and oak were initially studied and a good number of species were recorded from both porophytes, with 12 from the sycamore and 6 from the oak. Sycamore is a better tree for lichen growth than oak in Suffolk due to factors such as acidity of the bark, base richness and rainfall. Oak is a much more acidic bark than sycamore due to the presence of tannic acid and with acid rain pollution and low rainfall, where leaching does not occur to a great extent, lichens do not colonise so well, but with the decrease in pollution levels more lichens are appearing in suitable situations.

The first sycamore and hawthorn trees looked at, near the car park had a good cover of *Xanthoria* and *Physcia* species, elements of the Xanthorion community, turning the branches golden yellow and grey. Both these lichens benefit from high levels of gaseous nitrogen, given off from car exhausts and the same effect is often noted nowadays on trees along the sides of roads.

Further onto the Common, this effect was less noticeable and a well-protected oak, asterisked, at the bottom of the slope had two exciting finds. On the bole a small thallus of *Ochrolechia androgyna* was seen and on one of the branches a large thallus of *Physcia aipolia* was noted. Both these species are rare in Suffolk, so it was very nice to find them.

One other lichen of note was Caloplaca oasis, growing on a lump of concrete

on the ground. It has only recently been described, as a split from *Caloplaca holocarpa* and often grows on thalli of another lichen *Verrucaria baldensis*, hence the name, however, not it was growing directly on the rock in this instance.

Table 1. Lichen species with noteworthy characteristics and substrate preference.

Grassy/mossy sand (Car park Area) Peltigera canina var canina (woolly on top, bushy rhizines [roots] below)

Sycamore (*Acer pseudoplatanus*)

Xanthoria parietina (big yellow foliose, K+p)
X. parietina with Xanthoriiicola physciae (black soot on the fruits)
X. polycarpa (tiny yellow thallus piled with fruits, K+p)
Physcia adscendens (lobe ends hooded, ciliate ["roots" not attached)
P. tenella (lobe ends reflexed, ciliate)
Melanelixia subaurifera (brown foliose on branches)
Lecanora chlarotera (crustose, grey, brown discs)
Lecanora expallens (yellowish powdery, sunny)
Amandinea punctata (black fruits, little thallus)
Punctelia subrudecta (grey foliose, with white lines, sorediate, K+y

Hawthorn (Crataegus monogyna)

Physcia adscendens P. tenella Xanthora parietina X. polycarpa Melanelixia subaurifera Xanthoria polycarpa with Lichenoconium xanthoriae

Oak (*Quercus*) *Parmelia sulcata Flavoparmelia caperata* (yellow green foliose) *Evernia prunastri* (fruiticose [bushy] yellowish on top, whitish below) *Lecanora chlarotera Lecanora expallens Lepraria incana* (leprose [granular], grey, in shade)

Stony sand of bank

Placynthiella icmalea (blackish isidiate [with finger-like projections, c.fr.)

Oak (*Quercus*)

Cliostomum griffithii (pycnidiate, black specks on a white thallus) *Ramalina farinacea* (fruiticose, thallus same colour back and front) *Amnandinea punctata*

Rowan twigs (Sorbus aucuparia)

Arthonia radiata (Thursday – white thallus on twigs, fruits stellate)

Oak (*Quercus*) *Chaenotheca* sp. (pinhead lichen)

Oak (Quercus) *Cliostomum griffithii* (c.fr. discs greyish black)

Elder (*Sambucus nigra*) *Lecania cyrtella* (Thursday – discs swollen piebald)

Oak (*Quercus*) *Candelariella reflexa* (yellow granular, K-) *Xanthoria candelaria* (Thursday – thallus with soredia on tips of lobes)

Mossy soil

Cladonia rangiformis (thallus branched, hollow, greyish white, with greenish islands right to the tips)

Mossy soil *Peltigera hymenina* (glossy on top, pale below and rhizines peg-like)

****Oak** (Quercus)

Physcia aipolia (thallus flecked with white, no cilia and discs blue black)
Ramalina fastigiata (fruits at the ends of inflated lobes)
Candelariella reflexa (K-)
Ochrolechia androgyna (greyish white with yellowish soredia)
Ramalina farinacea
Lecanora carpinea (like L. chlarotera, but discs floury)

Opens sand top of hill with Polytrichum commune

Cladonia portentosa (thallus greenish yellow, branched in all directions) C. diversa (yellowish cups, coarse granules, red pycnidia and fruits) *C. cervicornis var. cervicornis* (squamules mauvish white on the underside, folding over when dry)

C. furcata (cf C. rangiformis, but colour brown, continuous)

C. chlorophaea (cone shaped cups, brown fruits on margins)

C. floerkeana ("Bengal match lichen", greeny brown stalks and red fruits)

Cetraria aculeata (shiny chestnut coloured spiky stems)

Wooden seat

Lecanora conizaeoides (Thursday – greeny yellow granular thallus and fruits *Lecanora symmicta* (Thursday – yellowish thallus and fruits)

Lecanora aitema (Thursday – no thallus and blackish fruits) *Buellia griseovirens* (Thursday – ash grey soralia abrading yellowish)

Trees in wooded area other side of steps in quarry area

Lepraria incana (Thursday - abundant)

Quarry floor

Cladonia portentosa (luxurious and abundant) C. ciliata var. tenuis (Thursday - yellowish, tips of thalli swept over like a clawed hand) Hypogymnia physodes (grey foliose, with terminal soredia) Rhizocarpon reductum (brownish crustose areolate thallus, with black fruits, on stones) Cetraria aculeata

Stony sandy bank

Cladonia cervicornis var.cervicornis (Thursday) Rhizocarpon reductum (Thursday)

Concrete

Caloplaca citrina (golden, granular [soredia] K+p) Caloplaca oasis (??? C. holocarpa/lithophila (orange fruits no thallus, K+p) Verrucaria nigresens (brown-black with pyrenocarp fruits)

Mossy turf

Cetraria aculeata (Thursday)

Notes:

All *Cladonia* sp are hollow stemmed. Compare *Cetraria aculeata*, which might be mistaken for a Cladonia, but has solid spiky stems.

Most thalli had fruits which were open discs (apothecia). Verrucaria nigrescens had closed flasks (perithecia).

c. fr. stands for *con fructu*, meaning with fruits.

K is the symbol used for Potassium hydroxide (KOH) solution. For some of the yellow lichens a spot on the thallus gives a positive purple colour, which aids identification.

C is the symbol used for Calcium hypochlorite (household bleach), which may colour the thallus scarlet and which aids identification.

MANAGEMENT 2010

Work parties

We had six work parties over the year with an average of 12 people at each working party.All where held on the 3rd saturday of the month.

JAN 2010

..Cancelled due to snow

FEB 2010

12 people working on area 6a as part of Rotational gorse coppice.

Which resulted in a area of about 1/2 acre cut and removed.

30 Man hours for this party.

MARCH 2010

11 People for glade making in areas 6,5 and 6b this was done to improve the areas and give sheltered glades for the Silver-Studded Blue Butterflies.

28 Man hours for this party.

APRIL 2010

10 People for general tidy up, footpaths cut back and litter picking.

25 Man hours for this party.

SEPTEMBER 2010

14 people for cutting gorse in area 2. 10% of total area.

