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NORFOLK & NORWICH NATURALISTS' SOCIETY



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Norfolk & Norwich Naturalist's Society

Latest Publication sparks a new craze

Outline

The latest publication of the Norfolk and Norwich Naturalists' Society is 'Norfolk's Wonderful 150' a compendium of 150 species accounts that are special to Norfolk. With a forward by acclaimed author Simon Barnes the book covers a species per page. The publication has generated a craze among wildlife enthusiasts of seeing within the county all the 150 species listed.

Additional information

A legacy by supporter Diane Robinson (1948-2017) was put to good purpose when to celebrate it's 150th birthday the Norfolk and Norwich Naturalists' Society (NNNS) published 'Norfolk's Wonderful 150'. Each species was included because Norfolk is a particularly good place to see them or because the species has a close association with the county. In some instances, Norfolk is the only place to see them. Mammals, Birds, Butterflies, Moths, Crickets, Damselflies, Dragonflies, Bees, Spiders, Wasps, Plants, Lichens and many more taxa are listed with text, illustrations, and photographs.

The book is a landmark publication that has generated a craze among readers of seeing all the species listed. It remains to be seen how one manages to see all species when 'Old Shuck' the 16th century myth, is listed alongside Steppe Mammoth and early Hominid.

A free copy of the publication for press and media representatives is available by application To Dr Tony Leech, Chairman of the Publications Committee

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Carl Chapman, Chairman NNNS, says: The publication of 'Norfolk's Wonderful 150' is a tribute to the county's extraordinary wildlife and wildlife enthusiasts that put it together.

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The NNNS is a registered charity (Reg No. 291604) founded in 1869 and is the county's senior Natural History Society established for the study and conservation of Norfolk's wildlife. It publishes papers on natural history especially those pertaining to the county of Norfolk. It currently has in excess of 600 members, arranges lectures and meetings and the promotion of field work. Specialist groups cover most aspects of the county's flora and fauna.

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