The Research Committee of the Norfolk and Norwich Naturalists' Society (NNNS) presents:

The Annual Joint NBIS/NNNS Recorders Evening

CELEBRATING 150 YEARS OF THE NNNS AND 10 YEARS OF NBIS

The Recreation Centre, John Innes Centre, Norwich Research Park, Norwich NR4 7UH

Monday 16th March 2020 at 17:15

PROGRAMME

17:15 **REGISTRATION AND BUFFET**

18:15

- *Welcome and introduction to the evening* – Chair Tony Irwin, NNNS
- *NBIS update* - Sam Neal, NBIS

18:30 **KEYNOTE SPEECH** – Diana Bell, University of East Anglia

19:00

- *Summary of the 150th year* – Carl Chapman, NNNS (5 mins)
- *Charles Plowright (1849-1910) and some other Norfolk mycologists* – Tony Leech, NNNS (10 mins)
- *Early history of the NNNS and Norfolk recording before their formation* – Andy Brazil, NNNS (10 mins)
- *The last 150 years of bird recording in Norfolk* – Clive Slater, NNNS (15 mins)
- *Fifty years of observing change in the lichen flora - what does the past tell us about the future?* – Peter Lambley, NNNS (15 mins)
- *150 years of Norfolk sawflies: constructing a dataset for a poorly covered group of insects* – Andy Musgrove, NNNS (10 mins)
- *The changing face of bryophyte recording* - Julia Masson, NNNS (10 mins)
- *Balancing species conservation with cereal rust resilience* – Diane Saunders, John Innes Centre (10 mins)
- *Norfolk's amphibians & reptiles then and now* – John Buckley, NNNS (15 mins)

20:55 **CLOSING REMARKS -** Chair Tony Irwin, NNNS

21:00 **CLOSE**

PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF VENUE