35 man hours for this party.

October 2010

On October 5th , 12th we had extra work parties with the SCDC Rangers cutting

down some trees and clearing an area of gorse in area 5.



Photo by Juliet Bullimore

5th 4 people +2 Rangers resulted in 20 man hours

12th 6 people +2 Rangers resulted in 30 man hours.

November 2010

On 15th had SCDC Rangers clear a area of gorse in area 5.

This party had 2 rangers and 6 people helping(2 did half days) resulting in 30 man hours.

12 people clearing up after the rangers and dragging to our bonfire site for firework.

30 man hours.



Photo by Juliet Bullimore

As you see the volunteers are a hardy lot.

Resulting with a total of 228 man hours over the year.

Westleton Common Fungi Report 2010

This was a vintage year for fungi and there were spectacular displays on the Common. For nearly two weeks there were at least fifty of the familiar red and white spotted Fly agaric (*Amanita muscaria*) under a group of birch trees in the centre of the Common.

Several new records included the Shooting star (*Sphaerobolus stellatus*). The tiny fruit bodies, 2-3mm. diam., are partially embedded in dead wood and each contains a single ball of spores which is ejected with considerable force by a catapult mechanism. The spore ball can travel a considerable distance.

The pale yellow Club fungus (*Clavaria argillacea*), always associated with clumps of heather (*Erica carnea*), was seen in profusion on the lower slopes of the Common but had disappeared from its usual site near the seat at the far end of the Common.

Two forays were held this year, one in October and one in November to enjoy and record these displays.





Parasol (*Macrolepiota procera*)



The Deceiver (Laccaria laccata)



Ear fungus (Auricularia auricula-judae)



Earth fan (Thelephora terrestris)

Westleton Common Fungi 2010	<u>-</u>
Latin Name	Common Name
manita fulva	Tawny grisette
nanita gemmata	Jewelled amanita
nanita muscaria	Fly agaric
nanita phalloides	Deathcap
nanita rubescens	Blusher
millaria mellea	Honey fungus
cocoryne sarcoides	Purple jellydisc
uricularia auricula-judae	Ear Fungus
erkandera adusta	Smoky bracket
letus chrysenteron	Red-cracked bolete
hlorociboria aeruginascens	Green elfcap
hondrostereum purpureum	Silverleaf fungus
avaria argillacea	Moor club
avulina coralloides	Crested coral
litocybe gibba	Common funnel
litocybe nebularis	Clouded funnel
ollybia dryophila	Russet tough shank
ollybia erythropus	Redleg tough shank
ollybia fusipes	Spindleshank
ollybia maculata	Spotted toughshank
ollybia peronata	Wood woollyfoot
oprinus disseminatus	Fairy inkcap
ortinarius sp.	Webcap
epidotus sp	Oysterling
/stoderma amianthinum	Earthy powdercap
acrymyces stillatus	Common jellyspot
aedaleopsis confragosa	Blushing bracket
intoloma sp.	Pink gill
lammulina velutipes	Velvet shank
alerina hypnorum	Moss bell
eoglossum sp.	Earth tongue
lebeloma crustuliniforme	Poison pie
lygrophoropsis aurantiaca	False chanterelle
lymenoscyphus fructigenus	Cup fungus on acorn
lypholoma fasciculare	Sulphur tuft
accaria amethystina	Amethyst deceiver
accaria laccata	The deceiver
actarius glyciosmus	Coconut milkcap
actarius quietus	Oak milkcap
actarius turpis	Ugly milkcap
eccinum scabrum	Brown birch bolete
epista flaccida	Tawny funnel
pista nuda	Wood blewit

Lycoperdon nigrescens	Dusky puffball
Lycoperdon perlatum	Common puffball
Macrolepiota procera	Parasol
Macrolepiota rhacodes	Shaqqy parasol
Macrotyphula fistulosa	Pipe club
Marasmius androsaceus	Horsehair parachute
Microsphaera alphitoides	Oak mildew
Mycena epipterygia	Yellowleg bonnet
Mycena galericulata	Common bonnet
Mycena galopus var. nigra	Black milking bonnet
Octospora humosa	Cup fungus with moss Polytrichum sp.
Octospora rutilans	Cup fungus with moss Polytrichum sp.
Otidea bufonia	Toad's ear
Otidea onotica	Hare's ear
Paxillus involutus	Brown roll-rim
Peniophora incarnata	Rosycrust
Phallus impudicus	Stinkhorn
Piptoporus betulinus	Birch polypore
Pleurotus ostreatus	Oyster mushroom
Pluteus cervinus	Deer shield
Polyporus tuberaster	Tuberous polypore
Psathyrella piluliformis	Common stump brittlestem
Rhytisma acerinum	Tar spot on sycamore
Rickenella fibula	Orange moss cap
Russula spp.	Brittle gill
Scleroderma citrinum	Common earthball
Sphaerobolus stellatus	Shooting star
Stereum hirsutum	Hairy curtain crust
Thelephora terrestris	Earth fan
Trametes gibbosa	Lumpy bracket
Trametes versicolor	Turkeytail
Tremella mesenterica	Yellow brain fungus
Tricholoma fulvum	Birch knight
	Candlesnuff fungus

Juliet Bullimore, Sheila Francis and Alison Paul

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Shelduck					1	0	0
Sparrowhaw	_						
k	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Kestrel	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
Red-legged Partridge	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Pheasant	1	1	1	2	2	1	1
Collared							
Dove	2	2	2	2	2	1	1
Turtle Dove	2	3	2	2	1	1	1
Cuckoo	1	1	1	1	1	1	0
Tawny Owl		1	1	1	2	1	1
Nightjar	1	1	1	0	1	0	1
Swift	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Green Woodpecker	2	2	2	2	2	3	2
Great Spotted Woodpecker	1	2	1	1	1	1	1
	1	2	1	1	1	0	0
Skylark				-	-		
Woodlark	2	2	1	2	2	2	1
Pied Wagtail	1	1	1	1	2	1	0
Wren	15	16	13	14	13	10	10
Dunnock	6	10	5	9	6	9	7
Robin	12	12	10	11	12	12	13
Nightingale	8	9	10	9	9	6	10
Blackbird	8	9	9	9	8	8	7
Song Thrush	2	4	3	3	4	4	3
Mistle Thrush	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
Lesser Whitethroat	2	4	2	3	4	1	3
Whitethroat	3	4	4	3	2	2	2
Blackcap	3	4	4	3	5	5	7
Garden Warbler	4	5	5	3	4	4	2
Willow Warbler	5	4	3	3	1	4	2
Chiffchaff	9	7	7	11	12	12	11
Goldcrest	2	1	1	2	2	0	0
Firecrest	-	•	·	-	1	0	0 0
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Blue Tit	12	11	8	12	10	7	8
Great Tit	5	9	8	9	7	9	9
Coal Tit	1	2	2	1	1	2	2
Long Tailed Tit	3	2	2	4	3	2	2
Jay	1	1	1	1	1	2	2
Magpie	4	2	2	2	2	3	2
Carrion Crow					1	0	0
Chaffinch	19	20	19	18	20	20	18
Greenfinch	12	7	12	14	15	10	10
Goldfinch	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Bullfinch	2	3	3	2	3	1	1
Linnet	4	5	5	4	4	4	5
Yellowhamm er Woodpigeon - Bred but not included in Survey	7	6	6	4	5	3	3

ADDITIONAL RECORDS 2010

Woodcock max 5 3rd February Dartford Warbler 1 24th April Buzzard 1 26th April Bar-tailed Godwit 4 8th May Peregrine Falcon 1 9th may

Hobby and Marsh Harrier - Recorded fairly regularly in the summer.

