

Scottish ARGs Regional Meeting 2021

Saturday 30th October 2021

To be held on Zoom

Draft Programme

- 10:00 Introduction to the day**
- 10:05 'Pooling Our Ponds' A Citizen Science Project - Lucy Briscoe,
(TayARG/University of Dundee)
- 10:25 'Conserving amphibians in the Clyde area' – (Clyde ARG/University of
Glasgow)
- 10:45 -11:00 Refreshment break**
- 11:00 'Toad to the Isles' - David O'Brien (Highland ARP)
- 11:20 An overview of alien amphibians and reptiles in Scotland - Chris Cathrine
(Cent ARG/ ARG UK)
- 11:40 Securing a future for the great crested newt in West Fife – David Bell (Fife
ARG)
- 12:00 – 12:15 Refreshment break**
- 12:15 Linking habitats to habitats and linking habitats & communities in the Forth
Valley & Fife – Sheila Gundry (Froglife)
- 12:35 Adders on Windfarms – a missed conservation opportunity? – Jeanette Hall
(Highland ARP)
- 12:55 Over-wintering palmate newts on the Cairngorms: a Natural History Note –
Stephen Corcoran (Cairngorms National Park)
- 13:05 – 14:00 Lunch**
- 14:00 Adder Survey Workshop with ARG UK, Nature Scot and Amphibian and
Reptile Conservation (part 1)
- 14:45 – 15:00 Refreshment Break**
- 15:00 Adder Survey Workshop with ARG UK, Nature Scot and Amphibian and
Reptile Conservation (part 2)
- 15:30 Closing remarks**