



Agri-environment measures following CAP reform: can we still achieve wildlife revival?

A Game & Wildlife Conservation Trust Research Conference, Tuesday 13 May 2014
In the Ondaatje Theatre of the premises of the Royal Geographical Society (with The Institute of British Geographers), 1 Kensington Gore, London, SW7 2AR (Entrance: Exhibition Road Doors)

KEYNOTE SPEAKER: RICHARD BENYON MP

GUEST SPEAKER: CHRIS MUSGRAVE, Managing Director, Musgrave Management Systems

PROGRAMME

1015	Arrival and coffee	
1040	Chairman's Welcome	Ian Coghill
1045	Introduction: Why are we here, what do we hope to achieve?	Nick Sotherton
1115	Keynote speech: How we really can reverse the decline in biodiversity	Richard Benyon MP
1145	Policy setting: What are the challenges facing the Agri-Environment Measures?	Alastair Leake
1215	Cluster Farms: Getting farmers to work together at the landscape scale	Peter Thompson
1245	LUNCH	
1330	The Marlborough Downs Nature Improvement Area: Experiences so far from a farmer-led initiative	Chris Musgrave
1400	Optimal use of Agri-Environment in the landscape: How can we do better?	John Holland
1430	The GWCT's new Catchment Sensitive Farming Project	Chris Stoate
1500	Farmland insect declines: Climate change or intensive Management? The case for more mitigation	Julie Ewald
1530	Wader recovery in the Avon Valley: A new farmer-led initiative	Andrew Hoodless
1600	Closing remarks	Teresa Dent

After each talk there will be a ten minute open forum