Appendix 1b. Birds - Total recorded 2004-2010

Cormorant	Phalacrocorax carbo
Little Egret	Egretta garzetta
Grey Heron	Ardea cinerea
Mute Swan	Cygnus olor
Bewick's Swan	Cygnus columbianus
Whooper Swan	Cygnus cygnus
Greylag Goose	Anser anser
Canada Goose	Branta canadensis
Barnacle Goose	Branta leucopsis
Red-breasted Goose	Branta ruficollis
Shelduck	Tadorna tadorna
Wigeon	Anas penelope
Teal	Anas crecca
Mallard	Anas platyrhynchos
Red Kite	Milvus milvus
Marsh Harrier	Circus aeruginosus
Hen Harrier	Circus cyaneus
Goshawk	Accipiter gentilis
Sparrowhawk	Accipiter nisus
Kestrel	Falco tinnunculus
Merlin	Falco columbarius
Hobby	Falco subbuteo
Peregrine	Falco peregrinus
Red-legged Partridge	Alectoris rufa
Quail	Coturnix coturnix
Pheasant	Phasianus colchicus
Moorhen	Gallinula chloropus
Oystercatcher	Haematopus ostralegus
Stone Curlew	Burhinus oedicnemus
Ringed Plover	Charadius hiaticula
Golden Plover	Pluvialis apricaria
Lapwing	Vanellus vanellus
Snipe	Gallinago gallinago
Woodcock	Scolopax rusticola
Whimbrel	Numenius phaeopus
Curlew	Numenius arquata
Redshank	Tringa totanus
Greenshank	Tringa nebularia
Green Sandpiper	Tringa ochropus
Mediterrean Gull	Larus melanocephalus
Black-headed Gull	Larus ridibundus

Common Gull	Larus canus
Great Black-backed Gull	Larus marinus
Lesser Black-backed	
Gull	Larus fuscus
Herring Gull	Larus argentatus
Stock Dove	Columba oenas
Woodpigeon	Columba palumbus
Collared Dove	Streptopelia decaocto
Turtle Dove	Streptopelia turtur
Cuckoo	Cuculus canorus
Barn Owl	Tyto alba
Little Owl	Athene noctua
Tawny Owl	Strix aluco
Nightjar	Caprimulgus europaeus
Swift	Apus apus
Ноорое	Upupa epops
Wryneck	Jynx torquilla
Green Woodpecker	Picus viridis
Great Spotted	
Woodpecker	Dendrocopus major
Woodlark	Lullula arborea
Skylark	Alauda arvensis
Sand Martin	Riparia riparia
Swallow	Hirundo rustica
House Martin	Delichon urbica
Tree Pipit	Anthus trivialis
Meadow Pipit	Anthus pratensis
Grey Wagtail	Motacilla cinerea
Pied Wagtail	Motacilla alba yarrellii
Waxwing	Bombycilla garrulous
Wren	Troglodytes troglodytes
Dunnock	Prunella modularis
Robin	Erithacus rubecula
Nightingale	Luscinia megarhynchos
Wheatear	Oenanthe oenanthe
Blackbird	Turdus merula
Fieldfare	Turdus pilaris
Song Thrush	Turdus philomelos
Redwing	Turdus iliacus
Mistle Thrush	Turdus viscivorus
Reed Warbler	Acrocephalus scirpaceus
Dartford Warbler	Sylvia undata
Lesser Whitethroat	Sylvia curruca
Whitethroat	Sylvia communis

Garden Warbler Sylvia borin Blackcap Sylvia atricapilla Chiffchaff Phylloscopus collybita Willow Warbler Phylloscopus trochilus Goldcrest Regulus regulus Firecrest Regulus ignicapillus Spotted Flycatcher Muscicapa striata Long-tailed Tit Aegithalos caudatus Marsh Tit Parus palustris Coal Tit Parus ater Blue Tit Parus caeruleus Great Tit Parus major Treecreeper Certhia familiaris Golden Oriole Oriolus oriolus Jay Garrulus glandarius Magpie Pica pica Jackdaw Corvus monedula Rook Corvus frugilegus Carrion Crow Corvus corone Starling Sturnus vulgaris House Sparrow Passer domesticus Chaffinch Fringilla coelebs Brambling Fringilla montifringilla Greenfinch Carduelis chloris Goldfinch Carduelis carduelis Carduelis spinus Siskin Linnet Carduelis cannabina Redpoll Carduelis flammea Lesser Redpoll Carduelis cabaret Bullfinch Pyrrhula pyrrhula Yellowhammer Emberiza citronella **Richard Drew and** Doug Ireland In 2009, a Buzzard, (Buteo buteo) was seen over the Common (Hazel

Leggett)

Butterflies

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Skipper			*					
Clouded Yellow	Colias croceus			*				
Large White	Pieris brassicae	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
-	Pieris	*	*			*		
Small White	rapae	*	*			*		
Green- veined White	Pieris napi	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
	Anthocha ris							
Orange Tip	cardamin es	*	*	*	*	*	*	
Green	Callophry	*			*			*
Hairstreak	s rubi	~			~			~
Purple Haistreak	Quercusi a quercus		*			*	*	
Small Copper	Lycaena phlaeas	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Silver- studded Blue	Plebejus argus	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Brown Argus	Aricia agestis					*		
Common	Polyomm atus							
Blue	icarus	*	*			*	*	*
Holly Blue	Celastrina argiolus	*	*	*	*	*	*	
White Admiral	Ladoga camilla				*			*
Red Admiral	Vanessa atalanta	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Painted Lady	Cynthia cardui	*	*	*	*		*	
Small Tortoiseshell	Aglais urticae	*	*	*	*		*	*
Peacock	Inachis io	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Comma	Polygonia c-album	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

Speckled Wood	Pararge aegeria	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wall	Lasiomm ata megera	*			*	*		
Grayling	Hipparchi a semele	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gatekeeper	Maniola tithonus	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Meadow Brown	Maniola jurtina	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
	Coenony mpha pamphilu							
Small Heath	S	*	*	*		*		*

Dragonflies

Broad-bodied ChaserLibellula depressaBlack-tailed SkimmerOrthetrum canvellatumFour-spotted ChaserLibellula quadrimaculataEmperor DragonflyAnax imperatorAzure DamselflyCoenagrion pullaCommon DarterSympretum striolatumSouthern HawkerAesha cyenea

(Records were only noted in certain years, though dragonflies were seen other times

