

Colonel John Blashford-Snell OBE

Close encounters with wild animals

Colonel John was educated at Victoria College Jersey and RMA Sandhurst and commissioned into the Royal Engineers. He served in the Army for 37 years.

In 1969 he founded the Scientific Exploration Society. His first expedition was to the Blue Nile followed by a number of explorations including the complete navigation of the Congo River and the first vehicular trip from Alaska to Cape Horn.

He established Operation Drake which became Operation Raleigh which encouraged young people to visit, explore and work in various parts of the world, many of which are somewhat obscure.

He has received medals from a number of organisations including the Royal Geographical Society and its Scottish equivalent. He has written some 12 books on his adventures all over the world.

Close Encounters with wild animals – Thursday October 5 Crowcombe Court 6:30pm

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