

The Preston Society
Bird Watching & Natural History
Field Trips 2019

Date	Venue	Grid Ref Postcode	Meeting Place	Time
Saturday 5 th Jan	Marton Mere Blackpool	SD334352 FY3 9TB	Park at the end of Lawson Road. Blackpool. Exploring Marton Mere Nature Reserve. <i>Packed Lunch Required</i>	10.00
Saturday 2 nd Feb	Churchtown to Nateby Park at The Horns Inn Churchtown	SD483430 PR3 0HS	M6 Junction 32. Head North on A6 bypassing Broughton. Continue along A6 for about 6 to 8 miles. Left turn onto A586 sp Blackpool. The Horns Inn is on the left after less than a mile. <i>Park on road in front of pub. Packed Lunch Required</i>	10.00
Saturday 23 rd Feb	Hesketh Out Marsh Dib Road (High Tide 9.9 metres at 13:45)	SD422250 PR4 1SG	Another visit to Hesketh Out Marsh RSPB Nature Reserve and meeting a Warden visiting a private section of the reserve to view the recent work on the River Ribble inflow to the Marsh. <i>A donation of £4.00 per person. Packed Lunch Required</i>	11.30
Saturday 16 th March	Moore Nature Reserve Near Warrington	SJ578855 WWA4 6XE	Park at Moore Nature Reserve. 3 miles South West of Warrington. M56 junction 11. Right onto A56. Left turn for Moore. <i>Home of the Lesser Spotted Woodpecker. Packed Lunch Required</i>	10.00
Monday 6 th May	Sollom	SD455187 PR4 6HR	Park on Old Liverpool Road just off the A59 at Sollom. 1 mile South of Tarleton.	19.00
Monday 13 th May	White Coppice <i>Cuckoo Walk</i>	SD619190 PR6 8QL	Park at the Cricket Ground. M61 junction 8. A674 sp Blackburn. Just after Red Cat on left, turn right then follow White Coppice signs.	19.00
Monday 20 th May	Mere Brow Holmeswood	SD427187 PR4 6JN	Park on Park Lane just off Southport Road A565.	19.00
Saturday 25 th May	Haverthwaite and River Leven	SD472854 LA8 8EP	Exploring Great Close Risebeck Hill River Leven & Fish House Moss. Meet at Gilpin Bridge PH at 9.30am. <i>Packed Lunch Required</i>	10.00
Monday 27 th May	Altham River Calder	SD772329 BB5 5BY	A walk along the River Calder. M65 junction 8 left turn onto A6068. At traffic lights left turn onto A678 into Altham. Cross the river then park at The Walton Arms on right.	19.00
Monday 3 rd June	Runshaw Moor River Yarrow	SD537196 PR7 6HB	M6 junction 28. Right turn then right turn onto A49. In the centre of Euxton right turn at The Bay Horse. Over M6 the follow Runshaw Lane to find The Plough Inn (Owd Jerries) Runshaw on left.	19.00
Saturday 8 th June	Kendal A walk along Scout Scar	SD489924 LA8 8HA	Turn left in centre of Kendal and look for sp to Underbarrow, Park on rough car park on right on Underbarrow Road near Pylon. <i>Packed Lunch Required</i>	10.00
Monday 10 th June	Grimsthorpe Wetlands	SD593343 PR3 3BH	Park on Alston Lane. Grimsthorpe	19.00
Monday 17 th June	Preston River Ribble Savick Brook	SD509294 PR3 3BH	Drive across the swing bridge at the docks the right turn and park opposite flats. Walking to The Bullnose the along the Ribble towards Savick Brook.	19.00
Saturday 22 nd June	Burnley Hurstwood	SD882313 BB10 3LQ	M65 junction 10. Right turn onto AA679. Left turn onto A646. Left turn onto Red Lees Road and follow through Overtown & Mereclough. Right turn onto Hurstwood Lane. Park at Hurstwood Village. Exploring Hurstwood & Cant Reservoir and The Burnley Way. <i>Packed Lunch Required</i>	10.00
Monday 24 th June	Much Hoole Moss Houses	SD483228 PR4 4TH	Park on junction of Moss House Lane & Carr Lane. Exploring Much Hoole Moss.	19.00
Monday 1 st July	Belmont Revisited Horden Pature	SD655159 BL7 8BQ	Park at viewpoint car park at the highest point of Rivington Road.	19.00
Monday 8 th July	Talscough Moss Revisited	SD449150 L40 1TJ	Park on side of road near Tootle House Farm on Curlew Lane. 1 mile South West of Rufford.	19.00
Monday 15 th July	Tocholes Turn & Green Loves	SD665191 BB3 0PD	Park on Crookfield Road car park just off A675 sp Tocholes. 3 miles South of Abbey Village.	19.00
Monday 22 nd July	Hesketh New Marsh	SD442238 PR4 6TG	Park in car park next to school on Shore Road. Hesketh Bank. Hesketh with Beconsall.	19.00
Monday 29 th July	White Coppice Anglezarke Reservoir	SD619190 PR6 8QL	Park by cricket pitch. Exploring Black Coppice and Anglezarke reservoir. See 13 th May for directions.	19.00
Saturday 7 th Sept	Lunt Meadows NR Lancs Wildlife Trust	SD461155 L40 1SB	Park at The Hesketh Arms PH. Rufford just off A59 then in convoy to reserve. <i>Packed Lunch Required</i>	09.30
Saturday 21 st Sept	Champion Moor near Slaidburn	SD776465 BB7 4NH	Champion Moor. A59 the left turn to Sawley. (just past Clitheroe) Meet at The Spread Eagle PH Sawley at 9.30am. <i>Packed Lunch Required</i>	10.00

You participate in these walks entirely at your own risk. Never walk in front of the leader and follow their instructions as all times. Please walk on the right hand side of the road to face oncoming traffic.

For details of outing reports please visit: www.prestonsociety.co.uk

For all events in **blue (Mondays) & red (Saturdays)** please contact join walk organisers:
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Please call walks organisers to arrange for car sharing if required. Non Members welcome.

All Monday walks are a maximum of 3 miles.
All Saturday walks are a maximum of 5 miles.
Waterproofs and suitable footwear required.
Packed lunch required on Saturday walks.



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