Appendix 2b. Moths 2007

Moths recorded in 2007

15Hepialus sylvinaOrange Swift228Monopis weaverella PseudoswammerdamiaPseudoswammerdamia436combinellaSome state544Coleophora albicostaSome state641Batia lambdellaSome state658Carcina quercanaSome state774Teleiodes luculella776Teleiopsis diffinis796Aroga velocella797Neofaculta ericetella873Blastobasis lignea
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797 Neofaculta ericetella
873 Blastobasis lignea
874 Blastobasis decolorella
965 Cochylis hybridella
1076 Celypha lacunana
1082 Hedya pruniana Plum Tortrix
1093 Apotomis betuletana
1120 Ancylis mitterbacheriana
1134 Epinotia ramella
1169 Gypsonoma dealbana
1205 Spilonota ocellana Bud Moth
1255 Cydia succedana
1260 Cydia splendana
1301 Crambus lathoniellus
1304 Agriphila straminella
1305 Agriphila tristella
1306 Agriphila inquinatella
1307 Agriphila latistria
1313 Catoptria pinella
1323 Pediasia contaminella
1325 Platytes alpinella
1334 Scoparia ambigualis
1340 Eudonia truncicolella
1356 Evergestis forficalis Garden Pebble
1424 Endotricha flammealis
1433 Cryptoblabes bistriga
1470 Euzophera pinguis

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1485	Phycitodes maritima
1645	Falcaria lacertinaria
1651	Cilix glaucata
1652	Thyatira batis
1677	Cyclophora albipunctata
1680	Cyclophora punctaria
1707	Idaea seriata
1712	Idaea emarginata
1713	Idaea aversata
1738	Epirrhoe alternata
1752	Cosmorhoe ocellata
1764	Chloroclysta truncata
1776	Colostygia pectinataria
1803	Perizoma alchemillata
1819	Eupithecia exiguata
1825	Eupithecia centaureata
1838	Eupithecia icterata
1862	Gymnoscelis rufifasciata
1884	Abraxas grossulariata
1889	Macaria notata
1890	Macaria alternata
1906	Opisthograptis luteolata
1913	Ennomos alniaria
1921	Crocallis elinguaria
1937	Peribatodes rhomboidaria
1961	Campaea margaritata
1978	Hyloicus pinastri
1979	Mimas tiliae
1997	Furcula furcula
2003	Notodonta ziczac
2005	Peridea anceps
2006	Pheosia gnoma
2007	Pheosia tremula
2008	Ptilodon capucina
2011	Pterostoma palpina
2014	Drymonia dodonaea
2028	Calliteara pudibunda
2033	Lymantria monacha
2043	Eilema sororcula
2044	Eilema griseola
2047	Eilema complana
2058	Arctia villica
2060	Spilosoma lubricipeda
2081	Euxoa tritici
2085	Agrotis vestigialis

Scalloped Hook-tip **Chinese Character** Peach Blossom **Birch Mocha** Maiden's Blush Small Dusty Wave Small Scallop **Riband Wave Common Carpet** Purple Bar **Common Marbled Carpet** Green Carpet Small Rivulet Mottled Pug Lime-speck Pug Tawny Speckled Pug **Double-striped Pug** Magpie Peacock Moth Sharp-angled Peacock **Brimstone Moth** Canary-shouldered Thorn Scalloped Oak Willow Beauty Light Emerald Pine Hawk-moth Lime Hawk-moth Sallow Kitten Pebble Prominent Great Prominent Lesser Swallow Prominent Swallow Prominent **Coxcomb Prominent** Pale Prominent Marbled Brown Pale Tussock Black Arches Orange Footman **Dingy Footman** Scarce Footman Cream-spot Tiger White Ermine White-line Dart Archer's Dart

2087 2089 2092 2102 2107 2109	Agrotis segetum Agrotis exclamationis Agrotis puta Ochropleura plecta Noctua pronuba Noctua comes
2111	Noctua janthe
2118	Lycophotia porphyrea
2123	Diarsia rubi
2126	Xestia c-nigrum
2131	Xestia rhomboidea
2134	Xestia xanthographa
2145	Discestra trifolii
2154	Mamestra brassicae
2157	Lacanobia w-latinum
2159	Lacanobia suasa
2173	Hadena bicruris
2194	Mythimna albipuncta
2199	Mythimna pallens
2284	Acronicta psi
2297	Amphipyra pyramidea
2303	Thalpophila matura
2306	Phlogophora meticulosa
2321	Apamea monoglypha
2334	Apamea sordens
2337	Oligia strigilis
2339	Oligia latruncula
2380	Charanyca trigrammica
2384	Hoplodrina ambigua
2434	Diachrysia chrysitis
2439	Plusia festucae
2441	Autographa gamma
2449	Abrostola triplasia
2450	Abrostola tripartita
2477	Hypena proboscidalis

Turnip Moth Heart & Dart Shuttle-shaped Dart Flame Shoulder Large Yellow Underwing Lesser Yellow Underwing Lesser Broad-bordered Yellow Underwing True Lover's Knot Small Square-spot Setaceous Hebrew Character Square-spotted Clay Square-spot Rustic Nutmeg Cabbage Moth Light Brocade Dog's Tooth Lychnis White-point **Common Wainscot** Grey Dagger Copper Underwing Straw Underwing Angle Shades Dark Arches Rustic Shoulder-knot Marbled Minor Tawny Marbled Minor **Treble Lines** Vine's Rustic **Burnished Brass** Gold Spot Silver Y Dark Spectacle Spectacle Snout

Doug Ireland

Appendix 3. Amphibians	reptiles and mammals 2004-2010							
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Amphibians								
Frog	Rana temporaria	*						
Common Toad	Bufo bufo			*				
Reptiles								
Grass Snake	Natrix natrix	*	*	*	*	*	*	
Adder	Viperus berus	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Common Lizard	Licerta vivipara	*	*	*			*	*
Slow Worm	Anguis fragilis	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Mammals								
Red Deer	Cervus elaphus	*	*	*	*	*	*	
Muntjac Deer	Muntiacus reevesi	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Fox	Vulpia vulpia	*		*			*	*
Brown Hare	Lepus capensis					*		
Rabbit	Orytolagus cuniculus	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Stoat	Mustella erminea	*	*			*	*	
Weasel	Mustela nivalis		*			*		
Mole	Talpa europaea		*	*			*	
Grey Squirrel	Neosciurus carolinensis	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Shrew	Gai UIII ICI 1313		*					
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Appendix 3. Amphibians, Reptiles & Mammals 2004-2010

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Appendix 4. Vascular plants 2004-2010

No new species for 2010

Vascular plants 2004-9

Acaena anserinifolia (possibly x A. inermis) Acer pseudoplatanus Achillea millefolium Aethusa cynapium Agrostis canina Agrostis capillaris Agrostis stolonifera Agrostis vinealis Aira praecox Alchemilla vulgaris agg. Alliaria petiolata Amsinckia micrantha Anacamptis pyramidalis Anagallis arvensis Anchusa arvensis Anisantha sterilis Anthoxanthum odoratum Anthriscus caucalis Anthriscus sylvestris Aphanes arvensis Aphanes australis Aquilegia vulgaris Arabidopsis thaliana Arctium minus Arenaria serpyllifolia ssp. leptoclados Arrhenatherum elatius Artemisia vulgaris Arum italicum Arum maculatum Atriplex patula Ballota nigra Bellis perennis

* a Pirri-pirri-bur (see elsewhere in report) Sycamore Yarrow Fool's Parsley Velvet Bent Common Bent **Creeping Bent** Brown Bent Early Hair-grass Lady's mantle Garlic Mustard Common Fiddleneck Pyramidal Orchid Scarlet Pimpernel **Bugloss** Barren Brome Sweet Vernal Grass Bur Parsley (Bur Chervil) Cow Parsley Parsley Piert Slender Parsley-piert Columbine Thale Cress Lesser Burdock Small Thyme-leaved Sandwort False Oat-grass Mugwort Italian Lords-and-Ladies Lords-and-Ladies Common Orache Black Horehound Daisy

Betula pendula Borago officinalis Brassica napus oleifolia Bromus hordeaceus ssp. hordeaceus Bryonia dioica Calluna vulgaris Calystegia sepium Calystegia silvatica Capsella bursa-pastoris Cardamine flexuosa Cardamine hirsuta Carduus crispus Carduus nutans *Carduus tenuiflorus* Carex arenaria *Carex pilulifera* Castanea sativa Centaurea nigra agg. Centaurium erythraea Cerastium fontanum ssp. vulgare Cerastium glomeratum Cerastium semidecandrum Ceratocapnos claviculata Chaerophyllum temulentum Chamerion angustifolium Chelidonium majus Chenopodium album Chenopodium polyspermum Chionodoxa forbesii Cirsium arvense Cirsium vulgare Claytonia perfoliata Claytonia sibirica *Clinopodium ascendens* Clinopodium vulgare Conium maculatum Consolida ajacis Convolvulus arvensis Conyza canadensis Crassula tillaea

Silver Birch Borage Rape Soft Brome White Bryony Ling Hedge Bindweed Large Bindweed Shepherd's Purse Wavy Bittercress Hairy Bittercress Welted Thistle Musk Thistle Slender Thistle (Seaside Thistle) Sand Sedge Pill Sedge Sweet Chestnut Common Knapweed Common Centaury Common Mouse-ear Sticky Mouse-ear Little Mouse-ear **Climbing Corydalis** Rough Chervil Rosebay Willowherb Greater Celandine Fat-hen Many-seeded Goosefoot Glory-of-the-snow **Creeping Thistle** Spear Thistle Spring Beauty Pink Purslane **Common Calamint** Wild Basil Hemlock Larkspur Field Bindweed Canadian Fleabane Mossy Stonecrop

Crataegus monogyna Crepis capillaris Crepis vesicaria Cuscuta epithymum Cynoglossum officinale Cytisus scoparius Dactylis glomerata Digitalis purpurea Dryopteris dilatata Elytrigia repens Epilobium ciliatum Epilobium parviflorum Erica cinerea Erodium cicutarium Erophila verna Euphorbia lathyris Euphorbia peplus Fallopia baldschuanica Fallopia convolvulus Fallopia japonica Festuca ovina agg. Festuca rubra agg. Filago vulgaris *Foeniculum vulgare* Fraxinus excelsior Galanthus nivalis Galium aparine Galium mollugo Galium saxatile

Hawthorn Smooth Hawk's-beard Beaked Hawk's-beard Dodder Hound's-tongue Broom Cock's-foot Foxglove Broad Buckler-fern Couch Grass American Willow-herb Hoary Willowherb Bell Heather Common Stork's-bill Common Whitlowgrass Caper Spurge Petty Spurge Russian-vine Black Bindweed Japanese Knotweed Sheep's Fescue **Red Fescue** Common Cudweed Fennel Ash Snowdrop Cleavers Hedge Bedstraw Heath Bedstraw

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Galium verum Geranium dissectum Geranium molle Geranium pusillum Geranium pyrenaicum

Geranium robertianum Geum urbanum Glechoma hederacea Lady's Bedstraw Cut-leaved Crane's-bill Dove's-foot Crane's-bill Small-flowered Crane's-bill Hedgerow Crane's-bill(Pyrenean Crane'sbill) Herb Robert Wood Avens (Herb Bennet) Ground-ivy
Hedera helix Heracleum sphondylium Hesperis matronalis Holcus lanatus Hordium murinum Humulus lupulus Hyacinthoides non-scripta *Hypericum perforatum* Hypochaeris radicata Ilex aquifolium Juncus bufonius Juncus effusus Lamiastrum galeobdolon ssp argentatum Lamium album Lamium purpureum Lapsana communis Leontodon autumnalis Leucanthemum vulgare Leucojum aestrum Ligustrum vulgare Linaria vulgaris *Lolium perenne* Lonicera periclymenum Lotus corniculatus Lunaria annua Luzula campestris Malus domestica Malva moschata Malva neglecta Malva sylvestris Matricaria discoidea Medicago arabica Medicago polymorpha Melissa officinalis Molinia caerulea Montia fontana *Myosotis arvensis Myosotis discolor* Myosotis ramosissima Myosotis sylvatica

Ivy Hogweed Dame's Violet Yorkshire Fog Wall Barley Hop Bluebell Perforate St. John's-wort Cat's-ear Holly Toad Rush Soft Rush Yellow Archangel (variegated) White Dead-nettle Red Dead-nettle Nipplewort Autumn Hawkbit **Ox-eye** Daisy Summer Snowflake Wild Privet Common Toadflax Perennial Rye-grass Honeysuckle Common Bird's-foot-trefoil Honesty Field Woodrush (Good Friday Grass) Apple Musk Mallow Dwarf Mallow Common Mallow Pineapple-weed Spotted Medick **Toothed Medick** Balm Purple Moor-grass Blinks Field Forgetmenot **Changing Forgetmenot** Early Forgetmenot

* Wood Forgetmenot

Narcissus sp. Odontites verna ssp. serotinus Oenothera glazioviana Ophrys apifera Ornithogalum angustifolium Ornithops perpusillus Oxalis articulata Oxalis corniculata Papaver rhoeas Papaver somniferum Parietaria judaica Pentaglottis sempervirens Persicaria maculosa Phleum bertolinii Picris echioides Pilosella officinarum Plantago coronopus Plantago lanceolata Plantago major Poa nemoralis Poa pratensis Polygonum aviculare *Polypodium interjectum* Polypodium vulgare Potentilla argentea *Potentilla reptans* Potentilla sterilis Primula vulgaris Prunella vulgaris Prunus avium Prunus spinosa Pteridium aquilinum Pulicaria dysenterica Quercus ilex *Quercus robur* Ranunculus bulbosus Ranunculus ficaria Ranunculus repens Ranunculus sardous Raphanus raphanistrum

Daffodil **Red Bartsia** Large-flowered Evening-primrose Bee Orchid Star-of-Bethlehem Birds'-foot Pink-sorrel * Spreading Yellow Sorrel **Common Poppy Opium Poppy** Pellitory-of-the-wall Green Alkanet Redleg Small Cat's-tail Bristly Ox-tongue Mouse-ear Hawkweed **Buck's-horn Plantain Ribwort** Plantain Rat's-tail Plantain Wood Meadow-grass Smooth Meadow-grass Knotgrass Western Polypody Polypody Hoary Cinquefoil **Creeping Cinquefoil** Barren Strawberry Primrose Selfheal Wild Cherry Blackthorn Bracken Common Fleabane Holm Oak Pedunculate Oak **Bulbous Buttercup** Lesser Celandine **Creeping Buttercup** Hairy Buttercup Wild Radish

Reseda luteola Ribes rubrum Ribes sanguineum Rosa canina Rosa pimpinellifolia Rosa rubiginosa Rubus caesius Rubus fruticosus agg. Rumex acetosa Rumex acetosella Rumex crispus Rumex obtusifolius Sagina procumbens Sagina subulata Salix caprea Salix cinerea ssp. cinerea Salvia verbenaca Sambucus nigra

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Saponaria officianalis Scleranthus annuus Scrophularia nodosa Sedum acre Sedum album Senecio jacobaea Senecio sylvaticus Senecio vulgaris Silene dioica Silene latifolia Sinapsis arvensis Sisymbrium officinale Smyrnium olusatrum Solanum nigrum Sonchus asper Sonchus oleraceus Sorbus aucuparia

Weld Red Currant Flowering Currant Dog Rose Burnet Rose ("Dunwich Rose" locally) Sweet-briar (Eglantine) Dewberry Bramble Common Sorrel Sheep's-sorrel Curled Dock Broad-leaved Dock Procument Pearlwort Heath Pearlwort Goat Willow Grey Willow Wild Clary Elder

* Soapwort Annual Knawel **Common Figwort Biting Stonecrop** White Stonecrop **Common Ragwort** Heath Groundsel Groundsel **Red Campion** White Campion Charlock Hedge Mustard Alexanders Black Nightshade Prickly Sow-thistle Smooth Sow-thistle Rowan

Spurgularia rubra Stachys sylvatica Stellaria graminea Stellaria holostea Stellaria media Symphytum orientale *Symphytum x uplandicum* Tanacetum parthenium Tanacetum vulgare Taraxacum officinale agg. Taraxacum Sect. Erythrosperma Teesdalia nudicaulis *Teucrium scorodonium* Torilis japonica Trifolium campestre Trifolium dubium Trifolium glomeratum Trifolium micranthum Trifolium ornithopodioides Trifolium repens Trifolium striatum Trifolium subterraneum Trifolium suffocatum Tripleurospermum inodorum *Ulex europaeus* Ulex gallii Ulmus procera Umbilicus rupestris Urtica dioica Urtica urens Verbascum x semialbum (V.thapsus x nigrum) Verbascum nigrum Verbascum thapsus Verbascum virgatum Veronica arvensis Veronica chamaedrys Veronica hederifolia ssp. lucorum Veronica officinalis Veronica persica Veronica serpyllifolia

Sand Spurrey Hedge Woundwort Lesser Stitchwort Greater Stitchwort Common Chickweed White Comfrey **Russian Comfrey** Feverfew Tansy Dandelion Lesser Dandelion Shepherd's Cress Wood Sage Upright Hedge-parsley Hop Trefoil Lesser Trefoil **Clustered** Clover Slender Trefoil Bird's-foot Clover (Fenugreek) White Clover Knotted Clover Subterranean Clover Suffocated Clover Scentless Mayweed Gorse Western Gorse **English Elm** Navelwort (Wall Pennywort) Stinging Nettle Small Nettle Hybrid Mullein Dark Mullein Great Mullein Twiggy Mullein Wall Speedwell Germander Speedwell

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Ivy-leaved Speedwell Heath Speedwell Common Field-speedwell

Thyme-leaved Speedwell

Vicia hirsuta Vicia sativa ssp. nigra Vicia sativa ssp. segetalis Vinca major Viola arvensis Viola odorata Viola reichenbachiana Viola riviniana Vulpia bromoides Hairy Tare Common Vetch ssp. Common Vetch ssp. Greater Periwinkle Field Pansy Sweet Violet Wood Dog-violet Common Dog-violet Squirrel-tailed Fescue

Joan Westcott Alison Paul Judy Boulanger

Total number of species = 273

Appendix 5. Bryophytes and cyanobacteria 2004-2010

* New species in 2009

Mosses

Amblystegium serpens Aulacomnium androgynum Barbula convoluta Barbula unguiculata Brachythecium albicans Brachythecium rutabulum Brachythecium velutinum Bryoerythrophyllum recurvirostrum Bryum argenteum Byrum bicolor Byrum capillare Bvrum ruderale Caliergonella cuspidata Campylopus introflexus Campylopus pyriformis Ceratodon purpureus Cryphaea heteromalla * Dicranella heteromalla Dicranoweisia cirrata Dicranum majus Dicranum scoparium Didymodon fallax Didymodon insulanus Eurhynchium praelongum Fissidens taxifolius Funaria hygrometrica Grimmia pulvinata *Hypnum cupressiforme* Hypnum jutlandicum Hypnum lacunosum Hypnum resupinatum Mnium hornum Orthodontium lineare *Orthotrichum affine* Orthotrichum anomalum Orthotrichum diaphanum Orthotrichum lyellii Orthotrichum pulchellum Plagiothecium curvifolium Plagiothecium nemorale *Plagiothecium undulatum* Pleurozium schreberi Pohlia nutans Polytrichum formosum Polytrichum juniperinum *Polytrichum piliferum* Pseudocrossidium hornschuchianum Rhynchostegium confertum

Mosses (continued)

Rhytidiadelphus squarrosus Schistidium apocarpum * Scleropodium purum Syntrichia intermedia Syntrichia ruraliformis Syntrichia ruralis Tortula muralis Ulota bruchii Ulota phyllantha

Liverworts

Cephaloziella divaricata Frullania dilatata Lophocolea bidentata Lophocolea heterophylla Lophocolea semiteres

Cyanobacteria (Blue-green algae)

Nostoc commune

Richard Fisk

(Suffolk Bryophyte Recorder)

Fungi		20 07	20 08
Aleuria aurantica	Orange peel fungus	~	~
Amanita citrina	False death cap	~	~
Amanita fulva	Tawny grisette	✓	~
Amanita muscaria	Fly agaric	✓	~
Amanita phalloides	Death cap	~	~
Armillaria mellea	Honey fungus		~
Bjerkandera adjusta	Smoky bracket		~
Boletus edulis	Penny bun	~	~
Bovista nigrescens	Brown puffball		~
Calvatia exipuliforme	Pestle	~	~
Clavaria argillacea	Moor club	~	~
Clavaria fusiformis	Golden spindles	~	
Clavaria helvola	Yellow club	~	
Clavaria rugosa	Club fungus	~	
Clitocybe infundibuliformis	Common funnel	✓	~
Clitocybe nebularis	Clouded agaric	✓	~
Collybia butyracea	Buttercap	~	~
Coniophora puteana	Wet rot		~
Conocybe rickeniana		✓	
Coprinus atramentarius	Common ink cap	~	
Coprinus disseminatus	Fairy bonnet	~	
Cordeyceps militaris	Scarlet caterpillar club		~
Cortinarius sp.	Webcap		~
Dacromyces deliquesens			
Daedaleopsis confragosa	Blushing bracket	✓	~
Flammulina velutipes	Velvet stem	~	~
Galerina hypnorum	Moss bell	~	~
Geoglossum sp.	Earth tongue		~
Gymnopilus junonius	Spectular rustgill	✓	
Handkea utriformis	Mosaic puffball	✓	~
Hebeloma crustuliniforme	Poison pie	✓	~
Hebeloma mesophaeum	Veiled poison pie	✓	~
Hohenbuehelia geogenia	Oyster		~
Hygrocybe coccinea	Scarlet wax cap	~	~
Hypholoma fasciculare	Sulphur tuft	~	~
Inocybe maculata	Frosty fibrecap	~	~
Laccaria amathystina	Violet deceiver	~	~

Appendix 6a. Fungi recorded in 2007-2008

Microsphaera alphitoides	Oak mildew		•
Mildew			
Puccinia malvacearum	Mallow rust	~	~
Puccinia glechomatis	Ground ivy rust	✓	~
Phragmidium violaceum	Violet bramble rust	~	~
Rusts			
Xylaria hypoxylon	Candlesnuff fungus		•
			•
Trameles versicolor Tremella mesenterica	Yellow brain		•
Trametes gibbosa Trametes versicolor	Lumpy bracket Turkeytail	•	*
	(Bracket fungus)	.4	
Trametes cinnibarina			•
Thelephora terrestris	Hairy curtain crust Earthfan	•	
Stereum hirsutum		•	•
Scleroderma aurantium	Earth ball	• •	• •
Russula atropurpurea Russula violeipes	Purple brittle gill Velvet brittle gill	v	Ţ
Rickenella fibula Russula atropurpurea	Orange mosscap	.	
Polypore spp Rickanella fibula	Bracket fungus		.
	Oyster mushroom Bracket fungus	*	•
Piptoporus betulinus Pleurotus ostreatus	Razorstrop fungus	▼	▼
Phallus impudicus	Stinkhorn Bazaratran fungua	∀	▼
	(ascomycete)	. 4	. 4
Peziza rutilans	Cup fungus		
Peiophora incarnate	Rosy crust		~
Paxillus involutus	Brown rollrim	~	~
Oudemansiella radicata	Rooting shank	~	~
Otidea onotica	Hares ear	~	
Omphalina fibula	Orange mosscap	~	~
Mycena vitilis	Snapping bonnet	~	~
Mycena epipterygia	Yellowleg bonnet	~	~
Macrolepiota rhacodes	Woodland parasol	~	
Macrolepiota procera	Parasol	~	~
Lycoperdon spp	Puffballs	~	~
Lepista saeva	Common field blewit	~	~
Lepista flaccida	Tawny funnel	✓	~
Lactarius turpis	Ugly milkcap	~	~
Lactarius quietus	Oakbug milkcap		~
Laccaria proxima	Scurfy deciever	~	•

Algae

Trentepohlia spp.

Red Alga

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Appendix 6b. Lichens recorded 1984 to 2009

Lichens	
Lichen name	DAFO
Amandinea punctata	0
Anisomeridium polypori	0
Arthroraphis grisea	R
Bacidia saxenii	R
Baeomyces rufus	0
Caloplaca citrina	0
Caloplaca flavocitrina	0
Caloplaca holocarpa	0
Caloplaca phlogina	0
Candelariella aurella	0
Candelariella vitellina	0
Catillaria chalybeia	0
Cetraria aculeata	F
Cladonia caespiticia	0
Cladonia cervicornis var. cervicornis	0
Cladonia cervicornis var. verticillata	0
Cladonia chlorophaea	F
Cladonia ciliata var. ciliata	0
Cladonia ciliata var. tenuis	0
Cladonia coniocraea	0
Cladonia diversa	F
Cladonia fimbriata	0
Cladonia floerkeana	F
Cladonia foliacea	0
Cladonia furcata var. furcata	F
Cladonia glauca	0
Cladonia humilis	0
Cladonia macilenta	0
Cladonia portentosa	A
Cladonia ramulosa	F
Cladonia rangiformis Cladonia scabriuscula	F R
Cladonia scabriuscula Cladonia subulata	R
Clauzadea monticola	R
Cliostomum griffithii	R
Dimerella pineti	R
Evernia prunastri var. herinii	R
Evernia prunastri var. prunastri	F
Flavoparmelia caperata	R
Hypogymnia physodes	А
Hvpogvmnia tubulosa	R
Hypotrachyna revoluta	R R
Lecania cyrtella	к

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Lecanora albescens	R
Lecanora chlarotera	F
Lecanora compallens	R
Lercanora coniziaeoides	R
Lecanora crenulata	R
Lecanora dispersa	R
Lecanora expallens	F
Lecanora flotoviana	R O
Lecidella elaeochroma Lecidella stigmatea	R
e	F
Lepraria lobificans	г F
Lepraria incana Melanelixia subaurifera	г F
Melanelixia sunauritera Micarera denigrata	F R
Micarea erratica	R
Micarea lignaria var. lignaria Micarea lithinella	R R
Micarea nitschkeana	R R
Micarea prasina	R
Parmelia sulcata	F
Parmotrema perlata	0
Peltigera canina	Ă
Peltigera hymenina	F
Peltigera rufescens	F
Pertusaria hemisphaerica	R
Phaeophyscia orbicularis	F
Physcia adscendens	F
Physcia caesia	0
Physcia tenella var. tenella	F
Placynthiella dasaea	R
Placynthiella icmalea	0
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Placynthiella oligotropha	R
Placynthiella uliginosa	R
Porpidia soredizodes	F
Porpidia tuberculosa	0
Protoblasrtenia rupestris	R
Pseudevernia furfuracea var.	R
Psilolechia lucida	R
Punctelia jeckeri	R
Punctelia subrudecta	0
Ramalina farinacea	F
Rhizocarpon distinctum	R
Rhizocarpon reductum	А
Sarcogyne regularis	R
Scoliciosporum chlorococcum	0
cf Schaereria fuscocinerea	R
Trapelia obtegens	R
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Trapeliopsis granulosa R	
Usnea cf flammea R	
Verrucaria muralis R	
Verrucaria nigrescens R	
Verrucaria nigrescens f. tectorum R	
Xanthoparmelia mougeotii R	
Xanthoria candelaria R	
<i>Xanthoria parietina</i> F	
<i>Xanthoria polycarpa</i> O	
Allied fungi	
Arthonia punctiformis R	
Athelia arachnoidea R	
<i>Cyrtidula quercus</i> O	
<i>Xanthoriicola physciae</i> R	

List of sites and dates surveyed

Area	Grid Ref	Date
Footpath east of road	62/445.684 to 62/449.687	4/5/1984
Heathland west of road	62/44-68-	13/11/1989, 28/11/1989, 5/2/1990 and 5/6/1990, 31/3/2009, 4/4/2009 and 7/5/2009
Oak post by road	62/443.687	5/6/1990
Heathland east of road	62/444.687	5/6/1990
Oak and heath, east of road	62/442.689	26/12/2004 and 14/7/2005
Heathland east of road		7/5/2009

Some records were made in relation to a talk on lichens given at the Village Hall, 12/8/2006. The field meeting was rained off. See Annual Report 2006 and 2008.

Chris Hitch (Suffolk Lichen Recorder)

Appendix 7. Some insects and mites recorded in 2004-2008 (Searches were not made for all the species each year, but it is likely that many of them were present, for example the galls)

Antlions		200 4	200 5	20 06	200 7	200 8
Euroleon nostras	Antlion	~	~	~	~	~
Mites						
Aceria ilicis (Acari: Eryiophydoidea)	On Holm Oak					~
Tetranychus lintearius	Gorse mite	~	~	~	~	~
Oak galls caused by gall w	asps:					
Andricus fecundator	Artichoke gall	~	~	~	~	
Andricus kollari	Marble gall	~	~	~	~	
Andricus lignicola	Cola-nut gall	✓	~	~		
Andricus quercusalicis	Knopper gall	✓	✓	~	✓	
Biorhiza pallida	Oak apple gall	✓		~	✓	
Cynips divisa	Oak pea gall			~		
Cynips quercusfolii	Cherry gall	✓		~		
Neuroterus albipes	Smooth spangle gall	✓		~	✓	
Neuroterus numismalis	Silk button gall	~		~	~	
Neuroterus quercusbaccarum	Spangle gall	~	~	•	•	
Willow (Sallow) leaf galls (caused by:					
<i>Aceria tetanothrix</i>	A gall mite	~		~	~	
Aculus laevis	(Eriophyid gall mite)				~	~
Iteomyia major	Gall midge (Diptera; Cecidomyiidae)				~	
Pontania sp.	A sawfly	~		~	✓	
Pontania bridgemanni	Leaf gall sawfly					~
Galls caused by:						
Acalitus rudis	Birch leaf gall (Eriophyid mite)				~	
Aceria genista	Broom gall				✓	
Eriophyes simulis	Wild plum leaf gall				~	

Eriophyes prunispinosae	Mite gall on Blackthorn			•
Liposthenes glechomae	Wasp gall on ground ivy			•
Phyllocoptes goniothorax	Hawthorn leaf margin gall (Eriophyid mite)			•
Trioza remota	Leaf gall	✓	~	~
Barkflies or barklice (Lice,	Order Psoptera)			
Ectopsocus briggsi				~
Ectopsocus petersi				✓
Trichopsocus clarus				~
Valenzuela flavidus				•

Appendix 7. Some insects and mites recorded in 2004-2008 (con't)

		200 4	200 5	200 6	20 07	20 08
Beetles and Bugs						
Adalia 10-punctata	10-spot ladybird				~	
Chilochorus 2-pustulatus	Heather ladybird				~	~
Chilochorus renipustulatus	Kidney-spot ladybird				~	
Coccinella 7-punctata	7-spot ladybird	✓	✓	✓	~	•
Exochomus 4-pustulatus	Pine ladybird		✓		~	•
Harmonia axyridis	Harlequin ladybird				~	•
Stethorus punctillum	A black ladybird (on gorse)	~	~	•	~	
Carabus violaceus	Violet ground beetle		✓			
Apion ulicis	Gorse weevil		✓			•
Piezodorus lituratus	Gorse sheildbug	~	~	~	~	~
Typhaeus typhoeus	Minotaur beetle	~	~	~	~	~

Insect species seen in 2004 (Nigel Cuming)

Philanthus triangulum. (F). Bee-wolf. Status: Formally still regarded as RDB2, but in the light of it's expansion of range this status is under revision.
Cerceris arenaria. L. Status: Locally common.
Dasypoda altercator. (Harris). Status: Nb. A mining bee.
Ectobius panzeri. Step. Lesser Cockroach. Status: Nb.
Physocephala rufipes. (F). Conopid fly. Status:Local.
Porcinolus murinus. (F). A Pill beetle. Status: Nb.

Aphanus rolandri. (L). A ground bug. Status: Na. (seen also in 2005)

Solitary bees and wasps seen in 2007 (Michael Kirby)

Ammophila sabulosa. Solitary wasp Cerceris arenaria. Solitary wasp Colletes spp. Solitary bee Dasypoda altercator. Solitary bee Epeolus variegatus. Solitary, parasitic bee

Bumble bees seen in 2008 (Michael Kirby)

Bombus lapidarius. Red-tailed bumble bee *Bombus pascuorum*. Carder bumble bee

Bee fly seen in 2008 (Michael Kirby)

Bombylius major?. Bee fly

Michael Kirby (most of the records), Hazel Leggett, Alison Paul, Nigel Cuming

Appendix 8. Spiders. Westleton Common and Black Slough (BS). July, August, September, 2008 and a few new in 2009

Amaurobiidiae (cribellates)
Amaurobius fenestralis
<i>Dictynidae</i> (small cribellates, webs and snares on gorse, tips of shoots etc.) <i>Dictyna arundinacea</i> (gorse), <i>Dictyna latens</i> (heather) BS
Oonopidae (six eyes only) Oonops pulcher
Gnaphosidae (cells under stones. Nocturnal)
Drassodes pubescens, Zelotes pedestris BS, Zelotes latreillei BS
Zoridae (ground runners like lycosids)
Zora spinimana
Crab spiders. Thomisidae and Philodromidae
Xysticus cristatus, Xysticus ulmi, Xysticus erraticus, Oxyptila atomaria BS
Philodromus dispar BS, Thanatus striatus BS
Jumping spiders. <i>Salticidae</i> (like zebra spider on house walls)
<i>Euophrys frontalis, Heliophanus flavipes</i> Wolf spiders. <i>Lycosidae</i> etc (run on ground, fast, hunting)
Pardosa monticola, Pardosa lugubris, Pardosa nigriceps,
Alopecosa accentuata (Tarantula), Arctosa perita
Pisauridae (Nursery web spiders: Thick labyrinthine web on gorse etc)
Pisaura mirabilis
Agelenidae (sheet web with tubular retreat, gorse etc)
Agelena labyrinthica, Tegenaria silvestris (relative of the house spider,
similar web but more modest)
Hahniidae (small, widespread spinners)
Hahnia nava BS
Mimetidae (pirate spiders on other species' webs)
Ero furcata BS
Theridiidae (typically comb footed. Random web with retreat. Globular
abdomens)
Crustulina guttata BS, Steatoda phalerata BS, Theridion sisyphium,
Theridion pallens (under oak leaves), Theridion melanurum, Enoplognatha
ovata, Anelosimus vittatus, Achaearanea lunata (2009), Steatoda albomaculata (2009)
<i>Metidae</i> (Orb webs, open hub)
Meta segmentata
Araneidae (orb webs)
Araneaus diadematus (garden spider), Araneus quadratus (heaviest British
spider) Neoscona adiantum, Zygiella atrica (open segment in web with tow
rope), Araniella cucurbitina (2009)
<i>Linyphiidae</i> (sheet web, plus money spiders)
Linyphia triangularis (upside down under sheet web), Stemonyphantes lineatus
Anyphaenidae
Anyphaena accentuata (buzzing spider, on leaves) (2009)
R.F. Langley, 2008 and 2009